

house and McPherson's shoal are equally well known to the mariner. The ruins of Madame DeGranville's grim old house were standing until recently. The legend is fresh in the memory of the oldest inhabitants of Goose Island, but on the spot where it stood, unfortunately for the lovers of legendary lore there has been erected a substantial modern structure. It required great efforts to disjoint the masonry of the old walls.

Who will rescue from oblivion this historical legend, ere it sinks in the shadow of the past, embodying its outlines in a brilliant narrative, throbbing with the pulse of life. Have we no Landors, no Martineaus, no Fiederika Bremers, amongst us?

SPENCER GRANGE, near Quebec,
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