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LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION.

Mr. Thomas Coffey:—Since coming to Canada I have been a reader of your paper. I have noted with satisfaction that it is directed with intelligence and ability, and above all, that it is imbued with a strong Catholic spirit.

Dear Sir:—For some time past I have read your estimable paper, the Catholic Record, and congratulate you upon the manner in which it is published.

LONDON, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1908.

THE CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN ON THE EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS.

It is hardly to be expected that the Christian Guardian or any of its correspondents could appreciate the Eucharistic Congress. We would not look for appreciation from that quarter.

said or done appealing to the intellect. If a professor read a paper upon spherical trigonometry to a kindergarten class we dare say the children could not appreciate the subject.

IS HELL ETERNAL?

Wise men come from the East. Not always. Away down where the tide comes in at Truro and the waves from the Atlantic break upon the shore of Nova Scotia, was a man in ministerial garb not at all wise—nor holy nor just.

again towards God. This cannot be done, for two reasons. Death fixed the will of the man; secondly, no grace is given to a soul after death, and grace is absolutely necessary for conversion.

MONEY STEWARDSHIP.

We have been brought to task because we said not long ago that men are beginning to see that money is nothing more than a trust rendered to us by God.

OUR TIMBER.

From an address of Prof. Fernow of the University of Toronto we may gather that Canada is much poorer in good timber than was thought and that Canadians are criminally negligent in the care of what little is left.

OUT-OF-THE-WAY PLACES.

Is there such a place in the Church of God? Through the Church the sun goes down. Day hath uttered speech to day for many a century, till through the whole earth the Church sends up praise to the Lord.

cent. "There are," he added, "various ways of getting joy out of working for Christ." Quite right! co-operative missionary stores paying 30 per cent are the latest, if not the best paying.

WORDS OF BURNING IMPORT were uttered by Bishop Canavin at the meeting of the Total Abstinence union of America at Hartford, Conn.

A WRITER IN THE Boston Pilot, making reference to the life of the late Patrick A. Collins, says: "What an inspiration and example for us all in the life of this poor Irish immigrant boy, who began his career so humbly in this city, without friends, without fortune, yet by his perseverance, his magnetism, his tact and his indomitable industry, became chief magistrate of this great city."

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sympathy in life's pilgrimage. They are not exactly the stray sheep whom the shepherd must seek. They are, if taken care of, the pioneers of new Catholic parishes and dioceses. These are in out-of-the-way places—in the pathless lands and the waterless deserts.

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"The night the animal died an undertaker was sent for and a chestnut casket with a silver plate bearing the words "Our Darling" was made. The body was laid out in the sitting room of the home the next day, where it was viewed by many neighbors. It rested on a silk blanket and was surrounded with flowers."

One's first thought upon reading this leads to a suspicion that the couple referred to are fit subjects for an insane asylum. To the Christian this conduct is simply shocking. Too often is it the case that a certain maudlin class give more thought and care to brutes than they would give to Christ's needy little ones.

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