

STUDENT CRUSADERS

Actuated by love of God's Church, urged on by the spirit of self-sacrificing missionaries finally motivated by the need of the day, twelve institutions of higher learning conceived the happy idea of organizing a society that would bring both spiritual and material succour to the Home and Foreign Missions.

This movement has been blessed and approved by His Eminence Cardinal Bégin and by more than twenty of the Reverend Hierarchy. It is guided by an Advisory Board composed of Rev. Canon Roch, Foreign Mission Seminary, Montreal; Canon Chartier, University of Montreal; Rev. F. J. Morrissey, D. D., St. Augustine's Seminary; Rev. Wm. Roach, C. S. B.; Rev. J. Fillion, Superior, White Fathers; Rev. Wm. Kingston, S. J.; Rev. Wm. Jeannotte, P. S.; Rev. P. J. Nicholson, D. D., St. Francis Xavier University; Rev. J. E. Burke, C. S. P.; Rev. V. D. Dermody; Rev. G. R. Daly, C. S. R.; Rev. Henri Bougie.

Thus in a few words we have the history of the society, its approval and proofs of its future success. It is primarily an educational movement and its instinctive purpose extends to every student in the Dominion. We know that everyone is willing to help a good cause, but in order to help a cause one must first know what he is helping, that is the idea of the Mission Crusade, namely to educate our students to the needs of the Missions be they Home or Foreign when heroic men and women are devoting their lives to the propagation of that Holy Doctrine which brings peace and solace whenever it falls on fertile soil. That these missionaries meet with great difficulties and undergo great hardships in their respective vineyard could only be expected owing to the conditions where they labor. Therefore the Mission Crusade wishes to acquaint you with these problems so that you will be given ample opportunity of working for the Missions in Union with your brother and sister students whose aid will surely be a mighty force to the Church in Canada and abroad.

Therefore to every institution in Canada the Crusade extends an invitation to take up this zealous cause, to every student of Canada it broadcasts an appeal to enlist in the ranks of the Crusade under the noble motto of "The Kingdom of the World for its King and Lord."

Those interested in this organization are kindly asked to communicate with the C. C. S. M. C., St. Augustine's Seminary, Kingston Road, Toronto.

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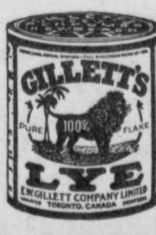
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OBITUARY

MRS. MARGARET DALY

Beaverton has lost one of its best known and most respected residents in the person of Mrs. Margaret Daly, who died on March 28th, in her seventy-fifth year. She was a daughter of the late William McRae, 1st Con. Thoroh, who was one of the well known pioneers of the district.

Upon her marriage with the late Mr. Thomas Daly, she went to live in the Western States, where they made their home, until the death of her husband thirteen years later, when she with her two children returned to Beaverton.

Mrs. Daly's kindly disposition and generous heart, won for her a host of friends. No one in trouble or illness ever failed to receive abundant evidence of her sympathy and helpfulness, and in her home she was always remarkable for the old time Scottish hospitality now so rarely seen. She was indefatigable in furthering every enterprise connected with the Church, and always cheerfully took upon herself the major part of the work.

God in his goodness rewarded her during her prolonged illness, with every consolation the Church can bestow, with the watchful care of a devoted daughter, and in her last moments, with the presence of those nearest and dearest to her.

The large number of spiritual offerings, the many friends who came from a distance as well as the congregation which filled the church for her funeral service, all testified that the dear departed had been loved and esteemed by all who knew her.

Requiem High Mass was sung by Rev. Father France, P. P.

Left to mourn the loss of a devoted mother are her two daughters, Sister M. Christina of St. Joseph's Community, Peterboro; and Mrs. E. N. Greenwood, Beaverton, also one sister, Miss Anne McRae, and four brothers, Messrs. Alex. W. Donald, and Christopher McRae of Beaverton, and C. J. McRae of Stayner. May her soul rest in peace.

MARTIN KENNEDY

A gentleman, whose life was a model of domestic peace and genuine Catholic piety, in the person of Mr. Martin Kennedy, passed away on Friday, April 4, at his residence, 100 Church St., Stratford, Ont. Mr. Kennedy was a brother of the late Reverend Joseph Kennedy of London, who pre-deceased him some few years ago.

When the news of his death reached his numerous friends and acquaintances, each felt he had sustained a personal loss. The countless Mass offerings and other tokens of sympathy, received by the family, testify to the esteem in which he was held.

A fond husband and father has been called to his reward but the feeling of resignation and peace that has settled on the family seems to whisper that his gentle spirit still lingers near his bereaved ones. Mr. Kennedy leaves a widow and five children to mourn his loss. The children are: Mother M. Loretto, Loretto Academy, Stratford, Ont.; Miss Anna, Windsor, Ont.; Miss Kathleen, Cleveland, Ohio; Dr. J. A. Kennedy, Windsor, Ont. and Mr. Hubert J. Kennedy, Detroit, Mich. Four sisters also survive the deceased: Mrs. Ellen Malloy, London, Ont.; Mrs. Mary Kelly, St. Mary's, Ont.; Mrs. J. J. O'Brien and Miss Elizabeth Kennedy, Stratford, Ont.

MICHAEL DUFFY

There died at Aylmer, Que., one of its most respected citizens in the person of Michael Duffy, aged seventy-nine, on March 12th, 1924. He was Church Warden for many years besides being the Town Magistrate and an Ex-Councillor. He received the last rites of the Church, and being resigned to God's Holy Will passed away peacefully. His illness only lasting one day. Besides his sorrowing wife he leaves one brother Wm. Duffy, of Earley, Father Meehan of Kingston Diocese, and Sister Monica of the Grey Nuns are cousins. May he rest in peace.

Sudden friendships generally come to sudden ends. True friendship is a plant of gradual growth, which needs for its perfection sun and air, watering and weeding.

Exterior neatness represents in some measure the cleanliness of the interior; and God Himself requires corporal cleanliness in those that approach His altars, and have the principal charge of devotion.—Ruskin.

CONGRESS OF SACRED MUSIC

SOIETY OF ST. GREGORY TO MEET IN TORONTO WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY MAY 7 AND 8, 1924

Under the patronage of His Grace, the Most Reverend Neil McNeil, Archbishop of Toronto, the Society of St. Gregory will hold a two-days Congress and Convention which promises to be the most interesting meeting ever held by the Society.

The Rev. J. E. Ronan, a pupil of Dom Mocquereau (at Solesmes), Director of Music at St. Augustine's Seminary, Toronto, attended the meeting of the Executive Committee held in New York recently and outlined the plans of his Committee. The Choir directors of the city have formed a permanent organization and will take an active interest in the Convention. Choirs from various points will participate in the choral demonstrations.

Two thousand children will sing a Gregorian Mass in the Cathedral during the Convention. Seminarians and Boy Choirs will unite in the rendition of a liturgical Mass during one of the Pontifical Functions.

One of the most interesting features will be the demonstration to be given by the famous group of girls from the Annunciation Church, New York (Right Rev. Bishop Dunn). These children have been under the personal supervision of Mother Stevens, of the College of the Sacred Heart, Manhattanville, N. Y., for some years, and are considered admirable exponents of the Ward Method.

Archbishop McNeil will pontificate at the functions held in the Cathedral. It is expected that there will be a representative gathering of the Canadian Hierarchy and clergy. Members of the Society of St. Gregory from all parts of the United States will be in attendance.

Papers to be read at the Convention will cover topics such as:

- "Sacred and Secular Music."
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An official programme will be prepared shortly and forwarded to all members and subscribers.

Members of the Society and subscribers to the Catholic Choirmaster are urged to make every effort to attend. In the meantime, detailed information may be obtained by addressing the Committee in care of the Rev. J. E. Ronan, St. Augustine's Seminary, Kingston Road, Toronto, Ont.

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DIED

LYNCH.—At his late residence, 212 Gladstone Avenue, Ottawa, Ont., Mr. John Lynch, aged sixty-seven years. May his soul rest in peace.

LEONARD.—At his late residence No 5 Grande Allee, Quebec, Que., on Thursday, March 20, Mr. Bernard Leonard, aged eighty-three years. May his soul rest in peace.

BURKE.—On March 25, at 27 Grosvenor St., Toronto, William James Burke, Interment Mount Hope Cemetery. May his soul rest in peace.

GRIFFIN.—At Merrickville, Ont., on Tuesday, February 12, 1924, Miss Marguerite M. Griffin, sister of Mrs. E. J. Payeau, Merrickville and Miss Victoria Griffin, Kemptonville. May her soul rest in peace.

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