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THE QUEEN MOTHER—HER MONTH OF MAY.

(For The Register.)

Queen of the May! the Mother of God, our Mother, reigns in Heaven and our hearts. While we should at all times honor her, and seek her protection, we have been taught by the Church (ever eager in promoting her interests) to look upon this month as specially devoted to her service. 'Tis the most beautiful of the whole year. Nature dons her fairest garb, and all things combine to celebrate the happy time. To her shrines (beautiful as loving hearts can make them) come her children, laden with sweet-scented flowers, which, with their humble petitions, they lay at her feet. Happy indeed to call her Mother!

Let us steal into the church and place ourselves among her votaries—see kneeling at the altar rails some young girls, members of her sodality. She, whom they delight to honor, looks down upon them with a smile of loving kindness. There the little ones, her special care, are lisping their prayers, which she likes best of all to hear. Then, we have a mother, commending her child to the protection of The Perfect Mother, and an old man bending his gray head in homage at the shrine of his Queen. There is no age or condition unrepresented—old, young, rich and poor unite to sing the praises of her whom they love.

As the flowers unfold in May, so opened the life of this Child of God, who was destined for such a glorious state—the pure white Lily of Jerusalem. One could write on until the world is no more, and yet not say enough in her praise. Still, for this, as we looked upon with doubt, as of beings to be avoided. Dear Queen, it is good to bear this for Thee, but, eager in thy service, it is keenest pain to think there is in the whole world one person who is not

willing to do thee homage. They fear in favoring the Mother, they offend the Son. Why can they not feel that this is false? Show us any child who does not glow with love and pride to hear his mother praised, and surely this Heavenly Son, Who showed so many favors on Her whilst on earth is well pleased with those who give her their allegiance now.

While Our Blessed Lady is lavish of her favors to all, she yet watches particularly over those who are banded together and call themselves her children. She guards them from the world, and gives them pure and holy thoughts. No one who has given her heart to the Mother of God, will be lost, because it is thus given to her Son. Every girl should consider it an honor to belong to this Society, to show her love for the Blessed Virgin. If she faithfully practises the four great virtues of Purity, Humility, Obedience and Charity, her salvation is certain, for

The Queen of Heaven her guiding star she makes—
And, gently led, the path of thorns is trod
By her unscathed, and when the portals open
To brighter realms, she's welcome'd by her God.

JUDICIAL SIMPLICITY.

In the early days of Minnesota a man named Johnson was elected justice of the peace in a little town. He pretended to no judicial attainments, and was elevated to the place solely because he was the oldest man in the community.

The first case which came before him was that of a man charged with stealing a calf. Justice Johnson was conscious of his legal inexperience, so as much as possible to avoid the scrutiny of the public he put down the hearing for the next morning at seven o'clock. This was so early that when the time arrived the prosecuting attorney was not on hand, and his honor faced only the sheriff and the prisoner and his lawyer.

"Gentlemen, you will please come

to order," said the court, thumping on the table with his fist.
The lawyer said: "Your honor, I represent the prisoner. This is the hour at which the court was announced to open, and as the prosecuting attorney is not present, I desire to make a motion that the prisoner be discharged."

The judge fidgeted about a moment and then said: "Gentlemen, it is moved that the prisoner be discharged."

The lawyer nudged his client vigorously with his elbow. "I second the motion," blurted out the prisoner. "Gentlemen, you have heard the motion," said the court. "As many of you as are in favor of it signify by saying 'aye.'"

"Aye," called the lawyer and his prisoner.

"Contrary-minded, no!"
"No," shouted the sheriff.
"The 'ayes' have it. The prisoner is discharged. A motion to adjourn is in order."

The lawyer responded with the motion, the prisoner with the second, and Justice Johnson's first term of court was a thing of the past.—Harper's Magazine.

Trust is something for every day. We often think of trust as a kind of life preserver, to be used only when the situation is desperate, but we hope not to be reduced to having recourse for it. But trust is not like a life preserver; it is like the ship that bears us up and carries us onward all the time. It is not the miraculous supply that it gives so much as the day by day our daily bread.

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SOCIETY OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL.

A general meeting of this society was held on Sunday afternoon in St. John's Chapel, Church street. His Grace Archbishop O'Connor presided, and was attended by Rev. Dr. Tracy and Rev. F. Rohleder, of St. Michael's Cathedral. There were present the president, treasurer and secretary of the Council as well as representatives from the differences conferences of the city, amongst whom were Mr. Keilly, P. Hynes, John J. Murphy, Ald. Wm. Burns, James A. Gorman, D. Miller, T. Winterberry, Major Grey and others.

The president gave a summary of the reports received from the conferences for the year 1902, and stated that although it had been anticipated that the calls on the conferences would have been greater than usual during the past winter on account of the coal difficulty, they had been able to meet with all the demands made upon them. He also gave reports from the Hospital Board of the Society and the several works which this Board had under control. After remarks by several of the members, His Grace the Archbishop addressed the meeting expressing his pleasure at being able to be present, and satisfaction and approval of the work carried on by the Society. He hoped, however, that before the expiry of the present year there would be an improvement on one point—the number of members—which he considered should be much larger in a city like Toronto.

A PECULIAR ORE.

Every reader of this paper who is interested in discoveries along the lines of mineralogy or medicine should read the announcement on another page of this paper from Theo. Noel, Toronto, Ont., proprietor of the famous Vitae-Ore, a peculiar mineral mined from the ground, which possesses wonderful medicinal properties when oxidized and dissolved in water. This peculiar Ore was first discovered by Theo. Noel, at that time a prospecting geologist, now president and principal owner of the Theo. Noel Company, whose main office is at Chicago, Ill. Since its discovery this remarkable product has been instrumental in curing thousands upon thousands of people all over the country of all manner of diseases and has wrought many wonderful cures among the readers of this paper, the announcements of the company having appeared in this publication from time to time and been accepted by a large number of our readers. The offer made by Mr. Noel is almost as remarkable as the Ore itself. He does not ask for cash, but desires each person to use the Ore for thirty days' time before paying one cent and none need pay unless positively benefited. The offer, which is headed "PERSONAL TO SUBSCRIBERS," is certainly an original one and can be read and accepted with profit by every ailing person.

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DEATH OF A REMARKABLE IRISHMAN.

The death of a remarkable Irishman, who spent the greater portion of his life in India, has just been announced, that of Dr. Thomas Blaney, C.E.I. Born in Ireland over eighty years ago, he was taken in early life to Bombay, and joined the Subordinate Medical Department in 1836 as an independent apprentice of the East

India Company. Leaving the service of the Government in 1860, he afterwards, says The Morning Leader, enjoyed a large private medical practice until his retirement from active life a few years ago. His connection with the Bombay Corporation, the writer adds, began more than forty years ago, and he was at one time president of that body. He rendered splendid service to the city of his adoption, and was the recipient of

many honors, both from the Government and his fellow-citizens. He held the office of Sheriff twice—a unique distinction—in 1875 and 1887, was the City Coroner for over seventeen years and in 1874 was honored by the creation of a statue by public subscription. It is added that Dr. Blaney has died a poor man owing to his charitable disposition, although he might easily have amassed a considerable fortune.

