Cardinal Vaughan on Catholic Education

THE CONNAUGHT COLONY IN GLASSCOW

A Birmingham Board of Guardians Nip the Protestations of Lady Visitors in the Bud—An English Catholic View of the Cork Scandal.

Cardinal Vaughan, speaking at the opening of a new school-chapel in Stratford, England, gave expression to his views on the subject of secular schools. He reminded parents of the words of Our Lord, "Suffer little children to come unto Me," and their meaning, which was that children should be taught to know Him, to love Him, and to serve Him in this world. This was the reason why the clergy were striving and straining to procure for the Catholic children schools in which they might receive not only a good secular education, but, what was more important, that a love of our Lord Jeaus Christ be instilled in their minds. and the object set before them be a desire to love and serve their Creator in this world, that they may enjoy eternal happiness in the next.

There could be no other school of Christ but that which belonged to the Church of Christ. Catholics could not accept any school whatever without re ligion, and that religion must be the belief that alone satisfied the Catholic heart and soul. The whole spirit and tone of the school must be Catholic, and the principles, conduct and motives set before the children must be in accordance with the doctrines on which their education were to be based, and these must be clearly, definitely and completely Catholic, and nothing else.

A discussion anent the religion of two nnrses appointed by the Solibull Board of Guardians, in Birmingham, was aroused by the quarterly report of the Ladies' Visiting Committee, the members of which were surprised to find that the religious views of the candidates had not been inquired into, and indignant to think that Roman Catholics were permitted on the nursing staff.
The Solibull Board is comprised of 33

Guardians, and but one of these, Father Delaney, is a Catholic, but they dealt in a straight, honest, manly fashion with the report, and considered it an unwarranted piece of medling on the part of the Ladies' Committee to introduce the subject of religion in regard to the qualifications of nurses.

Mgr. Nugent, of Liverpool, who recently celebrated his Golden Jubilee, and is known over the Christian world for his philanthropic deeds, has added another to his long list of prominent charities. He has recently opened a House of Providence in Liverpool for women. The House will be under the care of the Poor Servants of the Sacred Heart, an order specially trained for this \$720.583, of which \$526,274 was paid

Glasgow, Scotland, was the scene recently of an immense gathering of Irishmen, from the Province of Connaught, and their friends residing in the Scotch city. The chair was occupied by Rev. Dr. Hoare, Bishop of Ardagh and Clonmacnoise, and a representative gathering of distinguished clergymen and prominent laymen were present on the occasion. The programme of the evening's event was a very interesting one and Father Ambrose, O.S.F., named it "an object lesson of Connaught perseverance and faith."

The Irish crop up everywhere, and always with credit and distinction to their race. It is only on their native soil that they are handicapped, but other lands seem to nourish the Celtic temperament as well, and the Irishman knows it, for go where you will you find him-an exile, cherishing the memories of Erin, yet still true to the country he adopts. adopts.

The Transvaal Government has sent in a bill for an indemnity of £1,000,000 to cover the damage, moral and material, accruing to the Republic from the Jameson raid.

The Chapel of St. Etheldreda, Ely Place, London, is the only pre-Reforma-tion church in England which belongs to the Roman obedience. The parish is a large one, and among the regular attendants at the services are the Italian flower girls, who form quite a colony in this district. The pastor of St. Etheldreda's speaks highly of these flowervendors, who on special festivals come to the church laden with blossoms which they bring to decorate the altars.

The London Universe, in answer to some comments of Truth in regard to the recent action of the Catholic Mayor

of Cork, Ire., says :--For example, the editor of Truth has the reputation of being a very pronounced Radical, that is to say, he has a strong and unswerving belief that the principles of Radicalism are right, and that those of Toryism are wrong. Now, we ask a very plain question. Supposing Mr. Labouchere were invited to attend a very important meeting of the Primrose League, and that he accepted such invitation, and went to the meeting in a more or less sympathetic frame of mind. Would that, we ask, be in accordance with his Radical principles? Far from it. We should find Mr. Labou chere's name held up to ridicule and contempt in all Radical organs. He would be denounced as a traitor and a turn coat, and henceforth all true Radicala would shun and despise him for his action.

Now. Cork is an intensely Catholic city, and the Mayor of Cork is, we be-lieve, a Catholic. The Catholics of Ire Jand know that their Protestant brethren

are rebels against the authority of the Catholic Church—the spouse of Jesus Christ. To attend any of their religious services is not only rightly forbidden by the Catholic Church, but such an act on the part of a prominent Catholic citizen would be tantamount to an approval of the principles of Protestantism, a contempt, of Catholic authority in matters. tempt of Catholic authority in matters of faith, and also a source of scandal and

orrow to the Catholic people at large.

The Mayor of Cork then, to our mind, by attending the Protestant consecration service was guilty of an act of contempt against the laws of the Church; he cooperated in an act of heretical worship by assisting at it; and we also think he did violence to the feelings of the vast majority of the inhabitants of Cork by attending such Protestant service. It is the duty of a Mayor to represent those that elect him—not to misrepresent them. And it is our deliberate judgment that the Mayor of Cork misrepresented the feelings of the Catholics of that city by attending the services in question. And the Catholic clergy were absolutely within their rights, as citizens of Cork, in protesting against such action. Of course, as teachers of Catholic doctrine, their right to speak is still more un-questioned. If, then, they condemned the action of the Mayor they were not bizoted, but, rather, honest in the assertion of the holiest principles.

## ONTARIO STATISTICS.

The Annual Statement of the Department of Education.

Some Figures From the Provincial Secretary's Report On Prisons.

In the Ontario Legislature last week the Minister of Education presented his annual report. The total number of pupils registered in the common schools of the province up to the 31st December was 484.551, and the average attendance 271,549. Of these 428,616 were between the ages of 5 and 21; 1545 were under 5 years, and 390 were over 21.

The number of kindergartens was increased to 95 with 201 teachers, and attended by 9,501 pupils, under 6 years of age. The number of night schools was 31, with 56 teachers and 2,130 pupils. The number of public school teachers was 8913, including 2,843 male and 6,070 female teachers. The highest salary paid is \$1,500, the aver age salary of male teachers being \$408 and of female teachers \$298.

The total receipts of the public schools were \$4,868,315, of which \$3,332,995 came from municipal taxation, \$298,419 legislative grant and \$1,236,901 clergy reserve fund and other special sources.

The number of pupils in attendance at the 234 Roman Catholic Separate Schools was 89,773. The number of teachers was 755, the total receipts \$331,561, and the total expenditure \$296,655. The Protestant Separate Schools in 17th igneral and other Franch districts L'Orignal and other French districts number 10, are attended by 402 pupils,

and cost \$6,183 for maintenance. The number of collegiste institutes and high schools is 129, employing 570 teachers, having 24,662 pupils in attendance. The total receipts were \$764,727, of which \$114862 was contributed in At the entrance examination for 1896 the candidates examined numbered 16,696, of whom 10,240 passed.

The Provincial Secretary of Ontario has just issued his report upon prisons. It gives the total number of committals to common jail in 1896 as 9,058; in 1869 the number was 5,650. Committals are classed as follows :- Crimes against property: Arson, 43; burglary, 75; counterfeiting, 8; destroying property, 61

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and shooting with intent, 86; rape and assault, with intent, 45; murder, 29; manslaughter, 4; attempted suicide, 7; and miscellaneous. 10.

The number of men over sixteen committed annually has increased from 3,599 to 7,622 since 1869; the number of boys has decreased in the same period from 294 to 265; women from 1,680 to 1,147, and girls from 82 to 24. Of those committed 5,310 were Canadians, 1,310 were English, 1,196 Irish, 625 Americans, 367 Scotch and 250 miscellaneous; 6,056 were Protestants and 3,002 were Roman Catholics; 2,896 were married men and 6,172 were single; 1,408 could neither read nor write; 3,408 were temperate and 5,650 were intemperate. The total expense for the custody of 12,030 prisoners in 1878 was \$131 116.60, while in 1896, for 9,058 prisoners, it was \$135,826.27.

#### AN IMPORTANT LETTER.

SHOWING HOW A SUFFERER FROM SCIATICA WAS CURED.

A CORRESPONDENT OF THE ORILLIA NEWS-LETTER WITH PERMISSION FROM THE AUTHOR MAKES THE LETTER PUBLIC-IT WILL BE GLADLY READ BY OTHER SUF-FERERS FROM THIS PAINFUL MALADY. (From the Orillia News-Letter.)

The following letter has been forwarded us by the Coldwater, Ont., correspondent of the News-Letter, which we have great pleasure in publishing :-

COLDWATER, Ont., Sept. 25th, 1896.

A few weeks ago I became very unwell from an attack of sciatica, and remembering that a while ago a well-known friend of mine, Mr. C. T. Hopson, of Fes serton, a tew miles from here, had been a great sufferer from this painful complaint, I thought it would be well to consult that gentleman as to the medicine he gives credit to for his relief and cure, as I was aware that he was now well and hearty and had ever since been in steady work among lumber-his regular busi ness. He gave me the information re quired, and wrote out the following tes timonial which he desires to have published in any way I think proper, hoping that it will meet the eye of many suffer ers like myself who are anxious to get relief. I therefore forward it to you to

Fesserton, Sept. 18th, 1896. "It is with the greatest pleasure that I testify to the marvellous benefit and cure that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills effected in my case. In the year 1892 1 was taken very bad with sciatica. I was treated at different times by two doctors, but dispensed with their services as found I was not getting the hoped for relief. I then tried different remedies advertised as a cure for sciatica, but with no better result. Then I tried strongly recommended electrical appliances, but still to no purpose. I did not improve any and the pain was excruciat ing, and I began to lose all hope of ever getting better. I could not sit down or move about without suffering intense pain, and the only relief I could get was when I lay down with my legs stretched straight out and then the pain was some what less. I was in this position one day when I picked up a newspaper lying by my side and there I read of a man cured of sciatica by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Always having but little taith in proprietary medicines, and in view of the experience I already had, I would not have tried them but for the fact that my wife insisted on going et once and procuring some. She got a box and persuaded me to take them. By the time I had finished the box I believe I felt better, so I kept on taking the pills and by the time I had taken six boxes I was entirely cured. I had been laid up for four months before taking the Pink Pills, and I shall continue to take them occasionally, as I know them to be an excellent medicine I shall never cease recommending them. Yours truly, CHARLES T. HOPSON.

Our correspondent adds that this letter is from a much respected resident of Fesserton, whose word is generally considered as good as his bond.

### OSCEOLA NEWS.

FROM GUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.

On Monday morning of last week Mr. Andrew Devine, the esteemed father of Rev. F. M. Devine, PP, breathed his last at his residence at Osceola. Deceased was a native of Sligo, Ire., and at the time of his death was 82 years of age. He came to Canada in the memorable year of 1848 and settled in Rentrew, Ont. Last July the deceased with his wife, who survives him, celebrated the golden jubilee of their marriage, surrounded by their children. Mr. Devine, who had been ailsng for some time, was suddenly stricken down and passed away peacefully in the presence of all the members of his family. A solemn Requiem Mass was chanted at which Rev. Father Ryan of Rentrew officiated, assisted by Rev. Father Francis as deacon and Rev. Father legish French as sub deacon. The Rev. Fathers Brunet, Marion and Dowd ill were present in the sanctuary The members of the C.O.F. of the district assisted at the funeral and there was a large concourse of residents from surrounding parishes who followed the re mains to the churchyard.

Mr. Devine was highly respected in all circles for his high integrity and genial ways, and for the measure of enthusiasm he always displayed in matters connected with his religion as well as in all affairs appertaining to his adopted home.

M. T. M.

St. Patrick's Parish Relief. St. Bridget's Night Refuge, St. Patrick's parish, reports for the week ending Sunday, March 7th, relief given as follows: - Males, 511; females, 14; total, 525. French-Canadians, 178; English,

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Toronto, February 4th, 1897.

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### GAELIC LITERARY FESTIVAL.

Appeal to the Irish Bace in Canada. To the Editor of the TRUE WITNESS: GELIC LEAGUE 1 Stekville Place.

Dublin, 13th February, 1897. Sin.—We beg leave to apply, through your columns, to the patriotism and generosity of the Irish Race in Canada, for support on behalf of the Oireachtas or Galic Literary Festival, which will be held in Dublin on the 17th May next. The programme and particulars of the Festival are contained in the January number of the Galic Journal, a copy of which we send to you. From this it will be seen that it is proposed to offer prizes for original essays, poems and songs in

the Irish language and for the recitation

of Gelic pieces.

The compositions sent in will be read at the public meeting and the awards will be made in public by a committee of distinguished Irish scholars who will act as adjudicators. It is fully expected that an Annual Prize Meeting of this description would have a very stimulating effect on the Irish language movement. The coming Festival will be the first of its kind held in Ireland for nearly nine hundred years, and we earnestly appeal to our fellow-countrymen to provide us with the necessary financial assistance to carry the project to a successful issue. If a sum of even £100 is quickly subscribed, the committee would be enabled to go on with the proposal. Perhaps you would also kindly do us the service of publishing the article on the Oireachtas from the Gaelic Journal.

Signed on behalf of t e Executive Committee of the Gaelic League.

Douglas Hyde, LL.D., President, JAMES CASEY, Secretary, JOHN MACNEILL, Ed. Gaelic Journal.

Cartoons and French ménus will be subjects of discussion with United States legislators before long. We hope no dis-astrous results will follow the debates on these astruse themes. If the Cartoon Senator succeeds in passing his bill, the United States lightning sketch artist

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, No. 2179.

Dame Albina, alias Malvine Demers. of the City and District of Montreal, has, this day, instituted an action in separation as to property against her husband, Ferdinand Bouchard dit Lavallee, of the same place.

Montreal, 5th March, 1897. SAINT-PIERRE, PELISSIER & WILSON. Attorneys for Plaintiff.

The second section of the second seco will have a lively time in the endeavor to secure sanction for his caricatures. The photographer alone can appreciate the danger of the situation, and will no doubt heartily sympathize with the threatened caricaturist.

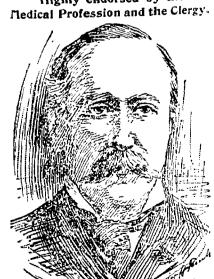
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, DISTRICT OF MONTREAL, No. 2698.

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De. E. Reid, Plaintiff, versus F. A. McRae.
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