THE CATHOLIC RECORD.

OBITUARY. Hr. A. B. Meintesh, Winnipeg

Ir. A. B. Meintesh, Winnipeg. The subject of our memorial sketch, the late A. B. Meintosh, first saw the light at St. Andrews, near Martintown, county of Glengarry, on the 31st of August, 1819. Prior to his removal to Chatham, he was essociated with the Hon. Frank Smith, in the grocery busi-ness, in London, Ont. Moving subse-quently to Chatham, he engaged here in the same trade. This was in the early days, when commerce was carried on amid difficulties of which few of the young men among us, can form any conception. Montreal being the great and, indeed, we might say, the only wholesale Canadian centre, he bought his goods in that centre, whence they were shipped by boat to Hamilton, and thence freighted by wagons to Chatham. While in our midst, he took an active part in public affairs, serving two years in the town council and one or more terms in the county council. He was not wholy devoted to the arts of peace, but joined the Provincial militia a ensign, on the 23rd day of June, 1866 The 25th day of May in the following year brought him further promotion as lieutenant, and he received his captaincy December 28th, 1861. The commissions authorizing these successive steps have quite an historical interest. The tirst is dated at Toronto, and signed by Sir Edmund Walker Head, as governor of the Provinces of Canada, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick and Prince Edward's Island, and Vice Admiral of the same, and the signature written thirty two years ago, in a coarse, bold hand, shows BIST BEFORE PILATE. Copies of this great picture will be sent by THOMAS COFFEY.

O. M. B. A. We have now 76 Branches of the C M. A. in Canada, and five more nearly ady to be organized. The following are the Branches that up to this date, April 24th, have paid Nos. 4 and 5 assessments, with the dates on which the money was received at Grand Secretary's Office : Branch 50 Nos. 4, 5 April 10 4 25 4 4, 5 4 10 4 39 4 4, 5 4 11 6 71 4 4, 5 4 11 44 66 11 12 New Branswick and Friboe Edward's Island, and Vice Admiral of the same, and the signature written thirty two years ago, in a coarse, bold hand, shows as black as when the ink was first dry. He was, by this, gasetted to the "Chat ham battalion," with rank and prece-dence, dating from 20th of March, same year. The second warrant ran in the same style, signed also at Toronto by Sir Francis, while the third, with the well known and clear signature of Lord Monck, was dated from Quebec. On the 2nd December, 1855, in Ottawa, he mar-ried Kate, second daughter of the late Dr. Grant, and sister of Sir James Grant, of Ottawa. He removed to the Northwest, in the spring of 1883, to accept an ap-pointment in the Indian Department, at Regina. After a residence of three years at that place, he was removed to Winni-peg, where he was joined by his family. His health gradually broke down, his fatal illness lasting over a period of six months, and culminating in death, on Saturday morning at 9.20 o'clock, March 14th, 1888. His remains were removed to his old home at St. Andrews, where they were interred in the family bury ing ground. Politically, the deceased was a staunch and lifelong Conservative, one who was always true to his party and its noble principles, which he carried out in practice, doing much to raise the standard of true patriotism, in Kent, where his memory will long be cherished, not only on political, but on personal grounds —*Chatham Planet, April*, 4th. Mr. McIntost was a faithful Catholic. 12 13 13 14 16 16 18 18 18 18 19 19 19 23 24 24 24

Resolution of Condolence.

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At the last regular meeting of St. Mary's Branch, No 34, C. M. B. A., the following resolution of condolence was moved by Bro. John Slattery, and sec-onded by Bro. D. Meagher, and unan-imously adopted :

imously adopted : Whereas, our esteemed chancellor, Bro. T. W. McDermott, has met with a sad bereavement in the death of his wife, whom it has pleased the Almighty to call to another world, Be it resolved, that Branch No. 34, of the C. M. B A, offer up their prayers for the Lappiness of the soul gone before her God.

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her God. Be it resolved, That this association tender Chancellor McDermott their most heartfelt condolence in this his hour of affliction, and that the members do attend the funeral of the late Mrs. McDermott.

Resolved, that copies of this resolution be forwarded by the Recording Secre-tary to Chancellor McDermott, the Carnolic Record, the Irish Canadian and the C. M. B. A. Monthly. B. MEAGHER, Rec. Sec. C. M. B. A. vent in their early trials, and was always

Winnipeg, was Sunday, the 25th Septem-

At the special meeting of Branch No. 2, C. M. B. A., St. Thomas, held on Tues-day, the 3rd April, 1888, the fol-lowing resolutions of condolence were-unanimously adopted : Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His wise decrees to remove from our midst our late brother, Stephen Corbett, who died on the 2nd day of April, 1888, Resolved, that while bowing to the will of an all wise Providence, we mourn the loss of our respected brother, whose kind and Christian character endeared him to all with whom he came in cou him to all with whom he came in con

death, which happened on Saturday, the 14th inst., has cast a gloom over the en-tire neighborhood. He leaves a widow, 14th inst., has cast a gloom over the en-tire neighborhood. He leaves a widow, four sons and three daughters, all living, and two of the family died when they were young children. On the 17th inst, the funeral, which was very large, took place from his late residence to St. Col-umba's church at Bornish, where Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of his soul by the Rev. D. A. Me-Bas, Parish Priest. After mass Father Mo-Res preached a touching sermon on the necessity of good works during life as a preparation for death, to a large congra-gation composed of different religious de-nominations. He was listened to with marked and most earnest attention. We offer to the family and relatives of the deceased our most heartfelt condol-ence. May his soul rest in peace.

Miss Mary Currie, London.

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Miss Marr Carrie, Lendon.
On Saturday evening, 21st of April.
Miss Marr Currie, youngest danghter of the late Mr. Donaid Currie, did at the raidence of her mother in this city, after an illness of about four monthe' duration.
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Mr. Thomas Drought, London.

Mr. Thomas Drought, London. In the death, on the 20th inst., of Mr. Thomas Drought, London has lost one of its best known and most highly esteemed citizens. Mr. Drought was a native of Dublin, having been born in that city in the year 1819. In 1865 he came with his family to London, and held the position of secretary of the London Gas Co., almost from the time of his arrival until attacked with the illness which, after eight montha' duration, was the cause of his demise. His family consisted of four sons and three daughters, two of whom only survive— Miss Drought and Henry. Miss Drought hiv d with her father and Henry served his time as a student at law with E J. Parke, police magistrate. After getting through with his profession, young Mr. Drought went to San Antonio, Texas, where he has a successful practice as a barrister. We might with truth sfirm that no man —be he rich or poor—great in the -be he rich or poor-great in the world's esteem or unknown in his humility-has ever yet been borne to the grave from our city who has left be hind a record more entirely free from blemish than Thomas Drought. He was of religion. His spiritual friends were Rev. Fathers Lewis Drummond, S. J., and L. C. Prideaux Fox, O. M. I. May

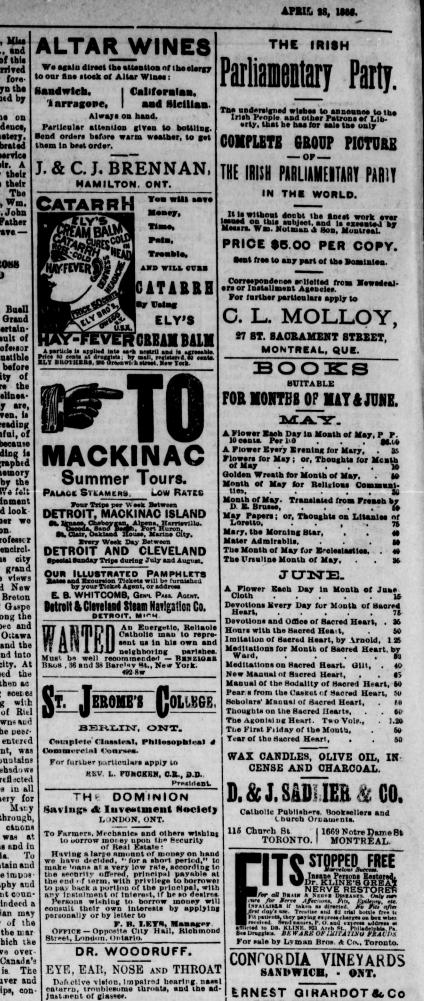
E. Lasnon, of Chattaneoga, Tann., Miss Delia Lannon, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. John Byau and Miss Jennic, of this city, the latter at home. The son arrived from Chattaneoga on Wednesday fore-noon, and the daughter from Brooklyn the same evening, having been summoned by telegraph. The funeral took place at nine on Thursday morning from bislate residence, Richmond St, to the Catholic comstery. At St. Basil's church mass was celebrated by Father Leonon, and the burial service intoned by the priest and a full choir. A large number were present to pay their last tribute to the dead and express their sympathy with the efflicted family. Tho pall bearers were Messre. A Bavage, Wm. Fleming, P. McCusker, M. Fennewy, John Daly and Timothy Delanty. Father Toosev read the service at the grave.— Brantford Expositor, April 20th.

companied them over the exciting scenes of the Retl rebellioo, ending with some admirable views of the trial of Riel

of the Reil rebellion, ending with some admirable views of the trial of Riel at Regins. The various prairie towns and villages having been portrayed, the peer-less Rocky mountain ranges were entered here, the scenery was magnificent, was sublime. The glaciers in the mountains were faithfully depicted and the shadows of the giant snow-capped peaks reflected on the surface of the placid lakes in all their coloring made grand scenery for theeys and mind to feast upon. Mary were the turnels run through, the bridges crossed and chaons passed before the traveller was at at last landed west of the mountains and in the Province of British Cuumbia. To describe the besuttes of the mountain and valley scenery depicted would be impos-tible. All were gems of ph stography and served to show what a magnificent coun-try is this Canada of oups. It is indeed a heritage of which every Canadian may elements of the first time the mar-yellous engineering difficulties which the

audience as w for the first time the mar-vellous engineering difficulties which the Canadian Pacific Company have over-come, they in part realized what Canada's transcontine null route really is. The buildings and harbor of Vancouver and Victoria, with one of H. M. ships, con-cluded the scenes of Canada.

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Pasteral Letter of His Grace I bishop Lynch, on the Beatific of John Baptist de la Salle.

JOHN JOSEPH LYNCH.

BY THE GRACE OF GOD, an appointment of the Holy Ses, Arch of Toronto, Assistant at the Pon

appointment of the Holy See, Arch of Toronto, Assistant at the Por Throns, etc., stc. To the Beloved Clergy, Religious Comm-ies, and devout Laity of this Archd Health and Blessng in the Lord. DRAMLY BRLOYED: - The Holy C of God is the fruitful Mother of inm able Saints. From the first Marty, Confessors of the faith to the Marty Confessors of the resent ceu-millions of her children have sign themselves by the most horole wirl in the practice of the more ardent h God and of their neighbor. In the age, since the rise of Protestantism Charch has produced numbers of personages who, as Bishops, Prices Founders of Heilgious Orders, have ously combatted heresy and igno As in days past, so in our days, Mil arise throughout the world labor ev-the shedding of their blood in this To dispel the darkness of error, struct especially the poor and the n classes in the knowledge of God as the rudiments of secular know necessary for their condition of life raised up the Blessed John Baptist Salle, who was born in France i year 1651, and slept in the Lord, 1719, after diffusing the cdor of y manity both by his own life and bi-mittution of a religious Order to con the work in which he binnedle engged, -the instruction of youth. These lowing words of our Divit vior, so fruitful of sweetness and ble "Suffer the little children to come me and forbid them not, for of each Kingdom of God" (St. Mark z. 14 these other words : "Amen Lay to sance the twork is "Amen Lay to sance they work of our divit to one of the least brethren, you did it to me,

Aligation of Odd (St. mark A. 1 these other words: "Amen I say to ss long as you did it to one of the least brethren, you did it to me, Matt. Xrv. 40); and that expression Holy Ghost by the lips of the A "They that instruct many to shall shine as stars to all eternity" xil. 3), have produced wonderful f the souls of God's servants, in Ap in innumerable Missionaries, and in ers of Religious Orders, whose num known to the Almighty alone. The Church has at all times encot the institution of higher schools of ing. Universities and Colleges spr in every country under her care. blabop was obliged to have in his i schools of higher learning to supply trained Clergy for his diocese, and Parish Priest endeavored to have was known as a Parochial School.

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was known as a Parochial School. The monasteries were the pr seats of the higher studies. It is to cently that States have undertail provide and maintain schools for education of the people. Since aucation of the people. Shot have done so, the enemies of the (loudly proclaim that she was the fri ignorance, whereas the Church pre-for the world whatever learnin

ignorance, whereas the Church pre-for the world whatever learnin learned records were left after the sion of the barbarians and the br up of the Roman Empire, in days States were rabbles and Kings cou-sign their names. We hear the calumny to day. The Church ge-credit for all her past labors in pre-and extending the civilization world. Now, whatever is done State in favor of education is er-bat falsely, attributed to Protestant The Church has at all times main that secular knowledge without re-training is not really an education moral man, but the raising of th poral above the spiritual, and he two-edged sword is put in the ha-men without a just appreciation of Commandments. We see this eve-in the robberies of banks and sw and peculation and other grievous committed by very smart men. The failed with such men. The thinkers of the age are raising their against Golless education. In His divines Providence God up in His Church men fitted to batt the evils of the age. At the time birth of Blessed De Lu Salle it v possible for the Onurch to provide, means then at har disposal, for the tion of the masses of the people. was a growing necessity for free for the poor. But to have free rei was, above sil, necessary to have teachers, who would voluntarily

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mai School recorded in the whole of pedagogy. This Normal School was used n for his own novice, but also for who were sent by Priests and Bis be trained to teaching with De L own disciples. The object of the Priests and Bishops was to have the

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act. Resolved, That by his death this asso-ciation sustains the loss of one of its most honorable and worthy members, most honorable and worthy members, the poor a generous benefactor, the Church an active and steadfast supporter, his wife a kind and affectionate susband, and his children a tender and

loving protector, Resolved, That we tender to the be reaved with and family of our deceased brother, the heartfelt sympathy of this association, and as a tribute to his memory that the charter be draped for the space of thirty days. e space of thirty days. Resolved, That the foregoing resolu

tions be entered in the minutes of the association, that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased and also published in the official organs of the association.

THOS H. CRAY JOHN DOYLE WM. ROURK Committee. THOS. H. CRAY, Rec. Sec.

At a special meeting of Branch No 2., C. M. B. A., St. Thomas, held on the 16th April, 1888, the following resolutions of condolence were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, it pleased Almighty God in market wisdom to remove from our midst by the hand of death, John R. Doyle, who departed this life suddenly on the 15th inst. Resolved, That in the death of John

R Doyle this Branch of the C. M B. A. has lost a faithful member, a dear friend, and a good citizen. Resolved, That the charter be draped

Resolved, That the charter be draped in mourning for a space of thirty days in memory of our deceased brother. Resolved, That our heartfelt sympa-thies are hereby extended to the bereaved widow and afflicted family of our late brother John R Doyle. Resolved That a conv of these reso

Resolved, That a copy of these reso-lutions be forwarded to Mrs. John R. Doyle, the CATHOLIC RECORD, and C. M. B. A. Monthly, our official organs. REV. FATHER FLANNERY, Pres.

THOMAS H. CRAY. Rec. Sec.

The Ave Maria save: "Neither Mrs. Procter, who died lately in London, nor her hubband, 'Bary Cornwall,' were Cath-olics, though four of their daughters-ene of them the poetes, Adelaide Anne Procter-joined the Church. The young-cest is a recent convert; and another daughter is a religious, devoted to good works among the London poor."

Mr. John Phelan, Chepstow. John Phelan, one of the first ploneers of the Co. Bruce, died very suddenly of heart disease, the 10th of April, at his home, Chepstow. His sudden death cast a gloom over this neighborhood, and the inhabitants of Greenock feel great sym-pathy for the bereaved family. May he

Mr. McIntosh was a faithful Catholic

Among his favorite reading matter was

the CATHOLIC RECORD. In Chatham he

was a strong supporter of the old St.

Joseph's church and the Ursuline Con-

active in promoting their interests. The

last time he ever went to church in

rest in peace.

He is gone, it is sad, from this wide world's throng, No more shall we hear that volce echo in song Of his dear native land, when his song used to be Oh Erln, my country! My heart beats for thee!

No more will that strong arm that for lib-erty fought. For his connery and creed, and the freedom he sought. No more will that echo rebound o'er the sea. Oh Erin! my country, "Acushia ma chree." don South, to St. Peter's Cathedral, when

Mr. Alex. B. McDonald, Bornish.

It is with great regret we announce the demise of one of East Williams' oid-

the demise of one of East Williams' old-est and most highly esteemed settlers, Mr. Alexander B. McDonald, who attained the ripe old age of seventy-seven years. He was born in the Island of Uist, Envernesshire, Scotland, and emigrated to Canada in the year 1848, coming direct to the township of East Williams, selecting his place of residence on the twelfth concession of said town-ship, which was then a howling wilder-ness. The deceased being of the first settlers, was a sharer in all the trials and hardships to which the stalwart early hardships to which the stalwart early settlers of East Williams were subject. Although not acquainted with the forest

being industrious and temperate in his habits, he soon built up for himselt and his family of small children a comfort-able home. Mr. McDonald was a noble there was almost no hope of recovery promised. For upwards of twelve hours able home. Mr. McDonald was a noble specimen of fervent and steadisst Scotchmen, who preserved the true Catholic faith established by Christ upon earth, despite all manner of torture and persecution. He was a true type of a whole souled innocent Scotchman, greatly beloved by all who knew him, being strictly honest in his dealing with all men, and very attentive to his church and religious duties. His long residence of thirty-nine years on the twelfth concession of East Williams had so endeared him to the people that his he was conscious, but by Sunday morning he had got very low and it became evid.

great loss.

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23rd instant, from his late residence. Lon

solemn requiem mass was offered for the ROYA repose of his soul by Rev. Father Tiernan. After mass the rev. gentleman preached After mass the rev. gentieman preached a most touching sermon on death, making special reference to the exemplary life of the deceased. The cortege then proceeded on its way to the final resting place in St. Peter's cemetery. We offer the surviving relatives our heartiest sympathy in their meat law Mr. Thos. Lannon, Brautford. On Saturday last, a little before noon Mr. Thomas Lannon of Brantford received

ROYAL FAWSIN OYA Mr. Thomas Lannon of Brantford received a severe stroke of para; ysis, from which he died on Monday. He had been work ing in his garden in the morning, and was apparently returning to the house when overtaken, for his daughter found him not far from the door. Help was sum moned, and he was got into bed, and medical aid was had immediately, but there was almost no hope of recovery POWDER

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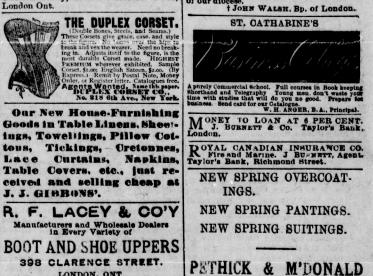
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