

says that in the year 1751, he was "persuaded by his friend Dr. Erad to settle in Nova Scotia." He states in his journal that he was appointed overseer, and his friend medical adviser, to the company.

In the list of Halifax families for 1752, there is mentioned as living in the north suburbs, John Burger Erad, household seven in number, and the name of Rudolph precedes Erads in the list. He probably removed to Lunenburg, but nothing is known about his subsequent history.

**THE NEW ENGLAND IMMIGRATION.**—At about 1759 a movement of population from the New England colonies to Nova Scotia began, and continued for several years. This immigration has been quite generally confounded with the Loyalist migration to the provinces. These settlers are now often called the Pre-Loyalists. They settled almost entirely the townships of Annapolis, Granville, Yarmouth, Barrington, Liverpool, Chester, Cornwallis, Eornton, Falmouth and Newport. A number of them came also to New Dublin, Truro, Onslow, Windsor, Amherst and Cumberland. Pictou was settled in 1767 by a small band of settlers from the borders of Pennsylvania and Maryland.

**THE ULSTER IMMIGRATION.**—Immigration from the north of Ireland began in 1761, and continued for several years, being supplemented by the descendants of Irish families from the older colonies, more especially Londonderry, New Hampshire.

These immigrants settled chiefly in Londonderry, Onslow, Truro, Amherst, Cumberland, New Dublin and Wilmot.

**THE YORKSHIRE IMMIGRATION.**—During the period from 1771 to 1775 a large number of families from Yorkshire, England, settled in the present counties of Cumberland, N. S., and Westmoreland, N. B. Among these settlers, of various nationalities, were the following medical men. The list is, no doubt, incomplete.

### **Dr. Jonathan Woodbury.**

Came out with the first settlers to Yarmouth in the year 1760. He was descended from John Woodbury, one of the oldest Puritan settlers of New England. He was born in 1737. In 1763 his household is returned as consisting of five members, living on a one acre lot on Cape Forchu River.

At about the year 1770, he removed to Granville, where he had