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 of St. Mary's Academy at Windsor, and also several
other ravababe presentstrom other institutions, all
showing the deep esteem ontertained for him by


 the Diocese of Loondon, beg leave respectfolly to ad-
dress yon, not alone for ourselves, but also in the
name of aill the laity of our various parishes, on the occasion of the tenth anciversary of your 工ordahip's
eleation to the Epifcopaç. We deire o con-
gratulate sou on the suceess which has attanded gratulate fou on the success which has attonded
your anministration of this important part of our
Lord's vineyard during the past deacade. Tho difiti-
culties which lay before you were very great indeed,









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 proud. Mindfal or my many shortcominge, I can.
not, in justice, approptiate the praise wwich your
generous haarto beatow on me. We are told in
the Holy Scriptures to praise no man during life,
Hen
 and beautifipllights of firtue and merit, which are
invisible to the eye of strictimpartiality The pic.
Ture ou draw of me is not mine; it is the ideal of
that I ourht to be, and indeed of what $I$ would what
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hands from her face.











 Hope and heart on Lifer gis darked
By itat faithatul prowise, sininig
Clearer day by day
I have known a word more gentlo
Than the breath of summer nir :
In alisteningreacart of it nestemer nir
And it lived forever there.
And it lived forover thore.
Not the beatingof its prison
Stirred it ever night and da
Slirred it ever night and day;
Ony with the heartis last throbing
Could it fade away."

- Adelaide Anne Procter.

RITUALISM IN THE IRISH CHURCTF. A meeting was held recontly in Dublin undor the
auspices of the Protestant Defence Assoctation for
 of Ireland including that of retreate, tho last step
Iownards in the dircction of Rome., The chair
tons taken by no less a pergonarg than the illuswns taken by no less a pergonage than the ilhus-
trion Sord Oranmore, whse installation theroun Was recived with rounds of kontiah fire. Lord
Oranuore, as is his habit, pluaged at onco in medias
ree by sneering at the Pope, whom ho beliceved to be han on his death-bed, andat the Collego of Curdin-
 ome whan the should show the clergy tand haity
of Ireland that they would have no compromityo
with Romanism or Ritualism. They would not small or a larger nnmber of ci into tho church by
 Ireland, and upon his devoteded and devotionarch heal have been ruthlessly y puord Oranmore's following acroachments tho "ides" of auricular conression andition of things botur depresaing and alamining.
Ie was sorry (hat this secd of evil growth had

 with a n nanimity wonderful in the so-called Re-

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13. "3. That tho assembling of a numbor of clergy
in n ( $80 . \mathrm{conlted})$ retreat, marked by a mlt of filence,
by the practibe of auticular confecsion, and by the private administration of the Lord's Supper to clergy
 Ono fuct was dewlt upon by almost evcry gpenker
nt this reanarkablo meeting-namely, the gradual


 who vilified the reformers by the most abusive
titless, and who ven wang far as to impeech gome
of the teachings of Martin Luther himsolf. IInce How the Catholics of Ireland must smile at this
sory exhibitioa, this pitiful farce being played in their midst. How they must ptty the pliayculons
ndividuals who by stupid invectlve and deapicablo scurrility, seek to assalil that invincible astronghold
defended by the Son of God himselt! It is a lamentable sight to find men of edication, men of a
certain capacity, bo blinded by fanatical folly as to
render themeives laughingstocks, if not worse That the tide of Ritualism is pouning over tha lasd
and that the bright crest upon its wave is the Cat-
holic Ohurch, 15 beyond the reglon of controvergy and the pitiful opposition of guch creatures as Lord
Oranmore and his following lis at that of the pitch-

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