

may rest assured that if they visit Windsor they will have little or nothing to complain of in this regard. Among our most prominent hotels are the Dufferin, which is the largest building in town, and under the excellent management of Messrs. Schultz & Jordan is rapidly bringing itself into the favorable consideration of the travelling public. The new management seem to know just what is necessary in catering to the wants of their patrons, who return the compliment by putting up at the Dufferin when visiting Windsor. The Victoria Hotel has a wide reputation among travellers throughout our broad Dominion, as a first-class establishment, and a comfortable and home-like one in all respects. This house is already so well known that it is unnecessary to dwell at length upon its many desirable qualities. The well-known proprietor, Mr. T. Doran, does all in his power to secure the well being and comfort of his guests. Among the other institutions of a similar nature come the Hotel Thomas, Mr. Fred. Mounce, proprietor; the Avon Hotel, Mr. Walter Hunter, proprietor; the Somerset House, Mr. W. Poole, proprietor; the Acadia House, Mr. John Jenkins, proprietor; the Windsor Hotel, Mr. Thomas Gibson, proprietor; the American House, Mr. W. Sloan, proprietor, and numerous other private boarding houses, etc.

### Fort Edward.

No one should visit Windsor without seeing Fort Edward. The place to-day bears little resemblance to the Fort Edward of over one hundred years ago. It was a very important station at that time, to which the people settled in the surrounding districts looked for aid and protection, while the French refugees and Indians were awed and crushed into subjection by the deadly fire of the British troops, as often as they rose in rebellion and committed their acts of spoliation of revenge and hatred.

In 1784 it consisted of a "small, square fort of eighty-five yards exterior front, with bastions, a ditch and a raised counter-scarp, and was composed of sod. Here were eighty pieces of cannon, mounted. The fort was built early in the settlement of the Province, first intended as a place of security against the