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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

MR. FOY IMPROVING.
Mr. John Foy is out of immediate danger, and it is hoped will rapidly recover his health.
HON. MR. HARTY FOR THE DOMINION.

and outside the city will hear of his death with sincere sympathy. R. I. P.

CATHOLIC TRUTH SOCIETY, ST. MARY'S BRANCH
The regular meeting was held in the rooms corner Queen and Bathurst streets, on Monday night. An address was delivered by Mr. W. T. J. Lee on "Catholic Societies, Their Advantage and Necessity."

CHRISTMAS IN TORONTO.
The celebration of the great feast of the Nativity was observed throughout Catholic Canada with undiminished solemnity. From all parts of the Dominion our exchanges bring us long reports of Christmas observance.

EX-ALD. JOHN DUNN.
Ex-Ald. John Dunn presents himself for re-election in Ward 5. There are several reasons why it would be desirable to see him back in the Council. The first is his long record of uncompromising independence as an alderman.

the candid expression of his opinion in Council. His votes, likewise, were given as decisively as his views were stated. As a citizen of large and important interests, he could always be relied upon to take practical ground and hold it.

ST. JOSEPH'S SEPARATE SCHOOL, THOROLD.
Thorold, Dec. 30.—Senior IV.—1st, D. O'Brien; 2nd, K. Flynn; 3rd, J. Foley. Good Conduct—D. O'Brien, K. Flynn, J. Foley, D. Battle, P. McMahon. Junior IV.—1st, J. Frye; 2nd, R. Battle; 3rd, J. Garner. Good Conduct—J. Frye, R. Battle, J. Garner, F. Roach, J. Rockett, T. McDermott. Primary Good Conduct—R. Battle, J. Ferguson, M. Cartmell, R. McKeague, J. Cartmell.

ANOTHER MAJUBA ON CHRISTMAS MORNING.
(Toronto Globe Special.)

London, Dec. 31, a. m. — It is now possible to sum up the full extent of the blow which Dewet inflicted at Tweefontein on Christmas morning. The corrected lists of casualties show 61 killed, 54 wounded and 245 prisoners. This means that Colonel Ferman's column was annihilated, as the four companies of Yeomanry of which it was composed would not in any event have comprised more than 400 men, and the probability is that each company was slightly below full strength.

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GOD AND THE CONSCIENCE.
Conscience considered as a moral sense, an intellectual sentiment, is a sense of admiration and disgust, of approbation and blame; but it is something more than a moral sense. It is always what the sense of the beautiful is only in certain cases — it is always emotional.

Short addresses were also given by Rev. Father Finnegan, Deputy High C. R. Neander. Past Chief Ranger C. J. McCabe and others. The election of Bro. McBrady as Chief Ranger augurs well for the success of the Order. Few Catholic young men are as well known throughout the Province of Ontario as he.

READING ALOUD.
The season of the shortest days and the longest evenings has come, and the leisure hours which are always given so largely to outdoor recreation during the summer will now be devoted to indoor reading.

The occasion seems a fitting one to say a word on behalf of a practice never so popular as it ought to be, and perhaps somewhat less followed now than in former times — the practice of reading aloud.

The habit, like anxiety, blesses him that gives and him that takes. To read to one's self is often to be satisfied with a knowledge of words as they appear to the eye. To read aloud is to acquire also a knowledge of words as they sound. There is nothing which will so surely correct mispronunciation. Nearly every reader will recall words which he has long known by sight, but with which he has never taken the trouble to acquire a speaking acquaintance. While he reads only to himself he can slur them over or give them some makeshift pronunciation, which serves to identify them and saves the trouble of consulting the dictionary.

In the cultivation of the voice lies a further recommendation. The practice of reading aloud brings increased vocal power and tends to establish the habit of an agreeable inflection and a distinct enunciation.

Lastly, it makes the other members of the family partners in the pleasure and mental stimulus. It is not alone the reader who is enriched. The tired mother, busy with her mending, is borne into far, strange lands. The stirring scenes of history or fiction march before her, and while she works she is also uplifted and refreshed.

C. O. F.
That Catholic Forestry is a popular Catholic organization of the Province, and particularly of Toronto, was demonstrated on Thursday evening last at the annual election of officers of St. Joseph Court No. 370.

The Catholic Order of Foresters in general, and St. Joseph's Court particularly, has every reason to be proud of Chief Ranger McBrady. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: L. V. McBrady, C. R. (acclamation); J. J. Regan, V. C. R.; P. J. Murphy, Recording Secretary; Wm. Mitchell, Financial Secretary; W. F. Brooks, Treasurer; Dr. P. J. Brown, Court Physician, Trustees, John Cullen, John Erz, James O'Dea. M. F. M.

DEATHS
SMITH — On December 30th, 1901, at his late residence, 381 Markham street, William J. Smith, aged 61 years.

Funeral from above address on Thursday, Jan. 2nd, at 9.30 o'clock, to St. Peter's Church, thence to St. Michael's Cemetery.

DOHONEY — On the 26th of December, Margaret Dohoney, aged 25 years.

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THE MARKET REPORTS.
British Live Stock Trade—Grain and Provisionals—The Latest Quotations. Monday Evening, Dec. 30. Toronto Stock Exchange Market.

Receipts of grain were very light on the street market this morning, only 600 bushels of wheat. Prices were about steady.

Wheat—Was steady, 100 bushels of white selling at 80c per bushel, 100 bushels of red at 78c per bushel and 100 bushels of rye at 65c per bushel.

Barley—Was steady, 100 bushels selling at 55c per bushel. Oats—Were easier, 200 bushels selling at 45c per bushel.

Wool—Was firmer, 15 loads selling at \$11 to \$12 per load for timothy and \$7 to \$8.50 per ton for clover.

Straw—Receipts were nil. The Visible Supply. Dec. 30, '01 Dec. 31, '00 Jan. 2, '02

Wheat ... 58,045,000 61,400,000 58,281,000
Corn ... 11,252,000 10,654,000 11,000,000
Oats ... 8,700,000 8,200,000 8,000,000
Rye ... 2,481,000 1,282,000 1,288,000
Barley ... 2,410,000 1,902,000 1,400,000
Wheat increased 107,000 bushels the past week. A year ago wheat decreased 64,000 bushels.

British Cattle Markets.
London, Dec. 30.—United States cattle, 640 to 900; Canadian, 380 to 600; United States and Canadian sheep, 640 to 600. Trade fair.

Montreal Live Stock.
Montreal, Dec. 30.—There were about 800 head of beef cattle, 35 calves, 150 sheep and lambs offered for sale at the east end abattoir to-day. The butchers turned out strong and were much pleased with the abundant supply of beef cattle, but were in no hurry to buy until the drovers were willing to accept a considerable reduction in the prices paid last week.

Chicago Live Stock.
Chicago, Dec. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,500; heavy Canada short cut mixed pork, \$21.00 to \$21.50; stockers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.25; cows, \$1.25 to \$4.00; heifers, \$1.75 to \$2.25; calves, \$1.25 to \$2.00; yearlings, \$1.50 to \$2.00; mixed, \$1.50 to \$2.00; light, \$1.25 to \$1.50; bulk of sales, \$1.25 to \$1.50; sheep—Receipts, 25,000; heavy wethers, steady to 15c lower; good to choice wethers, \$4 to \$4.50; fair to choice mixed, \$3 to \$3.50; light wethers, \$3.75 to \$4.50; native lambs, \$3 to \$4; western lambs, \$4.50 to \$5.00.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.
East Buffalo, Dec. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,500 head; active, 10c to 15c higher on best export steers and 10c to 20c higher for good butchers' grades; best steers, \$4.50; good to choice shipping, \$3.75 to \$4.25; medium to heavy, \$3.25 to \$3.75; mixed, \$2.75 to \$3.25; butchers, \$2.50 to \$3.00; cows, \$1.75 to \$4.50; veals, choice, \$2.50 to \$3.75; young stock, \$1.50 to \$2.25; mixed, \$1.50 to \$2.00; heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; pigs, \$3.75 to \$4.50; light do, \$3 to \$4.10; mixed packers, \$2.40 to \$2.80; medium to heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; roughs, \$2.50 to \$3.75; stags, \$2.25 to \$4.50. Sheep—Receipts, 15,400 head; active, 10c to 15c higher; Yorkers, \$4.50; light do, \$3 to \$4.10; mixed packers, \$2.40 to \$2.80; medium to heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; roughs, \$2.50 to \$3.75; stags, \$2.25 to \$4.50. Cattle—Receipts, 15,400 head; active, 10c to 15c higher; Yorkers, \$4.50; light do, \$3 to \$4.10; mixed packers, \$2.40 to \$2.80; medium to heavy, \$2.50 to \$3.50; roughs, \$2.50 to \$3.75; stags, \$2.25 to \$4.50.

Montreal Grain and Produce.
Montreal, Dec. 30.—Grain—The market is quiet and unchanged. Peas sold east at \$1.75 to \$1.80; clover, \$1.75 to \$1.80; alfalfa, \$1.75 to \$1.80; timothy, \$1.75 to \$1.80; mixed, \$1.75 to \$1.80; clover, \$1.75 to \$1.80; alfalfa, \$1.75 to \$1.80; timothy, \$1.75 to \$1.80; mixed, \$1.75 to \$1.80.

Flour—Business is unusually active for the season and prices are unchanged. We quote: Superior extra, \$3.00 to \$3.25; extra, \$2.75 to \$3.00; first, \$2.50 to \$2.75; second, \$2.25 to \$2.50; third, \$2.00 to \$2.25; fourth, \$1.75 to \$2.00; fifth, \$1.50 to \$1.75; sixth, \$1.25 to \$1.50; seventh, \$1.00 to \$1.25; eighth, \$0.75 to \$1.00; ninth, \$0.50 to \$0.75; tenth, \$0.25 to \$0.50.

Butter—There is a fair local demand for best grades at full prices. Finest townships full creamery, 20c to 20c; finest Quebec full creamery, 20c to 20c; mixed, 19c to 19c; western dairy, 18c to 18c; Manitoba dairy, 18c to 18c; strictly fresh, 28c to 30c; selected cold storage, 22c to 22c; Montreal creamery, 18c to 18c; finest, 18c to 18c; second, 17c to 17c; third, 16c to 16c; fourth, 15c to 15c; fifth, 14c to 14c; sixth, 13c to 13c; seventh, 12c to 12c; eighth, 11c to 11c; ninth, 10c to 10c; tenth, 9c to 9c.

Provisions—The market is very quiet, but prices are unchanged. We quote: Selected heavy Canada short cut mixed pork, \$22 to \$23; heavy Canada short cut mixed pork, \$21 to \$22; Canada short cut mixed pork, \$20 to \$21; heavy Canada short cut mixed pork, \$22 to \$23; heavy Canada short cut mixed pork, \$21 to \$22; Canada short cut mixed pork, \$20 to \$21; heavy Canada short cut mixed pork, \$22 to \$23; heavy Canada short cut mixed pork, \$21 to \$22; Canada short cut mixed pork, \$20 to \$21.

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