

was not a school-house in the district. Mrs. Amaron opened a school in her house for boys. From four it grew to thirty-three when the society bought a farm with a suitable house for a boarding school. The Ladies' Auxiliary Society undertook to pay for it. Mrs.



Rev. J. E. Tanner,
1846-55.



Mme E. Tanner.

Amaron gave place as teacher, to Mr. Cellier, who died soon after and was succeeded by M. Jean Vernier, who was brought from France in 1844. Mr. Vernier was educated at the Missionary Institute of Glay, under Mr. Jacquet, who sent out several good men to Canada, among them the lamented Mr. Bourgoin and his successor at Pointe-aux-Trembles Principal Brandt.

The Belle-Riviere Institute was transferred to Pointe-aux-Trembles where a