

bors have been greatly blessed. Many having been, as I hope and trust, through my instrumentality, brought to a saving reception of the Gospel. By some portion of the Catholics and unconverted Protestants with whom I have labored, I have been a good deal persecuted by attempts to interrupt and disturb my meetings, and circulating false reports respecting me.

Hoping and trusting that my labors may still continue to be owned and blessed of the Great Head of the Church, I am resolved to continue those labors, though it may be still amid trials and persecutions—adopting as my motto that of the Apostle Paul, “none of these things move me, neither count I my own life dear unto myself, so that I may finish my course with joy and the ministry which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the Grace of God.”

And now having sacrificed all for Christ and his blessed cause, may I not confidently appeal to the sympathies of a generous Christian public for their countenance and support in my further efforts to do good among that rapidly and continually increasing portion of the population in their midst, viz:—the French and Irish Catholics, with whom I have hitherto mainly labored?