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MISS MATTHIEU writes. "We had an attendance of forty-one pupils last month. Two former pupils of Roman Catholic parentage have returned to us, their parents informing me that they could not perfect themselves in arithmetic and English with the nuns, and they felt confident we would be interested in their advancement. One woman said to me a few days ago, 'I dare not mention the fact of my daughter being at your school for two years; I know full well our priest and nuns would give me no peace of mind until I would withdraw my child, and I could not do that as we are fully satisfied with all the instruction she receives.' In fact, I have more favorable testimony from some of our Roman Catholic people than from some of our French Protestants. Our girls are improving in sewing, the desire seems to be increasing for fancy work such as knitting lace and crocheting, owing perhaps to the approach of Christmas.