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During the heat of the agitation, Catholics held their breath, neither in joy nor in fear, but in amazement. The very thought of building a new Christian church is so foreign to a Catholic that he cannot even conceive of its possibility. He knows, if he knows anything, that his Church is the Christian Church, that it was built by Christ

The spiritual director of the association is Mgr. James H. McGean, rector of St. Peter's church, Barclay street. The movement is fostered by the Catholic clergy of New York and was chiefly inspired by the increasing influence of some of the college settlements, which

For them the theory of sin was not a thing as it was in the pagan codes, a violation of which was due to the fellow-creatures and to ourselves, but a falling short of the Father and His people that since the Father was good and just, He expected that His children should be good and just. Yet the idea of repentance for a wrong done was never absent in their earliest teachings; for the Jew, sin was an act against God, the source from which the Creator, which led to infidelity and hypocrisy. Yet even the first sin of Adam was forgiven after due repentance, and far from confession being a politic move on the part of the Early Church in order to subject the family to the priests, as historians would have it, its practice and insistence is apparent in the whole history of Israel even from the earliest times.

The church has always been solicitous in urging due homage and veneration to the saints. They are the choicest products of her labors and the living proof of the efficacy of her doctrines, her precepts and her means of grace. In the

If the liquor traffic, comments the True Voice, of Omaha, Neb., were taxed for all the harmful results it produces directly and indirectly it would soon cease to be a paying business. The great part of the burden is borne by the rest of the community, and is it any wonder that the community sometimes

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