

subsequent career and the time, place and manner of her death, the writer could find nothing reliable.

The following acrosticon was composed by Father Baraga at his sister Antonia's departure from La Pointe, where she had kept house for him two years after his return from Europe in 1837. It was given us by Rev. Ant. J. Rezek, of Houghton, Mich., to whom we are very thankful for this proof of kind interest in our work.

Angel Boshji naj te vedno spremlja,
Nie verlasse Dich des Himmels Schutz,
Tuta sis et salva in aeternum,
Observez toujours la loi de Dieu
Nuovo sempre sia il Vostro zelo
Imitate the Saviour's holy life,
Angwamisin, mino bimadisin.

Mission zum hl. Joseph in N. Amerika, im Juli, 1839.

Dein Dich ewig liebender Bruder,

FRIEDRICH BARAGA, m. pr.

In the parish records of L'Anse we find the following entries:

"The undersigned missionary laid the foundation of this mission, with the help of God, on the 24th of May, in the year 1843, on which day he arrived here and remained twenty days among the Indians of this place. Some believed the word immediately and were baptized after the necessary instruction. But others said: 'If that missionary comes again, not to remain only for a few days, but to stay constantly with us, then we, too, will receive the doctrine, which he preaches, and Baptism. Wherefore he came again on the 24th of October of the same year and immediately began to prepare whatever things were deemed necessary for the firm establishment of the mission. With the special help of God the poor mission-