

—having met her in a neighbor's house before—and was greatly rejoiced to find that she had not only renounced the errors of Romanism, but had also become a sincere and earnest Christian.

“On the same day in October that I met her I also met with a young man with whom I had a long conversation on religion; on Thursday last, when I saw him again, he told me that he had entirely given up the Church of Rome and was seeking to become a true Christian.

“On the evening of that same day (Thursday) I preached the Gospel in French in the Baptist church to about nine or ten French Catholics; among the hearers was the doctor of the place. They seemed intensely interested in the discourse, and gave evidence that the Truth was not presented to them in vain.

“On the following day, Rev. Mr. McEwen and myself went eight miles off to hold a meeting in a small log school-house. Mr. McEwen had already preached there twice, in English, with much acceptance, about fifteen or sixteen French Catholics being present at his last meeting, and thanking him for coming among them. In spite of the opposition of the priest about twelve of them attended our meeting. I preached from these words:—‘What must I do to be saved?’ and never was a sermon listened to more attentively. After the service they came and shook hands with me, and thanked me most earnestly for my visit to them. They also urged me to go back and preach to them again, which I promised to do. ‘Come,’ they said, ‘and you will not be alone; we will come and hear you, and we will bring others with us.’ We have reason to believe that the Lord is preparing a great work in that place.”

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Brother Riendeau writes: “The church and congregation in this place continue in a healthy condition. Public worship is well attended when the weather and roads permit it. As many have to come a long distance, the stormy season of winter reduces our numbers very much. The pastor has to visit the more. I am sorry to say, we had no accession to our number by baptism this year. I have had several cases of encouragement among the Roman Catho-