

But when his contemporaries gradually died off—when two generations had passed away since his voice had been heard his reputation rested on mere tradition. Later political arrangements had been completed which threw more and more the local affairs of Nova Scotia into the background until the memories of the men who played such a signal part in the reform movement had become but faded reminiscences.

Laurence O'Connor Doyle in the late fifties of the last century removed to New York, where one of his sisters resided who had married a Mr. Burke, father of Mrs. Thomas Kenny, of Thornvale, North West Arm, Halifax. Mrs. Kenny's mother who was Mr. Burke's first wife was a Roosevelt.

Mr. Doyle died in New York.