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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1896.

Calendar for the Week.

- Nov. 19—St. Pontianus, P. 20—St. Felix of Valois. 21—Presentation of B.V.M. 22—St. Cecilia, P. 23—St. Clement, P. and M. 24—St. John of the Cross. 25—St. Catharine.

Hon. Clifford Sifton.

The Manitoba question is settled—to the satisfaction of the fanatics.

\$25,000,000 is the Sultan's price for a promise not to kill any more Christians at present. And the Christian powers have guaranteed to pay it. Abdul is a financier.

The Globe's Ottawa correspondence. "Hon Clifford Sifton, the new Minister of Interior, arrived here this afternoon."

We publish to-day an interesting chapter in the history of Parnell's retirement and of the split in the Irish Parliamentary Party.

Rev. Dr. Langtry, a Protestant minister of this city, has made the infamous charge against his Catholic fellow citizens that they are idolaters.

The Archbishop of Kingston had set an example of personal generosity before making an appeal to his clergy and laity for funds in aid of "Hopis College."

There is no doubt that the Manitoba School question is settled as far as Mr. Laurier ever intended to settle it.

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harmless have here there and everywhere become possessed of in precisely the same way. But the father of the Rice family, the type of semi-bred-minded religionist that is developed in people of morbid tendency by a life of spiritual and social loneliness, was quite as firmly convinced that his son's mission was an infernal one.

Rev. J. C. Madill Arrives. Pres. J. C. Madill, who used to be President of the defunct P.P.A., was recently expelled the Western Congregational Association on the charge of telling falsehoods, the formal articles of expulsion describing him as "one unworthy of his position as a minister and public confidence."

The Toronto audience (amid applause and laughter) took the faithfulness of the Sarnia congregation so much to heart that they put on record a resolution condemning "the malicious and merciless persecution" of the western brethren.

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I estimate that for '97, under present conditions, over 1,000,000 may be reasonably required, while over 7,000 is essential.

The earnest hope that, realizing our heavy responsibility, we may choose not to despair but to save, I beg to enclose my cheque for 1,100 towards the first thousand of the new fund.

The rapidity with which the money is flowing in is a sure sign that the self-reliant spirit encouraged by Mr. Blake is answered in the country.

Our contemporary, The Presbyterian Witness, of Halifax, has a long article based on a paper in The Contemporary Review on devil-worship and Freemasonry.

John Morley on Home Rule. Mr. John Morley, ex-Chief Secretary for Ireland, declared on behalf of the Liberal Party at Glasgow on the 6th that Home Rule for Ireland has only been adjourned till the next election.

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Both these men have made the mistake of assuming that the temporary heat of religious fanaticism is unlimited and may be utilized all the time. Under that delusion they became professional Protestants.

Extraordinary Language of a Judge.

It has never been satisfactorily settled how far contempt of court may be stretched, but it is highly improbable that any judge will ever go into the dock himself for an offence of this kind committed in his own court.

A case was heard on the 9th and 10th at the assizes in the city of Guelph the history of which from start to finish furnishes a startling novelty in legal procedure.

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one who occupies a seat on the bench. It is not devoid of people of a particular race and religion. This man who makes public exhibition of race or religious prejudice is a public nuisance; and the nuisance is intensified the more prominent it is.

Holiday Preparations. THE CHRISTMAS SALE. Gift gives the world over a realizing that but a few short weeks made up of the shortest days of the year, intervene between this and Christmas.

A welcome piece of good fortune at this critical period will be the Christmas Sale to be held at the wise system of selling elaborate hand-made articles suitable for young and old, for the stern despatch of feminine vanity and the gentle admirer of still the same adornment would otherwise be simply unobtainable.

An artistic display of decorated China in Doulton, Dresden, Sevres, Royal Berlin and original designs as a special feature of the sale, and will be in charge of Mrs. Knit and Miss E. Lemaire.

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ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY

Entertainment in Honor of the Archbishop.

Production of an Original Drama Before a Brilliant Audience—Excellent Accolades—Compliments of the Archbishop.

On Thursday afternoon, the 12th, the pupils of St. Joseph's Academy, St. Albans street, gave an entertainment in honor of the 20th anniversary of the consecration of His Grace, Most Rev. John Walsh D. D. Archbishop of Toronto.

The stage was beautifully illuminated and decorated. One floral festoon wished the distinguished Archbishop many happy returns. Admittance was free.

The Human Will. Miss CASPER. Virtue. Miss DUNN. Charity. Miss BARRIS. Carity. Miss RATTIE. Virtue. Miss WALSH. Pleasure. Miss JOHNSON. Beauty. Miss CONWAY. Wealth. Miss WILSON. Power. Miss WARDE. Science. Miss DAVISON. Grace. Miss HARRIS. Justice. Miss DOWNEY. Innocence. Miss THOMPSON.

The acting throughout was excellent. The enunciation of all the girls was distinct and leading performers surpassed most pleasing.

At the conclusion of the programme His Grace addressed the pupils. He said that back of this beautiful entertainment there was hard study.

The music, like the elocution was much admired and all the young ladies won rounds of applause.

It is not gold that glitters, said His Grace, and this talk about gold in Canada would make it a very rich country. (laughter). You at all events have shown us the refined gold of your studies. You have presented to us a beautiful drama in which Virtue fails to allure and Virtue is triumphant.