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MELBOURNE.

Melbourne, May 6 .- A large number of the farmers in this vicinity attended the annual Melbourne Horse Show A farewell party was given Mr. Alex. McNeil and family in their home re-

Mr. A. P. McDougall read the address and Mr. J. Drinkwater presented them with a set of silver knives and forks, and an amber pipe to Mr. Mc-

Mr. Joseph Wellman is conducting temperance house in the building of the old hotel

Mrs. J. Campbell is seriously ill with erysipelas. Mr. A. McNeil and family intend moving to Thamesville shortly, Mr. McNell will be greatly missed, as he

was an active worker in public mat-A large number of local people intend taking in the anniversary concert

Mr. A. D. Brown had a sale here Roland D. Jarvis

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DRIFTING ON RAFTS

Thousands in Need of Rescue in the Inundated Sections of Louisiana.

[Canadian Press.] New Roads, La., May 6 .- Flood reugees, reaching here early today, declare there has been loss of life in that part of Louisiana inundated by the vellow waters of the Mississippi pouring through the breach in the levee at Torras. It is known that motor-boats ent to take numerous persons from floating housetops arrived too late. How many persons perished as they were over ken by the flood cannot be determined. Refugees brought to the concentration camps are hurried hither and thither, sometimes families are seprated in the confusion, and persons have been reported "missing" who simply have been sent from one camp to another.

Swept from Housetops. Nevertheless, large numbers of the efugees claim they have seen entire oilies swent from housetons into the lood waters. Leaders of the rescue corps dmit that several times they have sent otor boats to points where families aken refuge on the roofs, and that when he boat arrived its crew found only the ilding, buffeted about by currents, and roof surface submerged

The flood had exacted its toll.

Appeals for help reached here last night from Lettsworth, directly in the path of he Torras torrent. Half a hundred people were reported to be in imminent danger of drowning. The house in which they had taken shelter had been dislodged from its foundation, and was being tossed about in the current.

Drifting on Rafts. There are at least one thousand people the remain to be rescued from the inndated country west of Lettsworth and echelor. Some of them are drifting about on hastily-constructed rafts. The crevasse water is spreading rapidly, inundating sections of Pointe Coupee parish which have never before been reached by overflows. Town after town being buried beneath the muddy waters.

The last of the special trains which glary, there is none. The receipt send you insures you against loss, country around Bachelor arrived here last When the two relief trains were about

eady to leave Bachelor, word was re-eived that there was grave danger of eing cut off by a threatened washout in he tracks several miles east of that place. When the first train arrived at the point of trouble, water was flowing over tracks for a distance of five miles, the train passed over in safety.

BICYCLES SHOULD CARRY LIGHTS

Rider Crashed Into a Wagon on Dundas Street

While riding a bicycle along Dundas street near the corner of Waterloo street, on Saturday night, Mr. Joseph Fletcher, of South London, collided in the darkness with a delivery wagon from Diprose's grocery. Mr. Fletcher was rendered unconscious, and was attended by Dr. Becher. The wheel was badly smashed. The accident served to illustrate the fact that all micycles should earry lights at night as well as

CARPET BALL LEAGUE CLOSES WITH BANQUET

McClary Players Hold an Enjoyable

Evening. The. McClary Welfare Carpetball eague wound up on Friday evening, when a social evening was held in the dining-hall ,and the Famous team was presented with the Cairneross-Lawrence medals, and the Dr. Black trophy. The evening was a most enlovable one, and speeches were given by the captains of the different teams.

THE COAL SITUATION

Issued For Convention to Consider Tentative Agreement.

[Canadian Press.] Philadelphia, May 6 .- The call having been issued for a tri-district convention at Wilkesbarre on May 14 to consider the age arrangement agreed upon by the sub-committee of miners and operators, the anthracite mine workers will this week occupy their time by electing delegates to the meeting. Every local union of the miners' organization in the region of the miners' organization in the region will elect delegates in proportion to mem-

on hand, and have had every one thor-Sentiment on the question of ratifica oughly overhauled and put in the very on of the agreement in the face of the ction of the executive boards of the best of order, and we can guarantee here districts in voting it down, appears be divided. Some of the local unions \$15.00 to \$25.00, on terms of \$2.00 cash to be divided. Some of the local unions have indured the action of the executive boards, while others have appeared satisfied with the tentative agreement. It is expected that some of the local unions will not instruct their delegates, but will leave them free to act as they deem best. The executive boards will hold a meeting occasion. Hueston Liveries.

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is probable two more weeks will elapse fore the men return to work, providing

ratify the 'entative agreement

KENTISH COAL FIELD

Coal For Commercial Uses Has

Last Been Mined in English Shire.

London, May 6 .- Coal for commer-

ial uses has at last been mined in

Kent. The first shipment of ten tons

was sent from the Shakespeare Mine

of 1,275 feet in the pioneer Kentish

field, where experiments have been go-

ing on for over twelve years. Many

troubles have been overcome, and

there are great hopes now of reinforcing the waning British supply.

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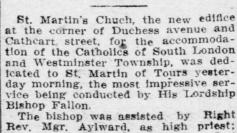
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Rev. Father Tobin Preached the Sermon of the Day-Choir Proved a Treat.



The bishop was assisted by Right Rev. Mgr. Aylward, as high priest; Rev. Father West, of St. Thomas, first assistant deason; Rev. Father Valentine, asistant deacon; Rev. Hanlon, of the new St. Michael's parish in the north end, as deacon of the mass; Rev. Father Tobin, as sub-deacon, and Rev. Father Tierney, as the master of ceremonies.

While Rev. Father Tobin, of St. Mary's Church, East London, preached the sermon, the bishop, at the con-clusion of the ceremony, spoke briefly, congratulating the South London congregation on the erection of such a splendid edifice, which has cost in the neighborhod of \$35,000. He also stated that there are many Catholic communities in the Diocese of London. at present without church or priest, and expressed the hope that before long such a condition will cease to exist.

The choir for the opening services was one of exceptional quality, a large number of very capable soloists assisting, including Mrs. Lawrence L. Moore, Mrs. Moralee, Miss Katle Mc-Laughlin, Miss Blanche Moore, Mr. Tom Ranahan, Mr. Frank Forristal, Miss Kaiser, Mr. Mullins and Reynolds. Miss Alice Moore pro ed at the organ, while Mrs. Boyer officiated as choir leader. In the evening Mr. Joseph Leach, of St. Mary's Church, and Mr. Frank Coles, also contributed to the musical programme.

The collection taken up amounted to considerably better than a thousand dollars, and will be applied to the church debt. Father Tobin's Sermon.

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Father Tobin took as his text the words: "And the Gentiles shall walk in thy light and kings in the brightness of thy rising.—Isalas 50: 3."
"The dedication to the service of God of this substantial and beautiful church at which we are assisting this morning," he said, "sets up another milestone marking the onward march of the Catholic Church in this fair city and in the dicese of London. It is not so very long ago that some of you do not recollect the time, when the whole city and the contiguous when the whole city and the contiguous townships formed but a single parish. But we are opening today the third par-ish church erected in the Forest City, and, please God, before the May flowers have come again, a fourth, St. Mich-ael's, shall have been reared to the

led in letters of gold on history's page a tar cry from Paris in France, in ourteenth century, to London, Canin the twentieth, but the associaof the name of St. Martin with this h points to the fact that the Cath-Caurch is the church of all th uries—one and identical with that the direct ages of the Christian era. Inst ages of the Christian era. Inst, my brethren, should be a day this, my brethren, should be a day of the christian era. This, my brethren, should be a day of joy and gladness, not only for St. Martin's congregation, not only for the Catholic population of this city, but for its non-Catholic citizens as well. I am

well aware that the latter may not be able to see why they should rejoice because a new Catholic church has been reared in their didst. They may even think that the day bodes ill for them and for the country at large, since our hely church, in the minds of not a few, are considered. is an enemy of many thirgs dear to the people of this prosperors and happy country—an enemy of education and of country—an enemy of education and of science; and an enemy of civil and religious liberty, an enemy of progress and advancement. And so it shall be my aim this morning to indicate to you briefly some of the reasons why the establishment of this new centre of Catholic activity is big with blessings, both heavenly and temporal, for the people of this western peninsula.

of this western peninsula. "I begin with the broad statement hat if time be anything good, anything ennobling, anything conducive to happi-ness, celestial or terrestrial, in the civiliresidence the terrestrat, in the civilization of today, it can be traced to the teaching, the influence and action of the Catholic religion on human society. This is a fact admitted not only by the children of the church, but by many of the profoundest minds outside our pale, for it is only bell-adjusted, and prefuor it is only half-educated and preju-liced persons who deny it. Listen to the testimony of a celebrated non-Cathle British statesman, not long since ead, one whose labors for the redress I Ireland's wrongs are now bearing uit: 'Since the first 300 years of perse-

cution, he says, 'the Roman Catholic Church has marched for 1,500 years at the head of human civilization, and has driven, harnessed to her chariot, as the horses of a triumphal car, the chief intellectual forces of the world, its greatness and glory and grandeur and jesty, have been almost, though not absolutely all, that in these respects the world has had to boast of.' Gladstone's Words.

"But only a few, and these not the most important of the benefactions of the Catholic Church, are noted in their views of the grand old man of England, in the nineteenth century. The church has not only marched at the head of civilization, but has created that civilization. The civilization and culture of was sent from the Shakespeare Mine in Dover to London on Thursday. There are three headings at a depth religion. To the Catholic Church is the religion. To the Catholic Church alone was given the commission to teach the religion of Christ to the nations sitting in darkness and in the shadow of death. "Go, teach all nations," said the Divine Founder of Christianity to the apostles who were the first bishops of the Catholic Church. Hence the true church of Christ. We often hear it said in our time that the day of dogmas and of plot of 5,120 acres of workable land. It is known that 83,000,000 tons can the below of the belo the reason for her existence, is to teach.
"She stands like an impregnable rock
of Gibraltar amid the waves of doubt, agnosticism and unbelief that surge around her. She stands unmoved and unmovable against the rising tide of materialism, socialism and neo-paganism which are the natural offspring of an undogmatic Christianity. Nor have the ene-mies of God and his Christ, whose avow-ed aim it is to extinguish the lights of heaven been slow to recognize that the Catholic Church is the only formidable obstacle to the realization of their dream of a world from which the Creator has been evicted by his creatures. The struggle of the not distant future will be between Catholicism Catholicism Catholicism. tween Catholicism—Catholicism that both Roman and Papal—on the one side, and nothing more. She found her and on the other, not emasculated forces of Christianity, but that other world power of today, atheistic socialism, which the Creator had enthroned her on the morning of creation. She found her the morning of creation. She found her the morning of creation is the deepest depths of degradais the most perfectly organized movement

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tion will be effected by the influence and

of toleration was published at Milan by Constantine in May of the year 312—an event the sixteenth anniversary of which the Holy See is now preparing to commemorate with great splendor—as soon, I say, as the church emerged from the catacombs, she began at once her mission of providing a Christian education for her children. Hard by every episcopal residence sprang up a school for the education of youth. Then came the great monastic schools of the fourth and fifth centuries. Next came a serious setback, the incursion of the barbarians from the north. The Goths and Visigoths, the Vandals and Huns and other warilke tribes moved down like a mighty avaltribes moved down like a mighty avalanche over the central plains of Europe, destroying in their de stating march

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The Sixth Century.

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The sixth century there appeared on the stage of the world, a man, a Catholic monk, who is justly considered as the father of popular education and the founder of modern civilization—the great St. Benedict. He established his wonderful teaching order on Monte Casino, in Italy, from whence it rapidly spread over the greater part of Europe. From the sixth to the eighth centuries the lamp of learning shone brightest in the midst of his the lamp of learning shone brightest in God. These with the four convent chapels, will give to our Eucharistic Lord
eight tabernacles in the midst of his
children who dwell within the gates of
this city.

"This splendid temple of the Most High
has this day been dedicated to God by
His Lordship the Bishop, under the
patrol age of St. Martin—a name emblazoned in letters of gold on history's respectations.

Wonderful teaching order on Monte
Casino, in Italy, from whence it rapidly
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Efrom the sixth to the eighth centuries
the lamp of learning shone brightest in
the British Isles, and especially in the
Isle of Erin. The school of Armagh in
those distant days had 7,000 students,
double the number of those in attendance
at the University of Toronto today. A

sities were founded in Europe, among others those of Oxford and Cambridge, Edinburgh, Glasgow and Aberdeen, some of them with as many as 50,000 students. And do not forget that the original charters of all those famous seats of learnters of all those famous seats of learning were granted by Roman pontiffs, Innocent IV., Alexander IV. and others, Do not forget that they were founded in the very middle of the Middle Ages, which ignorant people are fond of calling the Dark Ages. Do not forget that they had founded in the Dark Ages. Do not forget that they had founded in the Dark Ages. Do not forget that they had founded in the control of the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the control of the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the control of the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the control of the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the control of the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the control of the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the control of the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend, the promoter the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend in the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend in the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend in the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend in the catholic Church is, and always has been, the friend in the catholic Church is, and always has been, t Dark Ages. Do not forget that they had flourished for five centuries before the great religious revolt of the sixteenth century, erroneously called the Reformation, from which all reinement and intellectual culture dates, according to the traducers of the grand old Mother Church. And since that day, 46 new universities have been set up in Europe and America under the ausnices of the and America under the auspices of the Roman portiffs making a grand total of 118. What a glorious record this is, and what a crushing refutation of the charge so frequently made against the church that she loves darkness and fears the light! Normal Schools

"At this very moment I am standing almost under the shadow or a great seat of secular learning, one of which we are all proud, the London Normal School, But how many of you know, how many of the students who daily throng its halls know, how many of your fellow-citizens know, that normal schools are the invention, if that normal schools are the invention, if I may use that expression, of a Catholic priest? The first normal school for the training of lay teachers was opened in France in the year 1688, by John Baptist de la Saile, a canon of the Cathedral of Rhelms and founder of the great teaching order of the Brothers of the Christian Schools, and originator, too, I may add, of the idea of free circulating libraries.

"And so we see, my brethren, that the Catholic Church has always been the friend, the promoter and the patron of friend, the promoter and the patron of education in all its branches—of primary and higher education, of philosophy, of historical and scientific research. theology, the queen of all the sciences— in a word, of all and of more than all in a word, of all and of more than all that is now signified by that term so much misunderstood in our day, the blessed word education. And what she has done in the past she is doing in our day. We have only to open our eyes to see the vast educational work which is being carried on by her in every part of the world. By her system of parochial schools, by her colleges and convents, her seminaries and universities, she is her seminaries and universities, she is doing, unaided, for the enlightenment and uplift of humanity, a work that is unsurpassed, if it is even equalied, by the secular institutions which have unlimited resources at their command. And yet, forsooth, this is the church which is often caricatured as the enemy of enlighten-ment and progress, the foe of scientific research, the abettor of ignorance and

"Another great work of the Catholic Church, my brethren, for the betterment of human society, is what she has done for the elevation and protection of woman. She found woman the slave of man, the toy of his fancy, and the object of his lust, and nothing more. She found her sunk to the deepest depths of degrada-tion. And she elevated her once more to her rightful place in the world. She ever inaugurated among men for the annihilation of the Christian religion.

Influence of the Church.

"Yes, my brethren, if human society is it with man in origin and in destiny.

to continue to be Christian its preserva- i She has placed her in an enchanted slavery to serfdom, and in the transition action of the Catholic Church, the only as a queen-and she bids men bow down zealous, the most unwearied, and the most action of the Catholic Church, the only conservative and constructive religious force in the world today, as in the ages which have passed, the only defender of divine revelation against the insidious attacks of modernism, condemned by Pius X. as the synthesis of all errors.

Mission to Teach

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and deemer and she both meet bow down to the most inwearied, and the most investigation of the most inwearied, and the most investigation of the most investigation of the most investigation of catholic historian testifies. And it is the same today. Any honest observer of our time must admit that the truest friend and staunchest defender of the rights and the most investigation. X. as the synthesis of all errors.

Mission to Teach.

"The mission to teach which Christ gave to his church was understood by her to embrace not only the teaching of religious truth, but all forms of useful knowledge as well. During the ages of knowledge as well. During the ages of alloy of sught that is carnal or seductive the convergence of the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no showledge the combination of the convergence of the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloy of sught that is carnal or seductive the convergence of the perfect of our Biessed Reference of the property of the perfect of the property of the perfect of the property of the perfect of the influence of Mary Immaculate in the moral regeneration of woman can hardly be exaggerated, for the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no alloyed the perfect combination of the perfect combination of all the perfect combination of all that is good and noble in womanhood, with no all the perfect combination of all the perfect combination persecution, the education which she imparted was necessarily chiefly domestic—that is, given in the homes of the people. In those early days every Christian home was a school. But as soon as the edict of toleration was published at Milan by Constantine in May of the year 312—an

Christianity, the Catholic Church has taught as she teaches today, that matrimony is one of the seven sacraments inalmost every vestige of civilization and culture. And in those dark days the much-maligned monks of the Catholic Church alone held aloft and saved from extinction the torch of learning.

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double the number of those in attendance at the University of Toronto today. A little later came the Palatine schools, devoted to higher studies, and established by Charlemagne the Catholic and Alfred the Catholic, King of England. And bear in mind, my brethren, that in connection with the monastic schools there were industrial schools, technical schools and schools of manual training. The twentieth century, in its pride of intellect, would like to claim all such schools as her own offspring, or at least as that of her immediate predecessor. But history proves that they are of much earlier origin and of Catholic parentage.

"At the end of the eleventh century we come to the beginning of that wonderful period which saw the birth of the great universities of Europe. And the moving spirit in that new development of education was the great Pope Gregory VII., a most munificent patron of all the arts and sciences. During the three centuries that followed, no less than 72 universities were founded in Europe, among others those of Oxford and Cambridge.

The state of the University of Toronto today. A her anathemas against those who would her anathemas against those who would the canthemach in the less has definite and all free anathemas against those who would the set at definance the wise laws of the Surpeme Legislator of the universe. And what she said in the past on this question, so fundamental to the interests of society, that she repeats in the twentleth century. She is the only force in the world today which stands like a wall of brass against the onrush of human passion, and whenever her influence is impaired, there the floodgates of immorality have been opened wide, as impartial statistics prove. She claims today the God-given right to legislate on all questions of the sacrament of marriage. She indeed willingly concedes that the civil rights and obligations of married people may be regulated by the civil power. But all the power of all the parliaments of men can never deprive her of what she said to the inter ment of matrimony. Human law-givers may legislate until their statute books equal in bulk the pyramids of Egypt, but equal in bulk the pyramids of Egypt, but they will never be able to make her admit as valid in the sight of God mar-riages which she declares to be invalid and adulterous, or vice versa,

Defender of Liberty.

Catholic Church. cal of the late Pope Leo XIII. on "The cal of the late Pope Leo XIII. on "The Condition of the Working Classes," has been declared by sociologists of all rewiligions and of none as the soundest and most transparent pronouncement ever made on the questions arising out of the perennial strife between capital and

Again, the Catholic Church has always battled not only for the Hberty of the individual, but also for the defence of civil and political liberty. The whole history of the church and her supreme pontiffs is the history of an incessant Church has ever been raised in the name of Christ against the oppressor and out behalf of the oppressed of all nations and of all times. And if today, my friends, we Canadians are a free people. living in a free country, we owe it, yes, repeat, we owe it entirely to the un-ompromising stand taken by the Cath-lic Church in past ages in the cause of ll and political freedom. All English rities are Catholic. The Magnet arta, the great charter of British freem, was wrung from King John by the tholic barons and bishops of the king-m. It was written and sealed by Cath-

olic hands. Representative government is Catholic in its origin; so, too, are trial by jury, fixed courts of justice, the habeas corpus act, taxation only by the consent of the people, and so on to the end of the litany of our liberties as British freemen. And it is a remarkable historical free that of all the European historical fact that of all the European states which came into existence after the fall of the Roman Empire, that state Church exerted the greatest influence was England, and England has always been in her constitution the freest state in Christendom, if we except the three conturies which have followed her violent separation from the Mother Church. So you see that the motto of the Catholic Church has ever been that of one of her illustrious sons: 'Give me liberty or give ne death Religious Freedom,

"Strange and paradoxical as may have seemed to some many of the things which I have already said, the last point which I am about to emphasize will no doubt seem stranger still. It is this, my brethren: The Catholic Church is and always has been the defender of religious freedom of freedom of conscience. How preposterous the statement!'
man whose knowledge of the been obtained from a perusal of the pub lic press, and the accusations a thousand times refuted, of anti-Catholic lecturers. But it is true, nevertheless. Before seeing the truth of it, however, we understand what is meant by fi of conscience, properly so-called. The non-Catholic world today would define it to mean the freedom to think as a man pleases, to speak and write as he pleases, pleases, to speak and write as he pleases, to do as he pleases—the right of self—will. But, my brethren, that is not freedom, that is not liberty; that is license, and as such is condemned, and rightly so, by the Catholic Church. True freedom, true liberty, is something very different. It is the right of a man to serve God according to the dictates of his consistence. True liberty is based on law, on the law of God and means nothing more the law of God, and means nothing more and nothing less than the right of the (Continued on Page Eleven)

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When something holds one back, the cause is often found to be an unsuspected habit-such as tea or coffee drinking.

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