

### CHURCH NOTES FOR BUSY MEN.

#### ROMAN CATHOLIC A LOCAL CONVERT.

Mr. Louis Davies, Jr., son of Sir Louis H. Davies, formerly one of the members of the House of Commons for Queens, P. Island, and now one of the judges of the Supreme Court of Canada, has recently been received into the Roman Catholic Church in Ottawa.

#### A FITTING REBUKE.

Not long ago some American battleships cast anchor at Marseilles, France, and about one hundred and fifty sailors went to Mass. It seems that the sailors, who showed their religious proclivities, were derided and criticized by French naval officers and other anti-Catholic French. While feeling indignant the men evinced their feeling that every one connected with the fleet who could get away, Protestants, Catholics, freethinkers and Catholics, to the number of fourteen hundred, went to Mass the next day. It was a silent but impressive rejoinder to the scoffing of the French on the day before.

#### A POTENT FACTOR.

The power of the press is thus described by an exchange: Other centuries have seen other forms of human activity, this is beyond all preceding times, the day of newspapers. The two Pontiffs, Leo XIII and Pius X, have expressed their views on the power for good in Catholic Journalism. That a Catholic Journal be a success is not only the best support of all people. Every subscriber and reader can do something towards extending the influence of Catholic Journalism. As to Catholic Truth Societies, they have proved their value in England and the United States, and there will always be a field for their activities. The general circulation of doctrinal literature will prove an influence of the first magnitude, in removing many prejudices.

#### THE ANGLICAN.

Rev. D. D. Moore. Mr. Moore was at one time pastor of the Carmarthen Methodist Church in this city. Later he became a missionary of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Singapore, Malaysia, and later on he was in Perth, Western Australia, and Freemantle.

#### NITARIAN.

Ep. curate of St. John's Church in Georgetown, D. C., and city chaplain, has been appointed as minister of the William Church. Mr. Thompson is about 30 years old and was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia. His father is the Rev. G. O. Brown, Troop, rector of St. Martin's Church in Montreal. At one time pastor of St. James' Church, St. John's, and one of the leading exponents of the Episcopal Church in Canada.

#### THE PRESBYTERIAN

Rev. Robt. Campbell, D. D., who for 43 years has been pastor of St. Gabriel's Presbyterian Church in Montreal, announces his intention to resign his active service next September. He belonged originally to the old Presbyterian union. In the present union movement he leads the opposition.

#### TRIENNIAL ASSEMBLIES.

There is a strong movement among the Presbyterians of the United States in favor of the General Assembly meeting triennially instead of annually. The feeling grows that not a few conferences and conventions could well be dispensed with.

#### FATHER CHINIQUE.

The Pembroke Synod has decided to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the birth of the great French evangelist by a series of special services in July next.

#### A BAPTIST INNOVATION.

At the Fifth Avenue church, New York, on a recent Sabbath an "Infant Dedication" service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Aked. The children were presented by the parents and after prayer and singing the parental duties and responsibilities. The only difference between that and baptismal services in other churches was the absence of water.

#### BACK TO SCOTLAND.

After more than fifty years in Manchester, Dr. Alexander MacLaren is returning to his native Scotland. He will make his home in Edinburgh. For a year or two he has found the Manchester climate rather trying to his health.

#### HONORING A GOOD MAN.

A very pleasing and convincing demonstration of their high regard for Rev. Dr. Steele was given by the Amherst church, and the people of the town on Wednesday evening of last week. A reception was held for Dr. Steele in the school room of the church. A large number were present, including ministers and members of other denominations as well as Baptists. A number of addresses were given. Dr. Steele is held in high regard in Amherst, and the appreciation of his friends found tangible expression in a gift of \$500.

#### THE METHODISTS A GREAT BOAST.

"The Roman Catholic church is a thousand years ahead of the Protestant church in taking care of the child, they bring the children into the church." So spoke Rev. S. Travena Jackson, pastor of the Arlington St. J.

### METHODIST CHURCH.

In addressing the Women's Literary Club of that place at a recent meeting.

### THEFT IN A CHURCH.

While a concert was in progress in Saint James street church, Montreal, a few evenings ago, a raid was made on the vestry, where the ladies had left their hats, cloaks, etc. The only clue to the affair is thus reported in the Star: "A woman of mature years asked one of the young ladies where they had left their clothing, purses and other valuables, to say nothing of a set of furs that could not be bought with the receipts of the night's entertainment. She was directed to the room where these had been left. "Less than an hour afterward nearly every purse in the class room where the young ladies' hats, coats, furs, muffs, etc., had been left, was visited, and the pilferer or pilferers got all that was to be had. From purses were taken money, in silver and bills, car tickets and little trinkets of value, but in only a few cases were the purses themselves stolen. One theft meant the loss of a valuable set of furs of more value than the entire proceeds of the concert."

### WATCHING HIS CHANCE.

CHICAGO, April 16.—A formal real estate transfer just made in the county recorder's office reveals that a Chicago minister has gained a fortune of \$200,000 in his spare time from preaching. Four years ago he left Chicago with slender means. Today he is the owner of landed estates and an exclusive metropolitan apartment building. The thrifty clergyman is the Rev. Mr. Morley, pastor, who without missing a Sabbath or Wednesday evening service, has amassed a fortune. Began by buying a small ranch, and now as above stated is wealthy.

### SATURDAY SERMONETTE DELEGATES.

This has been a great year for delegates and delegations. The spring has not been favorable for spring poets, but it has been a good sap year, and the delegates, it is not thought, are any connection between sap and delegates. It is simply a coincidence that more maple sap has gone into the sugar bucket than maple sap has gone into the maple sugar and candy. The number of delegations is unexplained. The passenger traffic to Fredericton has increased so that without motor cars and an imperative necessity. There is not a train going into Ottawa but what has one or more delegations. The most of the party of maple sappers and the most of the guests in hotels, and the lobbies of the house, are delegates.

The great ambition of our young men is when they have won sufficient distinction to have a delegation thrust upon them. Their are men who would rather be delegates to Ottawa than to be members of parliament. When there are two claimants for any thing this sort of a delegation one of them is bound off by being appointed a delegate. To be a delegate is to be a very important thing. The delegate has sometimes to nominate himself. One delegate last week seconded his own nomination. To ride in palatial cars, to be wined and dined when you go whither to Ottawa for something you think you want and ought to get. To be introduced to cabinet ministers as "my very dear friend and supporter," and to have members of parliament listen very attentively and attentively while you tell your story, and to be told, "yes, we are very glad to have you gentlemen, and hear you very attentively and with favorable consideration, is to make a delegation feel very happy and to make the most of them they asked for.

If those delegates could have just heard what the men they interviewed said when they were bowed out, and how relieved they looked when they saw the backs of their "semi-ready" coats, they would not have felt quite so complacent. And now following the bridge delegations to Fredericton. Wm. Ludlow and the Ludlow are to send a delegation to Fredericton to have the newspapers who have been caricaturing them put out of commission. Parliament will not prorogue until the delegations have dissolved. What delegations cost the country might be a pertinent or important question whether you think.

### THADDEUS SISTERS PROBABLY FATALLY INJURED

MONTREAL, April 25.—Starting a fire in a boiler in which there was but little water, led to an explosion this morning in the convent of the congregation of Notre Dame at Cote St. Paul. This morning, as a result of which, the superior, Sister Nom de Jesus, was probably fatally injured, and Sister Dubreuil and a little girl injured. All three were in the boiler room at the time.

Mr. Uplham gave notice of motion respecting the amount paid for advertisement in the Standard of the Empire. The house went into committee. Mr. Robinson in the chair, to consider the bill relating to the St. John County Municipal House.

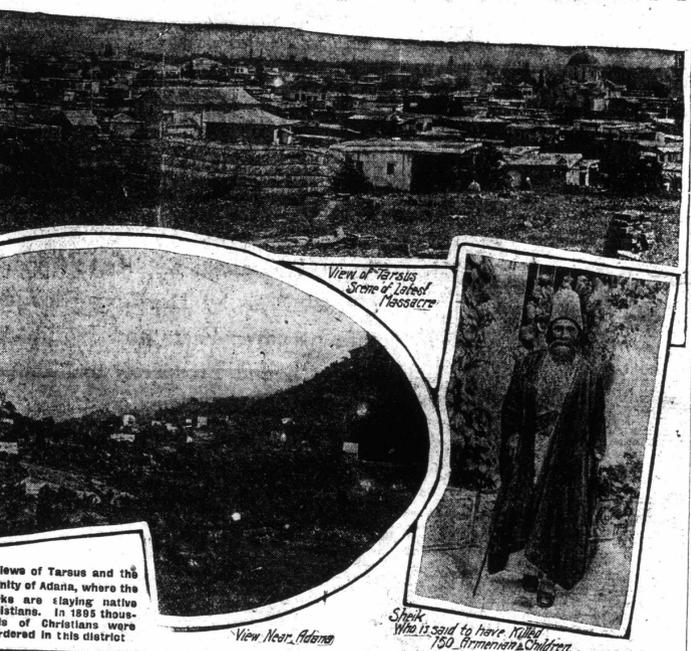
Mr. Lowell explained it was to vest the appointment of board of managers partly in the municipal council and partly with the governing body. Bill was agreed to. Also a bill to change the name of Patrick Donatue to Patrick Donatue Hennessy.

Hon. Mr. Morrissey explained the young man had been adopted by Mr. Hennessy, was of age and all parties consented. Bill was agreed to and both bills reported.

Mr. Robinson gave notice of motion regarding over-expenditures by the Board of Public Works and condemning the government for violating protection pledges.

Mr. Murray submitted the report of the municipalities committee. The house went into committee. Mr. Pinder in the chair, to consider the bill

## CONSTITUTIONAL FORCES ADVANCE UPON THE CITY



## WILL SAY GOVERNMENT BROKE ELECTION PLEDGES

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 23.—The amended highway bill passed the legislature this evening and the House resumed at 10:30. The evening was made more interesting than usual by the singing of French songs, during the time after the bill passed and the calling in of the Speaker. On the adjournment the House again broke into music and Mr. Lyer of Gloucester furnished a solo which brought down the house, the other French members joining in at night. The house accomplished a large amount of work today. The debate, however, was of a quiet nature. Many bills were passed for the third time and passed without debate. Several bills also were introduced and referred to cabinet ministers as "my very dear friend and supporter," and to have members of parliament listen very attentively and attentively while you tell your story, and to be told, "yes, we are very glad to have you gentlemen, and hear you very attentively and with favorable consideration, is to make a delegation feel very happy and to make the most of them they asked for.

## JAPANESE CAPTAIN A CHINESE REBEL

YOKOHAMA, April 25.—A Japanese, Captain Kippu Kato, has been deprived of his rank at his own request. The most of the party of maple sappers and the most of the guests in hotels, and the lobbies of the house, are delegates. The great ambition of our young men is when they have won sufficient distinction to have a delegation thrust upon them. Their are men who would rather be delegates to Ottawa than to be members of parliament.

## A GRATEFUL WOMAN

Tells of the Remarkable Cure Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Wrought in Her Case—Had Undergone Four Operations Without Help. When women approach that critical period in their lives known as the turn of life, they do so with a feeling of apprehension and uncertainty in the manner in which they pass that crisis determines the health of their life. During this most important time in the life of a woman, her whole aim should be to build up and strengthen her system to meet the unusual demands upon her blood and fortify her whole system. Devotion to family should not lead to neglect of self. The hard work and worries of household cares should be avoided as far as possible. But whether she is able to do this or not, no woman should fail to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which will build up her blood and fortify her whole system, enabling her to pass this critical period with safety. We give the following strong proof of what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can do for a suffering woman.

Mrs. Margaret Wood, Southfield, N. B., says:—"Some years ago I became very ill from the troubles that afflict so many of my sex in the same way. The doctor in charge neither brought me any help, and he decided that I must undergo an operation if I was to have any relief. During the next two years I underwent four successive operations. During this time I had the best physicians. From each operation I received some benefit, but only of short duration, and when I drifted back into the same wretched condition as before, suffering all this time I was taking medicine to build up my system, but to no avail. I was reduced to a mere skeleton; my nerves were utterly broken down. My blood was a light yellowish color and I was so far gone that I took spells in which my lips, fingers and tongue would seem paralyzed. I cannot begin to express what I suffered and went through in those two years. I was completely discouraged and thought I could not live. Then on the urgent advice of friends I began to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after some weeks perceived a change for the better. I considered to take the Pills for several months, gradually growing stronger and suffering less, and in the end found myself once more a well woman and enjoying the blessing of such good health as I had not known for years. I now always keep these Pills in the house and after a hard day's work take them for a few days when they always seem to put new life and energy in my body. I sincerely hope my experience may be of benefit to some other suffering woman."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all dealers in medicines or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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## OPPOSITION STAFF FOR HOME RULE FOR HIGHWAYS

FREDERICTON, April 23.—At a late hour last night the bill to amend the Highway Act was considered in committee. Mr. Slipp in the chair. Mr. Lowell objected to the principle that the government had the appointing of the highway board, and he did not think it was right that one of the men elected by the people as a councillor in parishes where there were three councillors should not be allowed to serve on the board. In very few parishes were there three councillors and it was pretty hard legislation to say that one of them was not capable of serving on the board. It was not to make the choice. St. John county had a good road act, and he thought it should be retained. Mr. Pinder thought that under the act now before the committee the control of the highways was left with the people. The government furnished a large share of the money to be spent on the roads, and it should have some say in the expenditure. He thought the composition of the highway board was as fair as all parties concerned could expect. He thought it was fair to give the people who use the highways a part of the money, and fair to the government who furnish the rest. He thought the member for St. John county had not taken the whole section into consideration and acquainted himself with the act as he did. He thought no injustice was done because one member would not serve on the highway board who were there were three councillors in the parish. In every parish the government itself spent as much money as the parish. It was unreasonable to say that the government should not pay a representative on the highway board. Mr. Somany did not see how under the bill the highway board was responsible to the Municipal Council. He thought it was rather responsible to the government.

Hon. Mr. Hazen said that the county councillors themselves are the highway board, and it was impossible to get closer to the people than were the county councillors elected by each parish. The County Council had full power to remunerate members of the highway board or to pay them nothing for their services. The council also fixed the amount of wages to be paid to men employed on the roads. The board was responsible to the council for all expenditure and had to give an account for every dollar paid out, which, he presumed, would be published along with the other accounts, and the ratepayers could see just exactly what was done with their money, and if they were not satisfied they would turn out the councillors and try new men. He thought the council very large control in the councils and made them directly responsible to the people for the expenditure of the money and the maintenance of the roads.

Mr. Byrne suggested that as the county councillors are elected for two years it would be impossible to get a clear view of the highway board when they were in opposition. Mr. Robinson asked why this act might be applied to St. John county where the people seemed well pleased with their present act. Mr. Lowell said the government would give an account of the money and argued this point at much length. Hon. Mr. Fleming and Mr. Woods both pointed out this provision. Mr. Lowell said if the Premier would state this would be done whether it was in the act or not he would accept it (the Premier's statement).

Hon. Mr. Hazen said the act would be applied to St. John county as clear as it possibly could that the provincial money would be expended under the direction of a highway board except in the case of a few certain roads in unsettled districts provided for in section 84—Section carried.

Mr. Legere (Westmorland), discussing the clause governing the remuneration of members of highway boards, objected to exemption from taxation for services being unlimited. In the county there were, he said, councillors who would be members of the highway board whose taxes would perhaps amount to \$200. This was far too large a sum to pay for such services. Hon. Mr. Hazen said the point was well taken and moved an amendment limiting the exemption or remuneration for a member of the highway board to a sum to be fixed by the committee. After some discussion it was carried that this amount be \$10.

Mr. Pinder when the section exempting the property of women from taxation up to \$500, was read, said that there ought to be a disposition in the house to give such women the franchise. If that were done this section should be withdrawn. If they had voted they should pay taxes—Section carried.

Hon. Mr. Hazen said it was the intention of the bill to allow payments at any time. Mr. Murray moved an amendment that thirty days be allowed for the payment of road tax, which was agreed to. Progress was reported and the house adjourned at 1:45 a. m.

### BORN

Advertisement for a product, possibly a fertilizer or agricultural product, with the word 'BORN' prominently displayed.

## CHICAGO, Ill., April 23.—James Fatten said three months ago wheat would go to \$1.25 Chicago market. Before he announced into the market in a big way this prophecy he had been making this theory. His forecast has been correct. Top figures for May in Chicago were reached considerably in advance of the market, and the quiet, nestlike man from the quiet, suburb of Evanston.

Mr. Fatten has made a lot of money in this wheat campaign. It is already has gone down into his pocket and it was not stage money. In profits he has another fortune, and he may or may not be elated. If event, matters have progressed that the trade has satisfied itself and that he has another fortune, he has made a lot of money. Mr. Fatten will come out of his pocket many hundreds of thousands of dollars ahead of the game. While the quiet, nestlike man has been making his money, he has been making his money in the quiet, nestlike man from the quiet, suburb of Evanston.

Mr. Fatten reports to the corn market. He is not very interested in the wheat market, but he is interested in the corn market. He would much rather be a successful operator than king corn or oats. It is his theory, crop raised over and over again, that for instance, does its own corn by being scarce. The law of supply and demand, he says, is the "king" fact scattered in the works of a deity.

In this opinion Mr. Fatten at least is consistent through out his campaign. Last fall he said wheat would be scarce and hard to get before the new crop was ready to come. He reiterated the prophecy at the beginning of this year and he kept harping on it ever since. If he did not really believe what he was saying the grain trade stands ready to admit he is one of the best actors who ever came into the spotlight. We the current seemed temporarily to be against him he sat at his ease in his office, coolly and led on by his desk and declared his judgment would be vindicated.

## JUDGMENT THE KEY.

In that word "judgment" probably more than in any other in the Parley. It is the faculty that has for long time distinguished the Evanston men from the big operators of the past. After he had successfully carried to an issue several battles in oil and corn there was the old cry "hook." So consistent was his view of the wheat fields and granaries a single sweep that any other man is able to do this partly because of source of information is so well gained and because he has so much showed acute keeping vigil over the sources of supply. Supplementing the system of reports from a small array of trusted lieutenants is the fact faculty for putting value on the information that reaches him from the Dakotas, Kansas, Argentine, Australia, Europe—wherever wheat is grown. His eye in his office and the conclusions. On these he acts, none is quicker than he to shift position if he persuades himself that he is wrong.

There have been some memoranda which campaigns conducted from Chicago as headquarters. In most cases the leading manipulators have been "stung" hard. Some have amassed fortunes only to lose them later. Familiar names in the list of so-called plungers are Edward Partridge, C. V.

## BETTER AND FERTILIZER

Subject Thoroughly Suggested Appointed Horticulturist to

FREDERICTON, N. B., April 24.—The agricultural committee held another enthusiastic session this morning. Chairman Dickson presiding. Col. Sheridan desired information regarding artificial fertilizers and the action of fertilizers upon the soil. He knew something of the action of the soil and how it left the soil in a barren and unproductive state. He knew that mangel seed was a real benefit to the soil and left it in good shape. Mr. Pinder said his experience was that fertilizer assisted to produce crops and was specially valuable.