

may walk and talk where he pleases, and be treated with respect. Roman Catholics send their children to the English public schools, in spite of discriminating fees. They purchase "L'Aurore," the French Protestant paper, and read it publicly. Their intelligent men and women seek the society of the intelligent and cultivated among our French Protestants, and in many ways show that the old barrier between Catholic and heretic has been broken down.

Wise people say this is the progress of modern ideas, the influence of the neighboring States, and many things beside, but those who are familiar with life and society in the Province of Quebec see in this change the fruit of good seed laboriously sown through long years of painful weary waiting. The bread cast upon the waters is found after many days, and teaches the apostolic lesson, "Let us not be weary in well-doing : for in due season we shall reap if we faint not."

