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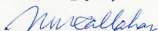
Dear Mr. Raddall:

I am writing a book on what happened to the Loyalists after the American Revolution, especially their adventures, hardships etc.

Would you have such material, particularly concerning those who settled in Shelburne and Queens Counties?

If so, could it be reproduced and how much would this cost?

Thanking you,



North Callahan  
Professor of History

May 1, 1965

Professor North Callahan,  
New York University,  
New York, 10003, U.S.A.

Dear Professor Callahan:

With regard to your letter of April 22. I have a good deal of information about the Loyalists who settled in Nova Scotia after the Revolution, but nothing collected and available in printed form except a paper I read before the Nova Scotia Historical Society. This had to do with the story of the British Legion, better known as Tarleton's Legion. Most of the paper dealt with the history of the Legion during the war, but I described the subsequent settlement at Port Mouton in Nova Scotia, and the hardships and wanderings afterwards.

It was printed in the Collections of the Nova Scotia Historical Society, Halifax, N.S., in Volume 28, 1949.

No doubt you have been in touch with the Nova Scotia Public Archives, which has amongst other material the White Collection of Documents. These have to do with Captain Gideon White of Plymouth, Mass., descendant of the Pilgrims, his activities as a Loyalist officer during the war, and his business and family affairs in the town of Shelburne for many years afterward. These letters and documents offer the best study of a Loyalist family after the war, of which I have any knowledge. His descendant T. Howland White, a neighbor of mine in Liverpool, has much of the old family silver and chinaware, and amongst other things a fine medallion portrait of Gideon White in uniform.

Sincerely,