

favorably, and that those engaged in the work are much encouraged. We regard the work of French Canadian Evangelization as a most important work; and were pleased to read the following statement respecting the progress of the work at Sabrevois, which will no doubt interest our readers. The period of the Society's infancy is now giving place to its youth. The foundation is completed, and the superstructure begins to appear. May He, who is the great Master-builder, continually watch over and carry forward the work in every stage of its progress adding stone after stone to the building, until the topstone shall be laid "with shoutings of grace unto it."

During the past year, the Female Training Institution has also been re-opened, and a hopeful commencement made of this most important work. Two Colporteurs have been employed with marked success, and a body of French-speaking Indians have been received into connection with the English Church, and supplied with a Missionary at their own spontaneous request. These new agencies, in addition to the two new stations occupied by the young men who have gone forth from Sabrevois, are signs of progress and expansion.

The finances present on the whole a favorable aspect. To meet the increased expenditure required for the new work, new friends have been needed. God has raised them up, while at the same time some of the old friends of the Society have been more liberal than ever. Local support has also been elicited in aid of two of the three new stations, and upon this means of adding to the funds, the Committee would rely in part for future extension."

We were pleased also to read the following testimonial to the character and labors of the Rev. B. P. Lewis, the Missionary Pastor at Sabrevois:—In 1859, the Rev. B. P. Lewis, the Missionary Pastor now at Sabrevois, was placed in charge, and by the simplicity of his character and devotedness of spirit, has won the respect and esteem of the community. Much however remains to be done. The seed sown in past years needs to be watered, and fresh seed to be continually scattered in the thickly populated district around, before the harvest of souls can be reaped. Time, patience, effort, and prayer must all be given ere he that soweth and he that reapeth will rejoice together."

OFFICIAL NOTICES.

CONFERENCE MEETINGS.

The Conference of the American Branch of the Evangelical Union will be held in the Albert Street Church, Toronto, on Wednesday, the 6th of July. The retiring President, Rev. G. Anderson of Huntingdon, will deliver an address at 10 o'clock, a.m. The churches are requested, to send each two delegates; and all the friends of our free Gospel movement throughout the country are earnestly requested to be present. On the Tuesday evening, a sermon will be preached by the Rev. James