

Bishop looked after church affairs ; and the **Intendant** managed legal and money affairs.

The first Intendant was **Talon**, who did much for the country, but he returned to France in 1672. **Laval** was the first Bishop, and for fifty years he devoted his life to work in the colony.

Count Frontenac, the greatest of the Governors of Canada during this period, had **two terms** of office, (1) 1672-1682 and (2) 1689-1698. He was very successful in his management of the **Indians**, and was much esteemed by the Iroquois ; but his quarrels with the Bishop and others led to his recall. He was appointed the second time to save the colony, which was in danger of being blotted out. He subdued the Indians, and in 1690, successfully defended Quebec against the English under Phips ; but in 1698, he died.

The growth of the colony was greatly retarded by the cruel Indian and border warfare which was almost constantly carried on between the French and the English colonists, and the Indian allies of each. But exploring parties were sent out to the north and west, forts were built, and many deeds of daring and bravery were performed. In 1660, **Daulac** and his companions made their famous stand at the foot of the Long Sault rapids, on the Ottawa, and in 1692, the **Heroine of Vercheres** showed the courage and bravery of which a true daughter of France was capable. **Missionaries** went to all the Indian tribes, where many of them suffered terrible tortures, while others were put to death. They failed with the Iroquois, but the Hurons quickly accepted Christianity. In 1673, **Marquette** and **Joliet**