

The mill-owner named Horsnail referred to xvii. 11, 12, was probably Robert Horsnail, Junior. He married Eliza Samuda. He was an "angel" of the Irvingite Church and his wife belonged to the same Church.

The diary of John Allen (1757-1808) referred to above was printed under the editorship of Clement Young Sturge in 1905, as *Leaves from the Past*. The following entries refer to William Alexander and Rochester School :

1777.

- 5 mo. 16. This afternoon William Alexander came to town with Hollis [Clayton]. They both lodged at our house.
19. Father went to Grace church Meeting this Afternoon where the business [of Yearly Meeting] is Transacted every year; the Females to Devonshire House Meeting which is their Synod. They returned with the Addition of Ann Fleet & W^m Alexander's wife about eight o'Clock.
20. Rained hard for most of the Night . . . to meeting this fore-noon & was accompanied there with Friend Alexander. His great Coat was wet through, being but thin.
24. William Alexander & Wife & Ann Fleet departed from our Mansion this Morn^g with a design to return Home.
- 6 mo. 8. Went with Cousin Hollis to take his leave before he goes to School.
9. Went with Cousin Hollis to London Bridge to meet the Rochester Coach . . . and put him in.

Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting of the Friends Historical Society was held in London on the 19th April. Ernest E. Taylor, retiring president, delivered the presidential address, his subject being "The First Publishers of Truth, a Study from the Economic Standpoint."

Charles Francis Jenkins, of Philadelphia, Pa., was elected president and L. Violet Hodgkin, of Falmouth, vice-president.