

JOURNALISM

Business Methods of the Secular Press

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Again he asked: "What do you want?" but his voice was not so harsh as before.

"You sent for me, sir?" said the reporter, in an apologetic tone, as though ashamed of being alive in the presence of the great editor of the great daily.

"I believe you did, sir," replied the reporter, as he struck an attitude. Now the fact of the matter was that the great editor had forgotten that such a person as Joyce was in existence.

"Yes, sir, it does, sir, and you know it, sir!" shouted the now irate, but still great, editor. The reporter began to feel that he was being badly treated, and this gave him courage, so he forgot that he was a great daily reporter.

"In what way, sir?" asked the "failure." The question had a remarkable effect. The great editor gasped; beads of perspiration stood, unaided, upon his brow; he was about to have an apoplectic fit, but was saved the trouble.

The "failure" had waited while the great editor read the report, and, noticing the change which had come over the great editor's face, he returned to the attack.

"Well, sir," he began, "will you be good enough to tell me why I am dismissed?"

The face of the great editor became black as a thunder-cloud. "You do not know! Then I shall tell you. I sent you to Ottawa to write up the Smith murder case, did I not?"

"I think, sir," he said, "that I wrote a very full and good report."

"You think so?" shouted the editor.

"Well, now, let us see. Did you point out the fact that the murderer smoked six cigars per day? Answer me!"

"No, sir, I didn't think of that."

"Did you tell how fond he was of chicken?"

"No, sir."

"Good gracious, no!" "Did you travel over an almost impassable country-road to interview the murderer's alleged sweet-heart?"

"The face of the 'failure' was a study. His eyes looked like saucers as question after question poured into his listening ears.

"The other day I sent you to look into that suicide case. How did you do it?"

"The invited guests were the Grand Officers of the Association and the Presidents of the sister branches of the city.

We all know that a straw tells which way the wind blows, but when the afore-said straw has been converted into paper which, in turn, is transformed into the Daily This or the Daily That, it cannot be said to indicate the bent of the minds of its readers.

An editor will look about him, and having ascertained that his readers comprise about three-fourths of the population—the clean minded three-fourths—makes up his mind to gather in the other fourth—the dirty fourth.

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The meeting of delegates from the Irish Societies of Montreal was held in the Hibernia Hall, on Sunday evening, the 14th inst., and organized to celebrate, in a praiseworthy and patriotic spirit, the coming Centenary of 1798, and to commemorate in a becoming manner the heroic efforts of the martyrs to the cause of Irish liberty of that sad but glorious period.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. W. Rawley, and Mr. J. McIver acted as secretary. After the committees on credentials had made their report, the meeting proceeded to elect permanent officers, with the following result:

Chairman, B. Wall; vice-chairman, W. Rawley; secretary, J. P. O'Hara; corresponding secretary, B. Feeney; treasurer, A. Thompson; trustees, J. McIver, W. P. Stanton and J. Kennedy.

The election of the remaining members of the executive committee was deferred until the next meeting, which will be called by the officers at an early date.

ST. PATRICK'S T. A. & B. SOCIETY.

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the hall adjoining the church. Quite an amount of business was transacted at this meeting.

The Society usually holds a religious demonstration in St. Patrick's Church on the first Sunday of Advent in each year, but owing to the Mission opening on that date the celebration will take place next Sunday evening, Nov. 21st.

The St. Ann's and St. Gabriel's T. A. & B. Societies will also attend in a body, and a sermon appropriate to the occasion will be delivered.

C. M. B. A. OF CANADA.

Branch 26 of the C.M.B.A. of Canada celebrated its 14th anniversary by an "At Home" at the Queen's Hall, on the evening of Wednesday, 10th Nov.

The invited guests were the Grand Officers of the Association and the Presidents of the sister branches of the city.

Amongst those present were Grand Deputy T. P. Tansey and Mrs. Tansey; Grand Deputy Joseph Girard and Mrs. Girard; Grand Deputy P. Reynolds and Mrs. Reynolds; Grand Deputy J. J. Costigan and Mrs. Costigan; Grand Chancellor T. J. Finn and Miss Finn; President W. J. McElroy; Branch 41, and Mrs. and Miss McElroy; President M. J. P. Llan, Branch 50 and Mrs. and Miss P. Llan; President A. H. Spalding, Branch 140, and Mrs. Spalding; President Dr. Germain, Branch 142; President T. M. Ireland, Branch 132, and Mrs. Ireland; Brother M. Egan, Mrs. Egan; Miss Sharkey; Brother John Houlihan and Mrs. Houlihan; Dr. P. Llan and Mrs. P. Llan; Bro. Richard and Lady; Bro. R. Cogan; Bro. J. C. Walsh, B.C.L.; Bro. F. J. Curran, B.C.L.; Bro. John P. Curran; Bro. Jas. Murphy and Mrs. Murphy; A.D. Gillies and Misses Gillies and ladies; Bro. John S. Shea, Mrs. Shea, Master Shea, Miss Shea; Mr. and Mrs. Palmer; Bro. J. E. Shortall and Lady; Brother Chancellor D. J. McGillis, Mrs. McGillis, Master McGillis, Miss McGillis; Brother W. H. Griffin, Mrs. Griffin; Bro. John H. Feeley and Lady; Master E. Feeley, Miss Feeley; Master John A. R. Wain and Miss R. Wain; Mr. W. F. Costigan, Miss Lill; Costigan; Bro. Wm. P. Doyle and Lady; Miss Simonson; Miss Watkins; Mr. Crowley, Miss Crowley; Bro. A. McCulloch, Mrs. McCulloch; Bro. J. E. Brown and Ladies; Bro. W. W. Halpin; Bro. J. M. McMahon and Ladies; Mr. Jas. Milloy; Miss Milloy; Mr. Lamare and Lady; Bro. W. E. Daraek; Mr. J. Barbeau; Bro. Cuddy and Lady; Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher; Mr. W. J. Stuart and Miss Stuart; Mr. J. Burke, Miss Burke; Miss Ling; Miss D. Dunally; Mrs. and Mrs. C. Webb; Mr. O. J. Tansey, and about fifty others.

At the opening, President Sharkey made a brief address of welcome. A most enjoyable programme of music and song followed, conducted by Bro. John S. Shea, in which Bro. Palmer, Master Shea, Miss Shea, and others took part.

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St. Anthony's Branch, No. 50, C.M.B.A., Grand Council of Canada, will celebrate the eleventh anniversary of its organization by a supper and social in the Queen's Assembly Rooms, Thanksgiving Eve, Wednesday, Nov. 24th.

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Random Notes

The theatre-hat question, as related to churches, says a New York secular journal is likely to be seriously considered if the autumn fashion lasts through the winter.

A sanitary expert recently sounded a note of alarm against indiscriminate drinking from wayside wells by bicyclists or other travellers.

Marriage is fast becoming a farce in certain circles in the United States. In reading over an American paper I find on the same page two items adorned with big headlines,—one is entitled, "Married in a lion's den" and the other "Elope on a tandem."

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the man finds his true life's companion. It is within the sacred precincts of the home, where, safeguarded by another old world woman, the maiden is being trained to shine in the sphere God and nature has appointed.

In referring to the fact that the late Henry George died poor, the Ottawa Free Press points out that he lost the money which he made in connection with his noted book, "Progress and Poverty," in the endeavor to establish a newspaper in New York.

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leading Irish Catholics of this district. She was married in this city and sometime afterwards took up her residence at New York, where she was highly esteemed for her many womanly qualities.

HINTS TO DELINQUENT SUBSCRIBERS

There are a few hints that a Georgia paper has recently given to its delinquent subscribers: "Wood on subscription would be acceptable now."

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