

Chevalet. He acknowledged his fault, saying that he had well deserved punishment, and came of his own accord to confess, that evening or the next day.

During the shrove Days, the Ursulines, and especially the hospital nuns, often sent us pastries, Spanish Wine, etc.

*Liberalities of the nuns.*

On the 1st Sunday in Lent was published the Indulgence of the stations of rome, which one might gain at the Church; and the copy of the Indulgences of this nature was read and posted.

*1st Sunday in Lent.*

Simeon and la neigerie, our men at Sillery, came here to work for us during three weeks; they returned on the 10th of March.

Monsieur the Governor sent fresh fish about twice a week during Lent; we twice sent him an earthen jar full of olives.

*Gifts of Monsieur the governor.*

The savages of Sillery abandoned their houses and the whole residence, at the beginning of the month, and came to dwell quite near to Quebec.

*Savages of Sillery.*

About this time, Chrestiennot, Cook at 3 rivers, left our service, and was put in the fort; and in his place father buteux, Superior at 3 rivers, chose one to his liking from those of the fort. This Chrestiennot acted at the fort as such a glutton, that he was put on the Chevalet, on which he was ruptured.

*Chrestiennot leaves our service.*

#### 1646, MARCH.

On the 10th, a frenchman and a Huron, oatentak, arrived from three rivers, bringing letters and news of the return of Cous-

*Return of Cousture.*