Worn thin?

A Talk With the Brother

of Pius X

NewPontiff's Mother was a Dress

maker-"Beppi is Charitable, and so

Never Has a Cent in His Pocket.'

(Salvatore Cartesi in The Indepen

dent.)

three of the girls married and at the Patriarchate in Venice. Lawia married the scaristan of the Church of Salzano, Luigi Boschini,

ore of whom is parish priest and mon-to see n own class, while I have had two da ghters and have three grand- at a low ebb," And he stayed with

When I had had this interesting acwhen I had had this interesting action of the family of the Pontiff, I alive. When he was created Cardinal he came to see her and said:

His Holiness from a familiar point of the Holiness from a familiar point of the price will be the postman and the came to see her and said:

See, mamma, do I not look handsome dressed in red?' and indeed he typical negro cake walk at a house to be nostman and eming such a son. What would she can be come to be not the count and Countploye of the King of Italy—and shop-keeper in your little village? Have you no desire to live near Pius X?"

Lacked Visconia a unglity, will did, so that she cried for joy at hing such a son. What would have said if she had seen him white?"

asked Signor Angelo replied:
Of course, I will follow the and desires of my brother, but Rome is not home; I do not hear my langrage (Venetian dialect) and every thing is strange. We have made no plans. Certainly my poor brother must need some dear one near him, he was not made for that lonely post at the Vatican, and is so accustomed to

being taken care of by my sisters that he must long for them." Signor Angelo may be quite right. am sure he is; but what is certain is that his three sisters (now no longer young) lament from morning wight the separation from their favorite brother, fearing for his comfort and realizing with a kind of despair

as though he had died .. Signor Angelo seemed to take great deasure in recalling early days and tories of Pius X: "We had our ouse, a little ground and some furhouse, a little ground and some furniture, that was all, and little enough it was for a family of ten, so we carefully indeed. Papa was most refigious, like Beppi, and taught us the were obliged to live carefully, very rudiments of religion; but we could only sign our names and could read fluently enough, while Giuseppe devoured whatever came in his way. When he began to go to school he took all the prizes, made such pro-



THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Every Italian, away down in his gress that he (and I, too) was sent heart, would much rather be Pope to Castlefranco to school, a donkey of the world than King of Italy, and being bought at considerable sacrithe position, like that of President of fice to take us there, we boys quar-Republic, has the additional ad- telling regularly every day as to who vantage of being open to the ambi-tion of the humblest person.

Pius X. is little known to the Ronans, although a familiar figure in with a twinkle in his eye, "those Venice, where he was almost wor-shiped for his charity and benignity, he died at a green old age and

and equally in his native village, be very fond of is both. cause when he rose to the dignity of Papa died in 1852. Cardinal and Patriarch he did not mother could not send us to school forget his origin, but treated his fam- any longer, she had Giuseppe recomily with affection and took his sis- mended to the Patriarch of Venice. ters-who were so far peasants that Mgr. Monaco, who got him into the they have never worn hats-to live seminary at Padua. He was ordain-with him at the famous Cathedral of ed priest in 1858, and from that time The Pope is the elder of two broth- ahead to some purpose, as you see. it was clear sailing. Beppi forged ers, the other being Angelo, the most Ah! by the way. Giuseppe was re-important member of the Sarto family, which by the universal affirmation uncle who was Mgr. Monaco's is a model of virtue and of that phy- vant. How little any of them sical and moral health which only thought at that time that he would

the country, the open air, the "inno- some day not only be master there, No one could speak with more authority or with greater appreciation clined to lose himself in dreams of of his brother than Signor Angelo; the family's grandeur, I recalled him so having occasion to meet him, I to reality by asking for a few storutilized the talk in the interests of ies about his brother. "Ma

who was a commercial agent, interested witness of the following is as far back as I can remember. He conversation. His brother had risen lived to be almost eighty, and adored at 5 a. m. and, as had happened beus children, although we gave him fore, finding that that sacristan was little peace. My most distinct re- still in bed, himself opened the collection of him is that he used to church for an early worshiper, who, sit at the door of our house, smok-ing a pipe, dressed in a coat with very long tails, which Beppi and I "No, no; let him alone. Don't you would surreptitiously pull, and he think I am able to open a door by would hand us round bits of licorice myself? When I shall be old and ill (a most beatific treat) while mamma he will open the door and I shall

yasn't looking. His third son was stayin bed. Batista, our father, commercial agent | Another interesting fact which like grandpapa, who married Mar- gleaned was, to use Signor Angelo's gherita Sanson, a pretty little dress- own words: "Beppi was at my house maker of Riese. A country dressmak- when the news that he had been made er fifty years ago meant very few Cardinal arrived. We had all been svanziche (dimes) and a large am- together and he had been joking over ount of work. In those days inch what he called our aristocratic hareasures were unknown here, so she bits. We went out together to the easured her customers with a piece post office, and he said: 'I think the af string, tying knots in it for the required lengths. They had two sons and six daughters; the present Pope 'Then you are really to be a Cardinand me (Angelo), Teresa, Rosa, laria, Antonia, Lucia and Anna; three of the girls married and three things are going badly; I do not beremained maids and lived with Beppi lieve I can put forty dollars to-et the Patriarchate in Venice. gether. 'Forty dollars! Why you are "Antonia married a tailor, Fran-cesco De-Bel, and had five children; could go to the ends of the world!" Angelo continued with a shake of his head: 'Beppi is charitable, and so and had two children; Teresa married never has a cent in his pocket; but the iankeeper of Riese, Giovanni Bathe has the best heart in the world.

1 ista Parolin, and had nine children, Once, after he was Cardinal, he came to see me, I being in bed with pneu-When he entered the room he him. Many of those younger genera-tion are married to persons in their and I have come to see what youare goingto leave me, as my affairs are

me until I was better.
"What a pity poor mamma is not alive. When he was created Car-

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Restless, languid feelings, sleeplessness, indigestion, nervous headache, twitching of the nerves, discouragement and despondency are some of the symptons of nervous exhaustion and realiging with a kind of despair and prostration. By forming new, rich blood and creating new nerve that the separation is as final almost vents and cures all diseases of the nerves. It is composed of nature's most powerful restoratives and is certain to do you good. You can prove this by noting your increase in weight while using it.

Gladstone's Living Words

A Few Passages From His Letter to the Duke of Westminster in 1897.

It is my firm inward belief that the deplorable position which the concerted action or non-action of the Powers of Europe has brought about and maintained has been mainly due, not to a common accord but to a want of it; that the unwise and mistaken views of some of the Powers have brought dishonor upon the whole, and that when the time comes for the distribution with full knowledge of praise and blame it will not be on the British Government or on those in sympathy with it that the heaviest sentence of condemnation per bushel. will descend.

Growing in confidence with words, and having exhausted sassin, recollected that he had

sacrosanct when it passes in Turkish garb. All comers may, as in a tournament of old, be challenged to point to any two years of diplomatic history which have been marked by more glaring inequality of forces; by more uniform and complete success of weakness combined with wrong over strength associated with right. of which it had, unhappily, neither con-sciousness nor confidence; by so vast sciousness nor confidence; by so vast an aggregation of blood-red records of stock. The inquiry for cattle was good and prices were well maintained. The of massacre, or by so profound a disgrace inflicted upon and still clinging as a shirt of Nessus to collective Europe.

And prices were well maintained. The run was not heavy and everything was sold before the close of the day. Receipts totalled 55 cars, and included 756 cattle, 1,813 sheep and lambs, 900 hogs and 41 cattle, 1,813 sheep and 1,813 sheep

As nothing can be better, nay, nothing so good, as the "concert of where it can be made work; so, as the best when in its corruption always changes to the worst, nothing can be more mischievous than the pretence to be working with this tool when it is tracked to the chief act that reports from England do not speak very brightly of the trade there. Prices were generally about steady with if anything, a slightly easier tone. Quotations, however, are unchanged. Expert a choice cattle are quoted at \$4.70 to not really in working order. The concert of Europe then comes to mean the concealment of dissents, the the concealment of dissents, the lapse into generalities, and the settling down upon negations at junc- ling of these were of the better class of

of Turkey's capacity to take rank among the civilized nations was brought to a conclusive test, negatively, through the total failure of the scheme of internal reform, and, the scheme of internal reform, and the scheme of internal reform, and the scheme of internal reform. the scheme of internal reform, and alas! positively, through the horrible outrages which desolated Bulgaria and brought about fresh mutiligaria and brought about fresh mutiligaria and the territory.

at \$2 to \$6.

Higgs—The market for hogs had an easier feeling and dealers say prospects are for lower prices. Quotations are as yet unchanged at \$5.90 for selects and \$5.65 for lights and fats.

for justice, humanity and freedom of life and honor to bring into question or put to hazard the "integrity of the Ottoman Empire." The great and time even a fiendish appetite. hunger shall return.

French Prelate Lashes Decadent Society

Christian world."

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THE MARKET REPORTS.

Live Stock-Latest Quotations.

successive triumph of deeds over every expedient of deliberate and wholesale wickedness, the Sultan, whom I have not scrupled to call the Great Asyet reached his climax. It yet remained to show to the Powers and their Ambassadors, under their own eyes and within the hearing of their

amazing infatuation that after a mass of experience, alike deplorable

terrible tragedy of Armenia is, however, for the time, I trust for the time only, out of sight if not out of One hundred thousand victims-such is the number of which they are placed by Dr. Lepsius, one of the latest inquirers whose works are before the world, and who adds to other recommendations that of being a German-have sated for a wait in painful uncertainty until

ess Bedeyere at the Chateau Jouin vernes. It "took" so well that the noble company grew enthusiastic and promised to place it on the program of next season's most exclusive private dances in Paris. The publication of this decision in the daily press brought it to the attention of Mgr-Turinaz, Bishop of Nancy, in whose diocese the affair took place. He ask-Prostration and Collapse Are ed explanation of Count Bedevere by telegraph and such not forthcoming, Prevented and Cured by dayed society in an indignant sermon the following Sunday. He called "society people the anarchists of the

There are so many cough medicines in the market, that it is sometimes difficult to tell which to buy; but if difficult to tell which to buy; but if we had a cough, a cold or any affliction of the throat or lungs, we would try Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup. Those who have used it think it is far ahead of all other preparations recommended for such complaints. The little folks like it as it is as pleasant as syrup.

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Close—Spot wheat quiet; No. 1 California, no stock; wheat, spot, 5s 7½d to 6s 8d; No. 2 red winter, to 6s 2½d; No. 1 northern Manitoba to 6s 2½d; No. 1 northern Manitoba to 6s 2½d; No. 1 northern Manitoba to 6s 2½d; No. 2 red winter, to 6s 2½d; No. 1 northern Manitoba to 6s 2½d; No. 2 red winter, to 6s 2½d; No. 2 northern Manitoba to 6s 2½d; No. 1 northern Manitoba to 6s 2½d; No. 2 northern M plaints. The little folks like it as it is as pleasant as syrup.

Grain is Higher-Good Demand for

Tuesday Eve., Sept. 22, Toronto St. Lawrence Markets.

Trade was brisk at St. Lawrence Mar-Trade was brisk at St. Lawrence Market to-day and receipts on the street were large. The inquiry for country produce was good, but there were few farmers offering stocks for sale. The grain on the market amounted to 5,900 bushels, and is a record day's business for the year. Wheat—Six hundred bushels of white sold at &2c to 83c per bushel, 600 of red sold at &2c and 500 of goose sold at 75c to 76c.

to 76c.
Barley-Offerings were large. Three thousand bushels sold at 50c to 52½c per Rye-One hundred bushels sold at 54%

Oats-One hundred bushels of old oats sold at 37c per bushel and 1,000 bushels of new brought 32½c to 33½c.

Dressed Hogs—The movement continues light and the market is unchanged at \$7.50 to \$8 per cwt for choice light

weights.
Butter-There was very little offering on the market and trude was quiet 4, uotations are unchanged at ise to 22c per lb. Eggs—There were no farmers' stocks offering. Prices are quoted unchanged at 18c to 20c per dozen.
Poultry-Receipts were fairly large.
Quotations were about steady at 10c to 12c

eyes and within the hearing of their own ears, in Constantinople itself, what their organs were too dull to see and hear.

Every extreme of wickedness is sacrosanct when it passes in Turkish Cheese Markets.

sales. Campbellford, Sept. 22.—At the Cheese Board meeting to-day 1,360 boarded; sales, Hodgson 380, Alexander 255, Brenton 240, Magrath 390, Cook 60; all at 11%c.

ingersoll, Sept. 22.—Offerings on the

Toronto Live Stock.

Export Cattle-There were more of these of cause offering than has been the case at the to this market for some time, and the de-

East Buffalo Cattle Markets. conclusive, the rent and ragged catchword of "integrity of the Ottoman Empire" should still be flaunted in our eyes.

Greece, Roumania, Servia, Montenegro and Bulgaria, stand before us as five living witnesses that, even in this world, reign of wrong is not eternal. But still it is dinned in our ears from the presses, and indeed from the thrones, of a continent, that we must not allow our regard for justice, burnanity, and dreeden of the outcome of the outcome of the outcome.

East Buffalo, Sept. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,900 head; slow; barely steady; pulme steers, \$5.25 to \$5.50; shipping, \$4.50 to \$5.00; to \$5.00; to \$4.50; cows, \$2.75 to \$4; to \$4.50; cows, \$2.75 to \$4; veals steady, 6.25 to \$4.50; head; fairly active; about steady; heavy, \$6.50 to \$6.60; Yorkers, \$6.50 to \$6.60; pigs, \$6 to \$6.60; Yorkers, \$6.50 to \$6.60; pigs, \$6.50 to \$6.60;

Chicago Live Stock. Chicago, Sept. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,-000; Texas, 1,000; westerns, 500; slow, steady; good to prime, \$5.40 to \$6; poor to medium, \$3.90 to \$5; stockers and feeders, \$2.40 to \$4.15; cows, \$1.40 to \$4.50; heifers, \$2 to \$5; canners, \$1.40 to \$4.50; heifers, \$2 to \$5; canners, \$3.50 to \$7.40; Texas-fed steers, \$3.20 to \$4.25; western steers, \$3.25 to \$4.50. Hogs—Receipts, 11.-000; to-morrow, 25.000; steady to 10c lower; mixed and butchers', \$5.50 to \$6.35; good to choice heavy, \$6 to \$6.30; rough heavy, \$5.60 to \$6.37½; bulk of sales, \$5.85 to \$6.15. Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; sheep, mostly 10c to 15c lower; good butchers', \$3.40 to \$4; fair to choice mixed, \$2.25 to \$3.25; native lambs, \$3.75 to \$5.75.

Leading Wheat Markets. Closing previous day. To-day. Sept. Dec. Sept. Dec. Toledo 80%
8t. Louis 80
Detroit 81½
Milwaukee, 2 nor. 87½
Minneapolis 77½

London — Opening—Wheat on passage, sellers at a decline. Maize on passage, weak. Monday's Danubian shipments:—Wheat, 148,000 quarters: maize, 18,000 quarters. Weather in England—Damp. Forecasts:—Showery. Wheat — English country markets of yesterday—Quiet; tone steady; September, 21f 10c; January and April, 21f 20c. Flour—Tone firm; Septeber, 31f 10c; January and April, 25f 40c. French country markets steady.

Close—Wheat on passage easier and neglected; wheat, parcel No. 1 northern. Duluth, October, 31f. Maize on passage depressed; maize, parcel mixed American, October, 21s 71/26; maize, spot quotations, American mixed, 22s 3d. Flour—Spot quotations, Minneapolis patent, 27s 6d.

Antwerp—Spot quiet; spot quotations,

Monks Compiled the Early Dictionaries

Not the Invention of Dr. Johnson But a Growth Developed Through the Ages.

hearers a great many interesting venir. It is the first zuchetto, things about dictionaries in the course skullcap, worn by Pope Pius X., and of a recent lecture. The word word was given to the Pontiff on the day dictionarium, he said, appeared first of his election. in 1225, and though "dictionary" was When the American pitgrims were used in its modern sense in 1542, it presented to Pius X. a new zuchetto, had not then ousted either the more containing the Peter's Pence offering, correct word "vocabulary" or the was handed to him. Mr. McGrane refanciful titles which early compilers quested the Pope to give him liked to employ. The contents of the zuchetto he was then wearing. The earliest dictionaries were not arranged in alphabetical order, but un- placed it with the new one and handder subject headings; it is only since ed his first zuchetto to the American poses, may be homesteaded upon by the end of the sixteenth century that pilg: im. the alphabetical arrangement has become universal in Europe, an arrangement which is responsible for the wrongful application of the title "dictionary" to any work treating of subjects-e. g., cabinet-making or

The average person seems somehow to think of dictionaries as the invention of Dr. Johnson and an altogether modern product. Dr. Murray corrected that idea. They were not the work of one or of several men, he told his audience, but a growth developed through the ages. They began with the glosses-that is, the planations in easy Latin or English -of hard Latin words written by the monks between the lines of the manuscripts. The glosses grew into translations, and collections of glosses by this monk or that from all the sources available to him made glossaries or dictionaries. Little by little English supplanted the easy Latin explanation, and the words were arranged in a rudimentary alphabetical among the foreign representatives.

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order. A dictionary is properly a

book about words.

lished in 1623. Such works were mainly compiled for the use of "wo- crowds, singing "The March of men and other unskilful persons." In the year 1721 appeared the first at eral le Flo was reached everybody tempt at a complete dictionary of stood bareheaded while the bards, to the English language, remarkable also the accompaniment of weird music, for the introduction of the etymologi- recited "Ancient Country of my the readers of The Independent, "what can I say?"

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"You want to hear of Beppi"?"

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Work.

Has the Pope's Hat

American Pilgrims Asked Pius X, for His Zuchetto and Got It.

John J. McGrane, leader of aparty of American pilgrims to Rome, will Dr. J. A. Murray, editor of the contribute to the Catholic exhibit at the World's Fair an interesting souther the World's Fair an interesting souther the first ruchetto.

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The zuchetto is of white satin, line with deep crimson satin and is worn only by the reigning Pontiff. Mr. McGrane possesses another memento of his visit to Rome of which he is very proud. It is a small silk national biography-in alphabetical American flag which he waved in St. Peter's the day of the coronation of Pope Pius, and it was the only Am-

erican emblem there. Breton Celts in Congress

The Celtic Congress, which place annually in Brittany, is being held this year in the picturesque old town of Lesnevin. Finisterre. Sunday morning a number of Breton bards, attired in rich native costume, and preceded by banners and music, made a solemin entry into the town, accompanied by delegates from England, Scotland, Ireland and America. The Welsh Druidess, Mrs. Gwyneth Vaughan, Mr. Jenner, the British Museum expert on Celtic languages, and Mrs. Mosher from America, are Marquis de L'Estourbeillon. After the bards and members of the Congress had been bidden welcome, they The first book with the title of marched in procession through 'An English Dictionary" was pubtown, accompanied by enormous Bretons," and when the Place du Gen-

designed to cut off the flow of gas printed without verification or refer- flow of gas is cut off by the contrac- Ottawa of his intention to do so. ence, and the proofs were not care- tion of a curved strip of metal acting fully read, hence many curious errors. upon a valve.

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HOMESTEAD DUTIES Under the present law homestead

duties must be performed in one of the following ways, namely: (1) By at least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years, or-(2) If the father (or the mother, if the father is deceased) of any person

who is eligible to make a homesteat entry resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of the law as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother, or-

patent the settler must months' notice in writing to the

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