

**BRIEFLETS.**

A communication from Oak Lake will appear in our next.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Galt returned from the east yesterday.

Rev. Father Grenier, S. J., conducted services at Morden last Sunday.

Rev. L. Drummond, S. J., will preach in the Immaculate Conception Church on Easter Sunday evening.

Holy Week books for sale by the Winnipeg Book and Stationery Co., 364 Main St. See advertisement.

Rev. Father Blain, S. J., will preach the Passion sermon next Friday evening at the Immaculate Conception.

We are enabled to state authoritatively that there is no truth in the rumor pointing to the probable appointment of a coadjutor to the Anglican Archbishop of Rupert's Land.

Mr. Walter McHenry, son of Judge W. H. McHenry, of Des Moines, Iowa, has been received into the Catholic Church. The McHenrys can it is said, trace their ancestry back to the famous Patrick Henry of Revolutionary fame.

The beautiful office of Tenebrae will be sung at St. Mary's Church on the evenings of Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, of this week. Rev. Father Drummond will preach the Good Friday evening sermon on the Passion.

A resolution in favour of a Catholic University for Ireland was unanimously carried at a meeting of the Dublin Corporation on the 9th, inst., on the motion of Mr. William Redmonds, seconded by Mr. Pile, ex-High Sheriff.

The French Mission preached by Rev. Father Guillet, O. M. I., in his parish Church of St. Mary's, Winnipeg, was solemnly closed last Tuesday at 3 o'clock. The attendance was much larger than had been expected, and the Fathers were kept very busy at the confessional.

Referring to the anti-Catholic lecturer Ruthven or Riordan, the "Catholic Union and Times" of Buffalo says: "There is one place, however, which he won't trouble, and that is Buffalo. It was here that he was convicted and imprisoned for swindling, at the instance of a respectable Protestant gentleman."

Rev. Father Godts, C. SS. R. of Brandon, is conducting a Mission in the Cathedral of St. Boniface. He preaches every day after the 7 o'clock and the 9 o'clock masses and in the evening at 7.15. The Mission will close next Tuesday evening. The sermons are deeply impressive, and the attendance is very large.

Archbishop Keane has written to the Holy Father in the same sense as Archbishop Ireland with regard to the letter to Cardinal Gibbons. Abbé Klein, editor of the French edition of the Life of Father Hecker, has addressed to the Pope through Cardinal Rampolla a letter dated February 28th, expressing his unreserved adherence to the Pope's letter to Cardinal Gibbons, and announcing that he is withdrawing the French edition of the condemned book from circulation. The Abbe says he abjures without exception all the errors condemned by the Pope in the same sense in which his Holiness condemns them.

LETELLIER AND ST. PIERRE.

LETELLIER, March 17.—Since Sunday morning we, the parishioners of St. Pie, have been as-

sisting at a mission, preached by the Rev. Father Lacasse, O. M. I. We had all heard the reverend father spoken of in the highest terms, and we were particularly glad to verify for ourselves that those who spoke so highly of the reverend father were not in the least mistaken, for now we can join our voices to theirs in praise of the zealous missionary. The church was full at every service, perhaps some of our town friends hardly understand the amount of inconvenience this entailed on people living from one to eight miles from church and who, being farmers, had to hurry up and milk the cows, etc., while their wives made haste to prepare the repasts. But after all if we could not go to some inconvenience and trouble to work a few days for the salvation of our souls, when we give so many days a year for the good of our bodies, we should be but poor Christians, unworthy of the name of Catholic. Each day we had high mass, followed by a partial preparation for confession and a sermon. This service began about 10.15 a.m., and ended between 12 and 1. In the evening at 7 o'clock we had Rosary, sermon and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

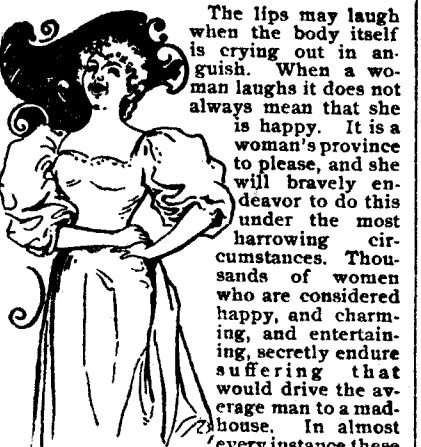
On Tuesday the Mass, at the request of the ladies who collected for the statue of St. Anthony, was in his honor, and the statue, which is placed between two handsome bouquets, was blessed. The statue is very nice and of the same height as St. Joseph and our Blessed Lady. It is also placed in the sanctuary.

During the retreat the Rev. Fathers Fillion, Campeau, Lavigne and others were present at some of the services.

The mission terminated at Mass on Thursday. In the afternoon the Rev. Father Lacasse rewarded us for our punctual attendance by a conference. All those who have the pleasure of his acquaintance will believe me when I say that we had a thoroughly enjoyable two hours. Besides relating amusing anecdotes of his college life, touching scenes from his Indian missions, Father Lacasse gave us some practical ideas on agriculture, advising us to grow roots to feed our cows better, etc.

I think Father Juras must be pleased to see how well every one availed themselves of this splendid opportunity to fulfil their Easter duties.

The weather, fortunately, kept cold during the mission, as a very little mild weather would



The lips may laugh when the body itself is crying out in anguish. When a woman laughs it does not always mean that she is happy. It is a woman's province to please, and she will bravely endeavor to do this under the most harrowing circumstances. Thousands of women who are considered happy, and charming, and entertaining, secretly endure suffering that would drive the average man to a madhouse. In almost every instance these sufferings are due to disorders of the distinctly feminine organism. They rob a woman of her health, her beauty, her amiability, her usefulness as a housekeeper, her capability as a mother, and her charm and power in the social and religious world. There is a safe, sure, speedy and permanent remedy for these troubles. It is Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It acts directly on the delicate and important feminine organs that bear the brunt of maternity. It endows them with health, strength, vigor and elasticity. It allays inflammation, heals ulceration, soothes pain and stops exhausting drains. It banishes the maladies of the expectant months, and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. It insures the little new-comer's health and an ample supply of nourishment. It fits for wifehood and motherhood. Thousands of women who were almost hopeless invalids have testified to their recovery under this wonderful medicine. Medicine dealers sell it. Accept no substitute or inferior imitation. "For seven years," writes Mrs. Louisa Arthur, of Oswalt, Iredell Co., N. C., "I suffered untold agony from female weakness. I then commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and improved very fast. It saved my life."

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**WHERE THE PUCK WENT.**

The game of hockey which was played at St. Boniface college at 1:30 yesterday afternoon resulted in the defeat of the Winnipeg boys by a score of 7 to 4.

During the first half the puck was kept down mostly at the Winnipeg boys' end and when half time was called the score was five to one in favor of the College.

The game, especially in the first half, was spirited and exciting. The spectators greatly admired the College team's defence, especially Samson, the goal keeper. The Winnipeg boys were also recognised as fine players and a cheer always went up when Bawlf made one of his swift rushes.

During the second half, which was less lively because some players were slightly hurt, the Winnipegs made three goals, while the College made one.

The game was ably refereed by Tony Gingras, the well known hero of the Montreal match.

Here is the make-up of the two teams:

College—A. Samson, goal; D. Collin, point; J. Lord, c. point; E. Bélanger, J. L'Évêque, R. Chénier, (captain), forwards; E. Ohmer, spare man.

St. Mary's School—A. Brissette, goal; J. M. Picard, point; Hastings, c. point; L'Espérance, Sibley, E. Marrin, W. Bawlf (captain), forwards.  
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