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Our text of Lescarbot's *La Conversion* follows, to the close of p. 44 (original pagination), the copy at Lenox Library; pp. 45, 46, the "Regitre de Bapteme," follow the copy at John Carter Brown Library, Providence, R. I., as the Lenox copy does not have these two pages.

It is a rare book; the two copies above cited are the only ones known to us, in America. Leclerc, in *Bibliotheca Americana* (Paris, 1867), p. 206, says: "Cette pièce est plus rare que l'Histoire de la Nouvelle France," referring to Lescarbot's better-known work. Sabin speaks of it (vol. x., no. 40167), as "probably the rarest of Lescarbot's works."

See further references in the John Carter Brown Catalogue (Bartlett's *Bibliotheca Americana*, Providence, 1882), vol. ii., no. 99; Graesse's *Trésor de Livres Rares et Précieux* (Dresden, 1863), vol. iv., p. 175; HARRISSE'S *Notes sur la Nouvelle France* (Paris, 1872), no. 21; TERNAUX'S *Bibliothèque Américaine* (Paris, 1837), no. 330; WINSOR'S *Narrative and Critical History of America*, vol. iv., p. 299; and *Lenox Catalogue of Jesuit Relations* (N. Y., 1879), p. 3.*

* In order to save needless repetition of long titles, bibliographical works, when once cited in full, will thereafter be referred to by the usual cut-shorts: e. g., the John Carter Brown Catalogue will be hereafter known in our Bibliographical Data as "Brown Catalogue;" the list of Jesuitica in Winsor's *Narrative and Critical History*, vol. iv., as "Winsor;" the *Lenox Catalogue of Jesuit*