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### Holy Name Sunday

anday, the 21st February, witness-

AT ST. BRIDE'S, P. B.

a most imposing spectacle here. It vas Holy Name Sunday and everyone the church practically, not only ory man, young and old, but women and girls, received Holy Communion course this is no unusual thing, since our present parish priest us, our very dearly beloved Fr. O'Callaghan, it is a daily scene to witness large numbers at Holy Comnunion. But last Sunday was the nore remarkable because of the magffcence and charm which our newly imbellished and surpassingly beautiof gratitude to our good parish riest. Father O'Callaghan has per-Our church hitherto unpainted inside now uncommonly beautiful. He has added three new altars and a pulit all of which, with the church has

een richly decorated and skillfully mented by Mr. Duffy whom our vered priest has brought from St ohn's, and Mr. Duffy is an artist ine exterior has been attended to as fine towers have been added and nd a charm, hitherto absent, to the nurch. We are all exceedingly proud our church now and of the priest's use which, too, has had the taste nd thought of good Fr. O'Callaghan vished upon it, and no finer priest's lence, we venture to say, can be cund in Newfoundland.

We are proud of our esteemed parish priest who never tires in tructing us in the truths of our holy eligion, and who is always at our all immediately, and who always st forcibly impresses us with his werful and eloquent sermons. Truly hat "St. John's loss was St. Bride's es. To see the men, young and old, flock around him and giving him their ne and labour day afte rday, most ager and anxious to be asked, and are now getting ready at his call build a beautiful new school and and to beautify the grounds und the church and presbytery and We often heard of Fr. O'Callaghan's menal success in St. John's in verything he undertook, and accordig to St. John's people his undertakgs were very numerous, but always

est with success. How he increased membership of Societies-notabl ing upwards of one thousand embers in the one year during which we learn he was Chaplain, and of how e closed the saloons at six o'clock and a multitude of other good works. But we question very much, if he, much as he did in his own inimitable and fearless way, accomplished more St. John's than, he has done in this parish in one year. Here there is it was not so. The whole spiritual at osphere with the absence of the above mentioned abominations has ntirely changed. Daily Mass is argely attended-result-a better, nore intelligent, happier people exist. May God bless and spare our dear good king priest to us is the prayer of old and young, and this tribute is at a weak outpouring of what we all

eel for our highly esteemed pastor. A PARISHIONER.

clothes. He will be none the worse being "a bit of a dandy," provided is not allowed to be extravagant little legitimate pride in his tie, the at of his clothes, and the shape of his llar, will produce a tidy, neat man, sliking slovenly ways, with a knowof what to wear and how to

is believed that everything one ers is imprinted upon our brain. If is the case, how important it is plant the brain of a little child with sensible ideas, that will crop up ad in due course bear good fruit.

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rood died there last week. Decease was in his seventy-sixth year, wa stricken down with sickness all the winter, and was well fortified with the rites of Holy Church when he re ceived the death summons on Thursday last. In his younger days, Mr. Penny was a successful planter at the Labrador fishery and for many years operated a room at Brig Har bor. He had a skilled knowledge o the coast and was sometimes employed as a pilot there. Since 1898 he filled the position of ferryman or he North Arm, satisfactorily, always ready and willing to serve a passen ger. He was one of the oldest members of the Star of the Sea Association, which repaired to the home of their deceased brother member and took part in processional order at his funeral obsequies. His funeral took place on Saturday morning from his late home to the Church of Holy Cross where High Mass of Requien was sung by Rev. W. P. Finn, P.P. for the eternal repose of his sou thence to the Central Cemetery where of his good wife who predeceased him sorrowing sons and daughters we

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Verdun, the greatest fortress in France, is a little city of 13,000 people surrounded by vine-and-gun clad hills. Verdun is France's repartee to Metz. which sits across the border, not far away, and is so fiercely fortified that an English sparrow has to imitate a Hartz canary before it can get ers reporting a chest of life belts through the lines. Verdun has sixvashed ashore on Coll Island. West of teen large forts and thirty small ones, Scotland, supposed to be the wreckeach one bristling with guns and armored with steel, concrete, barbed wire My son was chief engineer on that and granite. Not a single one of these ship and is gone down with her ill-

because they are stuffed with guns. It be very thankful for any information is because they have been protected concerning the identity of the wreckwith spades. War changes all things, and it has lone away with the ancient custom of using a fort to protect an army. Now-A. W. PARSONS. adays the army goes out in front of a fort, digs trenches and protects the fort, while the garrison plays check-7 Whitehall Gardens.

ers and dusts off the big guns. The forts of Verdun have done wonders in the last forty years in warding off insomnia from the French nation, but I am directed by the Board of Trade | their work is over.

o refer to your letter of the 16th January last on the subject of a good state of preservation nowadays chest supposed to belong to the S. S. is to keep the enemy entirely away Southern Cross recently washed from it. If the Germans get within ashore on the Island of Coll, on the ten miles of Verdun, they will begin building concerte foundations and get-The Board have caused enquiries to | ting on them guns with mouths like e made in the matter and have been the crater of Vesuvius. A little later the forts of Verdun would rise in chest of life-belts was washed ashore to the air in a confused manner, and on the island in question, but that it retire from the landscape amid gener was badly damaged and full of bar- al regret.

nacles, and only the cork of the life-Verdun has been in the fort busibelts remained. Owing to the damness for almost two thousand years aged state of the chest, and to the ex- It belonged to the Belgians 1,900 years ago, and after the Romans had pense that would have been necessary captured it, they admitted that the to obtain it, the owners of the S. S. Southern Cross declined to claim the Belgians were tougher than the Goths and the smallpox combined Later on, the Austrians, Germans and The Board regret that they are not a position to furnish you with any French took turns in occupying Verurther particulars of the chest in -which it did in each instance. question, but they desire to add that

Peaceful towns like London, which from the particulars mentioned above has never had anything worse than a the chest does not appear to have been the personal property of any of the ofgreat fire, or a Wat Tyler rebellion would not be so agitated over airship raids if they had had a little of Ver dun's experience. An airship raid would be a pleasant diversion for Verdun, after having entertained five varieties of conquerors in its shellspangled past.

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greatly enhanced. No doubt one who has been engaged in cooking or superintending the dinner will have cause to complain of a florid complexion. While this is only a natural result and one not to be ashamed of, still it is necessary to appear so at the table, and does it increase one's charm? Knowing that heat and exercise will bring not only the color to the face, and in many cases grease, it is one's duty to remove both for one's good appearance

sake, if for no other reason. This is best done by wining the face with a soothing astringent lotion, and then applying an even coat of good face powder: the cheeks will have enough color. Some women object to the use of face powder, but there is no harm done in using it provided the right sort is used and a good cream used before it is well cleansed before

retiring. Burns on the hands and arms are of frequent occurrence to the housewife; aside from the pain caused, they do not add to one's charms. In case of a burn at once apply linseed or sweet oil to the parts affected and then thickly cover with baking soda and bind with a soft cloth; in ordinary cases of burn this will shortly relieve

Small rents in garments may be unickly mended so that the damage will never be detected, but by continued wear, if not mended, the damage may become irreparable. Wearing a gown that is imperfect only excites dverse comments and detracts from one's general good appearance. So it is better to take the stitch in time.

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