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+ PAUL. Archbishop of Montreal

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#### SYSTEMS OF EDUCATION.

attention to the fact that the best a case of a fixed system and the West only one." This the must we omit the most important Most of the French-Canadian mem-Laval University, whose course provides for rhetoric, whilst correspondrun upon quite other lines. There is a good deal in the point, more than is admitted by the Cou-The contrast in the two systems of education does not lie merely in rhetoric. It is something more than a brilliant display of verbal fireworks. It may be, to use the phrase or brilliant metaphor." Rhefor the genius of the people the difas the English are concerned, in the dian education, as exemplified in the Without proper specializaand show him the path of higher and the avoidance of options until the programme of studies, the teach- of His eye and the sound of

fittest, for young people in their few along the royal road of first teens are not competent judges. Cross and on to the open glorious Like all bodies they will move along sepulchre. No sooner had the lines of least resistance. As a returned to His Father, no sooner onsequence of this optional system had the apostles opened their people are prepared for examinations puting. Gnosticism wished to claim upon this principle. If the teacher the new religion for its own, is to his credit and that of of character formation or refining in it not the abandonment of culture. The youth advances to definitely to what pier he is making. search for novelties in more western child of Adam's race and Israel's systems is to be seen in the cultivastrength of the French Canadian sys- nal Son of God. Here was tem and the weakness of all non-Ca- parting of the ways. This is tholic systems. Few studies serve faith professed by St. Peter tion than mathematics. Their sub- Christianity is a vital force to-day -Pope Pius X. simply do the work. Their influence she is is farther reaching and their forma- bravely and vigilantly the analysis of chemistry or the puzzles sive attempts to substitute to treat subjects with accuracy, to through these three phases until the fend them with success. Rhetoric is away to walk no more with Christ. rather their dignified spokesman than real instructor. Undoubtedly rhetotry. I heartily bless those who ric has an important place in the denied, which Protestants put aside many ways. That it is crowded out compromise in the case of the Rhetoric alone would merely give of saints and the company of when it has the great principles and born. from which to draw, it becomes we regard rhetoric as the least of bear the doctrine of the Incarnation. In its issue of the 13th inst., the the differentiating causes between It made too many demands upon Canadian Courier of Toronto draws the two systems of education. It is their study, so they, taking faith orators and the most numerous are options, and of systematic mental confidence. French Canadians. It says: "The science against mathematics, with mands upon their will by calling for Maritime Provinces have produced a rhetoric carrying the standard and sacrifice, so they sheltered few orators; Ontario scarcely any, leading the disciplined troop. Nor selves behind the error of justifica-Courier attributes to the training. factor in the French-Canadian. We taught in Protestantism upon the different educational institutions, thread running through the warp there is no authority to teach bers of Parliament are graduates of is the dominant subject during the elementary training. Its influence character, a light to the intelligence, to the heart.

#### FAITH

It may be, to use the The greatest trust commissioned to P out something more than "striking two the former is the more serious rationalism and still more of for the contrast. Making allowance From the first century to the twen- unenlightened reason the running tieth, from the cradle of Christiani- stream. itself again. honor to us all, is perfectly system- different from what any past had steadying the inconstant heart atic from the primary school to the presented; was it light from above grace and illuminating the mind learning along which he should af- He went. Truth He had or else philosophical leanings-guarding the

launched against the French are sure it is not the selection of the dazzled many, but which led or want of system confusion is to be sion, than the philosophizing Greeks between the aforesaid viper and our found in the whole court. Young of Alexandria and Antioch began dis- Holy Father, and between St. Paul succeeds in passing the candidates it wonder. It would be the golden cent Frenchmen. And the the link between Jewish erudition and school. There has been no question Gentile rationalism. The Jews saw ror-struck at this terrible curse by a Old Testament or the setting aside greater freedom the more extended which had been so long the glory al." Every word of this last quota-He has fixed his eye upon of their ancestors, and which life's harbor light, and knows very then their consolation in captivity. daily. The Witness refers most like-They thought that the New Testa-Options preclude systematic training, and tend more and more to that diThey did not catch the angel hymn Peter the care of Christian people: vision of labor seen in the castes of of Christmas, or see in the Babe of Indian and in the illusionary re- Bethlehem any more than a mere Kingdom of Heaven," but why peoples. The difference of the two stock. What was He to the lame fect a Frenchman less than anybody and the blind and the dead? Far systems is to be seen in the cultival and the billion and study of philosophy or more than mere healing physician or understand. "Their legislators are nental science. Here is the great wonder-worker. He was the Eter- to be buried like dogs or like Prothe such culture as mental science. Logic, psychology, metaphysics and ethics cover an extensive field. They are more efficient in the work of educa- battle has been fought. And if ject matter is superior, for it con- it is due to the defence which the cerns man himself whose being and Catholic Church has made of Christ's higher nature are the proper study of mankind. They are even more compromise. Clear as definition can weapon of a loyal and sincere Ca- practical than the utilitarian stu- make it the Church puts forth her dies-for they train the masters who doctrine that her Spouse, Jesus will direct, not the slaves who will Christ, is the Eternal Son, and that His Mystical Body. Church tive power more elevating than the shook from her all shallow and evaof the calculus. They form the broad lower explanation of Christ may be the viper and forget all about it. deep basis upon which the principles seen from the history of Arianism, of sociology are erected. They en- Protestantism and Modernism. Dis-Province consulted their best able those who have mastered them putes have followed one another present them with grace and to dehigher course of studies, the neglect and which Modernists have poisoned of which is afterwards evidenced in with rationalism. There was no to make room for other subjects is ans. It was a fair stand up fight; clear and shows a deterioration in was Christ the Son of God or not? the unknown God in the land where the general scholarship of our speci- Protestantism attacked the doctrine alists and the silent self-possession indirectly by a kind of flank movewhich marks the men of science, ment. They forgot the communion vocabulary and make sophists. But angels and the Church of the Firstthey lowered their When training of mental science ideals they could not elevate them a to God. Hence they degraded God power both defensive and offensive and thought of God the Son only as in Church and State. In a word, a ministering spirit., They could not from the intellect, turned it into It made too many detion by faith. There is no doctrine the various classes receive in their refer to religion. This is the golden Incarnation; nor could there be, for and woof of the entire system. It no system of which the Incarnation would be the centre and from which Catholicism." would radiate that complete co-ordirather than its direct study accom- nation of supernatural truth and a change and that at the next meeting English-speaking universities are panies the student through the rest light. St. Peter knew this truth, of his course. It leaves its impress for the heavenly Father had revealed Protestantism," by an equally truth but upon mental science, rhetoric and it to him. His successors know it ful expositor. The people who walk fail. This is the principal inheritance belonging to the children of The Sovereign Pontiff the Church. undisturbed the fuln

because the Eternal Son of God proa strength to the will and virtue mised that Peter's faith would not light. Courier's phrase, "clothing ideas in St. Peter and his successors was the Christ's truth. What a security for not be durable or convincing without something more than "striking" guardianship of faith and the confirmation of the brethren. Of these cy and the erratic character of all and the more important. History dernism, the latest form of philosotoric is not altogether accountable shows how difficult it has been. phical vagaries. Faith is the rock, When God made the world ference lies in the two systems of ty in the East to its vigorous, prac- He made all in harmony and order; education, or more correctly speak- tical strength in the West error has when it was sunk in ignorance and ing, in the one system, and, so far in so many ways broken its crested sin He took flesh to undo confusion. waves upon the rock, of Peter, fallen Again God, introduced order into the absence of a system. French Cana- back, then gathered force and rolled world-different in kind from that Christianity contained which formerly led to degradation. orators whose ability is a great so much that was new and entirely It was the order of the Church It is an education of or the sudden evolution of idealism the unchangeable truth and humbling or the bursting of the whole race the will to the voice of authority. tion it presents a variety sufficient from the swaddling clothes of childto indicate the student's tendency hood? What was it? They knew by loss of nations, undisturbed when not whence came Christ or whither disciples turn away, untrammeled by terwards walk. This very system it would never walk again in the deposit that it may be shown to the dark pathways of earth. Men saw Master when He comes again and late in the course secures both for Him and were captured by the glance that it may vindicate His disciples His of all ages who have received

the bers of parliament who have against the political views of Christ Papacy," then it speaks of the viper which sprang out of the fire on St Paul, and tries to draw a parallel and the sacreligious pirates who have No in their power the property of decontinues: "The people will be hornot only heaven-that would affect Mosaic dispensation them very little-but Christian buriwas tion is taken from the only religious refusal of the Kingdom should afthe testants," says the Witness, another beautiful parallel which we hope the and Protestants will remember. The Witness then divides the puties into three classes:

Firstly-"Those who, whether they repent or not, will wespingly make their peace with the Church. reminds us of the young Queen Spain, who reluctantly (sic) nounced error and heresy.

Secondly-"Those who will shrink but will make peace with the demand wives." The Witness here has found a function for French wives to per

Thirdly-"Those who will shake of And how about the poor Prisoner of the Vatican who has to shake off thousands of the reptiles, and, if we may return the compliment, them newspaper vipers, and among these alleged religious rags.

"And things in France," says the Witness, "will go on as before." That is to say that robbery, divorce, sui cide, sacrilege, theophobia, devilworship and many other forms 'religion' will replace the cult the true God who will again become

copy of last Tuesday's Witness be sent to the French deputies and one to the Holy Father, so that might see what an "ill-advised proceeding" he adopted. If he would only be advised by the Montreal Daily Witness! !

Prince Sagan has seen a bright light shining out of a Gould mond and become a Protestant. He has, however, gone to too unnecessary trouble over the change It will be hard for him to come back when he gets the divorcee's money and still harder to purchase his way to Paradise.

The French Baptists met at Ottawa and listened to a conference by one of their number on: "What It is to be hoped that the lecturer told the truth for ing the subject will be "What in darkness may then see a great

## HYMENEAL

ROUTH-GRANT. The marriage of Miss Marie Blanche Williams' Pink Pills. ther Doyle officiating. The bride was given away by her father, and wore a gown of white duchess satin and embroidered chiffon, and tulle reil, caught with a wreath of orange She carried a blossoms. She carried and bouquet of white roses, and the groom's gift, a pearl and mond ring. Her attendants Mrs. F. C. Routh, as matron hrs. F. O. Routh, as matron honor, wearing a white crepe chine gown and a blue hat, carrying white and red roses; sister, Miss Daisy Routh, in pink mouseeline de soie and c ing a pink bouquet; and Miss I Grant, the groom's sister, who similarly gowned in blue, and carried similarly gowind in blue, and c red roses. Both bridesmaids Leghorn hats trimmed with The bride's little sister, Hazel, white lingerie frook and large bonnet, was the flower girl, carried a basket of flowers. the programme of studies, the teaching staff and the students themselves the advantages of stability, unity and discipline. Options on the other hand are open to the most serious objections—especially when, as is the case in Ontario, they are left to pupils in the early part of their education. Boys no sooner enter a high school than they begin to select what studies they will take. We

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lay.
You all know the terrible misforrot all know the territie mistor-une which has struck the city of Three Rivers.

Fire has visited it; its inhabitants

are in affliction; their loss is It is necessary to help these fami

se, and we must immediately with all the generosity of our heart. My Brethren, let our charity be in defatigable and our happiness must consist in relieving all misfortunes Let our national feasts be stamped a great act of fraternal sym

Thus we will prove ourselves Chris tians and patriots.

On Sunday next, June 28th, in all the churches and chapels of our diocese, a collection shall be taken at every Mass in favor of the

The next day the result of the col-I have confidence in the generous zeal of all priests and faithful.

Archbishop's Palace, June 26, 1908
PAUL, Arch. of Montreal.

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Mr. Joseph Lacombe, Quebec City,
says.—"To-day I weigh about forty
pounds more than I did a year ago,
and am in every way in much sounder health. For upwards of two years I had been studying hard to pass my examinations and my health had completely given way under the strain, I lost flesh rapidly, my ap-petite was gone and my nerves were greatly weakened. I was obliged to abandon my studies and was in state of complete exhaustion. I consulted a physician, but as I was daily growing weaker I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which I had often heard very highly speken of. The beneficial effects were indeed remarkable for I had not used more than a couple of boxes when I could state of complete exhaustion. I conthan a couple of boxes when I could feel an improvement, and hope re-turned. I continued using the pills for some weeks longer, with the re-sult that my strength increased daily and I was soon able to take over my studies and work with as much energy as I had ever done. To-day I am in perfect health and I attribute

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MR. J. H. MAHONEY

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The death occurred on the 17th inst. of Mr. John H. Mahoney, eldest son of Mr. E. H. Mahoney, contractor. The funeral took place on Friday morning to St. Patrick's, where a requiem service was chanted by Rev. James P. Killoran, assisted by Rev. Father O'Reilly as deacon and Rev. Father Singleton as sub-deacon. The chief mourners were Mr. Edward H. Mahoney, father, Mr. Edward Mahoney and Mr. Hugh T. Mahoney, brothers; Mr. J. J. Shea and Mr. E. A. Corcoran, brothers-in-law; Messrs. Thos. H. Keogh, Richard O'Reilly, Richard Walsh, Jas. Walsh, James Kenna and John McDermott, cousins. Among others present were the following. Messrs. Ald. L. A. Lapointe. John Barry, Michael Burkes, Andrew Purcell, John Hoolahan, Michael Grace, Robt. Hall, M. J. McAndrew, Jas. Nugent, M. J. Sharkey, M. Meade, Jas. Cunningham, F. St. Pierre, W. Roacke, R. McLeod, M. J. O'Loughlin, John McKeown, D. Taranto, V. Ratto, M. Bissonnette and others.

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THURSDAY, JUN

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