C. M. B. A.

Resolutions of Condolence.

At the regular meeting of Our Lady's Branch, No. 31, Guelph, held on 27th ult., the following resolutions were unanimously passed:

Moved by Brother Edward O'Connor, seconded by Chancellor Thomas P. Coffee, Whereas, after a long and painful illness, borne with Christian fortitude, it hath pleased the Almighty to remove by death the beloved wife of our esteemed Brother, Francis Gauhan,

Resolved that the heartfelt sympathy of the members of this Branch be extended to Br other Gauhan in his deep affliction.

Resolved that this resolution be engrossed on minutes of Branch and copies be sent to CATHOLIC RECORD Montreal True Witness and C. M. B. A. Monthly

JAMES WEEKES, Rec. Sec.

The following resolution was passed at the regular meeting of Branch 91, Alliston, held on the 21st ultimo:

That, whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death the beloved wife of Brother Thos. McCabe, of South Adjala, be it therefore

Resolved, That the members of Branch 91, Alliston, heartily sympathize and condole with Brother McCabe and his family in their great affliction and irreparable loss, and trust they will find sustaining strength in leaning on Him who had called the Christian wife and mother to her eternal reward.

Resolved, That this minute be published in the CATHOLIC RECORD and that a copy be furnished our bereaved Brother.

Signed on behalf of the members.

THOS O'CALLAGHAN, President.
R. F. KELLY, Recording Secretary.

The following resolution of condolence was passed by St. Mary's Branch, No. 52, Winnipeg, on the 27th January:

Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God, in His divine wisdom, to remove by death the wife of our esteemed Brother, A. A. McKinnon, we, the members of Branch 52, hereby wish to express our heartfelt sympathy with him in his sad bereavement; be it therefore

Resolved, That this expression be conveyed to him and published in the Northwest Review, the CATHOLIC RECORD, and the Hungarian.

T. W. RUSSELL, Rec. Sec.

At a meeting of Branch 50, Montreal, on the 24th of January, 1890, the following resolutions of condolence were unanimously adopted:

Whereas it has pleased the Almighty, the Creator and Giver of all, to take from us our kind-hearted and worthy Brother, Joseph Butler, and whereas by his death this Branch loses a sincere and faithful friend, his wife a devoted and exemplary husband, and his children a thoughtful and affectionate father, therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of Branch 50 tender to his wife and family their heartfelt sympathy in these the sad days of their sorrow, and deeply pray to God to guard and direct them in His holy keeping; and be it further

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered in the minutes of this Branch and be published in the official and local papers, and that a copy of these resolutions be presented to the bereaved family.

P. MORNINGE,
J. ROACH,
F. MCCABE.

At a regular meeting of Branch 91, Smith's Falls, held on the 28 January, the following resolutions were adopted:

Moved by Brother D. Halpin, seconded by Brother Wm. Edgeworth, that whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to visit the home and family of our worthy and esteemed Brother, Wm. J. Sutherland, and take unto Himself by the hand of Death his little daughter, be it therefore

Resolved, That we, the member of Branch 91, do hereby tender our sincere sympathy to Brother Sutherland and family in this their hour of trial and sorrow. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Brother Sutherland and published in our official organ, the CATHOLIC RECORD, and also spread on the records of this Branch.

P. DELANEY, Sec.

Branch 47, Arthur.

Spiritual Adviser, Rev J P Doherty
Chancellor, John D Callaghan
President, Hugh Campbell
First Vice, P M Kirby
Second Vice, C O'Neill
Recording Sec, D McIntosh
Assistant Sec, P McCaul
Financial Sec, J Halley
Treasurer, John O'Donnell
Marshal, P Pringlemier
Guard, C Heffernan
Trustees, M J Carroll, D McIntosh, J O'Donnell, M Griffin, J Penrose
Representative, J Halley
Alternate, J D Callaghan.

Branch 38, Cornwall.

Spiritual Adviser, Rev. Father McRae
Chancellor, T Cummins
President, Dr H J Harrison
First Vice, John Duffy
Second Vice, Robt Conroy
Treasurer, P Denneny
Recording Sec, D G McDonnell
Assistant Sec, J M McDonald
Financial Sec, J P Tobin
Marshal, P Denneny
Guard, F Cummins
Trustees, J R Daney, S Sloan, C Deruchie, H J Harrison, A Blair.
Representative, Dr H J Harrison
Alternate, Rev Father Murray.

Branch 5, Brantford.

President, M Klinkhammer
First Vice M Shannahan
Second Vice, F J Quinn
Recording Sec, W Schuler
Assistant Sec, N Herbert
Financial Sec, J P Quinlan
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Marshal, J Daly
Guard, B Dunn
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Representative, A Herrington
Alternate, W Schuler.

Branch 87, Montreal.

Spiritual Adviser, Rev J Lonergan
Chancellor, pro tem, Jos Rene de Cotret
President, H Howison
First Vice, L D E Mayer
Second Vice, C Florence
Treasurer, L D A Rene de Cotret
Recording Sec, Jacques Grenier, jr
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Representative, H Howison
Alternate, C A Larivière
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Branch 62, Canard River.

Spiritual Adviser, Rev F Marseille
Chancellor, Olivier Rheaume
President, D Pitrimoulx
First Vice, Felix Beaire
Second Vice, Jule Manon
Recording Sec, Delphis Drouillard
Assistant Sec, Remy Monforton
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Branch 110, St. Sauveur, Que.

Spiritual Adviser, Rev M Legault, O M I
Chancellor, pro tem, Michael Fiset
President, Arthur Drolet
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Recording Sec, Eug Blais
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Financial Sec, P F Legare
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Marshal, Zeph Possella
Guard, Thomas Pagnon
Trustees, Alfred Fiset, Thos Gagnon, J E Trepanier, Jos Alain, Louis Pigeon
Medical Examiner, Michael Fiset
Representative, S N Parent
Alternate, Michael Fiset.

Branch 64, North Bay.

Chancellor, D J McKeown
Spiritual Adviser, Rev Eugene Bloem
President, Rev Joseph Bloem
First Vice, P McCool
Second Vice, B M Mulligan
Treasurer, P J Corman
Recording Sec, J M McNamara
Assistant Sec, Michael F Hart
Financial Sec, P J Murphy
Marshal, J J Mackey
Guard, Michael Doyle
Trustees, P J Corman, B J Mulligan, C T Boyce, Michael Doyle, P Kennedy
Representative, Rev Jos Bloem
Alternate, D J McKeown

IRELAND'S STRUGGLE.

Mr. Gladstone's speech at Chester last Thursday has done something to wake up the slumbering politicians, by giving something that may be taken as foreshadowing, in a way, the course which he will pursue in the coming session of Parliament. He spoke on the issues of the day, and touched all the most important ones with his accustomed vigor. He declined to criticise the course of the Marquis of Salisbury in the dispute with Portugal until he was more fully informed as to the details in the case. He considered it a duty to avoid caviling at the foreign policy of the government. Turkey appeared again as inviting England to intervene to protect the suffering population of Crete and Armenia. But he warned the Sultan that England's reply would involve a reference to that mockery of justice, the trial of Moussa Bey, and that the reply would be to the effect that he would not obtain British sympathy in times of trial and difficulty unless he governed with humanity and justice. Referring to the United States and the plans for an enlarged navy, he said that that country is still enjoying the comforts of a restricted trade, and therefore would pay 40 to 50 per cent. more to build a navy than it would if contented to compete on equal terms with other nations. But its resources are so great that it can afford to pay for the luxury of protection. The worst was that while America would cite England's example for enlarging her navy, England would give a similar excuse for further naval increase. It is a matter of deep sorrow to reflect that the very ostentatious addition to the defences of a country, made under a real or pretended necessity, is made an apology for an increase of the burdens of every other country. Under profession of an additional security, the policy of governments thus tended more to jeopardize the peace of the world. The country would be likely soon to hear much about

THE PARNELL COMMISSION.

Without anticipating the judgment or breathing a word of suspicion of the judges, he would say the subject must be probed with the deepest attention of the country and of Parliament. His opinion was that the cumbrous proceedings constituted a case of oppression practiced upon an individual by a legislative chamber and an executive government without a parallel since the evil times of the reign of Charles II. He commended Scotland's unvarying support of Liberalism. If Scotland demanded home rule, neither Tories nor dissident Liberals would blow the war trumpets against it in the name either of the union or the integrity of the empire. Scotland had a good claim to home rule, because the Tory majority assisted a handful of Scotch members to outvote the Scotch majority. The conflict for home rule is a terrific struggle of powerful influence on one side against conviction on the other side. It is the principle of Liberalism to trust the people, qualified by prudence; it is the principle of Toryism to distrust the people, qualified by fear. He was confident of the ultimate judgment of the country. If ready to meet dissolution, but without impatience for it, it was because he felt strongly the justice of the cause and knew it must triumph.

O'SHEA FRIGHTENED.

For several days past Captain O'Shea has been in receipt of letters of anonymous origin threatening his life in the event of his continuance of the prosecution of Mr. Parnell as co respondent with Mrs. O'Shea in his suit for divorce. While of course nobody believes that either Mr. Parnell or any of his responsible political lieutenants is cognizant of the letters, it is a matter of regret that they should have been written, since they cannot fail to be used to the disadvantage of the home rule leader when the case shall come to trial. It is stated that Captain O'Shea is much disturbed at the receipt of these letters, and permitted their menacing terror to frighten him into a state of uncertainty as to whether he would not better abandon the proceedings and seek a settlement of his domestic difficulty out of court. The general opinion seems to be that the fierce captain is quaking in his boots, but it is not believed that the political managers whose tool he is will allow him to run away from the enemy without firing a gun.

M'DERMOTT IN LONDON.

James McDermott is temporarily living at the Hotel Victoria, London, under name of a chevalier. He wears a big fur overcoat and looks as if he were at peace with the world. His business here is with Labouchere, with whom he has had one or two interviews this week. He declines to tell the nature of his business, but hints that it has something to do with the movement Labouchere contemplates making in Parliament. McDermott is much changed by his varied wanderings over the face of the earth since he left Brooklyn. His hair and moustache are almost perfectly white, but he otherwise shows no trace of age. He said that he had been the most foully wronged man on earth, but that the time was almost ripe for his complete vindication and the discomfiture of his enemies. He asserts that he knows of his own knowledge that the Land League funds in America are $50,000 short.

GLADSTONE'S CIRCULAR.

Mr. Gladstone's usual circular to his supporters in the House of Commons just before the opening of the session of Parliament was published Tuesday. He says that the condition of public affairs is not without some peculiar features, and that the questions to be considered at the opening of the session may be of pressing interest. The wording of the circular is unusual, and is taken to indicate an early discussion of the Pigott letters and other matters of vital importance to the Liberal and Home Rule members.

O'BRIEN'S HEALTH.

Mr. William O'Brien has been recruiting his health, which is now fairly good again, at Glengariff, and there an agent of a London publishing syndicate went to him the other day with an offer of £1000 for the serial rights of the novel he has just written. "Not at all," said O'Brien. "I'm not going to take money for my novel merely that Lord Salisbury may grab it for the costs in my libel suit against him." This, probably, has no equal in the whole literature of transactions between authors and publishers.

THE PARNELL REPORT.

The report of the Parnell commission has been handed in, but nothing of it will be divulged till Parliament meets. Against this date Liberals and Nationalists are all sharpening their weapons, and the session will start off with one of the most furious and prolonged Irish rows yet seen in Westminster. Mr. Gladstone himself will lead the attack upon the whole composition and idea of the commission.

PARNELL'S TYPEWRITER.

Mr. Parnell, in consequence of his experience with the Eanis board letter and other forgeries designed to discredit him, has adopted the type writer as the medium of all his correspondence for the future, and caused it to be known that any communication in manuscript, of subsequent date, purporting to have emanated from him, is a forgery *per se*.

SALISBURY BROKEN UP.

Lord Salisbury shows the effects of his recent illness. He has aged. He is thin and stoops. His family insists upon his relinquishing his dual functions in the cabinet and so strongly have they urged this that, had it not been for Hartington's illness, a definite proposition would have already been made for him to take the foreign office.

COERCIONIST SPITE.

The board of guardians of the Cork Union has been officially dissolved for violating the rule governing the board by adopting political resolutions. The alleged political resolutions simply expressed confidence in Mr. Parnell and in his ability to refute the slanders leveled against him.

THE PIGOTT LETTERS.

Immediately upon the opening of Parliament Mr. Parnell will bring up the question of the forged Pigott letters published by the Times in its articles on "Parnellism and Crime."

A BISHOP'S REPLY.

The Bishop of Raphoe replies to Mr. Davitt that it is necessary to recognize private property in land, and that those urging the contrary stand in the way of realizing their own views.

THIRTEEN COUNTIES RELEASED.

The Gazette of last week has a proclamation releasing thirteen counties, including Donegal, Kerry and Limerick, from the operation of the coercion act.

OBITUARY.

Mrs M. Coffey, Montreal.

We regret to announce the death of Mary Horrigan, beloved wife of Micheal Coffey, mother of Mr. J. Coffey, P. O. Dept, and of Mrs. T. P. Tansey, all of Montreal, and aunt of Mr. Thos. Coffey, publisher CATHOLIC RECORD. The sad event occurred on the 25th of January of pneumonia, at her home in St. Martin street. Mrs. Coffey was the second daughter of Edward Horrigan and Sarah Egan, and was born in the County Tipperary, Ireland, in 1826. She came to Montreal in the year 1846. Her brother, Mr. Jer. Horrigan, and sister, Mrs Sarah Blake, are residents of Newark, Ohio. Mrs. Blake has had a double trial within one week. Hon. John B. Lawlor, her son by her first husband, died also of pneumonia a few days before the death of her sister. Mrs. Coffey was married in 1858 and had three children, one of whom, a girl, died some years ago. The funeral took place on Jan. 28th, to St. Anthony's Church, thence to the cemetery. It was very largely attended.

The late Mrs. Coffey was a lady who, during her long residence in Montreal, had made a host of friends, by her very many admirable traits of character. She was a sincere and fervent Catholic, a kind neighbor and a most charitable lady. To the sorrowing husband and children we extend our most heartfelt sympathy, coupled with a prayer that the soul of this model wife and mother is now in the enjoyment of Heaven's eternal bliss.

Mrs. Forster, Doon.

We regret exceedingly to announce the death of Mrs. Forster (*nee* Nellie La Course), wife of A. Forster, Esq., of Doon, in the 32nd year of her age. The sad event took place on the 28th of January, and the funeral on the 31st to the Catholic church, Berlin, thence to the cemetery. We extend our sincere condolence to Mr. Forster in the sad loss that has befallen his home.

Mrs. Jos. Duffy, St. Thomas.

Died in St. Thomas, on the 24th Jan., Frances, beloved wife of Joseph Duffy, in the sixty-sixth year of her age. A severe attack of the prevailing epidemic superinduced dysentry, to which she succumbed after about three weeks intense suffering, which she bore with amazing Christian patience and entire resignation to God's holy will. Besides her afflicted husband, Mrs Duffy leaves after her one daughter and four sons—Thomas, engineer, M. C. R.; John, living in Chicago; and George and Joseph, prominent members of the C. M. B. A., one being Second Vice President the other, George, being financial Secretary of Branch No. 2, St. Thomas.

Mrs. Duffy was born in Dublin, Ireland, of Protestant parentage. She lived with her family some years in Goderich. They moved to St. Thomas about nineteen years ago, where, besides an easy independence, they have earned the good will and high esteem of neighbors and citizens of every denomination. Mrs. Duffy was a most devout person and exemplary in her attendance at every service of the Church. Almost the last words she uttered were, "I never regretted embracing the Catholic faith." A very large crowd attended the High Mass of Requiem sung by Rev. Father Aylward, who also pronounced the last absolution. Father Flannery preached a very touching sermon, referring especially to the exemplary piety of the deceased, and asked a last prayer for the repose of her soul. *Requiescat in pace.*

Cornelius Coughlin, St. Thomas.

Died in St. Thomas, on the 22nd Jan., Cornelius Coughlin, aged fifty years. His death occurred through a severe attack of influenza followed by pneumonia. He was a native of the County Cork, and had one brother, Daniel, who died about five years ago of congestion of the lungs. Mr. Coughlin leaves after him a bereaved widow, one son and four daughters. He was distantly related to John T. Coughlin, Esq., Reeve of Westminster. He had time before losing consciousness to receive all the sacraments of the Church. After High Mass of Requiem a large number of vehicles followed the remains to the Catholic cemetery. R. I. P.

Mr. James Burns, Ingersoll.

On Friday, the 31st ult., Mr. James Burns, of Ingersoll, departed this life after an illness of some weeks through the same epidemic which has so universally spread over Europe and America, the influenza. Mr. Burns suffered greatly for several weeks, and died from pneumonia, which arose out of the epidemic already alluded to. He was of a Presbyterian family, but for several years he has been a regular attendant at Mass, and he was long convinced of the truth of the Catholic religion, though he did not embrace it until recently. His funeral took place on Monday, 3rd inst. High Mass was sung by Rev. Joseph P. Molphy, and an impressive discourse preached by Rev. Father Northgraves. Mr. Burns died at the age of thirty-six years.

Mrs. Robert Keating, Ingersoll.

Mrs Robert Keating, wife of Mr. Robert Keating, of Ingersoll, died on Thursday, 30th ult., after a painful illness. She was attacked about four weeks ago by the prevailing epidemic, which ended in pneumonia, and she succumbed to this complication of diseases, dying peacefully in Christ. Mrs. Keating was the sister-in-law of Mr. James Brady, of Ingersoll, who is also suffering from the same illness, but who is now in a fair way of recovery. The deceased was a fervent Catholic and was always in the front in every good work in connection with the Church. She leaves a family of eight, three young men and five girls. Mr. Robert Keating, her eldest son, occupies a responsible position in the works of the Pullman Car Co., Chicago, and Miss Minnie Keating, her eldest daughter, was for many years organist of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Ingersoll. The family will feel deeply their bereavement. The funeral took place on the 1st inst. High Mass was sung by Rev. Joseph P. Molphy and an appropriate discourse was delivered by Rev. George R. Northgraves, editor of the CATHOLIC RECORD. Mrs. Keating was aged forty-eight years at the time of her death. *Requiescat in pace.*

Mrs. Chas O'Reilly, Norwood.

Died, at Norwood, on January 28th, 1890, of pneumonia, caused by an attack of la grippe, Norah, the beloved wife of Charles O'Reilly, aged fifty years. The deceased was born and brought up in the Township of Percy, County of Northumberland. Her father, Martin Kennealy, his wife and daughter, Nancy, all died inside of three weeks in 1848 with the emigrants' fever that was so bad in this section then, leaving four children, of whom the late Mrs. O'Reilly was the second eldest. She was married in 1862, and lived in Percy until 1871, when the family moved to Asphodel, County of Peterborough, where they remained until November, 1888, when Mr. and Mrs. O'Reilly moved to the village of Norwood, with part of their family, where they have three children attending the High School, part of the family remaining on the farm. She was always a practical and attentive Catholic and a member of the order of the Blessed Virgin; also a monthly communicant for about twenty years. She was resigned and willing to die after receiving the sacrament of extreme unction and having her husband and children surrounding her bedside. She leaves a family of six sons and four daughters, one brother, Thos., Kennealy, of Muskegon, Michigan, and one sister, Mrs. Michael Kelly, of the township of Eloss, county of Simcoe. The funeral was on the 29th January. The Rev. Father Conway, after Mass, in speaking of the deceased, said truly that she was a model wife and a model mother. May her soul rest in peace. COM.

THE SPURIOUS "EQUAL RIGHTISTS."

TO THE EDITOR—The Third Party or Equal Righters are not quite so happy a family as some are led to believe. Their political prospects are not bright either at Ottawa or Toronto. McCarthy is a sort of Ishmael at the Dominion Capital, and Meredith can scarcely be admitted to hold the position of a first-class Sheik at the Provincial capital. The reverend lieutenants who are doing duty as propagandists of the new combination are not meeting with such fraternal support as to make it probable that the party of "truth and righteousness" will ever grow out of its swaddling clothes. Mr. Meredith can never rise above a mediocre leader for Mr. McCarthy above the plane of a ranting demagogue. It is rather strange and even curious that the men of most pronounced intolerance should bear the most profoundly Irish names, such as "O'Brien and McCarthy." We can in no way account for their degeneracy except by assuming that some of their immediate ancestors have been transformed by an admixture of Orange blood that could not blend harmoniously with the Celtic fluid inherited from the grand old Munster chieftains they claim for their ancestors. Well, they are not the first and most likely will not be the last of the race who will turn their backs upon their own country and people for the sake of the advantages to be derived from connection with a government that had both the power and the means to reward them for such "patriotic" conduct. The death of the late Mr. Cavanagh, a lineal descendant of the old traitor McMurrough, is another example of the race of the degenerate class of which I am treating. If such persons could be content with the honors and emoluments obtainable from their new affiliations, no one would complain, but no, they are never certain that their somersault is looked upon as thoroughly sincere until they have renounced every shred of national garments that may by any possibility still attach to him, by manifesting their zeal in the cause of Church and State in such a manner that no question as to the purity of their motives could ever again be raised. As Mr. Meredith's name is not racy of the soil it would not be fair to put him in the same category with those having prominent and indisputable patronymics admitting of no denial as to their origin. He must therefore take a lower seat. CELT.

E. B. A.

St. Paul's Branch, No. 8, Toronto—Officers for 1890.

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HYMENEAL.

One of those pleasing events which are always eagerly looked for took place on Wednesday, January 29th, in the Catholic Church in La Salette, when Mr. James C. Duffey, of Mount Elgin, was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Alice McNamara, one of the most popular young ladies of La Salette. The ceremony took place at 10 a. m. in the presence of a large number of friends and relatives, Rev. Father Corcoran, P. P. of La Salette, officiating. The bride, who was beautifully attired, was attended by her sister, Miss Eliza McNamara; and Mr. John Duffy, brother of the happy bridegroom, acted as groomsman. Rev. P. Corcoran made some appropriate remarks on the sanctity of the sacrament, after which all repaired to the residence of the bride's mother, where a sumptuous repast was partaken of by a number of invited guests. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful and costly presents, showing the esteem in which she is universally held.

After dinner, the happy couple left the house in order to meet the 4 40 train at Norwich, carrying with them the good wishes of their assembled friends. Many of the latter accompanied them to the station, and saw them safely started on their wedding tour.

On Wednesday, January 18th, Miss M. O'Callaghan, of Wawanosh, and Mr P. Sullivan, son of the late lamented and highly-esteemed Mr. John Sullivan, of Ashfield, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The marriage was celebrated with nuptial High Mass in the Church of St. Augustine, by Rev. Father McGee, during which some beautiful solos were well rendered by Mrs. Greenache, of Lucknow, who presided at the organ. After Mass the bridal party repaired to the house of the bride's parents where they partook of a sumptuous *dejeuner*. The bride looked charming in a bronze green silk, trimmed with cream satin and orange blossoms. The groomsman was Mr. D O'Callaghan, brother of the bride, and the bridesmaid was Miss Nellie Sullivan, sister of the groom. The newly married pair took the evening train for a wedding trip to the west. The bride was the recipient of many valuable presents, among which was a costly hanging lamp and China dinner set, the gift of Mrs Troy, and a valuable gold watch from Mr. Denis Sullivan, brother of the groom.

INFLUENZA (LA GRIPPE).

AN ABSOLUTE PREVENTATIVE AND CURE FOR THIS TERRIBLE DISEASE.

This preparation emanates from scientific sources, and is exactly what is prescribed by the most eminent physicians in Europe, and is used in the great hospitals of that country and Great Britain, not only because it is a preventative, but for the reason that it is recognized as being the only medicine known which will effect a cure. This medicine is a tonic of wonderful power and is immediate in its beneficial effects, thereby strengthening the system and enabling it to resist disease. Every person should, in justice to themselves and friends, use two or three boxes of this preventative.

It has been arranged that this medicine shall be made in Canada to supply the American demand, and a binding agreement has been entered into whereby the price has been fixed at $1—no more and no less. The Hospital Remedy Company, Toronto, Canada, are the only authorized agents and manufacturers for this continent, and their name is on every box. Sent postpaid on receipt of price—one dollar.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

THE SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT which appeared in our column some time since, announcing a special arrangement with Dr. B. J. KENDALL Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., publishers of "A Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases," whereby our subscribers were enabled to obtain a copy of that valuable work FREE by sending their address to B. J. KENDALL & CO., (and enclosing a two-cent stamp for mailing same) is renewed for a limited period. We trust all will avail themselves of the opportunity of obtaining this valuable work. To every lover of the Horse it is indispensable, as it treats in a simple manner all the diseases which afflict this noble animal. Its phenomenal sale throughout the United States and Canada, make it standard authority. *Mention this paper when sending for "Treatise."*

"LA GRIPPE" OR LIGHTNING CATARRH.

MR. EDITOR.—"La grippe," or Russian influenza, as it is termed, is in reality an epidemic catarrh, and is called by some physicians "lightning catarrh," from the rapidity with which it sweeps over the country. Allow us to draw the attention of your readers to the fact that Nasal Balm, as well as being a thorough cure for all cases of the ordinary cold in head and catarrh, will give prompt relief in even the most severe cases of "la grippe" or "Russian influenza," as it will effectually clear the nasal passages, allay irritation and relieve the dull, oppressive headache accompanying the disease. No family should be without a bottle of Nasal Balm in the house, as cold in the head and catarrh are peculiarly liable to attack people at this season of the year, and Nasal Balm is the only prompt and speedy cure for these troubles ever offered the public. Easy to use and agreeable. If you cannot get it at your dealers it will be sent post free on receipt of price (50 cents and $1 per bottle) by addressing FULFORD & Co., Brockville, Ont.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper W. A. NOYES, 149 Power's Block, Rochester N. Y.

LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

London, Feb. 6.—GRAIN—Red winter, 1 38 to 1 41; white, 1 38 to 1 41; spring, 1 38 to 1 41; corn, 80 to 90; rye, 90 to 1 00; barley, malt, 80 to 90; barley, feed, 65 to 75; oats, 80 to 82; peas, 90 to 95; beans, bush, 90 to 1 40; buckwheat, cental, 1 00.

PRODUCE.—Eggs, fresh, 16 to 18; eggs, store lots, 15 to 16; butter, best roll, 19 to 22; butter, large rolls, 16 to 18; butter, crocks, 16 to 18; store packed firkin, 14 to 18; dry wood, 4 50 to 5 00; green wood, 4.50 to 5.00; soft wood, 2 50 to 3 50; lard, No. 1, lb, 12 to 13; lard, No. 2, lb, 10 to 11; straw, load, 3.00 to 4.00; clover seed, bush, 3 00 to 3 50; Timothy seed, bush, 1 50 to 2 00; hay, ton, 6 00 to 8 00; flax seed, bush, 1.40 to 1 50.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, per bag, 70 to 85; turnips, per bag 30 to 40; onions, per bag, 110 to 1 25; Spanish onions, per bag, 1 50.

LIVE STOCK.—Milch cows, 35.00 to 45.00; live hogs, cwt., 3 50 to 4 00; pigs, pair, 5 00 to 6 50; fat beeves, 4 00 to 4 50; spring lambs, 3 00 to 4 00.

POULTRY (dressed)—Fowl, per lb, 7; fowl, pr., 60 to 70, ducks, pr., 75 to 1 25; ducks, lb, 6 to 7; geese, each, 65 to 80; geese, lb, 7 to 7½; turkeys, lb, 10 to 11; turkeys, each, 80 to 1.75; pentowis, each, 65 to 75.

MEAT.—Beef by carcass, 4 50 to 6 25; mutton by qr., 7 to 8; mutton by carcass, 7 to 8; lamb, lb, 8 to 9; veal by qr., 7 to 8; veal by carcass, 6 to 7; pork, per cwt., 5 00 to 5 50; pork, per qr, 7 to 8.

Toronto, Feb. 6.—WHEAT—Fall, No. 2, 86; spring, No 2, 85 to 86; red winter, No. 2, 87 88; Manitoba, No. 1, hard 1 03 to 1.05; No. 2, 1 01 to 1 03; barley, No. 1, 51 to 52; No. 2, 46 to 47; No. 3, extra, 41 to 42; No. 3, 35 to 37; peas, No. 2, 58 to 60; oats, No 2, 27 to 29; flour, extra, 3 65 to 3.80; straight roller, 3.85 to 3 90; strong bakers, 4 00 to 4 50.

Montreal, Feb. 6.—FLOUR—Receipts, 400 bbls.; sales, none reported; market quiet; prices unchanged; demand light; grain and provisions, unchanged; No. 1 hard Manitoba wheat, nominal at 1 04 to 1.05. Stocks here this morning:—Wheat, 216 047 bush.; corn, 24 120 bush.; peas, 24,503 bush.; oats, 140 033 bush.; barley, 86 986 bush.; rye, 32,095 bush; flour, 61 089 bbls.; oatmeal, 8.6 bbls.; cornmeal, 109 bbls.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 6.—CATTLE—Only a carload of fresh stock here; market strong; calves in good supply; heavy, 3.00 to 4.00; vealers, 5 00 to 6 00 for choice to extra; 6 50 for fancy.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Offerings, 50 cars, 35 of which had been left over from yesterday; sellers held more firmly, but buyers pressed for lower prices, and 5 50 for extra sheep was a top price generally; choice to extra sheep quotable at 5.20 to 5 40; lambs dull; best, 6 50; choice to extra, 6 25 to 6 50.

HOGS—Thirty carloads sale; market active and higher; the bulk of sales were at 4.10 at the opening, but towards noon, when hogs were scarce some sales were at 4 15; light receipts and cooler weather helped the trade; there were too many pigs proportionately, and the bulk were worth 4 00.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK

Chicago, Feb. 6.—CATTLE—Receipts 4,000; market steady; beeves, 4 75 to 5.00; steers, 3 60 to 4 40; stockers and feeders, 2 40 to 3 40; Texas-fed steers 3 00 to 3 60. Hogs—Receipts, 13,000; market stronger; mixed, 3 65 to 3 91; heavy, 3 65 to 3 97½; light, 3 60 to 3.85; skips, 3 00 to 3.35. Sheep—Receipts, 2 000; market steady; natives, 3.50 to 5 50; Western corn-fed, 4 50 to 5.40; Texans, 3 50 to 4.75.

DIED

In Ingersoll, January 30th, 1890, Bridget, beloved wife of Robert Keating, aged 48 years, 6 months and 1 day.

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On 27th January, at the Church of the Annunciation, Chicago, by Rev Father McShane, P. P., Miss Mary Kellett, eldest daughter of Mr. N. Kellett, teacher of St. Stanislaus' school, to Mr. William Powers.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

OUR good friend who looks after the 12th of July department of the London Free Press appears to be on very unfriendly terms with the "Lives of the Saints," and expresses displeasure because these lives are given as models for the guidance of the children in our Catholic schools. We do not see any reason why this

"Fine old Irish Orangeman,
One of the olden time,"

should become so exasperated about this matter. It would be just as well if he would look upon all these little circumstances in a philosophical and good-humored fashion, more particularly when a little reflection will convince him that there is no remedy within reach by which he can supplant these books by something more in accord with his own way of thinking.

THE Catholic people have always studied and admired, and have always taught their children to study and admire, the lives of the Saints—the noblest, the holiest, and in every sense the greatest men and women who ever trod the earth, and they will continue to do so as long as the heavens remain above them. They consider that no more admirable example could be placed before their children than the careers of St. Ignatius of Loyola, St. Dominic, St. Francis Xavier, St. Teresa, and the thousands of others who have gone before us and whose noble deeds have shed a halo of glory on the world in which we live.

AND while they shape their conduct in this wise, they make no noise if the editor of the Free Press and his class wish to pay honor to the memory of those whose lives they consider great and ood. They have their saints' calendar also, and many a school book is extant having reference to these notable people. *They* may admire and worship to their heart's content the Eighth Henry, Elizabeth, Luther, Calvin, Cranmer, Knox, Wesley, William of the Boyne Water, etc., etc. If they consider that the lives of these historical characters are worthy of imitation, why, they can go on and imitate them to their heart's content. Our friends, as we have said, have their saints. We have ours. They admires theirs. We claim the liberty of admiring ours. This is equal rights, and equal rights ought to work both ways, as it were.

"WE, the people of Ontario, are a great people. We can afford to stand on a lofty eminence and look down upon the rest of the world, and upon all the people the rest of the world contains, with supreme contempt." These are the thoughts that course through the minds of a considerable class who live in this Province. They received their rudimentary education in the common school, which was well enough indeed as far as it went. Added to this was a study of the books furnished by the Sunday school library, for the most part novels written by a weak minded but well meaning class of writers; together with quite a few dissertations on Popery, the composition of those who, having been ignominiously ejected from the Church, wished to leave a record of revenge behind them.

THE education still goes on. Weekly and daily newspapers now come to the fore. They may be good, bad or indifferent. They are more generally to be placed in either one of the two classes last named. If so, the young man and the young woman become thoroughly acquainted with current events—the reports of the assize courts, the cases of breach of promise of marriage, the nameless cases, the murder cases, the burglary cases, and all the rest