every one to make any corrections he likes. One doubtful passage may suffice here as an illustration of the difficulties encountered. It is in the sentence at the foot of page 48, where it is conjectured the comma after the word cotons should be omitted. According to Clapin's Canadian French Dictionary the word coton is used of the bare, dry stem of Indian corn; and the phrase un coton de blê-d' Inde is quoted. It is hardly worth while to mention other instances.

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