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Head Jeddore R.R.I.  
Halifax Co., N.S.

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Mr Thomas Raddall—  
Liverpool, N.S.

Dear Mr Raddall— doubtless you may  
receive many letters re your books.  
My son brought me your book "Footsteps  
On Old Floors" which I have enjoyed  
especially as the writings are centered  
in N.S. Your coverage of the barkentines  
'Herbert Fuller' brought back many  
memories. Living beside the sea in a Cove,  
at Lower West Jeddore, facing the  
broad ocean, one has had the advantage  
of seeing many ships passing.  
Deas born in 1888, so was very  
young when the 'Herbert Fuller' mutiny

3) but, the horror of it all, lingered in memory. When I started to read your book naturally the name "Herbert Fuller" brought back many memories. I was then enabled to tell my family of it. As the bark drew past Jeddore Harbour it could be seen plainly from the shore line.

I have not read many of your books, was pleased to receive the one which revived memories of what to me as a child was a "Horror". I happen to be one of the

"Hastmouth Free Press" Correspondents.

Am always on the lookout for old newspapers, etc. as I write of the "Yesterday's". Hope I have not taken up too much of your time. I thank you for the pleasure of reading your books. Yours Sincerely

Mrs E. S. Williams  
Ada H. Williams

took place. Newspapers came over every week, therefore it was days before the mystery of seeing the barkentine with the Canvas Covered dory go by Jeddore on way to Halifax. My father, as well as many more of the men, were fishermen. Upon returning, from a day's fishing the general talk was the unusual sight of the barkentine, leaving the dory, Canvas Covered. As all ships or boats depended wholly on sails, and winds, it was possible to have a clear view of this strange procedure at sea. The fishermen realized it was an unusual sight, therefore it was well discussed, but no way of knowing the facts. The weekly paper, was a welcome arrival. Some relatives in U. S. sent some Boston papers containing more than our N. S. papers. At my early age, being unable to read