

“ He was received with perfect courtesy, listened to with attention, answered in all points with unaltered sweetness and calmness. The result did not answer his expectation. He became a Catholic, and lived for years as a Sulpician priest in Montreal.

A young Bostonian, a good many years ago, after leaving college went to finish his studies by travel abroad. In Rome he became a Catholic. His family, grieved beyond measure at what they considered a disgrace, despatched a bosom friend of his across the ocean to find him and bring him back to a sense of his duty. Again the issue was not what was looked for. The messenger in turn became a Catholic. Both young men returned to America, entered the Jesuit novitiate at Frederick, in this State. The messenger died there after a few years. The other is still living and working for the holy Catholic faith, beloved by all, Protestants and Catholics alike.

“ There is, I fear, in the midst of many of our enemies a lurking suspicion that a like fate would befall them under similar circumstances, or that, at least, they would be deprived of any shadow of justification for perpetuating the Protestant tradition.”

NOTES, ETC.

Lady Foley, who died recently, belonged to the old English Catholic family of Howard. She was the daughter of the thirteenth Duke of Norfolk, and was one of Queen Victoria's bridesmaids.

The *Rock*, an Anglican organ of great prominence, says “ to those who watch the drift of events within and outside our church, the future seems to grow darker and darker.”

The unfriendly attitude towards the Church should not discourage us. An earnest antagonism, prompted by