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IARBOR BOARD extract from a recent John Redmond in the nons, will give a fair night be expected in c. In the Catholic city ree principal salaried Tarbor Board, elected re Protestants, yet its 90,000 Catholics e to have one mem-ard. In treating the tedmond said

years ago the Bel-m (City Council) was ch franchise, with the Catholics of the city, about 90,000 in a about 340,000, had about 840,000, had presentative on the The same state of o-day with regard to ard in Belfast. No as I know, has ever that board. The Cath-are as interested in other section of the have to pay harbor ve of their religion, m, in this age of en-ridiculous thing that rd of this the narrow, bigoted board in Belfast is determined to pur-s no Catholic elected s no Catholic olected ing, no Catholic is statement is not ab-s there are a few ex-to show to what a nt it is true, 1 need nat out of the £10.-I in salaries to offl-rd only £200 a year, roos to a few Cathsteadily a scason for rest and recre-tion during each year. MONEY FOR MUSICIANS. - Ac-forming to reports in the daily newspapers, singers and musicians are making a harvest in the big provide the reports in the big invision of the london. Never before have musicians and operatic stars received such large sums for per-forming in private houses in London as they have done this season. Ku-belk, the youthful violinist, is easi-the the youthful violinist, is easi-by the lion of the lot. He never play-received such large sums for best week and generality got 200 guineas, and there was scarcely an two week, and, not satisfied with house of some millionaire. One well house of some millionaire. One well house of some millionaire. One well house of some millionaire on the service, presented to the virtuoso a stradivarius worth £1,500. Mme Melba's London agent asscris that the has received 500 guineas twice of appearing at private parties, index song. Paderewski got 1,000 guineas in Carlton House Terrace. In house in Carlton House Terrace in house in Carlton House Terrace in house in Carlton House Terrace in house in Carlton House Terrace. In house in Carlton House Terrace is house in Carlton House Terrace is house in Carlton House Terrace. In house in Carlton House Terrace is have asses these large sums are been haverise to London's million-arises dating artists might be secured for a private party for what one added, 'receive far more for this class of entertainment, which is on-added, 'receive far more for this class of entertainment, which is on-added, 'receive far more for this class of entertainment, which is on-ticated mostly by nouveaux riches, who want to do everything on a house is the do the present of even the private parts for public ap-

Canous Rotes only one reaches the age of 100 years of every 100, only six reach the age of 55; and not more than one in 500 lives to see their eight-ieth year. There are about 1,500, 000,000 inhabitants on the globa. Of these 50,000,000 die every year. 137,736 per day, 5,595 per hour, about 90 a minute, or three in every two seconds. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* CHURCH ATTENDANCE. - There is much complaint of the emptiness of the churches in Presbytarian Scot-land. A census taken by the "Dun-dee Advertiser" shows these results 1881. sittings 60,054 attendance, 30,663 1891, sittings, 61,330, at-tendance, 24,369; 1901, sittings, 63,033, attendance, 26,138. There are 101 churches m and around Dun-dee now and the average attendance [s only 41.

# RECENT DEATHS.

MRS. FELIX CALLAHAN. -This SUMMER HOLIDAYS. - During the present summer it is estimated that at least 10,000,000 people in the United States will take vaca-tions, says the Chicago Tribure.' A statistician assumes that each of these people will spend an average of \$10 on his vacation expenses, the conclusion being that the vacations taken this year will cost, in the ag-gregate, \$100,000,000. The ques-tion is raised whether the benefit re-ceived from the vacations is propor-tionate in value to this vast expen-diture of time and money. It is pointed out that with \$100,000,000 public libraries might be established all over the country and a half doz-en great universities properly en-dowed, still leaving money enough to carry out several much-needed re-tors. week we are called upon to add an-other name to the obituary record of the year-Mrs. Felix Callahan.

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CONDOLENCE .- At a meeting St. Ann's Young Men's Society sympathetic references were made to the recent bereavement suffered by the esteemed-president of the So-ciety, Mr. M. Casey, through the death of his belowed father, and re-solutions of condolence were adopt-ed

At the same meeting resolutions of condolence were also passed to family of Ald. D. Gallery, on death of his aged mother.

richest, than they get for public ap-pearances." GREASED LIGHTNING.-To the whore statisticanes with Mr. T. Sallivan, whore statisticanes at the buildings man who is accustomed to buildings, when as ornamental the speed of the "express" elevators in New York and when as ornamental the speed of the "express" elevators in New York and the speed of the "express" elevators in New York and "up-State" man, who was being and "up-State" man, who was being abown about here by a friend, was taken at las up to the sixteenth atory of one of the high buildings. He went up in a "local" elevator, at moderate speed, but even that caus-ed him to suffer many qualms before the stepped out on the firm landing. In coming down to street level again they took an "express." With one witch of the handle and a few syarks from the controlling appara-tus, they were deposited on the ground floor. The city man asked the other if "that was quick be colaimed. "Why, T might just as well have jumped." whose beloved wife recently passed to her final reward. Mr. J. Lynch, ex-president of the Society, brother of deceased, was also offered words of sympathy. DEATH OF REV. PAUL CAR-BRAY, C.S.S.R. BRAY, C.SS.R. Sincere regret was felt in many circles in this city, particularly in the Irish parishes, when the death of Rev. Paul Carbany, C.SS.R., son of Mr. Folix Carbray, of Quebee was made known, which occurred at Sar-atoga on Saturday last. Father Car-bray was held in high esteem in Montreal, having preached at a mis-sion given in St. Patrick's Church several years ago. He was a zealous member of the Order, and has con-ducted missions in French and Ger-man as well as his mother tongue-English. To Mr. Carbray and fam-ily, the "True Witness" offers its most sincere sympathy -R.I.P.

dirst mission, outside of Montreal, ostabilished by the Venerable Misre Bourgeovs, foundress of the Coungre-gation de Notre Dame: and she per-sonally visited the first school erect-ed and coaducted in that place. As-sociated with its history is the name of the late Arobishop Tache, of St Boniface, and that of the Rev. An-toine Girouard, founder of the St. Hyacinthe College. Pere Marquette, the immortal missionary and ex-plorer, remained there to rest. to say Mass, and to baptize the first white child of that region, when on his way to the discovery of the Mis-sissippi. Monuments, both inside and outside the Chuch, attest the his-toric associations connected with Boucherville. Within is the slab of marble over the remains of the Rev. M. De Frost, son of the Venerable Mered Youville, the foundress of the Grey Nuns, outside is the monument telling that. "Here, in 1662, Pierre Boucher built the first chapel, and Pere Marquette, S.J., baptized the first child."

first child." An executive committee, composed of the parishioners and a number of summer residents, of which the reverend and enthusiastic pastor, Rev. Father Primean, is chairman, is now zealously at wor' preparing the details of the celebration. That it will be worthy of the great occasion we have no doubt.

## NOTES FROM ROME.

THE POPE'S POEMS .- There is rumor current in Rome to the effect rumor current in Rome to the effect that the Holy Father is engaged in the composition of a new poem. His New Century Ode has just been pub-lished in an elegant edition by Pus-tet, and over thirty translations are given : Italian, French, English, Spanish, Portuguese, German, Dutch, Bohemian, and so on. The preface states that many of these versions of the poem were addressed to the Holy Father himself with letters ex-pressive of gratitude for his noble poem. noem.

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THE SALESIAN FATHERS. The salesian fathers, who are performing so much good in London, are being in the Y.B. (And S. ( THE SALESIAN FATHERS,-The <text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text><text>

THE TRUE WITNESS AND CATHOLIC CHRONICLE.

# CATHOLIC BDITORS ON MANY THEMES.

CATHOLIC UNION. - Bridgeport Conn., July 23.—The local members of the German Roman Catholic Cen tral Verein of North America, which vill hold its convention here in Sepwill hold its convention here in Sep-tember, have been asked by Dishop Howstmann, of Cleveland, to pre-pare for the discussion of the ques-tion of forming a pan-Catholic or-ganization, without reference to na-tionalfty. The suggested organiza-tion would follow along the lines of the Y.M.C.A. if the desire of its promoters is gratified. Among the guests of the verein during the con-vention will be Baron Von Holleben, German Ambassador to the United States, and two members of the Ger-man Reichstag.

States, and two members of the Ger-man Reichstag. ) Commenting on the above dispatch the "Catholic Universe" of Cleve-land, says .-It has been manufactur-ed by the Cleveland papers. All who have the interest of the Church at heart would gladly hail an organiz-ation of Catholics which would leave national bias out of doors. We fear, however, if that requirement were insisted upon, some would have to stay outside, but the number would not be great. The common brother-hood of man and the Fatherhood of God is too often forgotten by those who believe that their nation has been especially called to guard the God is too often forgotten by those who believe that their nation has been especially called to guard the deposit of faith and sound the trum-

pet in the camp. While we may quote now and then the words of the poet :

"Breathes there a man with soul so dead

dead Who never to himself hath said : "This is my own, my native land?" we shall not forget the words of Him

terest the American colony in Paris. It is known as "Babism," and sprang into existence in 1844 in Persia. The founder was Mirza Ali Mohamued of that country. He is described as strikingly hundsome, of infinite learning and irresistible charm of speech and manner. He proclaimed himself the promised guide, the Rab or gate through which men might communicate with the Iman Ma<sup>1</sup>di. So long as it is fashionable for Americans to change their religion as readily as they yield to Paris fashiones, "Babism" will have its run until the next apostle turns up.

# ECHOES FROM IRELAND.

ABOUT EMIGRATION .- Mr. William O'Brien, in a leading article published in the "Irish People," under the title "A Moral from Letter-

der the title "A Moral from Letter-kenny," says :--"The Most Rev. Dr. Keane's speech to the people of Letterkenny last Sunday is a most cheering proof that the vital character of the emi-gration problem is at last begin-ning to be realized by our Irish Am-erican kindred. It is well, however, that the eminent Archbishop should not be under any illusions upon the subject.

subject. "His observations were based up-on the supposition that the emigra-tion is chiefly that of young women, and that the exodus of young men (for whom His Grace admits that emigration to the American cities is a ruinous business, both materially and morally), is a comparatively mi-nor matter. The statistics, unhap-pily, upset this theory. The flight of the two sexes is equally alarm-ing. According to the last official figures just published, showing the emigration for 1900, 21,212 unmar-tied males left the country, as against 20,630 unmarried females. The portion of the population we can least afford to lose is that of young people between the ages of 20 and 25, and of those 10,428 were unmarried males and 10,211 were unmarried females. "It, therefore, as the Archbishop His observations were based up-

and not forget the words of Him who spoke with authority: By this shall men know that you are My Disciples: that you love one another."
We do not think that the young people are disposed to keep up national lines. The insistence often thas no eve to the common good. It is as insular as it is often selfish. In union there, is strength. To divide and conquer is the maxim of the energy. The energy in this case is '''. Economy and union would be promoted by a central organization would be a common high school to take up the work that begins after the grammar grade work has been finished. We hope that the suggestion of Rt. Rev. Bishop Horstmann energetically promoted.
MIXED MARRIAGES, --The Cathor.

lon, a young curate of the district who devoted himself to his priestly calling notwithstanding that a price was on his head, was instrumental in saving the life of a Colonel Cun-ningham of the same locality. In after years, when the Colonel had succeeded to the title and to the possession of large estates in that county, Father O'Hahlon visited him, whereupon the man whose life he had saved asked him how he could befriend him. The priest an-swered, 'I have no chapel; the cha-pel was in an old quarry, and its walls were of mud, its roof of thatch; give me a site for a chapel and a generous subscription, and ob-tain leave for me to have a befry and a bell to summon the people to their devotions.'' The site and through the influence of the gentleman Fa-ther O'Hahlon got permission to erect the befry, which at present stands at the chapel at Slane. Bare-ly 100 years ago that was the stato of their Christian country, but now, than (bd, every parish had its bell to sound forth glory to God.

ERIN'S SONS IN SCOTLAND. -ERIN'S SONS IN SCOTLAND. --In St. Eunan's Cathedral, Letter-kenny, on Sunday, a compliment, richly deserved, was paid to the Irish residing in Scotland. Out of their slender means they created the beautiful and costly altar of St. Columba. Solemn High Mass was celebrated to mark the event. The Most Rev. Dr. O'Donnell presided. At the conclusion of Mass he spoke in eloquent terms of the faith and devotion of Dongal's sons in Scot-land to the religion of Patrick, Eu-man, and Columba, and to the land of their birth. For their generosity and kindness he prayed God to grant them the amplest blessings both spi-ritual and temporal.

WOOLLEN MILLS. - It is under-stood that Mr. Lewis, of Newtown-barry, will re-open the woollen mills in Clohamon. The factory is under new management, and has been fitted with new machinery, and will be the means of giving much-needed em-ployment in the district as, owing to the present great demand for Irish manufactured goods, there is certain to be a brisk trade carried on. A depot has been opened for re-ceipt of the raw material at Mr. Lewis' establishment at Newtown-barry. Men like this Ireland needs much just now. WOOLLEN MILLS. - It is under-

#### A CHIME OF BELLS

On Friday, July 26th, St. Anne's Day, a grand celebration was held in Detroit, Mich., at St. Anne's Church. to which reference was made in these columns last week. One of the main features of the celebration was the inauguration of a magnifecent Chime of Bells, pre-sented to St. Anne's Church in hon-or of the occasion by various socie-ties and members of said congrega-tion. This is a beautiful gift, the bells being of exceptionally fine qual-ity and tone. They were manufacturity and tone. They were manufactur-d by the celebrated McShane Bell Foundry, of Baltimore en by the celebrated McShane Bell Foundry, of Baltimore, Md., which firm has a world-wide reputation as manufacturers of the finest musical-ly attuned bells in this country. The chime mentioned consists of ten (10) bells.

#### CEEAP ICE CREAM

There are no fewer than 2,000 Ita-lian ice-cream vendors in London, Eng. The London County Council has decided to ask Parliament for the same powers in respect to the manufacture and sale of ice-cream as those already possessed by the Cor-poration of Liverpool. Some time ago the British Institute of Prevent-ive Medicina made an inquiry into the composition of these delicacies. Bacteria were discovered in consider-able quantities, and an independent analysis made in a northern suburb of London revealed the fact that much of the ice-cream manufactured and retailed in the streets contained a mass of impurities. a mass of impurities

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goes to a few Cath-mor positions. The e position given to ader the board is, I position of a pilot. Catholics of Belfast atholics of the entire are concerned in the is great port, and I strous thing that be-religion any men ked from this board yment under it." 200

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Aug. 17, the par-Patrick's parish will al pilgrimage to the of the Sacred Heart ere is every reason is year the parish-out in large num-solected is one onvenience of every in a desire to assist where unable to do fact, that it was ne of the Sacred on is town of Lan-anores of former parishioners of St. 155 oclock, and by be had at St. re is every reason POST CAR FAD.—The inaugura-tion of the Post Card was a bleas-ing in disguise to a number of peo-ple who have a dislike for istir-writing. A correspondent mays :— Thas been estimated by one of the Fouring postals, that in Germany 88,000,000 cards pass through the postoffice annually, bringing to the government 6,000,000 marks for postage. This country takes the lead of all others. Austria-Hungary con-ing next with 81,000,000 cards malled in Italy there are 27,000,-000, cards handled by the mails, and in England 14,000,000. Other coun-tries, although falling below these former the country takes the second

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## BOUCHERVILLE'S JUBILEE.

On the 3rd and 4th of September next the little town of Boucherville will celebrate in a worthy manner the one hundredth anniversary of the construction of the present Church, and the two hundredth an-niversary of the foundation of the Convent of the Congregation de Notre Dame. When that two-fold and remarkable publice takes pince we will have occasion to bell the shory of that most historic and interest-ing pince. A number of architenops and bishops, as well as many of the dery and the leading different of nurrounding districts will stund. The Rev. Pena Lalande, S.J., will deliver the sermen on that occa-sion, and the entertainment at the

The first official convention of the International Association of Millin-ers will be held in Buffalo from August 5 to 10. A trimmed hat con-test will be a feature of the occasion.

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