

Parish News of the Week

Subscriptions to the Father Holland Birthday Fund.

Table listing names and amounts for the Father Holland Birthday Fund, including P. McDermott, R. Bickerdike, Mrs. Callaghan, etc.

CATHOLIC SAILORS CONCERT.

The resuming of general business and the returning of so many to their homes after spending a pleasant holiday in one or another of our delightful summer resorts...

ST. GABRIEL'S.

The anticipated Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin was duly celebrated in St. Gabriel on last Sunday. At High Mass Rev. Father Fahey preached an eloquent and powerful sermon on the subject of vocation...

ST. MICHAEL'S.

From the immense influx of pupils in the parish school this year, the necessity is already making itself felt for the opening of new classes...

FAREWELL TO REV. P. McDONALD.

Farewell! a word that must be and hath been; A sound which makes us linger; yet—farewell!

To show depth and significance to their farewell to the Rev. P. McDonald, a representative body of the parishioners of St. Mary's Church waited upon him in one of the halls of the parish on Thursday of last week.

Rev. Father McDonald has been connected with St. Mary's Parish as curate for the past four years, during which time he has endeared himself to one and all, on account of his genial disposition and indefatigable efforts...

In his reply Father McDonald, in a few well chosen words, thanked the parishioners for the kind hospitality and generosity which had always been extended to him...

MR. JAMES GRIFFIN'S SERIOUS ILLNESS.

We regret to record the serious illness of Mr. James Griffin, who was not expected to recover at the moment of going to press...

EXCURSION OF PARISHIONERS OF ST. THOMAS AQUINAS.

The parishioners of St. Thomas Aquinas are holding an excursion to Lake St. Peter this afternoon, the boat leaving Bonsecours wharf at 1.45 p.m.

Father Holland's Home For Boys.

(From the N.Y. Freeman's Journal.) There is in Montreal a priest who by his earnest, hard, untiring work in every good cause has made his name a household word.

But there is something else which has brought Father Holland's name before the public, and that is the St. Joseph's Home for working boys.

The present building has cost \$6300, one thousand of which was paid at the time of sale. There is consequently a large balance of \$5300 to be wiped out, on which the interest alone amounts to a pretty high house rent for an establishment that has subsisted since its foundation on voluntary contributions...

It is earnestly hoped that there will be a whole-souled response to this article, the object of which is to put before our readers the worthy work in which Father Holland is so deeply interested.

Father Holland left Montreal for Belgium in February, 1880 and was ordained October 6, 1895. He then left for the West Indies in company with the late Father Van Aertseloer, then provincial of the Belgian province, Danish West Indies, for fifteen months and then went to Ste. Anne de Beaupre, where he remained three years, coming then to Montreal, where he has remained ever since.

Character Molds the Face.

It is not in words explicable with what divine lines and lights the exercise of godliness and charity will mold and gild the hardest and coldest countenance...

MONTHLY CALENDAR

Monthly calendar for September 1908, listing feast days and corresponding Mass readings.

Organist Emeritus of St. Patrick's.

Honorary Title Conferred Upon Professor J. A. Fowler After 40 Years of Able Faithful Service at the Leading Irish Church.

If "ten years is much in the life of a man," according to Tacitus, historian of ancient Rome, forty years must indeed be rated as a great deal in the career of a musician.



The change was announced officially from the pulpit at the High Mass. Father McShane, the pastor, eulogized the work of the devoted choir master and paid a fit tribute to his influence over the young men.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM EXCURSIONS

Sept. 17th, 18th and 19th. Valid to return until Oct. 5th, 1908. RATES FROM MONTREAL. Detroit, Mich. - \$15.00. BAY CITY, Mich. \$17.25. SAGINAW, Mich. \$17.15. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. \$18.95. Chicago, Ill. - \$18.00.

CITY TICKET OFFICES

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INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY

BONAVENTURE UNION DEPOT Summer Train Service. 7.30 A.M. Levis, Quebec, Murray Bay, Riv. du Loup, Cacouana, and Little Metis.

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PRESENTATION TO PROFESSOR FOWLER.

A flattering testimonial to Professor Fowler's popularity was the gathering and its object in St. Patrick's Hall last evening. From the time rumor was abroad of the Professor's resignation, steps were taken to make him a presentation worthy of his faithful services as organist and choir-master for over forty years.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL. J. E. COUPEL, Plaintiff, vs. J. E. COUPEL, Defendant. The Chicago Evening Post raises a protest against the evil of reporting sensational crimes. It believes that if the public would criticise the papers more upon this line they would find their criticism an effective remedy with the editors and proprietors.

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No child should be allowed to suffer an hour from worms without prompt relief. Mother's Own Worm Expeller. A Shrine of the Blessed Virgin of the Island of Ceylon has recently attracted attention because of the number of extraordinary favors granted there.

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The Hon. Nicholas died in Melbourne, week, was the last hand of notable who sought their toria about the tim colony received its in the shaping of it was an able debator prominent part in between the two vic Victoria legislature, vigor and eloquence privileges of the An ardent Federatio of the delegates of first Australasian F vention in 1891, Victoria in the Conference held at

Mr. Seumas MacM poet and novelist, ed special lecturer in University of Notre second great Catho America. Mr. Mac a course of lectures for one month of en special series will be art of story writing is to be allowed to sure over the fields tion and folklore.

After the lapse London will again a Catholic Lord Mar of Sir John Stuar alderman of the B stands next in succe. The last Cath it will be remembe an official visit to of Dublin during h The Knill family a truction, but two c tions of them have the city. The Knill is held in vic and Lady Knill ar Catholic charitable philanthropic work

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