

HUNTINGDON.—This is also a new station in Beauharnois County, in the midst of a settlement of farmers, most of whom are from Scotland and Ireland. At this place there has been a signal outpouring of the Spirit of God, which, when viewed in connexion with the circumstances of that people, seems truly wonderful. It would be improper in this place to give a minute account of that awakening, even did our limits permit, a brief outline only will be presented.

In March last the General Agent spent a Sabbath in this place, and found a few persons who were very solicitous that he should remain a short time with them, and preach daily to the people. One aged man who had been sighing and crying for the abominations that were done in the land, had been thrown upon a sick bed in consequence of the anguish of his spirit; others also joined him in prayer to God for a revival of his work. Under these circumstances it was agreed that your Agent should remain and labour in word and doctrine for a short time. Notice was given, and the few who were interested went from house to house to invite their neighbours to the preaching. At first only a small number assembled; but there was importunate prayer. Two or three agreed. The answer came, "The messenger of the covenant" appeared, and was "like a refiner's fire, and like fullers' soap." Some who had been most active in their efforts to secure His presence, now trembled under His searching scrutiny. Joy and peace succeeded, and they afterwards declared that they never until then had experienced a saving change, and truly the change was great. One man, intelligent, active, and *apparently* pious, was constrained at the close of one of the meetings to make the humiliating confession to his neighbours that he had been a Pharisee all his life, and now stood before them a convicted sinner. It was an affecting scene, when he warned his brethren, and besought them not to follow in his footsteps, for the "pride of his heart had deceived him." Others were convicted, and some began to rejoice in hope of the glory of God. One aged female, who had numbered ninety years, followed the preacher to his lodgings one evening after service and told him, with many tears of joy, what God had wrought for her salvation. For more than twenty years she had been troubled, but did not know what was the matter. No one had told her, and she knew not what to do. Her distress had increased greatly within a few weeks. Her burden was more than she could bear. She threw herself upon the floor and besought the Lord to shew her by his Spirit, if there was any mercy for her. In a moment her anguish left her. Joy, new, strange, unspeakable, filled her soul. The

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