

he married Catherine Godfroy, by whom he had four children; his death occurred in 1769.

2 (p. 21).—Jean Casse *dît* St. Aubin, a corporal in the French troops, came to Detroit in 1707, directly after his marriage to Marie Louise Gautier; they had ten children. He died in 1759, aged 100 years. His son Charles is the Charlot mentioned in our text.

3 (p. 23).—"It would appear from the above, and other entries in the manuscript of a similar nature, that Father de la Richardie has purchased and sold 'houses at the fort;' which means buildings within the inclosure of the palisades of Fort Pontchartrain. . . . It is probable they may have been provided for business purposes, such as for the storage and inspection of furs prior to their shipment to Montreal, and to enable the Hurons to make their exchanges on that side of the straits." (Elliott's note, in *U. S. Cath. Hist. Mag.*, vol. iv., p. 299.)

4 (p. 25).—"The 'convoy' . . . was the great event of the year in colonial life at Detroit. It was the annual shipment from Montreal of the year's supplies, of the government's stores and money, and of the consignments of the factors and merchants at Montreal, Three Rivers, and Quebec to their correspondents at Detroit. . . . It was a fleet of trading canoes and batteaux with armed protection, and arrived during the month of September." (Elliott, *ut supra*, p. 159.)

The statement in this paragraph of the text, and other allusions, indicate that Potier copied these accounts from another book—probably a sort of day-book kept by his superior, La Richardie.

5 (p. 27).—By Francheville is apparently meant François Xavier Godet, youngest brother of Jacques Godet (vol. lxix., *note* 77), born 1723. At the age of thirty-two, he married Angélique Rivard, by whom he had two children. The date of his death is not recorded.

Pierre Perthuis (born 1686), son of the Montreal merchant of that name, came to Detroit about 1719; by his wife, Catherine Malet, he had eleven children. The time of his death is not known.

6 (p. 29).—Bonaventure Compain *dît* L'Espérance, a French soldier, came to Detroit in 1706 or 1707. By his first wife, Marie Catherine Badaillac (according to Tanguay; but Burton says Laplante), he had a son Pierre (born 1710), who is the one mentioned in the text; by his second, Catherine Poupard, a son Charles (born 1716).

François Bienvenu *dît* Delisle was one of Cadillac's colonists; he died in September, 1751, leaving at Detroit a large family. The reference in the text is probably to his eldest son, Alexis, born 1701. In 1740, he married Elizabeth Bouron, by whom he had six children; he died in 1763.