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CCXXIX - CCXXXI, CCXXXIII

The first, third, and fourth of these three documents are letters written from France by Alain Xavier de Launay, S.J., to the Ursulines at Quebec and Paris, dated February 12, 1759, April 19, 1760, and December 24, 1768, respectively; the second is a letter written by Father Bernard Well to De Launay, dated Quebec, October 17, 1759. The original MSS. rest in the archives of the Ursuline monastery at Quebec. An English translation of Doc. CCXXIX. was published in American Catholic Historical Researches, vol. v., p. 35.

CCXXXII

The original MS. of this letter of Father Sébastien Meurin to Bishop Briand, of Quebec, written from Kaskaskia June 11, 1768, is in the archiepiscopal archives of Quebec.

CCXXXIV

This is a letter from Jean Baptiste de la Brosse, S.J., to a Canadian lady whose son was his pupil, dated at Isle Verte, September 23, 1776. The original MS. fell into the hands of Rev. Marc Chauvin, parish priest at Baie St. Paul. Father Chauvin was appointed vicar-general of the diocese of Quebec, and was succeeded in his parish by Rev. Charles Trudelle, who later became chaplain to the hospital