C. M. B. A.

Promoted.

The St. Catharine's *Journal* says: "We are informed that an order from Ottawa was received by the Canal Superintendent on Thursday appointing, or rather promoting, Mr. J. E. Lawrence to the office of paymaster on the Welland canals. The advance is a deserved one, as during the many years Mr. Lawrence has performed the duties of paymaster's accountant his conduct and bearing has been without reproach. It is a pleasure to see a faithful, fair dealing servant of the Government appreciated, and we congratulate Mr. Lawrence on his advance."

Mr. Lawrence is one of the pioneers of the C. M. B. A. in Canada, and has done much on all occasions to advance its interests. Our brothers will be pleased to know that his services as an employee of the Government are properly appreciated.

At a regular meeting of Branch 154, Eganville, held June 15, the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to call unto Himself Mr. Daniel Bulger, the father of our esteemed Brothers, Patrick and Michael Bulger, be it therefore

Resolved that while submitting to the divine will of God, we tender to Brothers Patrick and Michael Bulger and the other members of their family our sincere sympathy in their loss.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Brothers P. and M. Bulger, recorded in the minutes of this meeting and published in the CATHOLIC RECORD.

JOHN A. KITTS, Rec. Sec.

Resolutions of Condolence.

At the last regular meeting of Branch 188, Carleton Place, June 27, 1894, the following resolution of condolence was passed:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite mercy and wisdom to call from his earthly home to mansions of eternal rest and happiness our esteemed and beloved brother, John Trainor;

Our departed brother and charter member of this branch has by his devout and Christian-like manner commanded the respect of the community in which he lived, and died sanctified by the rites and consolations of our holy Church.

We, the fellow-members of Brother Trainor, fully realize the loss of our departed Brother and while we join in prayer for his eternal rest and in consonance with the spirit of our association record the heartfelt sympathy of Branch 188, to the grief-stricken wife and children, at the loss of a kind and loving husband and a sincere and affectionate father. Be it

Resolved that this resolution be spread upon the minutes of this meeting and a copy be sent to Mrs. John Trainor and Brother James Trainor and also one to the CATHOLIC RECORD for publication.

J. FITZGERALD, President. D. A. HALLIMAN, Rec. Sec.

Formosa, July 9, 1894.

At the last regular meeting of Branch 71, Formosa, Ont., the following resolutions of condolence were passed:

Moved by Brother Peter Kuntz, seconded by Brother Godfried Arnold, and unanimously adopted:

Whereas it was the will of Almighty God to call from our midst, on the 2nd inst., our worthy and respected Financial Secretary and Brother, Joseph Anstett, be it, therefore,

Resolved that, whilst bowing in humble submission to the will of God who decrees all things for the best, we, the members of Branch 71, deplore the loss of a good and energetic member, an honest and upright neighbor. We therefore condole with his wife in the loss she has sustained, of a loving, kind and watchful husband, and fervently pray the Almighty may console her in this her sad affliction and fortify her with His heavenly graces to bear the crosses and trials of this life with resignation to His holy will. Be it further

Resolved that our charter be draped in mourning for three months, and a copy of these resolutions be sent to his wife and recorded on the minutes of this meeting, also sent to the CATHOLIC RECORD for publication.

JULIUS NOLL, Pres.,
BERNHARD BEINGESSNER, Sec.

C. O. F.

Toronto, July 8, 1894.

Sacred Heart Court No. 201 — Once more upon the records of time does this noble and prosperous society present itself in the eyes of the public. Its name remains no more a silent password wondered at by not a few, but has become the general talk of the day. At the work shops and the desks, on the bulsy streets and even in the market place is to be heard the name of this prosperous society spoken of by not a few. The public at large is becoming more acquainted with this Catholic band of men which are formed together for their own mutual benefit and that of their families. This is evident from the number of gentlemen making application to become members from time to time. In Catholic Foresitry, where true Catholic charity reigns supreme, there is nothing left undone that could be done to help a sick brother or his family in time of sickness. Sick and death benefits are always payed promptly on time, with an additional handsome sum to defray funeral expences. We strongly advise all Catholic gentlemen, young and middle aged, to take advantage of this insurance and join this society, from which they will reap their reward in due time.

At our last meeting one candidate was enrolled a member of the order and of this court, and four appheants were presented for membership; several important questions were discussed, which ended satisfactorily to the court; addresses were delivered by a few of the members for the good of the order. A very profitable evening was brought to a close with prayer.

Our next meeting will be Thursday, July 19. ANDREW KERR, Rec. Sec.

E. B. A.

ST. MARY'S BRANCH, NO. 31, LINDSAY.

Grand Organizer W. Lane having been in correspondence with P. J. Hartnett, a member of No. 21, now residing in Lindsay, respecting the formation of a branch in that Catholic town, a visit was decided upon, and with his assistance a canvass was made with very favorable results, and a meeting was called for Sunday, July 1, in the hall of the C. L. S., kindly loaned for the occasion, when the following gentlemen were present: C. R. Podger, J. Sheehan, W. Duffus, J. Smith, F. O'Donnell, J. Campbell, W. Baker, D. Curtin, J. R. O'Neill, J. Meehan, R. McEvoy, J. R. Donoghue, F. Scott, W. Healy, E. Daly, T. Carney, G. Fitzpatrick, S. White, S. J. Trotter, W. O'Connor, J. Branniffe, A. McEvay, P. J. Harnett and several others. After the aims and objects had been explained it was decided to form a branch of the association and the above named were duly initiated by the Grand Organizer, and ten gentlemen gave their names for a future meeting. District Organizer W. Devlin and P. Doris were present as visitors from Peterborough.

After the initiation it was decided to place the branch under the patronage of the Blessed Virgin; the Organizer accordingly named it St. Mary's Branch, No. 31. The Organizer having appointed District Organizer W. Devlin, Judge P. Doris, Inspector, and P. J. Hartnett, Clerk, the following were nominated and elected, for President, C. R. Podger; Vice President, J. Sheehan; Rec. Sec., W. Duffus; Fin. Sec., W. Baker; Treas., J. Smith; Stewards, J. R. O'Neill and W. O'Connor; Marshal, J. Meehan; Asst. Marshal, S. J. Trotter; Inside Guard, G. Fitzpatrick; Outside Guard, D. Curtin. The Grand Organizer then gave them the obligation and duly installed them. The various officers having thanked the members for their election, promising to do all in their power to make the branch a success, and there is every reason to believe it will be so, there being only one Catholic benedcial association in the town, viz., the C. M. B. A. that having a good membership, and we wish them still greater success. But there are always a number in every parish that are not in a position to join so heavy an insurance, "or are carrying insurance in other ways," but could easily become members of the E. B. A., the insurance feature being optional. And the sick and funeral benefits alone will be of very great benefit to those who can not or do not wish to carry an insurance. Therefore the E. B. A. and C. M. B. A. can work hand in hand, and so protect and provide for every member of our holy faith.

TORONTO.

The members of Branch No. 11, Toronto, met in their new hall on Tuesday, the 3rd, and spent a very pleasant evening initiating two members, reinstated and received apologies from several that could not possibly attend. The meetings of Branch No. 12 are well attended, and the roll of membership steadily increasing. At their last meeting two were initiated, one proposition received and the Executive recommended the acceptance of five applications. Branch 29 also added two members to their roll.

LADIES' CIRCLES.

The ladies' circles are making progress. Circle No. 1, St. Patrick's, initiated one at their last meeting, and received five applications; they also elected the following committee from the men's branch: Brothers J. J. Nightingale, W. F. Breen and H. Meville; Brother Meville representing them on 6th of August convention. Circle No. 2, St. Helens, has increased its membership by six, and has several candidates. Brother McCarthy represents them on the 6th of August excursion.

Circle No. 3, St. Cecelia's, initiated two and received some applications. Brother McDonald represents them on the excursion committee.

LETTER OF CONDOLENCE

To J. J. Nightingale, District Organizer:

Dear Sir and Brother — On behalf of the Grand Branch we beg to tender you and your family our sympathy in the sad bereavement you have sustained by the death of your beloved mother, trusting that Almighty God will give you grace to bow with Christian fortitude to His divine will, and pray that the soul of the deceased will be received into eternal joys.

E. A. CAREY, Pres.
W. LANE, Sec.-Treas.

At the regular meeting of St. Patrick's Branch, No. 12, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved that having heard with deep regret of the death of Mrs. Nightingale, the beloved mother of our esteemed Financial Secretary, Brother J. J. Nightingale,

Resolved that we, the members of Branch No. 12, deserve to convey our sincere sympathy to our respected brother and his esteemed sisters in this the hour of their sad affliction.

Resolved that out of respect to her who was a benefactress of Branch No. 12 we drape our charter for thirty days.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be mailed to Brother J. J. Nightingale and his sisters, also to the Grand Sec.-Tres. for insertion in the official organs.

W. P. MURPHY,
P. J. O'CONNOR,
J. J. MOLONEY,

DIOCESE OF HAMILTON.

DIOCESAN NOTES.

The Bishop has just returned home from another confirmation tour. During the last few weeks he visited the parishes of Berlin, Waterloo, St. Agatha, New Germany, Guelph, Arthur, Elora, Drayton and Macton. In all His Lordship administered the sacrament of confirmation during the last five weeks to two thousand candidates, dedicated two new churches, one new chapel, ordained one priest and visited and distributed premiums in all the city schools, in the convents of Loretto at Hamilton and Guelph and at the diocesan college, Berlin.

During his visit to Arthur the Bishop was much pleased to witness the growth and prosperity of the parish and paid a deserved tribute to the zealous and self-sacrificing pastor for the many monuments erected during his administration for the advancement of religion and education. The newly-renovated church, lately decorated and furnished with altars, pews, bells, etc.; the commodious and elegant school house; the splendid brick convent for the Sisters of St. Joseph and the beautiful new parochial residence just completed are monuments that would be a credit to a large city and prove Arthur to be one of the best equipped parishes in the diocese; and, what is better still and highly creditable to pastor and people, all this has been accomplished without one cent of mortgage on the valuable property, which is almost entirely free from debt.

The following report of the Bishop's visit to Arthur has been sent us by a correspondent:

On Saturday, June 30th, His Lordship Bishop Dowling arrived at Goldstone station by the G. T. R. train from Hamilton. He was there greeted by the parish priest, Rev. J. P. Doherty, and escorted by carriage to our thriving village, his approach towards which was announced by the bell pealing forth loud and joyous acclaims of welcome.

The Bishop visited the parish in his official capacity to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation to the children, some one hundred and thirty boys and girls, who during the previous week were carefully instructed in Christian doctrine by the priests of the parish, assisted by Mr. J. J. Heffernan. From an early hour Sunday morning Masses were celebrated in the church and the candidates for Confirmation, having assembled in the school, were there suitably attired by the Sisters of Saint Joseph. At the commencement of the Bishop's Mass, 8 a. m., the children, preceded by the Sisters, marched in procession from the parochial school to the church, and they occupied the front pews. As they filed into the church, two by two, the boys wearing each a band of white upon the right arm and the girls arrayed in resplendent white dresses with floral wreaths and flowing veils, each having tapers in their white-gloved hands, they seemed the very embodiment of youthful innocence and Christian purity. Both boys and girls seemed impressed with the fact that the present occasion was to mark a most important era in their individual lives, and their countenances beamed forth with animation.

The Bishop was assisted in the celebration of the Mass by the Rev. Dr. Schweitzer, of St. Jerome's College, Berlin, by the Rev. Mr. Lehmann, of the Grand Seminary, Montreal, and by the priests of this place, Rev. Fathers Doherty and Dubé. During the Mass the candidates for confirmation received Holy Communion, and at its conclusion His Lordship examined and addressed them upon the essentials of Christian doctrine as contained in the catechism. The questions having been promptly and intelligently answered, the Bishop expressed himself as being well pleased with the children and warmly complimented them, their parents and instructors upon their efficiency. He exhorted them with benevolent and fatherly solicitude to contract good habits in life and to be devout members of the church and consequently patriotic citizens of this great Dominion. After this exhortation and instruction the Bishop forthwith administered to them the sacrament of confirmation.

At 10:30 a. m. Solemn High Mass, in the presence of the Bishop, was celebrated by the Rev. Dr. Schweitzer, with the Rev. Mr. Lehmann and Rev. Father Dubé as deacon and sub-deacon respectively. His Lordship, assisted by our worthy pastor, Rev. J. P. Doherty, occupied the throne, and at the end of the gospel he delivered a very instructive discourse upon points of Catholic doctrine that are not clearly understood by people of other creeds. His utterances were received and appreciated not only by the members of his own church, but also by the many Protestants who were present. Several of the latter subsequently expressed themselves as being highly pleased with His Lordship's elucidation of the doctrine and faith of the Catholic Church. His Lordship is undoubtedly a speaker of great merit. His style is easy and at the same time dignified; his voice is musical and impressive; his words are well chosen and skilfully placed. There is also so much warmth and earnestness in his manner, such purity and clearness of expression, such absolute freedom from the appearance of affectation and art, that his sermons will always be greatly esteemed by the admirers of sound practical religion and philosophy.

The musical portion of the service was ably executed by the choir under the direction of their skilful organist, Miss Appleton. Mozart's Twelfth Mass was rendered, with De Monte's *Credo*, Lambillotte's *Cor Amoris Victima* and Peter's *Benedictus*.

In the evening musical Vespers were chanted. Miss May Anderson rendered Cherubini's "*Ave Maria*" in magnificent style. This young lady possesses a voice of rare quality and range and will prove in time a great acquisition to the vocalists of this province. At the Benediction, Mr. Joseph Phelan and Miss Appleton sang Wigand's *O Salutaris Hostia* with rich mellowness of voice and great pathos.

In the coolness of the evening, the Bishop, accompanied by the other priests, took a pleasant drive into the adjoining country and enjoyed the odor of blossoming clover and the bright prospect of verdant fields. On Monday afternoon His Lordship, escorted, by the clergy, departed from our midst for Elora, leaving behind him the most kind recollections of his visit. Long may he live to prosecute the good work which he with so much apostolic zeal and fervor is at present doing in this diocese, and may his benevolent countenance be soon seen again in our midst is ever the prayer of the devoted people of Arthur.

HIS FIRST MASS.

Sunday, 1st July, was a bright day for the good people of Formosa. Rev. Anthony Waechter, a young man who was born and brought up in the parish of Formosa and who had been ordained by the Right Rev. Thomas Joseph Dowling in Hamilton, on the feast of SS. Peter and Paul, offered up for the first time the holy sacrifice of the Mass.

At this occasion the large church, which is 150 x 68ft., was literally packed by eager and devoted Christians who came from far and near to attend the first Mass offered up by the newly-ordained priest. The occasion was indeed a solemn one. After the three bells, of which one is very large, had pealed forth their last sound for the convocation of the faithful, three little girls, dressed in snow-white garments, bearing on their heads beautiful crowns of flowers, one of them carrying in her hands a richly worked purse with a wreath enclosing a corporal, ascended the veranda of the priest's manse, and at the approach of the clergy delivered appropriate and touching addresses. Now the procession was formed. The school children, dressed in white, followed the cross, then came the Formosa brass band which played some beautiful selections. The young, innocent bride, with her two maids, who marched immediately before the clergy, were only six years of age. They represented the Church to which the priest is espoused. The celebrant himself, after saying the "Asperges," sprinkled holy water as he passed on; the whole of which was very imposing. Finally High Mass was celebrated; Dr. Elena being arch-priest, Dr. Kloepfer, deacon; P. Hauck, Ecc. subdeacon, and Father Brohmann master of ceremonies. After the gospel the parish priest ascended the pulpit and spoke on the high dignity of the holy priesthood. At the offertory the little bride approached the altar and presented the corporal and wreath as an everlasting remembrance of his first Mass, on which occasion the priest conferred upon her his blessing. After the Mass was finished the *Te Deum* was heartily chanted by the whole congregation, then the newly ordained priest offered his anointed hands to be kissed and extended the blessing to each. Thus concluded one of the grandest celebrations that have has taken place here, and without doubt will long be remembered by the people of Formosa.

PRIZE-WINNING PUPILS.

Rev. Father O'Leary Presented with a Farewell Address by the Scholars of R. C. School Section, No. 2, Hayesland.

Happy and bright were the faces of the pupils of R. C. School Section No. 2, Hayesland, on Saturday afternoon, when the closing exercises in connection with the summer term were held. For weeks they were looking forward with pleasure to this particular day, and when it at last arrived with its bright sunshine they were almost as happy as little princes and princesses. There was but one cloud on their horizon, one indeed which greatly marred this occasion of rejoicing. It was that during the past week they had received the unwelcome news of the removal of their beloved pastor and friend, Rev. Father O'Leary, from Freelton to Macton. For the past twelve years the rev. gentleman has ministered to all their spiritual wants, and by his kind and sympathetic manner won not only their hearts but also those of all denominations in his parish.

The proceedings commenced at 4 o'clock, and Rev. Father O'Leary occupied the chair. After the singing of the salutatory hymn, Miss Mary Smith stepped forward, and in a pleasing tone of voice read an address, presented to Rev. Father O'Leary by the pupils. In eloquent language the address told of the many, many acts of kindness, acts of sacrifice and the great interest taken in their school at all times by their highly-esteemed pastor. They were all heartily sorry on account of his removal by Bishop Dowling to Macton, but their prayer would always be that God would bless him wherever his field of labor may be. In return they hoped he would remember them in his prayers and particularly at the holy sacrifice of the Mass.

At the conclusion of the address Miss Maggie Mahoney presented Rev. Father O'Leary with a handsome bouquet of flowers.

In reply to the kind expressions of goodwill from the pupils, Rev. Father O'Leary made a feeling response. He said he was sorry that he was going to leave them, but in doing so he knew that as they all made good progress in the past they would continue to do so in the future. His one wish was that they would all be good, faithful adherents of their Church, attentive to their studies, and if they did this he was sure they would be good citizens, and would be in the end rewarded with an imperishable crown. He warmly congratulated the teacher, Miss Rose Smith, of Hamilton, for her commendable management of the schools and the successful manner in which her pupils passed the recent examination.

An entertaining and varied programme of thirteen numbers was then commenced and was greatly appreciated by the parents and friends of the participators, who were present in large numbers. Several choruses were pleasingly sung by the scholars; recitations were given by Misses Annie Bailey, Mary Smith, A. O'Connell, Libbie Smith (Hamilton), and Master Thomas Green; a clever Spanish dance was given by three little Hamilton young ladies; and Miss Clara Smith, also of the Ambitious City, gave a fine exhibition of club swinging and was heartily applauded.

What proved to be a delightful afternoon's entertainment was brought to a close by the awarding of prizes to the successful students, and this pleasant duty was performed by the chairman, who had a cheery word of advice for each prize-winner as they came forward. The most important prize was a silver watch, offered by Rev. Father O'Leary to the pupil obtaining the highest per centage in the recent examinations. This was cleverly contested for and was won by master Michael O'Connell, who had nine hundred and some odd marks out of the possible thousand.

Here are the names of the pupils who worked zealously during the year and as a result won the prizes:

4th Class, sen.—1st Michael O'Connell, 2nd Aggie O'Connell.

4th Class, jun.—1st Laura Smith, 2nd Annie Bailey, 3rd Tom Green.

3rd Class.—1st Mary Smith, 2nd John Green, 3rd Mark Bailey.

2nd Class.—John Naab.

Part II.—1st Maggie Mahoney, 2nd Willie Costello, 3rd Willie Smith.

Part I.—1st Leo Green, 2nd Andrew Naab.

Neatness.—Miss Aggie O'Connell, Laura Smith, obtained by A. O'Connell.

Arithmetic.—Loue Gravelle.

Conduct merited by M. O'Connell, L. Smith, M. Smith, A. Bailey, A. O'Connell, M. McCarty, obtained by M. McCarty.

Catechism.—W. Costello.

Attendance merited by M. O'Connell, J. Green, A. Bailey, J. Holen, obtained by J. Holen.

Politeness.—Leo Green.

To the energetic teacher, Miss Rose Smith, of Hamilton, who is a graduate of the separate schools of the Ambitious City, is due no small praise and her work speaks for itself. She is highly commended for the proficiency of her pupils, and her many friends will be glad to learn of her well merited success.

PARISH OF DUNNVILLE.

On Sunday, July 1st, Rev. Father Crinion gave a financial statement of receipts and disbursements since the date of the last statement. Although the resources of the parish are slender, and the number of parishioners scarcely forty paying families, the work accomplished reflects great credit—a new, commodious and handsome church, becomingly and tastefully furnished from organ to furnace-room; a new presbytery, one of the finest in the diocese of Hamilton, also neatly furnished, and now entirely free from debt, as well as the site upon which it is built, and a new cemetery, improved, embellished and fenced. In round figures the statement of July 1st showed an average of $1,000 a year paid since the advent of Rev. Father Crinion to the parish. It is needless to state that his parishioners were agreeably surprised on hearing this. There remains a mere nominal debt on the church property. If joy and sorrow can be blended, or exist in the human heart at the same time, the congregation of St. Michael's, Dunnville, experienced such a sensation when Rev. Father Crinion further announced that, with the kind permission of his Bishop, he was now about to take a vacation to recover failing health and revisit friends in the old country. The congregation gave him a grand send-off, and many were the wishes that he may return with renewed health and renovated energies. The Rev. B. Boubat will take his place during his absence.

DIOCESAN APPOINTMENTS.

His Lordship the Bishop of Hamilton has made the following clerical changes and appointments:

Very Rev. Dean Laussier has been transferred from Macton to succeed Father Bardou as Archdeacon of the diocese and pastor of Cayuga.

Rev. Father O'Leary has been transferred from Freelton to Macton.

Rev. Father Murphy from the Cathedral to Freelton.

Rev. Father Hinchey from the Cathedral to St. Joseph's parish, west end.

Rev. Father Kehoe from Cayuga to form a new parish in Brantford.

A new parish will also be formed in East Hamilton.

Another new parish in the neighborhood of Kenilworth, between Arthur and Mount Forest.

Monsignor McEvay and Archdeacon Laussier have been appointed members of the Bishop's council.

The council has appointed a committee of three to define the boundaries of the newly erected parishes.

Rev. Mr. Lehmann, deacon, will be soon ordained priest, and for the present act as assistant at the Cathedral, but eventually will be appointed as assistant at Walkerton.

Rev. Mr. Mahony also a deacon, will be ordained priest during vacation, and attached to the Cathedral staff.

HYMENEAL.

BURNS-BARRETT.

A pleasant social event occurred in St. Patrick's church, Galt, on Wednesday, June 27, in which the marriage of Miss Kate M Barrett, daughter of Edward Barrett, to Mr. M. F. Burns, a popular young gentleman of Tonawanda, N. Y., was solemnized.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Slavin, assisted by Rev. Father Burke of Oakville, in the presence of a large number of friends, the church being crowded. The bride was attired in a dress of cream Henrietta en train, trimmed with lace and orange blossoms, tulle veil, and carried in her hand a beautiful bouquet of roses and carnations. There were three bridesmaids—Miss Mary E. Barrett, sister of the bride; Miss Sadie Long, Tonawanda, N. Y., and Miss Maggie Radigan, cousins of the bride. They were dressed in pink, blue and cream cashmere, respectively. Mr. Thos. Radigan officiated as groomsman.

After the impressive ceremony was performed, a High Mass was celebrated and then the bridal party, together with a large number of guests, returned to the residence of the bride's father, Front street, where the wedding dinner was prepared. Toasts were given and responded to, after which an informal reception was held. The bride received a large number of valuable presents, testifying to her marked popularity amongst her hosts of friends. It is needless to say she will be much missed in Catholic circles, as she always took an active part in the societies as well as any movement pertaining to the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns, who carried away the best wishes of their many friends, left on the C. P. R. train for Toronto, Buffalo, and will make Tonawanda their future home.

OBITUARY.

MR. ROBERT COLEMAN, SEAFORTH.

We regret very much to hear of the death of Mr. Robert Coleman, a well-known citizen of the town and a prominent member of Branch 23, C. M. B. A. He had been ailing with some heart trouble since about May 24, and although his friends were not very sanguine about his recovery they did not expect that he would depart as suddenly as he did. He arose on Sunday morning as usual and breakfasted with the family; shortly afterwards he returned to his room, and when his estimable wife, who seldom quitted his side during his indisposition, went upstairs two or three minutes after him she found he was no more. It is likely that he died instantaneously. He had been a resident of town for more than twenty-five years, and last year occupied a seat at the council and would have been re-elected if he had not resigned. He had been a member of the C. M. B. A. for several years and was elected to represent the branch at the Grand Council meeting in St. John, and only a few weeks ago was making arrangements with some of the neighboring representatives to accompany them on the trip. He was kind and generous-hearted, very popular among his friends, and many a sympathetic regret has been expressed this week for the death of Bob Coleman as he was familiarly known. He leaves a wife — a daughter of the late Dr. Bowie, of Mitchell — and a grown-up family well provided for. Messrs. John Killoran, Thos. Kidd and Thos. Downey, his closest friends, and three members of Branch 23, acted as pall-bearers.

MISS HANNA O'MEARA, LONDON.

The lingering illness of Miss Hanna O'Meara, second daughter of Mr. Martin O'Meara, proprietor of the Dominion House, London, terminated in death, on Sunday, July 8. For about a year this young lady had been suffering. Blessed with a hopeful and cherry disposition, she will be sadly missed, more especially by those (and they are numerous) whom she invariably ministered to when they were afflicted by ill-health or adversity. Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of the departed soul on Wednesday, 11th instant. The many vehicles which followed the remains to the cemetery were evidence of the esteem in which the family is held by hosts of friends and acquaintances. To the afflicted father, brother and sisters we extend our sincerest sympathy. R. I. P.

MISS ROSE HOGAN, HAMILTON.

Miss Rose Hogan Hamilton, third daughter of the late J. Hogan, Esq., died on the Mountain on Tuesday morning, July 3, after a long and severe illness borne with characteristic fortitude. The funeral took place from the family residence, 79 Park street, n., at 8:30 on Thursday morning. Requiem High Mass was celebrated in St. Mary's cathedral by Rev. Father Hinchey. Male voices rendered the plaintive yet consoling strains of the Requiem chant, and Miss Clark of Toronto was heard to advantage at the Offertory in the solo "O Salutaris Victima." The members of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin Mary showed their regard and respect by assisting in a body at the funeral Mass. With lighted candles in their hands, they formed two lines through which the body was carried from the church door to the sanctuary. The Annunciation lilies that were placed on her coffin were a most appropriate offering to the edifying life and character of the deceased. Her fine intellectual gifts, cultured refinement, and sweet disposition made her respected, admired and beloved by all.

Our sincerest sympathy is tendered her sorrowing family.

MARKET REPORTS.

London, July 12.—Grain deliveries were fair, and wheat kept steady, at 95c to $1 per cental. Oats dropped from 1.3 to $1.18 per cental. Beef $5.50 to $6 per cwt., by the carcass. Lamb 9 to 10c a lb. by the carcass, and 9 to 11 by the quarter. Veal 4½ to 5½c wholesale. Good roll butter sold at 17 to 18c a pound by the basket, and 15 to 16 cents a pound for crock and large rolls. Eggs advanced to 10 and 12 cents a doz. The fruit supply was ample, and raspberries were firm, at 12c a box. Gooseberries, 6 to 8 cents a quart. Red currants, 5 to 7c. Black currants, 10 to 12c. Cherries, 9 to 10c. Old potatoes, 70c a bag. New, $1.40 to $1.50 a bushel. Green peas, 12c a quart. Cabbages, 50 to 60c a dozen. Tomatoes, 10c a pound wholesale. A large number of shoats and small pigs were offered at $2.50 to $3.50 a pair. Milch cows, $35 to $45 apiece. Hay, $7.50 to $8 a ton.

Toronto, July 7.— Flour — Straight roller, $2 60 to $2.85; extra, 2.50 to $2.60. Wheat—white, 58½ to 59½; spring, 60; red, winter, 58 to 59½; goose, 57; No. 1 Manitoba hard, 73c; No. 2, 71c; winter wheat on the northern, 59 to 60c; peas, 56 to 57c; barley, No. 1, 43 to 44c; feed, 39 to 41; oats, 37c; corn, 52c.

MONTREAL

July 12.—Wheat—No. 1 hard Manitoba at 75 to 76c; No. 2, 70 to 72c; corn, 55 to 56; No. 2 oats, in store, 43c; peas, in store; 70 to 71; rye, 52 to 53; barley, feed, 42 to 43c; malting, 52 to 54c; buckwheat, 45 to 48c. Flour—Patent spring, $3.50 to $3.60; superfine, $2.50 to $2.65; extra, $2.75 to $2.90; straight roller, $3 to $3.05; Manitoba strong bakers, $3.40 to $3.50. Meal—Granulated, in bbls, $4.20 to $4.35; do. in bags, $2.10 to $2.20; standard, in bbls, $3.95 to $4; do. in bags, $1 to $2. Bran, $16 to $17; shorts, $18 to $19; mouillie, $20 to $21. Short cut mess pork $18 to $20; hams, city cured, per lb. 10 to 11½c; lard, com. 7½ to 8c; lard, pure, 9½ to 10½c; bacon per lb. 10 to 12c. Butter—Townships, 16 to 18c; new creamery, 18½ to 19½c; dairy, at 14 to 15c. Cheese—Colored, 8½ to 9c; white, 8½ to 8¾c; eable, 45s. There is a fair demand for new eggs, and prices are firm at 11 to 11½c.

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TORONTO.

July 12.—Export Cattle—Several sales were made at $4.70 to $4.85, and $4.85 was refused for some lots. It was stated that as high at 5c was paid, but no transactions were given out at that figure.

Butchers' Catte—Prices ranged from 3 to 3¼c for good to choice grassers, and from $3.40 to $3.65 for grass-fed cattle. Stall-fed steers and heifers were quoted at 3½ to 3¾c.

Hogs—Choice long lean hogs, of 150 to 220 lbs, sold, weighed off car, at $5.50, and mixed lots sold to-day at $5 to $5.10, choice thick fats at $4.90 to $5, medium short fats at $4.75 to $4.80, stores at $4.75, sows at $4.25, and stags at $2 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Ewes and wethers sold at 3½ to 3¾c and contracts were made for some to arrive at 3¾c, weighed off car. Two single decks sold at $3.65 a cwt. off car. There was a fair trade in spring lambs at $3 to $3.75 each.

Calves—There were only about 50 here. All sold at from $4 to $7 a head for good to fancy veals. Bobs sold at $4.50 to $5.

Milch Cows and Springers — Prices ranged from $23 to $40.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., July 12.—Cattle — Fifty-five cars on sale; slow; values considered too high.

Sheep and Lambs — Ten cars of sheep; steady; lambs a trifle firmer; good to best of wethers, $3.60 to $4.25; common to good mixed, $2 75 to $3 50; good to best lambs, $5.25 to $6.

Hogs—Ten cars; market excited; higher by 40c to 60c per cwt., all good stock sold at $6.55 to $6 60.

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To Part II.—Minnie O'Connor, Kittie Whitty, Annie O'Connor, Mary Garvey, Mary McGinty, Adeline O'Keefe, Winnifrede Griffin, Louis Dalton, Joseph Buckley.

To Senior Third—Marie Bissonnette, John Dalton, Joseph Dalton, Joseph Finn, Andrew Martin, Morgan Lambertus, John O'Connor, Mack Whitty.

To Junior Fourth—Rose Hogan, Dora Dalton, Ella Deane, Cassie Griffin, Lilian Griffin, Frank Dalton, Thomas Harrie, James Buckley, Thomas Hogan, Patrick O'Keefe.

To Senior Fourth—Hanna Dalton, Anna Dalton, Harriette Young, John Sullivan, John F. Sullivan, James O'Connor, John McManus, Timothy Griffin, Maurice Hogan and Cornelius O'Keefe.

WEDDING BELLS.

O'CONNOR-CROTTY.

At Hamilton, on Friday, June 29, the well-known and popular hack proprietor, John O'Connor, led to the altar Miss Mary Crotty, sister of P. J. Crotty, a charter member of the pioneer branch of Emeraldism in Canada. The ceremony was performed by the Right Rev. Monsignor McEvay. They have the good wishes of a