

5671). Among various articles presented (1887) to the Canadian Institute by Rev. T. F. Laboreau (vol. v., p. 297), are a photograph of a letter written on birch-bark, and a seal ring engraved with the letters I. H. S. (no. 5705, Ontario Museum); this ring was found in a bonepit at the supposed site of Ossossané. Four rings, similarly inscribed, were found in the Bowman ossuary, Flos township,—a place supposed to be at or near the site of the St. Michel mission. The rings seem to indicate that some baptized Indians had been interred with others. Another ring of this sort was found at the village site on the Crawford farm, Tiny township."—See Boyle's *Archæological Reports*—2nd, p. 11; 3rd, p. 49; 4th, pp. 64, 67; 8th, p. 42; also, Hunter's article "Ahoendoe," in *Indian* (Hagersville, Ont.), 1886, p. 217.

37 (p. 121).—Nicolas Pinel came with his family from La Rochelle; Tanguay says that he died at the hospital, on the day here mentioned, from a wound received in this attack. His son Gilles, born in 1635, married Anne Ledet in 1657; he died in January, 1700.

Charles Gauthier (Gaultier), surnamed Boisverdun, came from Paris; in 1646, he was at Three Rivers. Ten years later, he married Catherine le Camus; they resided, at various times, at Quebec and other neighboring settlements. Gauthier died in February, 1703.

38 (p. 121).—This was Claire Françoise, daughter of Madame de Monceaux (vol. xxxv., note 3); she married Denis Joseph d'Auteuil, an official in the French court. At the time here referred to, her husband and mother were both in France. Courville's name is apparently mentioned only in the *Journal*.

39 (p. 123).—Nicolas Peltier (Pelletier), a native of Beauce, came to Canada at least as early as 1636, with his wife, Jeanne Roussy; they had eight children. He died before 1675.

40 (p. 125).—"Bij Jean" was the nickname given to Jean Boudart. His wife was Catherine Mercier; they had one child, who died in infancy (1649).

41 (p. 125).—Michel Chauvin, born 1617, was surnamed Ste. Suzanne (Susane), from his birthplace in Maine, France. He married Anne Archambault; they had three children.

Urbain Tessier, surnamed Lavigne, a native (1624) of Angers, probably came to Canada in 1647 or 1648. In the latter year, he married Marie Archambault, then twelve years old, and settled in Montreal; they had seventeen children. He died there in March, 1689.

42 (p. 127).—Druillettes and Godefroy were duly commissioned by the Council of Quebec as its ambassadors to the authorities of New England. Their letter of credentials, and a letter from that