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The claim of Samuel Stearns does not appear among those published by the Bureau of Archives of Ontario, 1905, containing claims investigated by Colonel Thomas Dundas and Mr. Jeremy Pemberton, commissioners appointed by the British Parliament who were sent to Canada to investigate claims on the spot.

The name Julius Scaliger, Jr., is evidently a *pseudonym*.

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18. Professor Simon Newcomb has written me for information concerning his grandmother "Miriam" Steeves, "daughter of Lutin or Luther" Steeves. Consulting the Biographical Review of New Brunswick, p. 79, I find "Marion" Steeves to have been the first wife of Simon Newcomb's grandfather. On the other hand on p. 80, it is asserted that Rev. John Prince is "uncle" (not half-uncle) of Simon Newcomb. On p. 40, there is a reference to a Ludwig Steeves but not a "Lutin or Luther," and as "Miriam" was descended from this family, I want to get information. Can you help me to the "rights" of the various statements and also to new facts.

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