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RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

DIOCESE OF LONDON.

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The entertainment given by the pupils of St. Joseph's High School (girls) at the De La Salle Institute on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 10, was one that will long be remembered by the parents and large number of friends who

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branch of the I. C. B. U. the following resclu-tions were adopted: Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death the beloved mother and brother of our pastor, Father Keogh, Resolved that we, the members of this branch of the I. C. B. U., tender to our esteemed pastor our deep sympathy in the loss sustained by him in the death of his mother and brother, Resolved that the members of this branch here assembled, offer to God our fervent pray-ers for the repose of the souls of said dis-eased. Be it, further, Resolved that a copy of this resolution be mailed to Father Keogh and a copy forward-ed to the CATIOLIC RECORD for publica-tion. Thos. Murray, Pres. Edward J. Stapleton, Rec. Sec.

St. Cecilia's Circle, No. 3, West Toronto Chaplain, Rev. Father Bergan; Chancellor, Miss J. Kelly; President, Mrs. C. Kelly; Vice President, Mrs Baker; Rec. Sec., Miss M. O'Neill; Fin. Sec., Miss M. Boylan; Treasurer, Miss Murphy; Stewards, Miss N. Gunning and Miss N. O'Neill; Guard, Miss M. Kelly. W. Lane, S. T.

C. T. S.

ST. MARY'S BRANCH, TORONTO.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE. At a regular meeting of St. Leo Court, No. 581, Toronto, Ont., held December 16, 1896, the following resolutions were adopted : Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our milst the beloved wife of Alfred Demill, a zealous member of St. Leo Court, No. 581, Catholic Order of Foresters, therefore be it Resolved, that we, the officers and mem-bers of St. Leo Court, deeply deplore her death, and we extend to our fellow-mem-ber, Alfred Demill, cur heartfelt sympathy in his sad affliction, and pray that God may give him strength to bear his loss with Chris-tian fortiude. Be it, further. Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the brother, and that copies be sent to the Catholic Register and CATHO LIC RECORD for publication. J. T. Loftus, Rec. Sec. The regular monthly meeting of the branch was held in their hall, flathurst street. The attendance was very large, and for the future the society will find it necessary to secure a larger hall, and it is to be hoped that such will be the case before the next meeting. The branch has made marvellous strides during the year past. the membermeeting. The branch has made marvellous strides during the year past, the member-ship now numbering about two hundred

Supprisons. Reports were brought in by the following committees: The hospital (Miss M. Kelly, convener); the prisons (men), the prisons (women, Mrs. Haines, convener); the flower committee (Miss Teresa Clark, convener); the magazine (Miss K. Clarke, convener); to the effect that visits had been made to the different bornitals and prisons, and about six

the magazine (Miss K. Clarke, convener); to the effect that visits had been made to the different hospitals and prisons, and about six hundred prayer books, newspapers, devotion-al articles, magazines, etc., were distributed to the Catholic inmates. Motions were pre-sented dealing with the increase of the mem-bership fee (which was defeated), and also with the establishment of a "question box," and the closing of the business of our meetings at 9:15 p.m; both of which were carried. Nominations for the different offices were then received, with the result that the entire list of officers for the year 1866 were elected by acclamation to fulfil these duties for 1897; The cfficers are as follows, viz. Patron, His Grace, Archbishop Walsh; Honorary Presi-dent, Very Rev. J., McConn, V. G.; President, Dr. A. J. McConn, V. G.; President, Dr. A. J. McConn, V. G.; O'Rourke; Fin. Sec., Miss K. O'Rourke; Fin. Sec., Miss Kreesa clarke; cor, Sec., Mr. W. E. Blake; Treas, Mr. B. J. Cronin; Chaplain, Rev. Wm. McCann. The conveners of the different committees are yet to be appointed. Rev. Father Cline, of St. Paul's parish de-livered a very interesting and amusing ad-dress. The Rev. Father carivated his andi-

Rev. Father Cline, of St. Paul's parish de-livered a very interesting and amusing ad-dress. The Rev. Father captivated his adi-ence, and will always be a welcome visitor to the meetings of the branch. Vocal selections were admirably tendered by Miss Emma Flannery and Mr. J. J. Walsh, the accompanist being Miss Teress Clarke, who filled her position with much satisfaction. Mr. H. O. Vosburg, a talented elocutionist, late of Buffalo, N. Y., won golden encomiums by his renditions. Mr. Vosburg will un-doubtedly prove very popular during the season, and in concert work will with-out doub be a drawing card. His rendering of "The Settler's Story", was a splendid piece of "The Settler's Story" was a splendid piece of work, and we bespeak for him a successful future.

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Nevin, Moriarty, Morgan, Neales, O'Keefe and Rush. Cortificates for perspective dram Nevin, Moriarty, Morgan, Neales, O'Keefe and Rush. Cortificates for parspective draw-ing, awarded to the Misses Cahley, G. Cos-tello, Daly, Dalan, Flanagan. Hayes, Mc-Naulty, McNevin, Moriariy, Norris, Oster, Rush, A. Ryan, Stewart and Woods. Cer-tificates for model drawing, awarded to the Misses Cahley, Dalton, McNaulty and Rush. Certificates for memory drawing, awarded to the Misses Colgan, Glockling, McGrath and Moriarty. Before the close of the entertainment the Archbishop expressed his pleasure at being present to have witnessed such evidence of the pupils ability. He urged the young girls to continue their work so that they, with their teachers, the Sisters of St. Joseph, would ever have pleasant remembrances of the happy hours spent in the class-room.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH FANCY FAIR.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH FANCY FAIR. Everything in connection with St. Joseph's Church Fancy Fair is now in fall swing. The ladies and gentlemen having charge have exerted themselves to the utmost and have spared neither pains nor expense in procuring everything that would contribute towards making the bszaar a success. Tuesday, the 22nd, was the opening night, and the Catholic Order of Foresters had the honor of presenting a programme which re-flected the greatest credit on that organization and helped in a large measure to swell the pro-ceeds at the Fair. The Knights of St. John appeared on Wednesday night, and their handsome uniform and splendid appearance excited the admiration of all present. To-night (Thursday) is reserved for the children of St. Joseph's and St. Anne's schools, while for the programme for Saturday will be arranged by the Ancient Order of Hibern-ians. The C. M. B. A. have made arrange-ments for Tnesday, the 29th, and the I. C. B. U. tor New Year's Eve. The drill corps from Blantyre Park will also appear in their new uniform.

Blantyre Park will also appear in their new uniform. The bazaar will continue until New Year's, and will be open from 10 a. m. to 11 p. m. Poulton's Hall, cor. Bolton avenue and Queen street east, which has been secured for the occasion, has been tastefully decorated, and everthing presents a brilliant picture indeed. The proceeds will be applied towards the liquidation of the church debt.

ST. PETER'S MISSION, MONTANA.

Boston Pilot.

Boton Pilot. " Lift up your eyes round about and see : all these are gathered together. They are come to thee. Thy sons shall come from afar and thy daughters shall rise up at thy side." These thoughts were uppermost in my mind as again it became my privilege to stand in the cedar scented chapel of the Ursuline Nuns of St. Peter's Mission, Mon-tana. The worst storm in November records rared without. The snow was piled white and deep, at some points along the road in hugo drifts, fifteen feet high and more, and so compact that they had to be blown up with dynamite. No pick or shovel could make an impression on them. The thermometer stood twenty three degrees below zero, but within, this Polar cold was forgot. It was the hap-piest, sunniest day for thirteen novices of the time honored Ursuline Order. As I entered, I beheld them grouped in a large U across the chapel. In a tew short moments when the solemn words of consecration would be spoken which bring down upon our slars the King of heaven and earth, other words of consecration would full from these young lips: "Poverty, chastity, obedience and to employ myself in the instruction of young arists, especially in the Indian Missions." To us of the words 'be hold them nailing their ORDINATION. In St. Peter's cathedral, on Satur-day, Dec. 19. His Lordship the Bishop ordained to the priesthcod, John Joseph Hogan of Ashfield, Ont. His Lord-ship celebrated the Mass at 10 o'clock, being assisted by Rev. Fathers Noonan and Downie (Stratford). Rev. Father Tohm, of the cathedral, acted as master o' ceremonies, and Rev. P. McKeon assisted the candidate. Seated in the sanctuary were: Revs. N. Dixon, P. P., of Ashfield (the home of the newly ordanied priest); Albert McKeon, Strathroy; Theo. J. Valentin, of Zurich; L'Heureux, and McCornack. As is customary the congregation filed to the altar-railing after Mass to receive the young priest; blessing. Rev. Father Hogan made his classical course at St. Jerome's college, Berlin, Ont.; his course of mental and moral philosophy at Assumption College, Sandwich, and his theo-logical studies at the Grand Seminary, Mon-treal. inpsi Poverty, charactery or and on a second second

CHURCH IMPROVEMENT. Several improvements have been recently made in the church of OurLady of La Salette. The slated root, which was damaged by storm, was overhauled and repaired by Brown Bros. of Brantford, the furnaces were altered and their heating capacity increased and the interior of the church was tinted and decor-ated by D. H. Lane of the W. Wright Decor-ating Co. of Detroit. Last Sunday, Rev. D. P. McMenamin, P. P. Simcoe, after celebrat-ing Mass at home, drove to LaSalette and preached a most eloquent sermon, in which he congratulated the people on the improve-ments in their church and praised their zeal for the beauty of God's house. their native land—these ladies must nence-forth live on alms. Certainly the arm of God is not foreshort ened, and the Providence which feeds the birds and clothes the lilies will not fail them; but what privations, what anxisty such a implice:

but what privations, what anxisty such a implies! Many things change and pass away and are forgotten in this old world, but there are two things that are eternal—monks and oaks. These young novices—some of whom, as I narrowly observed them and listoned to their sweet voices singing—I found fit to grace the noblest court. Their countenances, sweet and radiant with holiness, had studied relig ious life in all its bearings. To them the hard sayings of the Master are a living, practical, every day reality, not a poetic myth, and as they advanced to the altar rail-ing with modest, eager step, to bind them-relves forever to the religious life and the Indian Missions, it was evident that this sub-lime courage sprung from the traest, strong-est love of God. Our readers are familiar with the religious cremony we are describ-ing. Many have witnessed the like. All have read of it. We shall not therefore enter into detail, but shall merely point out the striking features of this one enacted amid the snows far away from civilization; i.e., the sublime courage and trust it displayed, the numbers consecrating themselves so joy-

MARKET REPORTS.

A FORWARD STEP. Catholic Missionary Union Organized

in New York. Articles of incorporation of the Catholic Missionary Union were filed Friday in the county clerk's office in New York city. Its object is to procure the serv-ice of clergymen and laymen of the

Roman Catholic Church to teach and preach as missionaries of the faith in the United States ; to purchase and lease lands and buildings for such purposes, and publish books and pamphlets in connection with such work and to assist the Bishops in carrying on home missions in their jurisdictions. The directors are Archbishops Corri-

gan of New York and Ryan of Phila delphia ; the Rev. Edward R. Dyer, Matthew Taylor and A. F. Hearts and A. P. Doyle and Walter Elliot of the

Catholics which has been carried on individually by Father Elliot and others now takes an organized form with full powers to enter on any line of work which will aid in the conversion of non-Catholics. Already a great series of missious has begun in New York city and will be kept up during the entire winter.

other forms of religion. The general scheme of the work is to give free lectures in halls and Catholic churches. according to circumstances. We shall distribute a large amount of litera-

discussion will be such as will inter est the people."

The Missionary, the official organ of non-Catholic mission work, in a recent issue thus described the contem plated work : "A short resume of the progress of

this new work from the very begin ning has been one of approbation and active encouragement. He warmly commended the work to the clergy of the diocese in his address at the synod last fall, asking them at the same time to interest themselves in it and encourage volunteer action on these

ly after Easter, he gave his express permission to any priest in the diocese of New York, with the exception of the officials of the diocese whom he could not spare, to devote himself especially to this work ; and in order to encourage them to do so he guaranteed to any pastor who would volunteer for this abor, to hold his parish open for a year, appointing an administrator in the meantime ; and to any curate who would desire to devote himself to this special missionary work, for every year that he spent in it a gain of two years of seniority in the diocese.

VERY LIBERAL OFFERS ditions the work has begun

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ELINE, N. Y., Jan. 1994. ELINE, N. Y., Jan. 1994. I couldn't sleep nights and was so nervous that I feit like flying day and night; when I closed my eyes it scened as if my eyeballs were fairly dancing to get out of my head; my mind to think I had nomind. When I had taken Pas-to think I had nomind. When I had taken Pas-to Koenig's Nerve Fonie conjt weeks I feit like a new man, and new consider myself cured. Have recommended the Tonie to others, and I clways had the desired effect. W. H. STERLING. A Minister's Evanciance.

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a position with Access, and the good oppor-city. My salary is \$1,000 a year, with good oppor-tunities for advancement, Your friend and pupil, CHAS, E. MCCORD, 947-9



MARKET REPORTS. LONDON. London, Dec. 24. – Wheat, 78 to 81c per bushel. Octs, 153.10 to 20 25 per bush. Peas, 50 to 50c per bush. Barley, 19 15 to 31 156 per bushel. Buckwheat, 14 1-5 to 32 1-56 per bush. Rye. 28 to 39 4-56 per bush. Corn, 22 5 to 33 -56, per bush. There was a large supply of meat, and good beef sold for \$4.50 to \$5.50 per ewt. Lamb, 64 to 7c. per pound wholesale. Calves, 6c a pound. Dressed hogs, 4.50 to 55 per cwt. Turkeys were plential, at 7 to 8c. a pound. Geese, 5c a 1b., and 50 to 5c aplece Ducks, ranged from 55 to 70c a pair. Botter was flat, at 14 to 15c. alb. by the basket. Fresh eggs 20 to 22c. adoz. Packed eggs, 16 to 17c. adoz. Potatoes, 30 to 35c a bag. Hay, 87 to 38 a ton. Toronto, Dec. 24. – Wheat, white, 88 to 89c.; wheat, sit, cats, 21 to 24c.; turkeys, per 1b., 6t to 50; to 912.c.; postatoes, per hag, 40c; paper hald, 29 to 22c.; potatoes, per hag, 40c; to 50; to 912.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed ther, in b. rolls, 15 to 16c; ergs, ne tald, 29 to 22c.; potatoes, per hag, 40c; apples, to 512.c.; pest, 15 to 16c; ergs, ne tald, 29 to 22c.; potatoes, per hag, 40c; apples, per bbl., 40c; to 81.60; hay, timoth; par tald, 29 to 22c.; potatoes, per hag, 40c; apples, per bbl., 40c; to 81.61; hay, timoth; per bl., 50 to 92c; potatoes, per hag, 40c; apples, per bbl., 40 to 50; hesy, timoth; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed to \$12.00; staw, sheat, 89 to 89.50; be fixed

Paulist Fathers. THE WORK ORGANIZED.

Thus the work of missions to non-

Upon Father Walter Elliot will rest the chief burden of the new undertaking. "The purpose of these mis-sions," says he, "is to explain the Catholic doctrine and to disseminate a better knowledge of the teachings of the Catholic Church. Our meetings will be in no sense controversial and will contain no attacks upon

ture, leaflets, pamphlets and books to the congregations, and the topics of

THE PLAN PROPOSED.

the work will be interesting. A few months ago Archbishop Corrigan made a special request of the superior of the Paulist Fathers to have some one delegated to inaugurate the work in the rchdiocese of New York. Father Elliot was immediately selected for this special duty. At the close of the summer a band of missionaries, with Father Elliot, began a series of missions in the metropolitan diocese. Archbishop Corrigan's attitude toward

Latest Live Stock Markets. Tononto. Toronto, Dec 21.—There were no distinctive Christmas catile worth speaking of, and the heat price paid this morning was Sic. per b. for a few choice selections : in use cic. per b. for a few choice selections : in use cic. tor a few choice selections : in use distinctive everything here was sold by 10 o'clock or a nittle after. For choice stuff quotations ranged at from 21 to 3c. and inferior at from 2 to 1/c. per b. There was a genuine demand for more cattle of better quality to day East Buffalo. N. Y. Dec. 21.—Cattle — East Buffalo. N. Y. Dec. 21.—Cattle — Receipts. 20 cars : market slow : Yorkers. fair o choice. 8:.10 to 53 d: roughs. common to fact. 53.05. Sheep and lambs — Receipts. 15 cars market fairly active. lambs, good to choice; wathers. 33.85 to \$4.25; culls and common. \$3.55 to \$4.50; sheep good to choice hand, weight wethers. \$3.85 to \$4.25; culls and common. \$2 to 83.25. ines. "During an interview with him, short-A promise should be given with caution and A promise should be given with cantion and kept with care. A promise should be made by the heart and remembered by the head. A promise is the offspring of the intention and should be nurtured by recollection. A promise and its performance should, like the scales of a true balance, always present a mutual adjustment. A promise delayed is justice deferred. A promise attended is a debt settled.

C. M. B. A.-Branch No. 4, London IN OTHER DIOCESES.

Under these very encouraging con-

6c.; multon, per lb., 4 to 5c.; dressed hogs, \$4.50 to \$5.25. MONTREAL. Montreal, Dec. 24.—Peas continue quiet, at 45 to 46c.; buckwheat at 34 to 55c. and maxing barley at 45 to 47c. Manitoba wheat was steady, dealers and millers paid 65 to 67c for No. 1 hard at interior points in the province yesterday. Oatmeal moves in small iots at 63.40 to 37.40 for rolled. Feed was fairly active at su to 50.50 or rolled. Feed was fairly active at su to 510.50 for Manitoba bran, and 50.25 to 55.50 for for interio. Baled hay was unchanged at 311.65 to 311. All kinds of provisions continue nominal. Dressed hogs were steady at \$4.75 to 55 in jubbing lots. Cheese remains quiet and purely nominal at 19 for finest kinds. Butter was dull and easy at 18 to 15c. Eggs were quiet at 13 to 16 for Western limed. Montreel ditto selling at § to 2c advance on these prices. Active trade was done in poultry, choice, fresh killed turkeys selling at 74 to 76 to 74 or tucks, 75 to 5c ; and chickens, 65 to 7c. Potaroes were steady at 40c in ear lots, small quantities necessitating 5c ad-vance. PORT HURON. Bot Huson Montreel Michael When the for a fits of 10 for the for the for the for the for bots for the for

vance. PORT HURON. Port Huron, Mich., Dec. 24. – Grain – Wheat, per bush., 83 to 85c; cats, per bush., 15 to 15c for new; 22c, for old; corn, per bush., 22 to 25c per bush.; barley, 50 to 55c per 100 los; peas, 30 to 35c per bush.; theans, unpicked, 50 to 50c a bush.; picked, 55 to 50c a bushel. Produce. – Butter, 12 to 14c per 1b.; eggs, 16 to 18c per dozen; lard, 5 to 6 cents per pound; boney, 8 to 10c per pound; cheese, 34 to 105 per pound; hay, 27 50 to 25.0 per ton; baled, 87.25 to \$8.75 per ton in car lots; straw, \$4.00 per ton.;

per ton. Vegetables and Fruits.-Potatoes, 15 to 18c per bush.; apples, green, 15 to 25c per bush.

per bush.; arpies, green, 15 to 25c per bush. dried, 4 to 5c per pound. Dressed Meats. - Eeef. Michigan, \$4.50 to \$5.50 per cwt. Live weight, \$2.50 to \$3.0 per cwt.; Chicago, \$5.00 to \$7.00 per cwt. pork. light. \$4.25 to \$4.50 theavy, \$3.50 to \$4.20 but in light demand; live weight, \$5.00 to \$5.50 per cwt.; maiton, \$5 to \$6.00 per cwt spring lamb, dressed; \$6.50 to \$7 per cwt.; liv weight, \$4.50 to \$0.00 each; yeal, \$6 to \$7.00 per cwt.

ewe. Poultry-Chickens, 6 to 7c per pound ; hans, 5 to 6c, per pound ; alive, 4 to 5c per lb.; tur-tevs, 9 to 10c per pound ; pigeons, 15c per pair, alive ; ducks, 9 to 10c per pound ; geese, 6 to 7c ier poind. Hides-Beef hides. No. 1, 7to 7½ per hb; No. 5 to 6c, per lb, for green; calf skins, No. 1, 8 per lb; No. 2, 6½ to 7c, per hb; shearlings, 15 t θe each; lamb skins, 25 to 50c, each; tallow to 3½ per lb.

Latest Live Stock Markets.

K. S. J. 126 Chestnut St. Toronto, Ont., Dec. 17, 1896. St. Patrick's Commandery No. 212 of the Roman Catholic Union of the Knights of St. John, brought to a close their work for the year 1896 by a social meeting, at which were present members of the Provincial Command-ery and representatives from the following snoordinate Commanderies : Leo, No. 2; St. Paul's, No. 122; St. Mary's, No 216; and Columbus, No. 210. The principal features were a sumptuous feast, under the direction of Sir Knight Jas. Nolan, and speeches and songs by prominent members of the order. After the regular meeting, and after the members had partaken of the lunch, our President, Sir Kright Wm. J. O'Reilly, opened the proceedings by calling upon Bro. John J. Landy for a song, which he rendered in first-class style. Our Spiritual Director, Rev. Father Hayden, was then asked to address the members, which he edid. Among other things which Rev. Father Hayden said was that the Ladies' Auxiliary which St. Patrick's had organized was on a fair rout to becoming the Banner Auxiliary of the umon, the members having shown a zeal which nothing could stay. Ho said that he was pleased to see such a large meeting, and which nothing could stay. Ho said that he was pleased to see such a large meeting, and which members having shown a zeal which nothing could stay. Ho said that he was pleased to see such a large meeting, and which nothing could stay. Ho said that he was pleased to see such a large meeting, and New Year.

New Year Brother Wm. Byron gave a couple of Songs, after which Ald. Wm. Burns spoke in the highest terms of the Knights of St. John, and wished them every success. It remained for Bro. James Burns, of Com-mandery 219, to capitvate the meeting with a stump speech. Bro. James is an ever-ready man and is always in demand. Speeches by Organizer Hogan and Brother See. Moylan, and a song by Col. Kelz, brought the proceedings to a close. The President, Wm. J. O'Reilly, closed a most er joyable meeting by thanking the members who had contributed so ably to-wards making the meeting a success, and for a success, and



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York this fall.

striking features of this one enacted amid the snows far away from civilization ; i. e., the sublime courage and trust it displayed, the numbers consecrating themselves so joy-onsly to God-the beautiful singing of the brides-elect. If God loves the cheerful giver, then certainly His Sacred Heart loves these young missionaries. The names of the new Ursulines are : The Misses Ryan, Kearns, Kelly, Kenny, Mc-Donald, from the old country, bearing re-spectively the names : Mary Josephine, Justina, Juliana Lucia and Barbara ; Miss Dorsey, of Maine; Miss Seery, of Connecti-cut ; Miss Fleshman, of Pennsylvania ; Miss Brown, of Georgia ; Miss Wahlgemuth from Prussia. Miss Mary Carmen Dunne and her sister Hilda, daughters of the leading Catholics layman. Judge Dunne, of Jackson ville, Florida, and Miss Helen Sheble, a lily culled in the garden of the St. Louis clite ; Sisters St. Eulalia, Rita, Hildergarde Philippa, Annunciata, Dolorosa, Amata and de Merici. To me it was most touching to see these novices as they stood at the foot of the altar and sang out of the exultant joy of their hearts : "Suscipe me, Domine, et non con-fundas me." pleading to be wedded to the Lord in a community without income, whose work is hard, unremitting, humble, despised. As we have said, we have often seen a re-ligious profession ; not often one in which ladies of exalted rank and distinguished education heroically embraced all that our holy Gopel has most austere. We left St. Peter's Mission, the radiant moonlight glint ing from snowpeaks, with the thought upper-most that had led us to the sanctuary : " Lift up thine eyes round about and see ; all these are gathered together; they are come to the ; thy sons shall come from afar, and thy daughters shall rise up at thy side." Catholic Indian education, though a suffer-ing cause, is not abandoned. God has brought to it sons and daughters from afar, and with the lavish profusion with which the architects of old spread their most beautiful buches where the eye of God lane could behold the est sympathy of the priests of the diocese. during the months to come

its greetings, and its good cheer. not merry if the soul has not the best part of its mirth. It is not rightly celebrated if the Lord Himself is not at the feast.

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