

church in Canada was built and it was here that Father Ennemond Massé spoke of a Saviour for the Indians—The flag he raised we may all rally around, and if we adhere to it, I believe, we shall all meet again. On it was inscribed these words: *Ad majorem Dei Gloriam*. “For the greater glory of God”—His fellow missionaries who worked with him, record that they were determined mined to await or dare any thing to suffer or die. He died on the 12th May 1646 and was buried in the little church of St. Joseph Sillery—On the ruins of this church we now erect a monument, and before closing, I would tender our warmest thanks, for the great assistance we have received from our friends, Mons. the Abbé Laverdière and the Abbé Casgrain. They first made the discovery, and without them, we should have fallen behind in our work. To you also, men of Sillery, I would again offer congratulations.

It is nearly twelve months since, that we met to discuss what should be done with the mortal remains found here, and you then came forward, and took the responsibility of building this monument. We have to thank many outside friends for much assistance ; but to you belongs the credit of the erection of this beautiful monument.