

Rene de la Voyer married Anne Godin, the daughter of Elie (Ely) Godin and Esther Ramage. The following articles were taken from The Jesuit Relations and Allied Documents, (edited by R.G. Thwaites), Volume 51, (1666-1667), pp 89-91; 93-95.

"In the year 1662, Marie-Esther Ramage, aged 45 years, wife of Elie Godin of the parish of Ste. Anne du Petite-Cap, after being for eighteen months all bent so that she could by no means straighten herself again, and was obliged to drag herself around as best she could with her cane, hopeless of ever recovering her health by human remedies, remembered that her husband had told her that in his presence Louis Guymond, of the same parish, had been suddenly cured of a severe pain in the loins, by laying, in a spirit of devotion, three of the foundation stones of Ste. Anne's Church, the building of which had begun. Thereupon she invoked the Saint's assistance, praying her to work a miracle in her as she had done in the man. At that very time,-- forgetting her cane, which disappeared-- she found herself quite erect on her feet, walking as easily as she had ever done. Quite astounded by so sudden a change, she began to return thanks to Ste. Anne for the benefit she had just received; and since then she has remained in perfect health. This miracle helped greatly to confirm in the faith all that family, which had long lived in the pretended reform religion." (pp89-91)

"Elie Godin, fifty years of age, of the parish of Ste. Anne, being ill of the dropsy in an advanced stage, for which the usual remedies could afford him no relief, thought he would prepare for death, and had me called to give him the Holy Viaticum. Then I told him to have recourse to the Blessed Virgin and to Saint Anne; and after preparing him to die, I went away to the Church to say Holy Mass for him. Upon my returning thence to give him ~~the~~ Communion, he said to me with a serene countenance: 'Monsieur, I am cured; permit me to rise. While you were at Church, as I was saying my rosary, I fell into a sweet sleep in which I saw two venerable Ladies who approached me. One of them held in her hand a box, which she opened, and in which I saw a road, very long and very narrow, leading to Heaven. At that sight I felt my heart overflow with consolation and I was entirely relieved of my suffering.' As a matter of fact, after Holy Communion he returned thanks to God, rose, and went to Church; and, before completing his Novena, he was in a condition to work the same as before his illness (pp. 93-95)."