About this time, or a little before, the savages started for their great hunt, with St. Denys and the son of Thomas hayot.⁵

On Passion Sunday at the hospital, everything occurred the same as last year,—except that the laudate Dominum omnes gentes was sung, instead of Domine salvum fac regem. However, neither the one nor the other is proper; but, instead of that, there should be added after the Ave regina the prayer prodevotis amicis, in the singular, in behalf of Madame the duchess d'Eguillon, the foundress.

On Annunciation Day the Cross and Images were uncovered; dubium est utrum fieri debeat,—suffice it for a picture or statue of our Lady, but not the Cross, etc.

On palm Sunday, all took place the same as last year. One of our brethren, in surplice, carried to monsieur the governor his palm (Mademoyselle the governor's wife was not there; they would have carried one to her, if she had been there with her husband); and the same brother afterward went to carry two palms to Monsieur de Chavigny and to monsieur Giffar, as members of the Council. The rest, as is usual with the consecrated bread. I gave notice that the palms must be held at the passion and at the Elevation,—and this last is not correct, but only the 1st. I sang the passion alone.

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All took place in Holy week very nearly as last year; the washing of feet at the hospital

Departure of the savages.

Passion Sunday.

Annunciation.

Palm Sunday,