

YOUNG IRISHMEN'S LITERARY AND BENEFIT ASSOCIATION.

On the evening of the 18th inst., the rooms of the Y. I. L. Society, 73 St. Joseph street, were filled with an enthusiastic audience. His Worship the Mayor was present. Mr. Edward Murphy lectured on

THE SOLAR SYSTEM, AND WHAT THE TELESCOPE REVEALS.

After a few preliminary remarks, Mr. Murphy said:—The science of astronomy is that branch of natural philosophy which treats of the celestial bodies, their magnitudes, motions and distances, and the laws by which they are governed. The solar system, the subject of my lecture this evening, includes the sun, the planets and their satellites, and the comets. The vast magnitudes of these celestial bodies, the amazing force by which they are carried through the heavens, and the attractive influences which they exert upon each other, at immense distances, presents us with a scene of magnitude and grandeur which should impress us with an exalted conception of that infinite Being who created and upholds the universe. In the solar system the sun is the centre, the source of light, heat and attraction to all the planets and the comets. He commenced by describing the sun, the diameter of that luminary is 850,000 miles, and from spots seen on his surface it is ascertained that he revolves on his axis once in 25 days 9 hours and 56 minutes. The sun is one million three hundred and fifty thousand times bigger than our earth. Of the physical construction of the sun he would only say that by the aid of the spectroscopic the following substances (found also on this earth) are found in a state of incandescence in the sun burning at a white heat, viz: Sodium, iron, zinc, magnesium, barium, copper, calcium, chromium, nickel, hydrogen, titanium, aluminum, cobalt and manganese (14 in all). The planets are opaque bodies, shining with light borrowed from the sun, they revolve around that luminary in slightly elliptic orbits in the following order:—

First, Mercury at 37 millions of miles; second, Venus at 68 millions of miles; third, our earth at 95 millions of miles; fourth, Mars at 143 millions, and between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter revolve the Asteroids at from about 200 to 300 millions of miles, these bodies are generally very small, they are numerous as 165 are known to exist, the last or 165th was discovered 9th of August 1876. Next Jupiter the largest planet of our system, at 495 millions of miles, sixth Saturn at 906 millions, seventh Uranus at 1820 millions and eighth Neptune, the last discovered and most remote, at the enormous distance of 2,850 millions of miles from the sun. Besides the foregoing, which are called the primary planets, there are a number of secondary planets, or moons, as attendants, or satellites, the earth has one, Jupiter four, Saturn, besides his magnificent concentric rings, has eight, Uranus four, and Neptune one or two moons. The solar system is also enriched with a large family of comets, these bodies move in space in a very erratic manner, many hundreds are known to exist, and the periods at which several of them appear have been calculated with accuracy. Comets have been regarded with terror in all ages of the world, but it is now known that they travel in their eccentric courses without deranging the motions of the planets or in any way affecting our earth.

He next spoke of Kepler's three laws—1st law: "The path of a planet in its orbit is an ellipse, the sun being in one of the foci." 2nd law: "The angular velocity of a planet's movement in its orbit is inversely as the squares of its distance from the sun." 3rd law: "The squares of the periodic times of any two planets are to each other in the same proportion, as the cubes of their mean distances from the sun."

He next referred to the laws of attraction of gravitation, and said that, "The attraction of gravitation was the power by which bodies in general turned towards each other, and the attractive power is proportionate to the quantities of matter which the bodies contain, and inversely as the squares of their distances from each other." The eclipse, the tides and other phenomena of the solar system, he said he would explain later on, when he would exhibit diagrams illustrating this lecture. He continued, after examining the solar system, the question naturally suggests itself to our minds, are the planets inhabited globes? Although science has not given us any direct answer, yet it has supplied us with much circumstantial evidence bearing upon it, of an extremely interesting nature, as from the great size of the planets; from their being bound together by the same laws, rolling in regulated periods around the sun, warmed and illuminated by him, supplied by the alternations of light and darkness, heat and cold, with the same succession of seasons, and from the telescopic appearance of the nearest, whose surfaces exhibit diversified scenery, mountains, plains and seas, in many cases not unlike those on our earth, it is probable that some, if not all of them, are inhabited, and that the various globes constituting the sun's retinue are placed in the solar system for the same great end as that of our own earth, and that they may be clothed in verdure, and peopled with beings, perhaps in many respects like ourselves. And as the microscope reveals to us the fact that a single drop of water may contain a busy little world of animated beings, invisible to the naked eye, it suggests to us that the ponderous globes belonging to our system may, like our own planet, be inhabited by beings whose natures, intellectually and physically, may forever remain to us a mystery.

Here he begged permission to make a short digression, and addressing himself particularly to the President and to the members of the Young Irishmen's Literary Society, he would say that in astronomy as well as in every other department of human knowledge, Ireland is keeping pace with the world, and in the middle ages was actually far in advance of it in the science of astronomy. For we find that when the rest of Europe had not knowledge of the real figure of the earth; its roundness and true formation was taught in the Irish schools. Thus as early as the eighth century Feargal, an Irish priest, who was honoured by Pepin, King of France, wrote a learned treatise on the Sphericity of the earth and the existence of our Antipodes. Again in the ninth century, Denegal, "Dungal the recluse," an Irish monk, wrote, at the request of Charlemagne, a letter on two eclipses of the sun said to have occurred in the year 810. This letter displays great learning and research for the times, and although it may not in all things quite agree with modern discovery it proves satisfactorily that the science of astronomy was cultivated carefully in the schools of ancient Ireland. He could mention the names of many others but time will not permit, and he closed by referring to an illustrious Irishman, the Earl of Ross. This excellent nobleman constructed, about 35 years ago, the largest and most powerful telescope in the world; the tube is 56 feet long and 6 feet in diameter. Some idea of its vast size may be formed from the fact that a man could walk through the tube with ease and with an umbrella up. This telescope cost £20,000 or \$100,000 and every part was made on his estate and under his Lordship's immediate superintendence.

He said he would here close, by urging their careful attention to the study of the "Solar System" and its phenomena, as it leads the mind to sublime and interesting trains of thought and reflection, affording scope for noblest energies and investigations, of the human intellect, it should, therefore, elevate our souls and enkindle in our minds true sentiments of piety and devotion to the Great Being who presides over the movements of the universe. The study of this sublime

subject teaches us the littleness and destiny of man, and the awful grandeur and beneficence of the Almighty Being who created out of nothing so vast and magnificent a structure as the solar system. With this brief survey of the solar system he concluded by making some observations on the immensity of the universe, and in order to form some faint idea of it, he asked them to accompany him in an air journey, and in imagination, travel outwards from the sun, through the planets till they reached Neptune, the most remote, here let them pause, look back and contemplate the magnificence and grandeur of the system of planets and comets which constitute the sun's retinue. The immense magnitudes of their globes, rolling in silent majesty through the abyss of space the order in which they are arranged, the regularity and harmony of their movements, are all subjects well calculated to fill us with admiration and wonder at the power that created out of nothing such a vast magnificent structure. But what is the solar system in all its magnificence and grandeur when compared with the starry firmament that surrounds it? It is but an insignificant portion of the universe, an atom, he said, among the countless millions of shining orbs which fill the regions of space. But let us, he said, contemplate our celestial travels, sweeping away from our own system, till planet after planet fades and disappears in the distance, and even our glorious sun itself shrinks into a mere star. Onward, still onward, winging their imaginary flight through the region of the fixed stars, at length they reach the Milky Way; here let them alight, and, while standing on that celestial arch, "whose dust is gold," they would contemplate the magnificent scene there presented to their wondering eyes, and, at that moment their souls would be ravished with the glorious panorama of mighty suns and worlds, systems, clusters and constellations rising up in sublime perspective before them and they should then read with awe, in that gorgeous scene, the destiny of man, and the power and majesty of God, the Omnipotent Creator of the Universe.

Mr. Murphy illustrated the subject of his lecture by enlarged diagrams of the Solar System, showing the proper movements of the planets round the Sun, and the Moon round the Earth, by rack-work slides; also diagrams showing the Telescopic appearance of the Sun, Moon, Planets and Comets, Eclipses, Tides, &c., &c., all of which were fully explained.

CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY.

A SOCIAL ENTERTAINMENT BY THE MEMBERS IN THE SEMINARY HALL.

The members of this flourishing Association gave a highly interesting soiree in the above-named hall comprising a programme of vocal and instrumental music, and addresses by Capt. Kirwan, Bernard Devlin, Esq., with elocutionary morceaux by Master McCaffrey and Master Kearns. The Hibernian Independent brass band was present, and played several selections. At the appointed hour the President, Mr. W. E. Mullin, entered, accompanied by the Society's guests, to the music of St. Patrick's Day. On the platform were Captain Kirwan, the Rev. Father Crombleholme, Aid. Mullin, Mr. Bernard Devlin, M.P., Mr. W. E. Stroud, of the St. George's Society; Mr. John Hatchette, of the St. Patrick's National Association; Mr. McEveoy, President of the Irish Catholic Union; Mr. P. J. Brennan, President of the Young Irishmen's Literary and Benefit Society; Messrs. A. Brogan, B. Emerson and P. McEveoy.

The President in brief welcomed the audience, and alluded tersely to the claims of the Society upon the Young Irishmen of Montreal, whom he invited to fill up its ranks and swell its field of usefulness. He detailed its objects and proceeded to announce the programme, which was very creditably performed.

The singing of Mrs. Farmer was all that was expected from a lady who is so well-known to possess a highly cultivated voice. It is enough to say that she was equal to herself, and that an appreciative audience applauded her rendering of a difficult part. Mr. James Shea gave "Let Me Like A Soldier Fall" followed up an encore with "Remembered in Erin." Miss Crompton's singing, however, took the house by storm. Her rendering of the famous and difficult "Arditi" was excellent for so young a lady. Her voice is sweet and cultivated, and when more fully matured, the rendering of the higher notes will become even less difficult to her than they are now. The encore she received was a fitting compliment to her merit, and Miss Crompton will, we feel assured, be heard of in the higher walks of songsters, when time and practice fully develops a voice, already cultivated and exceedingly sweet. Master Kearns gave a comic recitation in a side-splitting fashion, and Master McCaffrey recited the "Death of Montrose," in a manner that does him much credit. The intermission being over, the President introduced the speaker of the evening, Captain Kirwan, who was greeted with loud cheers.

Capt. Kirwan said that some 15 months ago he had stood before a Montreal audience, but had then been a transient visitor. He had now come to live among them (applause), and he hoped to do a man's share to advance Catholic and Irish interests in Montreal. (Loud cheers.) He could not do better in order to effect this than ask every young man in the room to come forward and make himself a member of the association. Its object was the propagation of literature and acquirement of knowledge, and he knew of no greater enemy to either Church or State than ignorance. It was well to foster general knowledge, and such a course could not fail to make good citizens of those who followed it, and good Catholics as well. When he entered he had been at a loss for a subject to speak upon, but when he looked around and saw before him sons and daughters of Erin with hearts as warm and generous as those he had left behind, it seemed to him as if he had come to another Ireland—he was at home again in Dublin. Looking around he drew attention to the names of O'Connell, Goldsmith, Carolan, Moore, Grattan and others who were emblazoned on the wall, and briefly alluded to the work done by each. He mentioned some names not on the walls, and drew attention to the name of Emmet and other Protestant Irishmen who had loved their country well enough to struggle for it and laid down their lives in its cause. (Applause.) He did not wish it supposed that he was one of those who thought the Irish people the finest in the world; but he did claim for them as much virtue and honesty as their fellowmen—no more; no less. He continued at some length, and closed by an appeal to those who were not members to join with him in swelling the ranks of the Catholic Young Men's Society, his remarks being loudly applauded.

At the close of the concert Mr. Bernard Devlin was loudly called for, and in answer briefly excused himself from speaking, on the ground of hoarseness. He welcomed Capt. Kirwan, and held that there was plenty of room for many more just such Irishmen, and spoke of a union of all the Irish Societies to be consummated in a few days. He was loudly cheered.

The meeting was then closed by the Chairman, who thanked the audience, Capt. Kirwan, the H. I. Band and the ladies and gentlemen who had volunteered.

CATHOLIC LITERARY ASSOCIATION, BROOKVILLE.

At the annual meeting of the Catholic Literary Association, of Brookville, held in their rooms on Friday evening 12th inst. The following members were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Hon. C. F. Fraser; 1st vice, W. O'Don-

nell; 2nd vice, D. Monahan; Cor. Sec., G. A. Gaddis; Rec. Sec., J. O'Reilly; Fin. Sec., James Kelly; Treasurer, Thos. Brady; Librarian, E. Mulroney; Messrs. Timothy Browne, John O'Donoghue, Michael McGlade, John Brady, O. K. Fraser, J. F. White, Bernard Bradley, D. O'Brien, James Donegan, and John Sharkey, were elected members of the Committee of Management.

This institution we are happy to say is in a most flourishing condition. It is a credit to the parish of Brookville, and a benefit to the members of the Association that cannot be overestimated. The Library comprises upwards of five hundred volumes carefully selected from the best authors, and leading journals and periodicals of the day can there be found on file.

Having moved into their new rooms a commendable spirit has manifested itself in finishing and furnishing them in first-class style. The walls are adorned with pictures a Catholic heart loves to dwell upon and the tout ensemble wears such an inviting and pleasing aspect that one can realize that a "thing of beauty is a joy forever."

The debates, readings, and the like, that occasionally occur in the rooms, have their customary benefits in fulfilling the object of the association, viz., the improvement of its members, and the promotion of their mental, moral and social advancement.

We are glad to note its prosperity and wish it every success. Com.

Catholic Literary Association, Hamilton

This Association gave the first of their monthly entertainments for this year in their Hall last week, and in order to show their appreciation of the patronage bestowed on them during the past year, they gave this one "free." The Hall was packed to its utmost capacity by an appreciative audience. The chair was occupied by the President Mr. D. Smith, and with him on the platform were His Lordship the Right Reverend P. F. Channon, D. D., Bishop of Hamilton; the Reverend Chaplain, P. J. Madigan, Rev. Fathers Lennon, Cleary, Owens, of Macton, and Lotz, of Bidulph; Messrs. A. Wingfield, E. Furlong, 1st Vice-President, Major A. H. Moore, 2nd Vice-President, and W. Harris Treasurer.

Although the concert was a free one, the programme was carried out in that style which has hitherto characterized all the entertainments given by the Association since its organization.

After the concert was over the chaplain, Rev. P. J. Madigan, gave a short and instructive address, returning the thanks of the Association for the patronage bestowed by the public, and earnestly exhorted all the young men of the Catholic community to become members of the Association, and thereby enable His Lordship to carry out the good work he has undertaken, and which has made such a rapid progress under his patronage in the short time it has been organized, as evinced by the interesting programme of the evening. "Auld Lang Syne" by the Glee Club, followed by the National Anthem, brought the entertainment to a close which was one of the happiest it has ever been our lot to enjoy in Hamilton. The several choruses by the Glee Club were rendered in such a manner as to prove their close application and attention to the training they received. It must be gratifying to Bishop Channon to see the Association in such a proud position as to enable the members to invite their friends to such an intellectual treat as that given last evening.

We congratulate the Rev. Chaplain and the President who have been chiefly instrumental in its great success—and also the officers and members of the Association, and hope to see them on all occasions well patronized.—Hamilton Times.

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TENDERS will be received for the Masonry, cut stone work, carpentering and joining necessary for the construction of School House, Durham St., St. Mary's Ward, Montreal, on account of the Commissioners of Roman Catholic Schools of Montreal, up to the 3rd. FEB next at 4 P.M. The plans for this building may be seen on application at the office of A. Leveque, Esq., 38 St. James St., from 10 A.M. to 4 P.M. The tenders should be addressed to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Commissioners, Commercial Academy St. Catherine St. The Commissioners are not obliged to accept the lowest or any tender. Montreal 26th Jan. 1877. 24-2

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AGENTS for the DOMINION.

CATHOLIC PERIODICALS.

Table listing various Catholic periodicals and their prices, including New York Tablet, Freeman's Journal, Catholic Review, Boston Pilot, Dublin Nation, London Tablet, Register, New York Catholic World, Messenger Sacred Heart, London Month, Dublin Review, and American Catholic Quarterly.

JUST PUBLISHED: Catholic Almanacs for 1877.

Table listing Catholic almanacs for 1877, including Sadtler's Catholic Directory, Irish American Almanac, Catholic Family Almanac, and Haverty's Almanac.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, } In the SUPERIOR COURT District of Montreal, } for Lower Canada. The Sixteenth Day of January, One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Seventy-seven. No. 1632.

PRESENT: The Honorable Mr. Justice PAPINEAU. "La Compagnie de Pret et Credit Foncier," a body politic and duly incorporated according to law and the Statutes in force in this Province, doing business and having its place of business at Montreal, in the District of Montreal, Plaintiff; vs. Octavo Laplante, Photographer, of the Town of Beauharnois, in the District of Beauharnois, Defendant.

IT IS ORDERED, on the motion of M. E. Charpentier, Esquire, of Counsel for the Plaintiff, in as much as it appears by the return of Charles Rapin, one of the sworn Bailiffs of the Superior Court for the District of Beauharnois, on the writ of summons in this cause issued, written, that the Defendant has left his domicile in the Province of Quebec in Canada, and cannot be found in the District of Montreal, that the said Defendant by an advertisement to be twice inserted in the English language, in the newspaper of the City of Montreal, called "Le National" and twice in the English language, in the newspaper of the said city, called "The True Witness" be notified to appear before this Court, and there to answer the demand of the Plaintiff within two months after the last insertion of such advertisement, and upon the neglect of such defendant to appear and to answer to such demand within the period aforesaid, the said Plaintiff will be permitted to proceed to trial and judgment as in a cause by default. (By the Court) GEO. W. KERNICK, Deputy P. S. C.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, } In the SUPERIOR COURT District of Montreal, } for Lower Canada. The Sixteenth Day of January, Eighteen Hundred and Seventy-seven. No. 1230.

PRESENT: The Honorable Mr. Justice PAPINEAU. "La Societe Canadienne Francaise de Construction de Montreal," Plaintiff; vs. Omer Piche, of the City and District of Montreal, Contractor, et al, Defendants.

IT IS ORDERED, on the motion of M. E. Charpentier, Esquire, of Counsel for the Plaintiff, in as much as it appears by the return of Prosper Archambault, one of the sworn Bailiffs of this Court, on the writ of summons in this cause issued, written, that the Defendant, Omer Piche, has left his domicile in the Province of Quebec in Canada, and cannot be found in the District of Montreal, that the said Defendant by an advertisement to be twice inserted in the French language, in the newspaper of the City of Montreal, called "Le National" and twice in the English language, in the newspaper of the said city, called "The True Witness" be notified to appear before this Court, and there to answer the demand of the Plaintiff within two months after the last insertion of such advertisement, and upon the neglect of the said Defendant to appear and to answer to such demand within the period aforesaid, the said Plaintiff will be permitted to proceed to trial and judgment as in a cause by default. (By the Court) GEO. H. KERNICK, Deputy P. S. C.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, } In the SUPERIOR COURT District of Montreal, } for Lower Canada. The fifteenth day of January one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven. No. 250.

Henry Beattie, and Edward H. Broster, both of the City and District of Montreal, Merchants and Copartners carrying on business there as such under the name style and firm of "Beattie & Broster," Plaintiffs, vs. Ch. E. Pariseau, of the said City of Montreal, Trader, Defendant.

IT IS ORDERED, on the motion of Archibald McCormick, Esquires, of Counsel for the Plaintiff in as much as it appears by the return of Charles Lapierre, one of the Bailiffs of the said Superior Court on the writ of Copias ad Respondendum in this cause issued, written, that the Defendant has left his domicile in the Province of Quebec in Canada and cannot be found in the District of Montreal, that the said Defendant by an advertisement to be twice inserted in the English language, in the newspaper of the City of Montreal, called "The True Witness" and twice in the French language, in the newspaper of the said city, called "L'Aurore" be notified to appear before this Court, and there to answer the demand of the Plaintiff within two months after the last insertion of such advertisement, and upon the neglect of the said Defendant to appear and to answer to such demand within the period aforesaid, the said Plaintiff will be permitted to proceed to trial and judgment as in a cause by default. GEO. H. KERNICK, Deputy, P.S.C.

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, } SUPERIOR COURT, District of Montreal, } Dame Maria Jane Wynn, of the City and District of Montreal, wife of John Paxton of the same place, Trader and Manufacturer, and duly authorized "ester en justice" for the purposes of this suit, Plaintiff, vs. The said John Paxton, Defendant.

An Action for separation as to property has been instituted in this cause. Montreal, 10th January 1877. DOUTRE, DOUTRE, ROBIDEUX, HUTCHINSON & WALKER,