

1676. Ut supra. Insuper P. Carolus Albanel profectus est ad illas missiones.

1677. Ut supra, except. P. Allouez miss. Illinen. PP. Albanel et André curant miss. S. Xav.; PP. Silvy et Pierson miss. S. Ignat.

F. André, throughout 1677, continued working assiduously among the Indians of the Bay, and regenerated by baptism one hundred catechumens. Twice this year had he incurred the dangers of being wrecked in the frail canoes of the natives.*

The "Relations Inédites" of 1672-1679 give no further particulars concerning F. André; but with the aid of the manuscript extracts from the catalogues,† we are able, with the exception of a few years, to follow his movements with certainty till his death.

1678-1684. From 1678 to 1681 we find him still at Green Bay; in 1682, at Michilimakinac. In 1683, he is with the Indians at Kiskakin. This was the last year of his missionary labors in the West.

1684-1690. He was now in his sixtieth year, and was recalled to Quebec, no doubt, with the intention of affording him a little rest after many years of hardship and apostolic toil. From the old registers in the archives of the Archbishopric at Quebec, we learn that F. André visited the Gulf of the St. Lawrence in the summer of 1684, proceeding as far as KaSi and Anticosti. It was no doubt as a kind of holiday trip. He was then named professor of Philosophy in the Jesuits' College at Quebec, a post he occupied in 1684 and 1685. And, though venerable in years, he did not think it beneath him to accept an appointment as professor in the lower forms of Quebec College. This duty he fulfilled from 1686 to 1690.

For a man of his ability and experience, blessed with a robust constitution and inured to toil, the task of teaching Latin rudiments and even more advanced classes, were mere

* Rel. In., II., p. 230.

† Archives of St. Mary's College, Montreal.