"There," after the code was writ-ten out, "suppose we practice a lit-tle, to be sure we have learned the signals," euggested Mrs. Clayton. "All right!" agreed Hal, happily.

"All right!" agreed Hal, happily.
"The messages come from you!"
"We'll try the one for uncombed
hair first," and Mrs. Clayton immediately flashed a wireless across
the room.

Without a word Hal got up and went out and on his return his hair

"That was awfully easy! And so much better than to—to have all the people," pointing to the empty chairs in the room, "know why I left. Let's try the others, eagerly, all of them!"

And so they went through the enire code. Not a single message

that's splendid-our

less telegraphy!" exclaimed Hal, in great delight, after the practice was over. "How did you happen to

"If I recollect rightly," smiled Mrs. Clayton, "it was you 'who suggested the plan!"

The Benedictines, under Abbot Pre The Benedictines, under About Fresident Gasquet, are actively prosecuting the work entrusted to them by Pius X of revising our present text of St. Jerome's Vulgate, says

ear's work. A recent report con-

"The printing of this Bible, which

months; and the preparation of the text and the correction of the proof

heets alone has been no light task

The production has also been necessarily a very costly matter. One hundred copies have been printed upon the best hand made paper;

upon ordinary book paper

60 upon thin paper, and the Com-mission would have hesitated to in-

cur the expense had not the Pope decided that this was the best system

this report is in circulation

a member of the Commission with some assistance will have been already for some time in Spain making a systematic search of the libraries and cathedral archives of that

"Already some fifteen collaborat

ors are at work in various parts of Europe, collating the most important manuscripts with the prepared authentic text. When these have been finished, and the variants thus

noted have been received, if cossible

by a second pair of eyes, they will be bound up and added to the col-lection being formed at St. An-selm's, for which already six or se-

WORN, WORRIED MOTHERS

Much of the worry which

Much of the worry which every mother of young children undergoes would be spared if the mother kept Baby's Own Tablets on hand and gave an occasional dose when the child was fretful, cross or feverish. Nearly all the allments of childhood can be traced to the stomach, bowels or teething. For these troubles no medicine can equal Baby's Own Tablets, and the mother has the guarantee of a government anelyst that the Tablets are absolutely safe. Mrs. Ed. Suddard, Haldimand, Que., says:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets in my home for a long time and always with the hest results, I do not know how I could get along without this medicine." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a bot, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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The production has also

to form the basis of the

They have finished the first

on Vulgate.

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formation:

miscarried!

think about it?"

THE WAY TO SHADOW TOWN.

Bway to and fro in the twilight gray;
This is the ferry for Shadowtown.
It sails away at the end of the

Just as the darkness closes round. Rest, little hand, on my sho sleepy kiss is the only fare.

Drifting away from the world go—
Baby and I in the rocking chair.
See where the firelogs grow and

spark,
Glitter the lights of shadowland, drops

The rain drops on the window—hark,
Are ripples lapping upon the strand.

There where a mirror is glancing A lake lies shimmering, cool and

lossoms are waving o'er its brim, Those over there on the window slow, more slow, in the dusky

light

Silently lower the anchor down,

Dear little passenger say "Good night."

We've reached the harbor of Shareached the harbor of Sha-

dowtown.

-Eugene Field.

The Stepping Stones.

It had been raining, raining, raining, and Betty had not seen her hant Mary for three lorg days, so as soon as the sun shone bright again she put her bonnet on and

again she put her bonnet on and started out to pay her a visit.

Up the hill and down the hill, through the lane where the japonica hedges grew, by the fields and over the stile—this was the way to Aunt Mary's house, and Betty skipped gaily along till she came to a mud puddle in the lane that stretched, across from hedge to hedge.

"Dear me," said she when she saw this, "I can never get over this mud puddle by myself," and she looked about anxiously for some-

ed about anxiously for body to help her. Nobody was in sight but a fat little frog, and he was entirely too fond of mud to sympathize with her. He spleshed in and out and all about, and looked as if he was thinking. "What a very strarge creature to stund on dry land when she might be in this delightful puddle with me."

Betty sat down on a big gray

down on a big gray the hedge and watched him. Hop, jamp, splish, splash

he went.
"I wish I could jump over," said
the little girl, but the mud puddle
was too wide for that.
By and by a white duck came
slong. She belonged to Aunt Mary,
and of course she knew Betty at
once.

"Quack," she said, as she hurried into the puddle: "Quack, quack," which meant in her language "Come paddle right in. What are you waiting for?"

"I wish my Uncle Jack would some for me in the wagon," said Betty, when the white duck had gone on to the farmyard, but Uncle Jack was at nome and discovered. Jack was at home and did not dream that Betty was waiting down there in the lane.

there in the lane.

Sometimes the lane was full of wagons, but that day the only traveller was a buzzing bee who was in such a hurry to get to Aunt Mary's flower garden that she did not even see Betty as she flew over the puddle and far away.

"Hum, hum hum," she sang to herself, and her song was all about honey.

"It don't see now exclaimed Hal, more mystified than ever."

"Don't?"

"No!"

"It me explain," said Mrs. Clayton and held the door open for Hal, to come into the house. "We will go into the sitting room now, and learn the code."

"Mamma, I still think you are playing tricks with me," declared

honey.

The spider and the grasshopper and the cricket who lived in the lame came out from their homes to, look at the little gril, and they you'll see I'm not."

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"Mamma, I still think you are playing tricks with me," declared Hal.

"Not at all, my dear; in a minute you'll see I'm not."

ed the cricket. "Why should she go on? I have lived here a long

ter.
"She is going to move the big
gray stone," cried all the little

"She rever will do it," said he; but he scarcely had spoken when the stone rolled out of its place and into the puddle just where Betty wanted it."

lying under the hedge waiting for somebody to move it for so long a time that not even the cricket could remember when it came there.

"Here's a fine stepping-stone," cried she, when she spied it, and she made haste to throw it into the mud, beyond the stones, where it fell with a splash.

"What is she going to do now?"

"What is she going to do now?"
asked the spider, but before the
grasshopper or the cricket could
say a word, or the frog could croak
again, Betty went stepping from stone to stone, across the mud puddle, and safe to the other side

"That's the best way to get puddles," she said to herself, away she ran, down the lane, the fields the fields, and over the style to Aunt Mary's.—"More Mother Sto

It Takes Courage

To speak the truth, when by a little prevarication you can get some great advantage,
To live according to your convictions.

To be what you are and not pre tend to be what you are not.

To live honestly within your means and not dishonestly upon the means of others. First Year's Work

Hal's Wireless Telegraphy.

Hal Clayton looked very rueful.
His mother found him after the
company had gone, sitting on the
back steps—alone! Even Emperor
William, the big Newfoundland dog, was not with him

"Why, Hal?" and Mrs. Clayton's one implied a question. "It—it's because you said my nose "It—it's because you said my nose was smutty," explained Hal, struggling hard to keep his voice steady—something that every man, according to Hal's notion, was expected to do. "And made me leave the room and wash the smut off-right before the company."

the the company."

"But my loy wouldn't want to remain in the room looking like that. I hope," replied his mother, gently, "and have the ladies see gently, "and have the ladies see him."
"No-o," after considering the si-

"No-o," after considering the situation a moment. "But isn't there some—some other way of—than speaking right out, mamma: I mean when I—I ought to leave the room for something?"

"Why, yes, I guess so," answered Mrs. Clayton. "We might use wire—less telegraphy."

"Cur the expense had not the Pope decided that this was the best system to secure thoroughness. He himself, too, advanced the money to pay for the printing."

Besides the production of the Bible, during the past year considerable progress has been made with the presentation of a head list, of

less telegraphy."

"Wireless—te-le-graphy!" exclaim-

able progress has been made with the preparation of a hand list of Latin Biblical Mass, in the libraries of Europe. This should be found to be of considerable utility to others besides those engaged in this work. A certain number of libraries in warfous countries have alternative. ed Hal, wonderingly. "You cannot do—that; we'd have to have instrudo—that; we'd have to have instru-ments if we don't need any wire."
"We have—them," and Mrs. Clay-ton assumed an air of mystery.
"In-struments!" repeated Hal.
"Yes; I ahave a pair and you have a pair," and Mrs. Clayton smiled at the incredulous expression on Hal's face.
"Mamma, voice focuseits work. A certain number of libra-ries in various countries have al-ready been visited and their con-tents, so far as Latin Biblical texts are concerned, have been noted and in some instances copied or collated.

the incredulous expression on Hal's face.

"Mamma, you're fooling!"

"No, I'm not, dear."

"I—I don't see." Then quickly, aid had head where are they—the—the instruments?"

"They are our eyes," replied Mrs. of the transmitter, and yours the receiver."

"I don't see how that cam be!" exclaimed Hal, more mystified than ever.

declared made.

talked about her among themselves.
"If I wanted to get over the puddle," said the spider, "I would spin a long thread from the branch of a tree and swing across,"
"I would hop through the hedge and into the fields myself," said the grasshopper.
"The lane is pleasant here," chirped the cricket. "Why should she go

your telling me-just as you did to day?" interrupted Hal.

time."

"She will have to go home," croaked the frog, who had come from the puddle to sun himself, "Hear what I say, she can't get over," and he had just settled himself for a nice little nap when Betty jumped up from her seat in such at hurry that he opened his eyes with a start, to see what was the mature. ("Yes," and Hal laughed at the mere idea. "Yes," and Hal laughed at the mere idea. "Yes," and Hal laughed at the

ode?" 'Yes," and Hal laughed at the mere idea. "I never thought of that!"

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"Watt mamma, please," said Hal, "Watt mamma, please," said Hal, "till I get some paper, so we can write down all the code. Then I won't forget."

"Very well." and Mrs. Clayton went to the library table drawer for a pencil.

"Twill be just dandy!" exclaim-

News by the Irish Mail.

The members of Donegal National Teachers' Association and others re-cently presented Mr. A. K. Dunlevy, of Donegal, with an address—and purse of sovereigns on the occasion of his retirement after fifty years service as a teacher

Donegal Town and Townparks are Donegai from and fowning to be purchased. The terants have agreed to purchase their holdings from the landlord, Lord Arran, : at from the landord, Lord Arran, : a-twenty-four and one half years' pur-chase, which means paying instal-ments of 4 shillings less than the

A big deal in horses was brought off in Waterford on Nov. 23, when Signor L. Corbella, of Milan, pur-chased on behalf of the Italian Gov-ernment, for use in the Italian ernment, for use in the Italian army, two hundred troopers from Messrs. John Widger & Sons, horse dealers.

The sum of money raised by the ay admirers of Rev. Dr. Healy, Archbishop of Tuam, on the occasion of his recent jubilee, is being devoted, in compliance with his Grace's wish, to providing for the Cathedral of Tuam a reproduction in silver of the historic average. silver of the historic cross of Cong.

Monsignor Shahan, rector of the Monsignor Shahan, rector of the Catholic University of America, was invested with the robes of a domestic prelate and formally presented with the Papal brief announcing his elevation to that dignity on Thursday, December 16. Cardinal Gibbons officiated. In compliance with the rector's wishes, the ceremony was one of academic simplicity. was one of academic simplicity

Miss Sheridan, Ashgrove House, Miss Sheridan, Ashgrove House, Belturbet, has given her tenants a voluntary abatement of 8 shillings in the pound on the year's rent. For over twenty-five years the tenants on this property have received their rent reduction, besides being afforded privileges which are given on no other estate in the county.

The Central Committee of the Irish Nationalists, at a recent meeting in Dublin, decided to support the Libe-rals in the general election. Premier rals in the general election. Premier Asquith's declaration at Albert Hall concerning Home Rule for Ireland was deemed satisfactory. The resolution to support the government was moved by John Redmond and was passed unanin

Speaking at a Synod of the Pro-testant Diocese of Cork, Cloyne and Ross, Dean Bruce said the Catholics had a great religious brotherhood for teaching, and Protestants could for teaching, and Protestants could only strive to improve in that mat-ter each year. They could not sur-pass the teaching of the Christian Brothers. In fact, he thought that the teaching of the Christian Brothers could not be surpassed anywhere.

The beautiful silver shield presented by the Home Rule Club, Kilkenny, for competition amongst the schools of the County at the annual Kilkenny Feis for the past five years, was presented recently to the pupils attending St. John's Infant School, at the Lake, who at the recent Feis obtained the highest number of marks in the specified competitions. The interesting cere-mony took place in the splendidly appointed schoolrooms at the Lake.

Colonel Richard Irwin, J.P., D.L. Colonel Richard Irwin, J.P., D.L., of Rathmoyle, Castlerea, died recently in Dublin at the advanced age of seventy-seven years. By his death a prominent figure in the public and social life of Roscommon has been removed. He was a member of an old Catholic family, and two of his sons are members of the Jesuit order. Some years ago he was Righ Sheriff of the County Roscommon. He also served in the 5th Battalion Connaught Rangers, Battalion Connaught Rangers, which he was a retired Colonel.

One-eighth of an Irish acre of ground in the village of Ballytrain, was sold at £30 and commission, or the colossal sum of £240 Irish acre. The bidding was tween an old-age pensioner an tween an old-age pensioner and agricultural laborer named McCabe and a man named Burns for the purchaser (Miss McConnell). Such exorbitant prices paid for land are never lost sight of by the landlords who are sure to quote the latest high figure when a tenant enters

The town of Callan, Kilkenny, has just been illuminated for the first time by electricity. All the public bodies were invited to the inauguration in the powerhouse in Mill lane, Callan Mrs. Michael Shelly put the engine in motion, while the light was switched on by Mrs. Shee and Mrs. Martin Hayden. The light proved very satisfactory. The Commissioners are making vast improvements for the betterment of the town. There is a scheme of cottages now in hand which are badly needed in the town. The town of Callan, Kilkenny, has deals.

Speaking at a meeting of the Nenagh Branch of the United Irish League, Mr. R. P. Gill. C.E., said that he was in the position to inthat he was in the position to inform the members that arrangements were almost completed for the starting of a large woollen industry in town. Certain gentlemen: were negotiating for the purchase of a big derelict mill for the purpose of remodelling and fitting it with up-to-date machinery. The estimated total cost was \$20,000. Half of that amount would be spent on machinese. In reply to the recent strictures of Most Rev. Dr. O'Dwyer, regarding the claims and procedure of town tenants, the Macroom Tewn Tenants League has passed a resolution pointing out that trade has declined enormously in country towns of the recent tenants. pointing out that trade has declined enormously in country towns through depopulation and other causes; that the altered conditions make the rents of thirty years ago a crushing burden on the people of to-day, and that the houselords should bear their share of the loss.

In sending a cheque to Mr. Lardner, M.P. for the Monaghan collection for the Irish Parliamentary Fund, Most Rev. Dr. McKenna, Bishop of Clogher, says he desires to mark in a small way his appreciation of their great services, and of Mr. Lardner's able and patriotic discharge of his duties as representative of the division, of which his constituents are justly proud. Monaghan, he says, can justly boast of having representatives of her own upbringing, who eminently deserve the gratitude and continued confidence of their constituents.

At a meeting of the Committee of At a meeting of the Committee of the Castletown Branch of the Gaelic League, the following resolution was proposed by Mr. Cumisky, seconded by Mr. J. Hughes, and passed un-animously: "That we, the Commit-tee of the Castletown, Branch of the Gaelic League, support the demand that the Irish language, both oral and written, be made an essential subject for matriculation and up oto the point where specialization begins, in the new University, and that proper provision be made for the teaching of Irish in all the leges of the University."

The Nationalists of the town and district of Abbeyfeale, Limerick, have generously responded to the appeal made on behalf of the Irish Party Fund. The contributions dered bore an acknow edgment of the debt due to the Irish Nationalist re-presentatives, and particularly of the assistance derived from the Irish Furchase Acts, whose best features reflect the toil and ability of the party. The contribution from this district must be all the more acceptable because of the comparativeceptable because of the companion ly assured position of the farmers, ly assured position of the farmers, who are now, and have been for some time past, fèe-simple proprie-

It was recently discovered that the Mormon missionaries have been se-cretiy and under cover plying their trade in and around Dublin. Investi-gation proved that they have been at this work for three or four at this work for three or four years, and yet without any apparent success. They are evidently willing to spend more for the perversion of one person in Ireland than for that of ten in any other courtry of Europe. It is evident, too, from what has appeared in the press, that the Dublin Mormons have the money to spend. Several who have been approached by these emissaries of Satan give evidence that all kinds of tan give evidence that all kinds of inducements, such as homes, wealth and education, are offered especially to young women who would emigrate to their colonies in America.

The number of emigrants for October, as given in the official returns, show that 2,799, or 403 more than in October, 1908, left Ireland. Of this number 1,155 went from "prosperous Ulster," and the destinations of 2,209 of the total was the United States. The departures for the ten months of this year is much in excess of the total emigration last year, 26,866, as against 23,295, Only in one month this year did the ly in one month this year that figures fall below those of last year in February, when a decrease of fifty was recorded. Ulster's painful preëminence had been manifested almost every month this year, and last month the emigration from the Northern Bear. Northern Province was practically equal to that from Munster and Connacht combined.

Rev. Dr. Henebry, who has been appointed Professor of Irish Language and Literature in University College, Cork, is one of the few real scholars of the subject now living. He is a native of the Decies, Waterford, and is a beautiful speaker of Irish. Combined with his native knowledge of the living speech, he has a scientific knowledge of the linguistics of the language, and is particularly interested in the literature. He studied in Germany with the leading philologists, and obtained his doctorate with marked distinction. He has published the dissertance. tion. He has published the disc tion. He has published the disser-tation which he wrote for that de-gree, a most scholarly work, entitl-ed "The Sounds of Munster Irish," which is regarded as a standard work on the subject with which it deals. Dr. Henebry was a friend and correspondent of the late Professor Struchan and the late Whitley Stokes, and he also assisted Thurneyson in his great work on the Comparative Grammar of the Celtia Larguege. tic Language.

Threats of legal action against Church authorities who have condemned text-books used in the schools of France are now being carried out. The Archbishop of Paris, Mgr. Amiette, has been cited to respond to suits brought against him by the authors of text-books, who claim \$2000 damages.

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A Trip to Alaska.

A trip to Alaska is one seidom undertaken by the people in the Eritish Isies, and of the many bookings undertaken by the Grand Trunk Italian and the Grand Trunk Italian and I A trip to Alaska is one C. Salter, European Traffic Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway, from Mr. Bromley Challenor, F.R.G. S., who has just returned from the northwestern limit of the North American continent. The letter has an added interest by reason of the fact that on the day of the official opening of the Grand Trunk Railway's new offices at 17-19 Cockspur Street, S.W., Mr. Challenor was the first person to book a passage with the Company for Canada way s new onices at 17-19 spur Street, S.W., Mr. Chal was the first person to book a sage with the Company for Car On Dominion Day (July 1st) On Dominion Day (July 1st) the trip was planned and provision made for the journey, and, in the first week in October, back in England again, the well-known geogragher has been pleased to write to the Grand Trunk offices expressing his entire satisfaction with the easy way in which the journey was accomplished African way in which the journey was ac-complished. After thanking the railcomplished. After thanking the rail-way officials for making his means of transportation pleasant and comfortable, he says: "I was very pleased, indeed, with both he road and rolling stock of your Company, and in my opinion it is second to none on the Continent of America. The arrangements you made for me very much added to my comfort and enabled me to reach my destination in the quickest possible time, and I must say I experienced the greatest civility from the Company's staff during my passage on your road. The route

passage on your road. T you worked out for me was a most interesting one, and coming back as I did over the Rockies and the Great Lakes, I did not travel over a single mile a second time except the short run between Sarnia and Toronto. Will you be good enough to send me particulars of your 'Round the World Tours.' I am thinking that next spring I may have another run out to the West, and if I do, I should like to return home via the East." Thus the whole of Great Britain is quickly put in touch by Britain is quickly put in touch by this great railway system, with what frequently is said to be the uttermost parts of the earth.—Dublin (Ireland) Daily Express, Oct. 19, 1909.

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must be attended to immediately or serious results may follow.

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"Time will show Meg answered "Well, I'm goir look for food. as the corner and food in sight." In two minutes back joyfully. "Food and he "Fever havers." "Food and he "Every luxury—a way! Millingto that corner, Phil, age is the very falong; it's only a along; it's only hill all the way.

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