

opposed to the truth. However man proposes, but God disposes, for this man met me lately and asked for a Testament and is now searching for the truth. P. S. V.

PROGRESS AMONG THE PEOPLE.—In spite of the farmers and their laborers being very busy in the fields during the past month we have been able to place several Testaments and a large number of tracts, and the conversations which we have had prove that the Gospel is making progress in the hearts of the people. Several persons are commencing to perceive the abuses of the Romish priests, but they dare not speak against the existing state of things; while others more courageous, are faithfully exposing the improper conduct of the clergy.

GOOD RESULTS.—I visited lately a family which appeared well disposed towards the Gospel. I found out they had been very badly treated by the priest who had refused to baptize one of the children without being paid at once, the woman having offered to pay him a little later. I have visited this family twice and the last time the woman appeared disposed to leave the church of Rome. I hope with God's help this step on their part will be taken. L. L.

AN INTERESTING CASE.—At one of our meetings a man and his wife were present and after my discourse in which I referred to the Romish doctrine of confession they sent for me and I had an interesting conversation with them in the presence of ten other persons. Mr. M—— and his wife appear well disposed and I hope that soon they will leave the church of Rome in order to follow the Gospel. J. G.

THE READING OF THE SCRIPTURES BLESSED.—At C—— I met a man who had put me out of his shop at O—— and when I again offered him the Scriptures he reminded me of having done so. I said the master I served told me to be of good courage. He thought he must be a saint to act so, and when I told him it was Jesus Christ and spoke to him of His doctrines, he at last bought a Testament, giving double price and wishing me God's blessing. P. S. V.

At A. C—— called on a Protestant married to a French Canadian Romanist, with a family of six children, the four boys Protestant and the two girls Roman Catholic. He asked me to dinner, and afterwards I gave some tracts to one of the girls. On that the wife abused me, and ordered me out of the house, but the husband calmly said to her, "my dear wife, I asked this gentleman to dinner and now I want him to read the Bible. If you do not like to listen you can retire." I read and explained for one hour several passages bearing on the way of salvation, and when leaving, the woman came up and gave me her hand without saying a word. I met again the husband who said his wife had shed tears after I left, and wished to see me. The Bible had produced fruit. Let us expect God has glorious results in reserve for us. P. S. V.

AN EARLY CONVERT.—Having heard that Madame G—— was very sick, I went to see her. My visit was much welcomed and she begged me to return. This sister is one of the first fruits of our mission. "For 34 years I have had the pleasure to speak to her of the Good news of salvation. She has been a consistent Christian and could well say with Paul. "I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith; henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord the righteous Judge will give me at that day:" J. V.

LONG TESTIMONY TO THE GOSPEL.—During two weeks I visited one of our oldest converts, who latterly lived with a Roman Catholic family where I visited her. She was very ill and wished to go to the General Hospital, and on my application she