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FRANCE AND THE VATICAN.

Whilst Catholic papers all over the world are lamenting the falsehood New York Times. deception practised by the and press with reference to French the present lamentable relations Republic towards the of the Holy See, it may not be amiss for themselves to spare a little space for some self-examination. There is a' show of contradiction in the Catholic newspaper estimates of the Bishops of Laval and Dijon, whose correspondence with the Vatican, and the public scandal arising from /it, hour. constitute admittedly the saddest phase of the new Pope's experience with the religious crisis in France. Some Catholic correspondents have already brought into their impeachments of Mgr. Geay, Bishop of Laval, matters essentially foreign to the accusations bearing upon the diplomatic rupture. The Catholic press has a great cause to uphold and is doing noble service to that cause. But the rules by which the Catholic press must measure its public influence are exactly the same as those by which the secular press is gov-Newspapers of any class erned. cannot afford to misrepresent a cause finally and effectively. They scannot afford to bring undue zeal to bear upon their advocacy of either in the long run they will find that great deal is being said, and even the majority of men like fair play written imprivate letters, by grand tery. and that every case stands before the officers concerning this mess; and the It was that of a young Chinaman court of public opinion until the verdict of the convention is, in a aged only twenty years, who died in eral moments. He spoke in Italian, truth has come out, however long the sense, being cut and dried for those the hospital of typhoid fever, after and the applause which the eloquence process may be. The falsehoods of delegates who will again lead the an illness only lasting four days. the French Government press will discussion as they have done before. But we would say to each and every not stand the light of the correspondence now published by the Osserva- delegate that he should carry as open more remarkable was that this is tore Romano, affecting the Bishops a mind into the convention hall as the first time a Chinese has been of Laval and Dijon. But it is ad- he would into a jury room. He visable, for Catholic editors to read should not enter with his prejudice on into the official comment made by unconsciously hardened against any Rev. Father Martin Callaghan, the Vatican paper and observe how one singly, having taken it for grant- St, Patrick's about two months ago, scrupulously it keeps clear of all ed from what he has heard on the side issues and accusations against outside that the whole blame rests Rev. Father Hornsby, S.J., who has here or there on an individual name. the Bishop of Laval. The "Osservatore Romano" publishses this correspondence under the foundation. Its affairs are in the heading, "Documentary statement" «concerning the rupture of diplomatic relations between the Holy See and member thereof, that is answerable way to the cemetery attracted much France." There are twenty-four do- for any irregularity until the finan- attention. The service was conductcuments, which are preceded by offi- ces have been laid before the proper cial comment. The documents are examining tribunal and the responsi- Church, with none of the rites pecualready known except those of the bility narrowed down to its closest liar to the Chinese. The first clod of secret correspondence between the ining tribunal of the C.M.B.A. is Vatican and the Bishops of Laval and Dijon, commanding and insisting the convention. An audit cannot be earth and was followed by the four that they should come to Rome, accepted as though it were a reli- cousins of the deceased, who did the This was the correspondence which gious revelation. The audit must same. The leading Chinamen of the was communicated by the Bishop to the French Government. The ficial completeness must be apparent. Its minent Irishman, from St. Antoine comment runs as follows: "Several times, especially in the last few months, some members of this is the kernel of the whole matthe present French Cabinet have mamilested their intention of gradually ter. If the Grand Council have been dollars. It is probable that more breaking off relations with the Holy adhering strictly to the letter and will be heard of the matter, as the See. A decisive step in this direcspirit of the constitution, and if nottion was the leave or recall given to M. Nisard, French Ambassador to the Vatican, recently, taking as a have crept into the administration pretext some letters addressed to the Bishops of Laval and Dijon order of the Pope, acting in accordance with the Apostolic mission. The French Government, in spite of the satisfactory explanation and favorable disposition of the Holy See, believed that the moment had arrived to declare diplomatic relations brolken off. The comment further declares that though the Holy See would have preturned. ferred to keep the documents absolutely secret, it had decided upon their publication in order to estab-Tish the truth, and determine the responsibility for the rupture. An of the membership are looking to the historical review of the question based upon guotations from the documents, now follows. The Bishop sponsibility. of Laval communicated secret letters to the French Government. The Ho-By See never violated the Concordat,

question, after having informed the the Colonel, but was taken to task French Government, recalled two next day by its former editor, now Bishops to defend themselves against the editor of The News, who remind-THE CATHOLIC REGISTER PUBLISHING CO the grave accusations which had been ed it that there was no possible reply to Col. Denison's ideas, on made against them."

worth while rubbing it in. The C.M.B.A. CONVENTION. Globe acknowledged the fact among We publish a letter to-day from its "cardinal ethical principles," and Mr. Mungovan, of Orangeville, in there was no more to he said. which that gentleman offers the most

Had we not better suspend our constitutional government at once and approval of our course in regard to get rid of all its expensive machinthe C.M B.A. Whilst we have reerv? Five minutes per diem is all ceived scores of letters and personal the time Col. Denison would need to assurances to the same effect, it is govern Canada. He can run the nodue to Mr. Mungovan to say that lice court on a shorter schedule than one word publicly and fearlessly exany other living man. The newspappressed at this moment is worth a ers that have been undertaking to thousand timid handshakes and conndential assurances of iraternal sym- govern lately are willing to abdicate in favor of the Colonel. Why let the Some years ago when the New York Times startled the insur- trifling incident of representative institutions stand in the way of a ance world by impeaching the management of a great and prosperous good thing?

Knights of St. John

The last regular meeting of St of the policy-holders shown their Leo and Anthony Commandery No good sense by accepting the honest 2, Knights of St. John, was held in intention of the newspaper and cali- St. Vincent's hall Sunday, Aug. 7th. ing upon the management to enter The general transaction of business took place and a large number of members were present, also several ces of the company and a general new ones added to the list, seven becommendation by the policy-holders ing initiated. This is an indication of the enthusiasm that prevails among the members of Leo Commanderv, and it is the general feeling that Mr. Mungovan sees the mischievous at the termination of the year the probable results will be a large increase in this commandery, which success maintains that Leo is propro-

> gressive. The prospects are 2000 for both a pleasant and profitable year socially and financially The members of Leo and Anthony Commandery are making a special effort to secure the prize offered by the Grand Commandery to the member securing the largest number of members during the year.

We are pleased to say that Captain Heffering is in the lead with nine new members. We regret to announce Leo Commandery, Bro. M. Long, has intimated his intention of becoming associated with a firm in Berlin, as he is appointed manager of the Berlin Shoe Co.

Brother Long's many friends, are pleased to hear of his new appointment, but very much regret that he will not be present as an official at the meetings of Leo No. 2, as he has the C.M.B.A. who have been the vic- always been an active member, in consequence of which his absence will be most notable.

Before leaving the city Captain Heffering presented Bro. Long with a gold badge of the order.

First Chinaman in Catholic Cemetery

A remarkably impressive funeral be hidden from the branches. A was held last week from the Hospital

CARDINAL VANNUTELLI let thy heart be open wide IN IRELAND father and our guide. national defence. It was searcely Leading Incidents in the Visit of

dawning of the light;

holy rite and prayer

thy martyr sons of old;

cunning and his might;

we hattle day by day

the ever-lasting peace!

well

that land so fair.

the Papal Legate

In connection with the visit of the Papal Legate Cardinal Vincezo Vannutelli to Ireland, and his attendance at the consecration of the Cathedral of Armagh, His Eminence was the bearer of a letter to Cardinal Logue

LETTER FROM THE POPE TO CARDINAL LOGUE.

The following is a translation of the letter:

To Our Beloved Son, Michael Logue, Cardinal Priest of the Holy Roman hurch of the title of Sta. Maria della Pace, Archbishop of Armagh. PIUS P.P. X.

To Our Beloved Son health and he Apostolic Benediction.

double joy is now at hand the Irish people, and especially for those of the Diocese of Armagh, on count of an event which has a double domestic importance. The one comes as from heaven on account of the new Cathedral church dedicated Irish Christian Brothers. He had to the National Patron of Ireland, St. Patrick, which, on the 24th of this month, will be consecrated with where, though but a short time escolemn rites. The other springs from tablished, they had already acquired happy recurrence of the 25th anniver- an extensive popularity (applause). sary of the date on which you re- Of course their house in Rome was ceived your Episcopal Consecration. "Both the one and the other fill

us with rejoicing, because of that affection which we cherish for you and or your countrymen. And, in fact, the opening of this new metropolitan Cathedral, seat of the ancient faith of the Irish nation, is an event worthy of your faith and your zeal. The anniversary which we joyfully commemorate recalls to us your conspicuous achievements for the advantage of the Church confided to your charge, by which you have not only done honor to yourself, but to the character and of the entire Catholic priesthood as well (applause).

to demonstrate the more "And clearly our regard, we have been pleased to add to these presents our gift, a golden pen, which may be all the more precious to you, and may better serve to remind you of our affection and of your Episcopal Jubilee their great Apostle, Saint Patricksince it is with this same that we 'As you are children of Christ, be have written this letter. you also children of Rome"

"As an augury of Divine favors, we impart to you, from the fulness of our heart, and to all the inhabitants of your diocese, the Apostolic Penediction.

"Given from St. Peter's, at Rome on the fifth day of July, in the year of our Lord the 1904th, and our Pontificate the first. "PIUS P.P. X."

EXPRESSIONS OF LOVE FOR IRELAND.

Rome, his heart would remain in Ire-All the cardinals' speeches were in land (enthusiastic cheering). the Italian tongue. The first, delivered at Kingstown, was translated

SPEECH AT MAYNOOTH. The following is a report of Cardin-

Holy Father an account of those

strong testimonies of the attachment

and love of which he had been the

(applause). His Eminence concluded

had entertained the greatest admira-

tion, had said, "I bequeath my body

though his body would probably lie in

would say, for himself, that

to Ireland, and my heart to Rome,



to a Commission of Cardinals, composed of Cardinals Agliardi, Ferrata, Rampolla, Satolli, and Tripepi, the erection of the monument to Leo XIII., of holy memory, in the Basiliplause.) He would bear back to the ca of the Lateran. The Commission of which Cardinals Agliardi, Ferrata and Tripepi are members, and this body in a special meeting has esrecipient within the past few days tablished that the work shall be entrusted to the sculptor Tadolini. by saying, as O'Connell, for whom he

The opinion of an old Italian Parliamentary hand on the contest of France against the Vatican has a peculiar interest of its own considering its source. A writer in the "Difesa," of Venice, relates that a few mornings ago he asked the "Parliamentary hand" what was his opinion on the trouble between France and the Vatican? His reply was.

of Combes

See should give way in that which

"The attitude of Pius X. is admir-

It is only a man who for-

institution, the New York Life Insurance Company, the officials of the company would and could have pulverized the journal had not a few

its defence. What was the result ? A complete overturn in the head offiof the service rendered them by The

direction in which the past management of the C.M.B.A. has tended. And he, doubtless, is aware of some of the disgraceful results that must be confessed to the delegates when the convention assembles next week. He realizes, probably, that open and determined opposition to the Grand Council is the best service that can be rendered the C.M.B.A. in this

The only question which it is necessary to put before the delegates the fact that the vice-president on the eve of the convention is: how are different results to be expected in the future without a complete overthrow of the old administration? But this is the whole business of the convention, of course. Yes; and it is primarily, and will be in the end. the business of the policy-holders of tims of so many machine-managed

conventions in the past. The very fact that the grand officers intend to secure re-election, if possible, is the best evidence that they will be found disclaiming to the convention their responsibility for the financial mess that can no longer

and has acted within its rights. It tory spirit.

of Notre Dame to the Catholic ceme-

His remains were followed to the grave by sixty other Chinamen, relatives and friends. What made it the

buried in a Roman Catholic cemeterv in Canada. The young fellow was baptized by Der Father Martin Callaghan, of

and the funeral sevice was conducted by Rev. Father Martin Callaghan and lately arrived from China to take The C.M.B.A. stands on a husiness charge of the Catholic Chinamen in the city. A mass will be held for them every Sunday morning, in the hands of a Board of Trustees. It Christian Brothers' chapel.

is the Board, not any particular The procession of Chinamen on their ed entirely in accordance with the customs of the Roman Catholic limits. The proper and only exam- earth was thrown upon the coffin by Rev. Father Callaghan. Father Hornsby then threw in a handful of be examined and discussed. Its city were present.

As the grave was being filled a proindependence and conformity with street, who stood near, said that the the constitution of the association parish of St. Patrick's should build must be shown upon its face, for a chapel for these new converts, and this is the kernel of the whole met. If this were agreed to be would give a subscription himself of one hundred Catholic Chinese are peculiarly under

From Baltimore to Tiensin, China.

the protection of St. Patrick's.

The McShane Bell Foundry Co., of Tientsin, China, a large bell weigh- observed of the faithfulness and devoing, with mountings, about one ton. be amended. If the constitution is With this bell were shipped the nea safe vehicle and if it has not been cessary mountings to complete anothoperated with the proper degree of care and intelligence, the trustees are years ago to the Rev. E. G. Tewksunfit for office and should not be re- bury.

Mr. Tewksbury he states that at the Boxer outbreak the bell was stolen and buried, but was restored later. branches. As Mr. Mungovan says lacking the attachments, which were in his letter to-day, the rank and file recently shipped to complete it.

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this

Consider from time to time what are most predominant in and having discovere your soul, and having discovered them, adopt such a method of think-

in part as follows: Cardinal Vanutelli, on coming forward to reply, received a tremendously enthusiastic ovation, the cheering and hat-waving lasting for sevof his reply drew at intervals from those who understood the language. was the signal for several displays of demonstrative enthusiasm on the part of the crowd. The translation of his reply is as follows: In landing on the sacred soil of Ireland my heart is penetrated by sentiments the liveliest satisfaction, since of thereby is realized one of the most ardent wishes of my life-the wish which I have always cherished to know more nearly a people for whom I have ever had the greatest sympathy, and in whose glorious history I in my quality as a Cardinal of the Holy Roman Church have been called upon to interest myself (cheers). The devotion of the Irish nation to the Catholic Faith, and its attachment to the Holy See, on which you have so eloquently touched, and which have from times immemorial entitled Ireland to be called the Island of Saints, constitute a bond with Rome which is to-day as close as it has been in the past. Of this my presence amongst you is a new proof.

coming as I do as the representative ty could not fail to have a satisface. of the Supreme Pontin, who has sent me to bring to you and to you only, the expression of his paternal affecty might feel themselves warranted in tion on the inauguration of the new looking forward to the existence of an Cathedral of the Primatial See of all

Ireland (cheers). Ireland's Mission in past centuries, from the day your noble country received the Faith from St. Patrick, your immortal Apostle, has been great, and I would add that the Miswhich Ireland receives from Dision vine Providence, and is continually days (laughter and applause). accomplishing in our own days by the propagation of that Faith is equally glorious (cheers). The Holy Father's heart overflows with love for this nation which has so well deserved of the Church of Our Lord.

be my grateful task to report to the Baltimore, Md., recently shipped to Sovereign Pontifi all that I shall have longed applause). tion of the Irish people, of the simplicity and purity of their customs, mon and well-merited fame (cheers). er bell sent by the McShane Co. some Meanwhile, I need not wait till then that there was no spot in the world to ask the Holy Father to grant the habitants of these townships, since day; they had come to testify by his kinsman, Father Faber, in sending me hither the Holy Father their presence their respect and loyespecially empowered me to bestow alty to the Holy Father; and, as he the most ample blessing on all his be- hah said, if they had their young men to the large concourse of visitors loved children.

the reception which you have given itself (loud applause). shipped bells to all parts of the me, and I pray that the Papal blessthe Refectory a number of ing may be a source of future prosperity for the people.

> AN IRISH HYMN TO ST. PAT-RICK

ceremony was the closing musical library, where he signed his name

al Vannutelli's speech at Maynooth, absurd. the reference to the King in which gets the real qualities of a stateshas since been said to have been a man who could pretend that the Holy misapprehension: His Eminence, replying to the toast constitutes, in the most elevated

in Italian, thanked the President for form, its jurisdiction. Combes furnhis kind expressions in reference to ishes a strange confusion of the him, and also for the expression of two powers; be arrogates to himself devotion to the Holy Father-a de- the prerogatives of the Pope, and votion of which he had witnessed so there cannot be any law or Concorvery much during his visits to Ire- dat which authorizes him to do that. He congratulated them upon He has besides undertaken to defend land. that magnificent institution. May- a disgusting cause, that of the Bishnooth College, where the priests of op of Laval, who has failed in his Ireland were educated. At the same sacred duties. time he understood that that institution did not satisfy the desires of able. His struggle to defend the the Catholics of Ireland, and there sanctity of the Episcopal Ministry was further necessary, in order to and the jurisdictional rights of the satisfy them, a larger and a wider Holy See resembles that of Gregory institution for higher education in VII. The effects of it will be which the Catholics of the whole mense!' country could share (applause). His These words, coming from such a Eminence believed that there was in man, are notable. During the fetes the conditions under which they held in Rome on the 13th centenary

now found themselves much to give of the death of Pope Gregory I., Pius hope of a satisfactory solution of X. in one of his speeches expressed that question. The principal reason how he admired that saintly Pontiff. was that King Edward VII. during Now an Italian Deputy compares him

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his recent visit to Maynooth had ex- to another Saint Gregory, VII. of pressed his marked sympathy with that name, whose defence of the the aspirations of the Catholics of rights of the Church was conspicuous Ireland in that direction. Such an in his own day, and is admired ever expression on the part of his Majes- since. tory effect, and they, therefore, in the A Cousin of Father Faber Becomes a

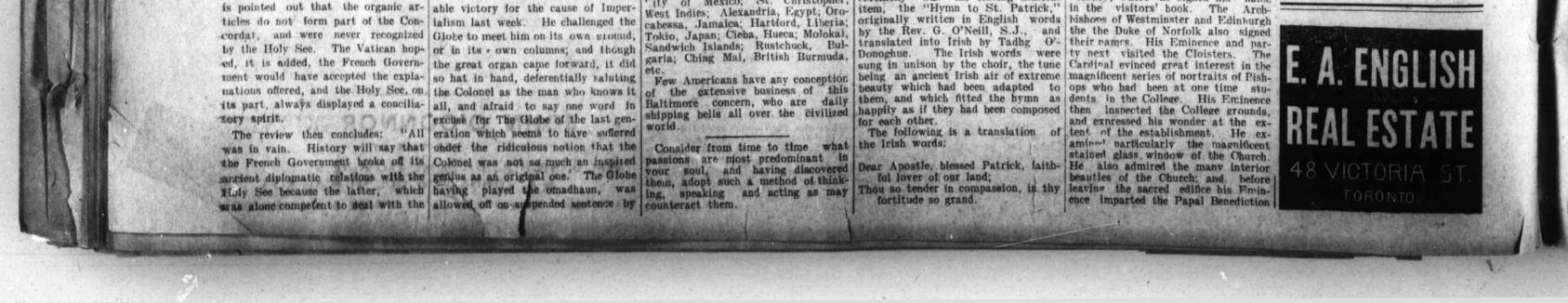
Catholic

The Rev. John Faber Scholfield, institution which would satisfy the whose resignation of St. Michael's requirements of the Catholics of Ire- Episcopal Church, Hill Square, Edinland as a whole in the matter of burgh, Scotland, and forth-coming rehigher education (cheers). He thank- ception into the Church were aned them for the reception they had nounced in The London Times, on given him. It was to a certain July 19, is a cousin of the late Faextent a compensation for the fatigues ther Faber. During the twelve he had undergone during the past few years that he has ministered at St. He Michael's he has, in the teeth of much expressed his desire and hope that opposition, consistently held such soon they would have not merely "High" doctrine and practiced such that magnificent College of May- "High" ritual that the church had nooth, but a larger and still more become, according to the complaint interesting institution which would of the English Churchman, "a very When I go back to Rome it shall provide for the higher education of hot-bed of the most extravagant riall the Catholics of the land (pro- tualism." In consequence of this he was refused an assistant and

Cannon Mannix thanked his Eminplaced under episcopal ban. So sucence from the bottom of his heart cessfully, however, did he work sinfor the kind words he had spoken of gle-handed that he gathered and kept which are already matters of com- the College. His Eminence might together a big and enthusiactic contake to the Holy Father the meseage gregationf Mr. Scholfield is a member of the old Yorkshire family and more devoted to the Holy See than was educated at Trinity College, Cam-Papal Benediction to the members of that College (applause). The friends bridge. For years past he has been your honorable Councils and the in- and students of Maynooth were there a devoted, admirer of the works of

there the volume of their welcome who were then present. The Cardin-I thank you again most heartily for would almost reach the Eternal City al afterwards visited the McMahon Hall, the electrical works from which As the Papal Legate was leaving the College buildings are lighted, and the commodious swimming baths. the

Children of Mary and some of the Shortly afterwards the Papal Legate, children of the Presentation Convent having bade farewell to the College Schools, who were assembled near authoriti's, drove off amidst a scene the door, sang "God Bless Our Pope." of intense enthusiasm, followed by A notable feature at the Cathedral His Eminence was conducted to the the cheers of the large assemblage.



convention to see that the delegates are alive to their whole duty and re- world. Its bells are to be found perico. HOW TO GOVERN CANADA. India: Col. G. T. Denison scored a notity

This is the work of the convention

-the duty of the delegates to their

withstanding this fact irregularities , and have gone undetected by the majority, or any of the trustees, there is clearly need for amendment somewhere. If the trustees are not at fault the constitution is, and it must

In a recent letter from the Rev.