

# THE VENGEANCE

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**T**HE apples hung in scarlet ropes  
And golden clusters ; the ripe grain  
Went billowing up the mountain slopes ;  
And over running dike and plain  
The thousand cattle one by one

**T**RAILED their long shadows by the sea.  
Grand Pré, Port Royal, Tantramar,  
Minas and Shubenacadie,  
Cobequid, Beausejour, Canard,  
Melanson, Aulac, and Pereau.