THE ABUSE OF SUNDAY.

Father Bernard Vaughan's denunciation of present-day evils are not confined to the misdoings of the so-called "Smart Set." He made a vigorous speech the other day at the Mansion House, in support of a resolution favoring the preservation of Sunday as the one day of rest in seven. About 80 per cent. he declared, of the population of London went to no place of worship on Sunday; and he believed if children and those who went twice were eliminated, it would be found that only about 10 per cent. went to church. There was a feverish unrest on Sunday—everybody who was anybody at all had to go somewhere on Sunday. He made no complaint of people going into the country on Sunday, but of their turning Sunday into a day of busy unrest. Professional and business men needed their week-ends in the country and he Father Bernard Vaughan's denunciatheir week ends in the country and he was glad to see them go; but it was not a case of going to a church in the country instead of a church in the town—it was going to church nowhere. Within a mile of where he stood, sixty churches had been pulled down, and still there were too many. There was no space anywhere except in the churches: it was a disgrace to the great British Empire.

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Vaughan declares to be the case in London—though we are not at all sure that it is—one thing is certain: the "Lord's Day," as a synonym for Sunday, has of recent years, even in the United States, lost much of its appropriateness. It is very generally acknowledged that, so far as the male population is concerned, Catholic men are much better church goers than population is concerned, Catholic men are much better church - goers than their Protestant neighbors; but alto gether too many Catholics also, women as well as men, bo it said, are unduly given to dispensing themselves from attendance at Mass on Sundays and holy days.—Ave Maria.

A Change of Heart. Time is certainly bringing changes to the Scottish heart. At the recent cele-bration of the four hundredth centen. bration of the four hundredth centen-nial of the foundation of the Kuight's college of the Aberdeen university, a conspicuous figure among the dignitar-ies of Church and State assembled to do honor to the occasion was the Very Rev. David Fleming, O. F. M., Secretary of the Biblical Commission of Rome, and former Superior-General of the Fran-ciscans. Garbed in the brown habit and cowl of his order, he was notable as ciscans. Garbed in the brown habit and cowl of his order, he was notable as he walked between an admiral and a general, each in his resplendent uniform. It was the first time for more than three hundred years that a Catho lic had been so honored by the faculty of the university, although, like other seats of learning in Scotland, it owes its establishment to the Catholic Church.

THE BROCKVILLE TOMBOLA.

St. Francis Xavier's congregation of Brock-ville have just concluded the celebration of the Golden Jubilee of their present hardsome charch edifice by a remarkably successful Tombols and Bazzar held in Victoria Hall. Brockville, January 21 to 26. The success of the underteking has completely eclipsed any other effort of this congregation and so far as we know of any other congregation of its size, and shows what may be accomplished by a unselfish and united effort on the part of those whose duly it is to take an interest in such matters.

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After providing for every known expense there will be the handsome sum of over \$11 000 to go to the reduction of the parish debt. The appeal was, as it should be, confined almost exclusively to co-religiorists, whose generous response to the call for help has earned the warmest gratitude of the people of \$1.5 Francis X-wier's, Very Rev. Dona Murray, and his parishioners are to be heartily congratulated on the great success which has crowned their efforts.

Amongst the many welcome visitors, who made their presence fell were His Grace, Archbishop Gauthier of Kingston, Rev. Father Kebbe, of Gananoque; and Rev. Father Edward Murray, of Cobourg.

The drawing for the tombola prizes took place Saturday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock and lasting until nearly midnight. Representatives of the various societies and newspapers

place Saturday afternoon.beginning at 20 ciock and lasting until nearly midolight. Representatives of the various societies and newspapers mentioned on the tickets were present, and the work was conducted in a most satisfactory manner. Most of the tickets were sold outside of Brockville and consequently nearly all the prizes wont abroad. Following is a complete list of the winners. Ticket holders will observe that there are two chief series of tickets, one of which is distinguished by letters only, thus A. and the other by star letters, thus A.*;

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