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THE DEATH OF GENERAL WOLFE.

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In the *Montreal Star* of March 24, 1888, I published a long note under the foregoing heading. Since that time I have received many letters on the subject, and several requests to republish the article, with any additional information that I may since have obtained. In obedience to the desire of the Editor of *Canadiana*, I now send him the original note, and have appended to it an extract from the *London Notes and Queries* of February 5, 1851, that, to me at least, appears full of interest.

In March, 1888, I wrote as follows:—"A letter dated Louisburg, Nov. 17, 1759, from Henry Browne to his father, John Browne, M.P. for Castlebar, who subsequently became Earl of Altemonte, was lately printed (for the first time) in the *London Times*, and has been republished in many Canadian journals. In it we read: "I gave you, dear father, as distinct an account as I could of our action of the 13th September, and of the taking of the town of Quebeck. I must add a little to it by informing you that I was the person who carry'd General Wolf off the field, and that he was wounded as he stood within a foot of me. * * * * * The General did our company the honor to head us in person,