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CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK.

NOVEMBER.

3, Twenty-second Sunday after Pentecost—Feast of Our Lady of Suffrage.
4, Monday—St. Charles Borromeo, Cardinal, Bishop.
5, Tuesday — Commémoration of departed members in all Religious Orders.
6, Wednesday—Of the Octave of All Saints.
7, Thursday—Of the Octave of All Saints,
8, Friday—Octave of All Saints.
9, Saturday—Dedication of the Basilica of the Saviour in Rome.

CITY AND ELSEWHERE.

Mrs. Jos. Roy who was at the St. Boniface Hospital, returned home yesterday.

Branch No. 52 of the C. M. B. A., hold a regular meeting in Unity Hall this evening.

The number of patients treated at the St. Boniface hospital last week was 65 of whom 30 were males and 35 females.

Dr. J. K. Barrett returned on last Saturday from the east, where he was called three weeks ago to the deathbed of his mother.

Rev. Dr. Beliveau, secretary of His Grace the Archbishop, sang High Mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Gosselin, of St. Boniface, will celebrate their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on Tuesday next, november 5th.

Rev. Father Cherrier who is one of the District Deputies of the C. M. B. A. in this province, has been absent from the city for a few days organizing a branch at Somerset.

Members of the Catholic Truth society are requested to bear in mind that the night of weekly meeting has been changed from Monday to Thursday. The next meeting will be held to-morrow evening.

Deputy Warden Fitzsimmons, formerly of the British Columbia penitentiary, now connected with the institution at Stony Mountain, is the plaintiff in a libel suit against the New Westminster Columbian paper to be tried at Vancouver in November 15th.

Mr. C. Boes the victim of the street car accident which occurred about five weeks ago, is still confined to his bed making slow progress towards recovery. His injuries were even more severe than was at first thought and it cannot be said yet whether they will have permanent results.

It has been decided to hold within the next few months a bazaar in aid of St. Mary's church. The exact date has not yet been decided on, but active preparations for the event have commenced and those who have the matter in hand intend to make it as great a success as any of the bazaars of the past.

Father Corbeil arrived from the west last week on his return to Ottawa and Quebec. He has been through the west with the object of selecting a tract of land for a number of French settlers he is desirous of moving up from Quebec to the west. The reverend father is much impressed with Manitoba, and may do for the province what Father Morin and others are doing for the Edmonton country.

On Monday at the Police Court before magistrate Peebles a libel suit of R. L. Richardson, vs. D. J. Beaton was proceeded with. The alleged libel appeared in an article published in "The Nor'-Wester" some months ago under the heading "Manufacture of news." Several witnesses were examined the prosecution endeavoring to prove that Mr. Beaton, who has since severed his connection with the paper, was the writer of the article complained of. The case was sent up for trial at the next assizes.

So far as we can judge and we have talked with many citizens on the matter public opinion is unanimous as to the desirability of the Electric Street railway company cancelling their regulation regarding the handling of fares by conductors. We suppose the company had good reoson for issuing the last order on this matter, but to the ordinary mind such a regulation seems unnecessary, and that it is not practicable is shown by the numerous suspensions amongst conductors since it came into force.

The following announcement will be read with interest by shippers in all parts of the country :—

"The Canadian lake and rail lines advise that taking effect Nev. 15th, all westbound rates will be restore i to tariff. Goods contracted for at lower rates must be in transit before that date. The Union Transit Co. advise that they will decline to receive freight at Buffalo after Nov. 9th, Cleveland Nov. 11th, and Detroit and Port Huron, Nov. 12th. The Western Transit company and Anchor lines will not receive freight at Buffalo later than Nov. 10th and Cleveland Nov. 12th. Shipments from New York should be in transit on or before Nov. 5th."

A branch of the C. M. B. A. is in course of organization at Lethbridge. We are glad to see that this organization is making steady progress in Manitoba and the Northwest. There are many points yet at which branches could be established and we would earnestly recommend any of our readers residing in such localities to at once take the matter in hand. The C. M. B. A. is going forward by leaps and bounds in Canada ; it can be found in a flourishing condition in almost every parish in eastern Canada, and there is no reason that we can see why the same should not be soon said of the west.

St. Boniface College.

The literary society has already had two successful meetings. The director is Father Bourque, S. J. ; president, L. Dubuc ; vice-president, Marius Cinq-Mars ; secretary, Noel Bernier ; first counsellor, Raoul Tasse ; second counsellor, F. LaChance. The meeting was taken up chiefly with the election of the foregoing officers. There were also two readings given, "Mort de Charles I" by the president and "La Battaille de Hastings," by the vice-president. Both of these gentlemen also spoke with acceptance at the second meeting, the former on the advantages afforded by a literary socsety such as this,and the latter on "L'Importance du Discours." Both were repeatedly applauded. These speeches were followed by others from the secretary, and the first and second counsellors. Mr. Tasse read a selection from Buffon's "Discours sur le Style."

The S. B. C. Athletic association is in full swing. The following officers were duly elected : President, Marius Cinq-Mars ; secretary, Noel Bernier ; committee on games, baseball—Thomas J. Dillon, vice Anthony Gingras, who has left college to take up the study of medicine; football—Raoul Tasse ; handball—Gustave Rocan ; billiards—Fortunat LaChance , other indoor games, Joseph Poitras ; toboggan slide—J. H. LeBlanc ; skating rink—Arthur Clement.

Professor Laffey, late with Kops Bros., Chicago, delighted the students last Wednesday by his marvellous skill as a violinist. From the most complicated opera pieces to his clever imitation of the bagpipes he was at home in everything and seemed to make light of appalling musical problems.

Dr. J. K. Barrett's Mother.

Mrs. Barrett, wife of Mr. Charles Barrett, of Puslinch, died at the family residence on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, at the age of 75 years and 6 months. She was the second daughter of the late Mr. John Barrett, of Puslinch. Her father was one of the pioneers of that township, coming there from Ireland in 1831, and at the time of his death was one of the wealthiest and most respected farmers in the county. Mrs. Barrett was born in county Mayo, Ireland, in 1820, and married Mr. Charles Barrett at Hamilton on the 7th of February, 1847. They removed from Hamilton to Puslinch in 1854, her husband having purchased the McGregor farm, where she died. Deceased and her husband had lived on this farm for the past 40 years. She had always good health until about a year ago, when she became afflicted with congestion of the liver, and,although she partially recovered, she was never really well. Recently it was noticed that she was failing rapidly, and since August she has been confined to her room, growing steadily weaker until her death. She was of a kind and gentle nature, and was universally beloved by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. Her sons, Mr. R. A. Barrett, Rusk, Texas, and Dr. J. K. Barrett, Winnipeg, Manitoba, who were called to her deathbed, arrived on Saturday, coming in time to see their mother before her death. Her funeral, which took place on Friday morning, to the Roman Catholic church, Hespeler, and thence to the Roman Catholic cemetery, was very large, and evinced the deep respect in which she and the family are held by their neighbors and friends. Besides the sorrowing husband the deceased leaves a family of five children to mourn her loss,one son having predeceased her about four years ago. Of the others, Dr. J. K. Barrett is inspector of inland revenue for the Northwest Territories and is located at Winnipeg, Robt. A. and Peter are both in Rusk, Texas, and Charles and a daughter, Agnes, are both at home.—Guelph Mercury.

A Traveller's Opinion.

The Rev. H. R. Haweis, a prominent Anglican clergyman, of London, England, who some time ago passed through the city on a lecturing tour, and was listened to by immense audiences, has a most interesting and at the same time extraordinary article in this month's Contemporary Review. It is entitled "The New Clergy" and is a very candid admission of the feelings of a large number of Anglicans regarding the needs of their church in this direction. This, however, does not concern us just now, but we think our readers will be interested in reading the following extract as coming from a man who travelled through this country with his eyes open and is quite competent to form an opinion on the matter he deals with. Deploring the condition of the Anglican church, not only at home, but particularly abroad, he says :

"The Non-conformist preachers lead in the big cities, whilst the Roman Catholic church throughout the United States and Canada more than holds its own against all the sects put together by its single heartedness, power of adaptation, instinctive recognition of popular thought currents, its personal devotion and sagacity."

DEATH OF A PRELATE.

One of Rome's Most Prominent Ecclesiastics Died in Montreal.

Mgr. O'Bryen, rector of the church of St. Andrea Del Fratre, Rome, died Suddenly at St. Patrick's presbytery this afternoon. His Grace was overcome by a fainting fit on Sunday morning while saying Mass in St. Patrick's church, and had since that time been at the presbytery. On Sunday he was very low, and at his own request the last rites of the church were administered to him by the Rev. Father Quinlivan. On Monday, however, it was thought that he had recovered, although he was still weak, and rest was considered imperative by his medical adviser. This afternoon His Grace took dinner as usual, and afterwards remarked that he would go out for a walk. He did not do so, however, for, as he was speaking to a priest, he dropped dead. Deceased was a Roman prelate of considerable prominence, his work, "Is the Pope a Prisoner," having attracted worldwide attention.—Free Press, Oct. 24.

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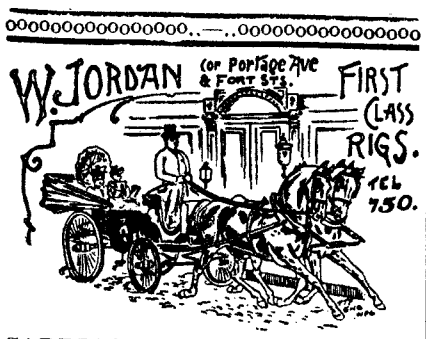

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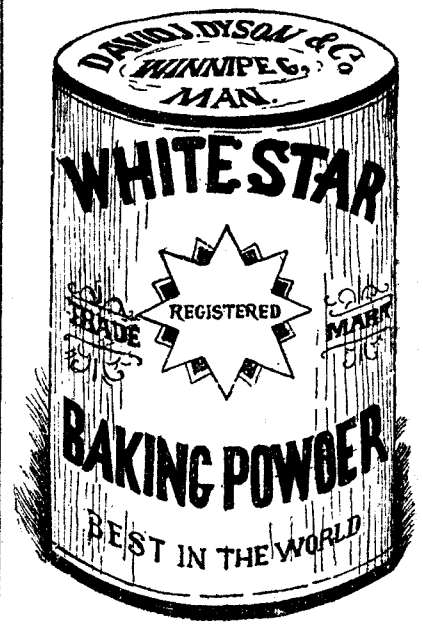

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