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## NOTES FROM OTTAWA

(From our own Correspondent.)

Mr. Amédée Tremblay, organist of the Basilica, has conducted the opening of a new organ in the church of Sherbrooke parish.

Rev. Father Limoges, who resigned from the parish of St. Agathe, Que., some time ago, through ill-health, has again resumed charge, having fully recovered from his illness.

Mgr. Mathieu, rector of Laval University, Quebec, was the guest of Archbishop Duhamel, recently while returning to Quebec from Pembroke.

Rev. Father Honore of the Capuchin Monastery has left for Quebec, where he will join Rev. Fathers Candide and Albert of that institution on a visit to France. Rev. Father Honore will be away about four months.

Archbishop Duhamel presided at two confirmation ceremonies recently, one in the Gloucester Street Convent and the other in St. Joseph's Orphanage. At both institutions the number of those who were confirmed compared favorably with other years.

The annual visit of the Archbishop to the parishes throughout the diocese will be begun on May 16th and it is expected, will be concluded on July 19th. Exclusive of those in the city there are about thirty-five parishes in the diocese.

There has been two transfers of curates recently. Rev. Father G. Lebeau, who has been stationed at St. Agathe, Que., has been appointed curate of the Basilica. Rev. Father Bonchard of the Basilica, will be stationed in St. Anne's parish of this city as curate to Rev. Father Myland.

Brother Malachy Edward, a noted educationalist and Provincial of the Christian Brothers, who died recently at Maisonneuve, was director of St. Patrick's parish, this city some years ago. As official visitor of the Schools under the director of the Christian Brothers in Ontario, he frequently visited this city, previous to his illness.

In aid of the sufferers in the Notre Dame De Salette landslide, Rev. Father Lemay, the parish priest of that village took up a collection at High Mass in the Basilica recently when over ninety dollars was subscribed. The priests of the Oblate Order in Hull have donated twenty-five dollars to a fund for the same purpose which was opened in that city.

The ordination of Mgr. Roy, of Quebec, as auxiliary Bishop to Archbishop Bégin, was the subject of much interest here as Mgr. Roy has many friends in this city. As president of the Action Sociale Catholique Society, of Quebec, he recently delivered a series of addresses in this diocese, in which he aroused much favorable interest in the work of that organization. In other Catholic circles he is also well-known throughout the province of Quebec. Archbishop Duhamel, accompanied by Mgr. Routhier, V.G., was present at the ceremony.

At the annual meeting of St. Patrick's Literary and Scientific Association it was decided to inaugurate a membership campaign when it is hoped the official list will be increased to the 1,500 mark. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Mr. J. G. Kilt; First Vice-President, Mr. John O'Leary; Second Vice-President, Mr. James McLaughlin; Recording-Secretary, Mr. R. T. Young; Financial-Secretary, Mr. C. F. O'Neill; Treasurer, Mr. J. F. Moran, Jr.; and Librarian, Mr. H. A. O'Meara.

A most successful concert and debate was recently held by the Debating Society of the University of Ottawa. The subject, "Resolved that Woman Suffrage is Just and Expedient," was one of ample opportunities and the contest was interesting throughout. The negative was successful—the prize for the best individual address, being awarded to Mr. A. Stanton, who spoke in conjunction



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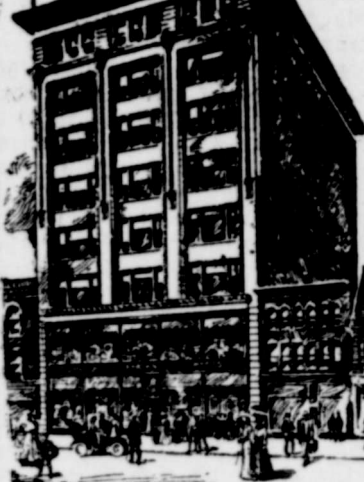
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with Mr. J. C. Connaghan. The affirmative was upheld by Messrs. F. O. Linke and E. L. Ginn, while judges were Dr. Anthony Freeland, Mr. E. P. Stanton and Mr. F. Grey, M.A. A concert of much merit was also presented during the evening.

As his personal subscription to the Quebec Battlefields Fund, Archbishop Duhamel has donated \$100 through Rev. Father Fortier, convenor of the Ottawa University Committee. The Archbishop has decided that collections should not be taken up in the local churches, as a collection has already been taken for the erection of a monument to Mgr. De Laval which will form part of the park scheme. It is understood by His Grace that local Catholics will contribute through their societies. At the request of Archbishop Duhamel Rev. Father Fortier will attend to the subscriptions from the clergy of the Diocese.

A new organ, recently installed in Holy Family church, Ottawa, East, has been formally blessed by Archbishop Duhamel, assisted by Rev. Father Gavary and Rev. Father Carlebois, the pastor. At High Mass Rev. Father Duvic officiated and was assisted by Rev. Fathers Lortie and Desmarais as deacon and sub-deacon. The sermons, appropriate to the occasion, were delivered by Rev. Fathers Fitzgerald and Gavary in English and French respectively. The organ was installed through the energetic management of the parishioners and the parochial societies. The ceremony was largely attended.

At a recent ceremony of profession in the Good Shepherd's Convent, five young ladies took the final vows while one was received into the holy habit. Archbishop Duhamel presided and was assisted by Rev. Father Lalonde of the Basilica. The ceremony was impressive and two splendid sermons, one in English and the other in French, were delivered by Very Rev. Canon Sloan and Rev. Father Gavary, chaplain of the community, respectively. Rev. Fathers Michel of Buckingham and McGuire of Ottawa University, were present, as were many relatives of the candidates for the holy vows. Those who entered into the profession were: Sister St. Elizabeth, Miss Evelyn Cote, Nicolet; Sister Mary St. Adrian, Miss Mary Josephine Gueymont, Nicolet; Sister St. Augustine, Miss Magdalen Cox, Buckingham; Sister St. John Joseph, Miss Dora Roy, Ottawa, and Sister St. Clair, Miss Marie Cote, Nicolet. Miss Therese Laperte, of East Templeton, Que., was received into the habit, taking the name of Sister St. Paul. Sisters St. Clair and St. Elizabeth, formerly the Misses Cote and Laperte, are cousins, and have three other cousins in the community, while Sister St. Paul (Miss Therese Loverty) has a cousin and an aunt in the convent of the Good Shepherd's.

The Archbishop has issued a circular to all the priests of the diocese, bearing upon the recent Encyclical on marriage. Probably the most specific point dwelt upon is that the priest officiating at a marriage ceremony must send certificates bearing full particulars of the ceremony to the church

or churches wherein the contracting parties were baptized. It is also made obligatory that the facts of the marriage be entered in the church register opposite to the baptismal entry. Should it prove impossible to learn the place of baptism or the address of the officiating priest, it becomes necessary that any information which may have been gathered, be sent to the secretary of the Archbishop. The circular also points out that it would greatly facilitate matters if the parties to the marriage would themselves, prepare the certificates previous to the ceremony. The ecclesiastical letter reads in part: "I declare that every priest fulfilling the functions of curate has, in the parish or mission where he exercises his sacred ministry, the power of assisting validly at marriage and of debating another priest in a particular case. The Decree is obligatory on Catholic parties as well as on those who have fallen away from the Catholic Church. Consequently, mixed marriages, as well as those which would not be celebrated in the presence of the parish priest or the Bishop and before two witnesses, will not be valid."

To the Fathers of the Company of Mary, in their Monastery on the Montreal Road, just outside of Ottawa, has been conveyed the pleasant information that two members of that Order, Rev. Fathers Guot and Prezeau, have been called to the Episcopacy by the Supreme Pontiff, Pius X. Rev. Father Auguste Prezeau, who has been appointed Vicar-Apostolic to the district of Shire, British Central Africa, has spent many years of his life in Canada. Born in France, he came to this country in 1890 and in the Scholasticate of Cyrville, now on the Montreal Road, he completed his theological studies and novitiate. He was ordained to the priesthood in May, 1890, Archbishop Duhamel officiating. Shortly afterwards he was appointed to Kingston, where several missions were being conducted by the Order. To a call from his Superior-General he proceeded to British Central Africa, where he founded three missions. St. Amand's of Neno; St. Mary's of Nzama, and St. Joseph's of Nguludi. During the years spent in that country the energetic missionary endured many hardships in the work of establishment, and his appointment to take charge of the now flourishing missions is undoubtedly a tribute to his zealous efforts.

Rev. Father Guot came to Canada as Secretary to the Superior-General of the Order in 1901, and has been an active member of the congregation since. He has now been called to the Vicariate Apostolic of St. Martin, in the vicinity of Bogota, capital Columbia, in South America.

## Re-opening of Martyrs' Shrine

The Martyrs' Shrine at Wauabushene will be re-opened on the first Thursday of June, when and on every Thursday afterwards till October. Mass will be said at 9 o'clock. It has been enlarged and refitted for the accommodation of pilgrims. It is the intention to have three general pilgrimages during the coming season, when many pilgrims from Ontario and from all parts of Canada are expected.

## NOTED BROTHER DEAD

(Continued from page one.)

long friends of the deceased and his fellow laborers in the cause of Catholic education in Ontario.

At the last regular meeting of the Catholic School Board of Toronto, held in the De La Salle Institute, Duke street, on Tuesday, May 5th, a resolution of sympathy to the Brothers in their bereavement, moved by Rev. Father Hand and seconded by Mr. D. A. Carey, was unanimously carried. Both Rev. Father Hand and Mr. Carey made touching reference to the deceased, and the good he had done for Catholic education in Toronto. It was principally to his efforts that we still possessed the Brothers in the city schools. He had been the instrument in the hands of God for the continuation and development of the good work being done in our midst, and to him the Catholic public owed a deep debt of gratitude.

At a special meeting of the De La Salle Literary and Athletic Association held on Monday, May 11th, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to call to its eternal reward the soul of Rev. Brother Malachy Edward, Provincial of the Brothers of the Christian Schools in Canada, and

Whereas, the deceased was a former pupil, and later a member of the teaching staff of this Institute, and

Whereas, by his self-sacrificing devotedness in the cause of Catholic education in this Province, and more especially in this City, he endeared himself to all classes of the community, and

Whereas, the Order of the Brothers of the Christian Schools in Canada has sustained in his death a very severe loss,

Be it resolved that this Association extend its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved communities of the order in this city.

Be it further resolved that we have Masses and prayers offered for the repose of his soul.

Signed on behalf of the Association.  
WILLIAM KELLY, President.  
FRANCIS RIORDAN, Secretary.

A testimony of the place which Bro. Malachy Edward holds in the hearts of the schools of Toronto, was given at the Cathedral on Tuesday morning, when one thousand of the pupils and their teachers assisted at a solemn High Mass of requiem for the repose of the soul of the deeply lamented Brother. The celebrant of the Mass was Very Rev. J. J. McCann, Vicar-General of the Archdiocese, assisted by Rev. Father Whelan of the Cathedral as deacon and Rev. Father McCabe of St. Paul's sub-deacon. His Grace Archbishop O'Connor, in cope and mitre, occupied the throne and gave the last absolution at the close of the Mass. Others in the sanctuary were Rev. J. P. Treacy, D.D., of Dixie, Rev. T. O'Donnell, of St. Mary's, Rev. F. Rhoder of St. Michael's, Rev. Father Murray, C.S.B., representing St. Michael's College, and Rev. Father Walsh of St. Cecilia's. The altar and pulpit were heavily draped and the music of the Mass was impressively sung by alternate choirs in sanctuary and loft,

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composed of chosen voices from the city schools. Pupils from all the parishes, amongst them several classes of girls in charge of the Sisters, made up the large body of children in attendance. Many adults also assisted, testifying to the general esteem in which the deceased was held.

That Brother Edward will be long and lovingly remembered there is no doubt, and many fervent prayers for the repose of his soul will ascend to the throne of the Most High from the lips and hearts of those for whom whilst on earth his best endeavors were spent. May he rest in peace and may perpetual light shine upon him.

## That Appeal for The Battlefields

We copy the following communication from the Ottawa Citizen:

Editor Citizen: In your issue of 2nd inst., appears a article under the above heading from the pen of Wilfrid Campbell, L.L.D., of the Privy Council department, some errors in which I desire to point out, seeing that some days have elapsed and the author has not corrected them. I have reference to one particular sentence in which it is said: "All races and creeds which go to make up our people have some reason to remember the old Citadel." French, Scottish, English, U. E. Loyalists, all have participated in the destiny (sic) of the rock of old Stadacona." Remark well, "All races and creeds." During a residence of over thirty-two years in the city of Donnacona and Champlain I must confess I have never known of any one, either orally or in writing, claiming descent from the U. E. Loyalists for any of its citizens. But this is a mere trifle in comparison with the omission of mention of a large and important portion of the population who in common with their fellow citizens "have some reason to remember the old Citadel," nor can the omission be attributed to a typographical error as the same article appears in the same shape in your contemporaries. In the hey-day of its prosperity the old City contained an element which I feel safe in saying equalled, if it did not outnumber, the other English-speaking elements combined, nor am I quite certain that the same proportion does not still exist. I mean the people of Irish birth or extraction. They had their representatives in the pulpit, as they have to-day, in Parliament, and in the Government, on the bench, at the bar, in the medical profession, and in trade and commerce. When the harbor was annually crowded with shipping, to the number of over a thousand sail, from Pointe au Carey to Sillery and Cap Rouge, the manual labor of loading and unloading them with the products of our forests was done by stalwart men, ninety per cent. of whom were of the race which the writer of the "Appeal" so studiously ignores. He even omits reference to his pet fad, the so-called "Scotch-Irish!"

As in the city of Quebec, so throughout this broad and free Dominion, men of Irish blood have done their share in building up "this Canada of ours," by brain and muscle and sinew. They have always contributed and do contribute their proper portion of the public revenue out of which, among the other outlays, come the monthly cheques for civil servant. A people composing, I dare say, one-fourth or one-fifth of the population should not be so flippantly passed over as of no account. At the annual banquet of the Colonial Institute in London the other evening among the speakers was Dr. Parker, who in the course of his remarks said: "The most probable dissolution of the Empire is ignorance of its component parts." It would scarcely be in order to attribute ignorance of the facts of history to a learned doctor of laws, so their remains only the alternative of—? Your obedient servant.

MATTHEW F. WALSH.  
Ottawa, May 9, 1908.

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## Funeral of Rev. Father O'Reilly of Oakville

The funeral of Rev. Father O'Reilly, parish priest of Oakville, took place on Wednesday morning at 10.30 o'clock, a solemn requiem being celebrated by Rev. Fr. Craven of Galt, assisted by Rev. Frs. Fitzpatrick of St. Andrews, as deacon, and Corcoran of Teeswater as sub-deacon, with Rev. Fr. Cote of Hamilton master of ceremonies. The choir, led by Prof. Morrissey at the organ, consisted of

Messrs. O'Brien, Walsh, Lawlor, Staunton, of Hamilton, assisted by some of the visiting clergy. At the conclusion of the ceremonies Fr. Craven announced in a few words that in keeping with the expressed desire of the late Fr. O'Reilly there would be no panegyrics and would only carry out the wish of the deceased in requesting all the friends of the late parish priest of St. Andrew's to pray for the repose of his soul. The sacred edifice was crowded with friends of deceased of all denominations, and an opportunity was afforded all who wished to do so to take a last look at his familiar face. Fr. O'Reilly is the first resident priest to die in this parish. The large attendance at the funeral spoke volumes for the love and esteem in which the deceased was held. Following are the names of the visiting clergy: Revs. J. J. Craven of Galt, M. Fitzpatrick of St. Andrew's, J. J. Corcoran of Teeswater, J. Cunningham and W. Ferguson of Brantford, M. Hahn of St. Clements, J. T. Kelly of St. Forest, G. Murphy of Dundas, Becker of Dundas, Cleary of Caledonia, Doyle of Freeton, Crofton of Hespeler, W. Gehl of Preston, J. J. Gehl of Formosa, J. Cote, M. Weidner, Walsh, Brady, Lyles, Holden and Englehardt of Hamilton, P. O'Donovan of Dunnville, J. O'Leary of Oakville, Spetz of Berlin, St. J. Donovan of Brooklyn, Mulhern, C.S.B.R., of Toronto, Dr. Treacy and Kelly, Dixie, Shaughnessy of Owen Sound, McIntee of Toronto.

## Death of Mr. Michael Fenessey

Word was received in the city of the death in Detroit of Mr. Michael Fenessey, who, after over 70 years' residence in Brantford, moved to Detroit a year or two ago with his family. Everyone who has lived for as few years in Brantford was acquainted with the deceased, for he was in the grocery business here for many years. He was known as a man of strict integrity and highly respected. He leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters to survive him.

The funeral of the late Mr. Fenessey took place on the arrival of the 8.50 train from Detroit, and a large number of friends were present to pay their last tribute of respect to him, and to show their sympathy for his bereaved family. At St. Basil's church Rev. Father Lennon sang solemn requiem Mass, and also read the burial service at the grave. Until a few years back, when he retired from business, owing to declining health, Mr. Fenessey was a well known figure in Brantford. He was one of the charter members of Branch 5, of the C.M.E.A., and members of that society acted as pall-bearers, viz.: J. C. O'Neil, John Fitzgerald, Frank Mathers, John Haffey, Jerry Dunne, John Ryan. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones in their hour of sorrow.—Brantford Ex.

## COMMUNICATION

### MISSIONARIES IN CHINA.

Editor Catholic Register:  
Dear Sir,—I wish to rectify an error which appeared in your issue of Feb. 27 under heading "Matters of Moment." My brother and I are said to be the only English-speaking missionaries in China. I am happy to say that that honor does not belong to us two alone, as there is a Father Kennedy in Shanghai, Father Hallam in Wei-hai-wei, Father Silvestre in Hankow and probably others I do not know of, all English-speaking priests from English-speaking countries. I notice that the Toronto Globe in its issue of Feb. 29th cites your valuable paper as follows: "The Catholic Register, reporting Rev. Father Hazelton, S.J., of Montreal, at the triduum last week, is authority for the statement that the parish of St. Francis, Toronto, has the honor of sending to China the only English-speaking Catholic missionaries to be found there."

Please publish this letter in order that "honor be given to whom honor is due," and so that non-Catholics may have less occasion to reproach us English-speaking Catholics with unfruitfulness in the foreign mission cause.

Yours sincerely,  
REV. J. M. FRASER.  
Catholic Mission, Ningpo, China.  
April 5, 1908.

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