familiar one to the boys of the Chris- crosse Club, is announced. Deceased

tian Brothers' School on Vitre who had been ailing for some time

street, of a quarter of a century ago. passed away at St. Rose, Que., where

and many a kind word of encourage- she had been spending the summer ment they received from her. -R.I.P. months with her family. She leaves

MRS. THOMAS QUINN. — The lance Company, who is well known in death of Mrs. Thomas Quinn, widow the circles of the Shamrock A.A.A.

of the late Thomas Quinn, who dur- Mrs. Quinn was a daughter of the

ing his lifetime was well-known to late Mr. Martin Barry, who was conthe old members of the Shamrock La- nected with the Customs Department.

CONNAUGHT RANGER'S

. . . OF THE . . . ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS

OFFICIAL ORGAN

Sagurday, SEPT. 9,.1899.



OF HOCHELAGA COUNTY, QUEBEC

County Officers for 1899 and 1900: Wnt. Rawley, County President, 78 Mansfield Street.

J. S. Fitzpatrick, Vice County President, 159 De Montigny Street. Jas. Mclver, County Secretary, 329 | the "North End Boys,"

St. Anteine Street. Humphrey T. Kearns, County Trea-

surer, 51 Gain Street. Board meets third Friday of each

month, at 1863 Notre Dame Street,

THE KNIGHTS AT WORK .-- The! monthly drill of the Hibernian. Knights was held on Sunday after-Loon, at the "Barracks," a largextendance being present, particularly the recruits. Great preparations gre being made for the visit to Borton next May, and everything looks wed in the direction of three ful! comparises leaving this city and parricipa ag in the competition on Bostor, Ceramon, Captain Keane and Lions McCracken and Doyle were in intendance on Sunday, and directed the two hours' hard drill which the oys were put through, Mr. John Lavalle. President of the Gaelic Society. and superintendent of the Caelle classes, of this city, has kindly consented to devote two evenings weekly, commencing on the first of October, to the work of instructing the Knights in the grand old tongue of their fathers. As a result, they will without doubt, be the only military organization drilled in the Irish iar-guage at the "Hub." This sneaks columns for the patriotism of the three young officers in command.

NATIONAL PRESIDENT COMING. L have received a private communication from the Hon. John T. Reating, of Chicago, National President stating that he will visit this city during the latter part of the week. This will be the first time a Nations of the largest, most important and al officer has visited Montreal, Great preparations are in progress amongstthe members of the Order to give him a generous Caed-mille-failthe. The

home last Saturday morning, During Halley, sarial place at Point St. Charles, Mr. in the West, and is an active momber. of it for the past forty-five years. . Division to a State officer, and is staurich supporter of the "True gan is always a welcome visitor to his home in Marion.

YOUNG TRISHMEN'S EXCURSION. The excursion of the Young Irishmen's Society down the river on Labor Day was most successful. good word to say about the assistance rendered by the "True Witness." Numerous matters of laterest were They do not deny the fact that it lie organ. On the homeward journey a musical and literary entertainment it to be a great financial success. was given and was thoroughly enjoyed by the six hundred odd persons on board. Those contributing to the programme being Miss Gertie O'-Brien, Miss T. Kitts, Miss Wren, and Messrs. Donnelly, J. McLean, T.

er, and the President Mr. E. Halley. on board the "Three Rivers" Monday evening after the crowd had left for home. The owner may get it by applying at the Young Irishmen's Hall, Pupre street.

BRANCH NO. 9, C. M. B. A. Grand Council of Quebec, at its last regular meeting initiated two new memb-

DIVISION NO. 6.—The excursion of Division No. 6, to Cornwall, on Labor Day was a grand success. About two hundred and fifty members and friends visited the Factory Town. The games were well contested particularly the lacrosse match between the teams composed of liv. No. 7 and the members of No. 6.The Point St. Charles boys won by three straight games, and nothwithstanding all the coaching the "North End Boys" got the visitors also won the tug of war. County President Rawley, who accompanied the excursionists had hopes of organizing a division in that city, but the matter was left in abeyance for the present. The visiting members are loud in their praise of the hospitality of

THE HIBERNIAN KNIGHTS have secured the Hibernia Hall, on Notre Dame street, and preparations are already in progress to make the winter quarters both cosey and warm. They will be "at home" to their friends after Friday.

THE NATIONAL HALL is now and assured fact. One of our leading national societies, has taken the mitiative in the matter at a largely attended unceting held during the past week. In the next issue of the "True" Witness' I will be able to give the

THE GAELIC SOCIETY has seene quarters from the Hiberman Knights and the regular class instructions, meetings, etc., of the parent society will be held on every Tuesday evening commencing the 4th Tuesday of the present month, All those intending to become pupils during the coming winter will be numished with information by communicating with the secretary of the Gaelic Society, "True Witness" office. The president of the Ladies' class, as also Messrs. McHugh and Clarke, are requested to communicate with the secretary during the com-

its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, and was well attended. Presideut Hummel of Division No. 9 and Vice-President Byrne, of Division No. 1. paid a friendly visit and gave a few words of encouragement to the of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, members, President Phelan presided.

THE YOUNG STAIMARTS. ---- One

most enthusiastic meetings of the Young Irishmen's Literary and Benefit Association held for many years was that of last Wednesday evening. Hibernian Knights will turn out in It was particularly pleasant to me full uniform to great their commands to visit this patriotic gathering of Tyoung Trishmen after a lapse of eighteen years, and notice the unbound-PERSONAL MENTION .-- Mr. and ed enthusiasm which still exists in Mrs. T. J. Greaney, of Marion. Ohio. the organization, when anything of who have been in this city for the a National character is to the forc. past two weeks on a visit to their Pleasing also was it to me to have daughter Mrs. John Lavelle, left for met such old co-workers as President W. J. Hinphy. Richard their stay they visited all the orinci- Burke, James McMahon, W. P. Stanpal places of interest including a trip ton, Joseph O'Brien, J. Cunninglam, to the Ancient Capital, and to the J. Tobia, and T. Grant, besides hosts place where Montgomery fell. But of other young men who have since the place of most interest to the good become members and who are a creold Irish couple was the Emigrants dit to any organization. President Edward Halley presided, The Greaney who has been always on the of the excursion committee on Labor "straight ticket" is one of the plot bay showed the affair to have been neers of the Hibernian organization very successful. A matter which deeply interests the Irish people of Montreal in particular, was then He has served in every capacity from discussed with the most gratifying appointed to draft up rules and resuscess, and trusts that all the old results. The meeting adjourned at twelve o'clock to meet on next Wed-Witness." The good old Cathoric or- nesday evening when all arrangements for their new project will be completed. May success crown your

DIVISION NO. 3, A. O. H., held its regular meeting on Wednesday ev-The ening, President Gallery presiding. members are juhilant and they have a Three new members were initiated and several applications received. discussed, and the report of the compays to advertise in the old Catho- mittee which had charge of the late excursion was presented, and showed

efforts gentlemen.

RECENT DEATHS.

DIVISION NO. 8, held its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, President John Lavelle presiding. new members were initiated and a communication was read from the Slattery, W. P. Stanton, M. J. Pow- County Secretary, inviting the dram-A valuable lady's jacket was found the Board the meeting of the board the William W. are also making good progress, and they expect to be able to accompany the Knights to Boston in May.

CONNAUGHT RANGER.

AU REVOIR TO FATHER McCALLEN.

Howard, J. H. Freley, Jas. McAran, Society, also delivered a reasonworded society speech. He expressed the rather than The facting with such men and three fourths of the students in the for their society, as it is well known expireton not good-live." and appreciated by all corrected: At the request of one of the memwith it. It was the manimous wish there all knell to receive a parting of all that Father Mctaher would be blessing from their worthy and lesspared to labor in God's vineyard termed Director. for many years to come; and as they to Mr. J. J. Costigan, 2nd VicesPress hoped to see him again their spritt-lident of the Society and chairman of al Director after a year's Aucation, the presentation committee seconded they would not say "Good-bye," but all that Mr. Walsh said. Remarks simply "An Revoir." He begged the were also made by Mr. J. H. Feeley. Rev. Father to accept the accom- W. P. Doyle, J. P. Gunning, J. I. Mcpanying gift as a Small token of their Caffrey, at I J. Howard. esteem and gratitude, and as a small done for them.

The half adjoining the sacristy of | FATHER MCCALLEN'S REPLY. --St. Patrick's Church was the scene After examining the beautiful morocof a very pleasant affair on Sunday co case and its contents, Father Melast after Vespers. The occasion was Callen expressed his great appreciaa presentation by the members of St. Ition of the Aindness of those present. Patrick's Total Abstinence and Bene- in selecting a gentleman's companion believed to be at variance with the in Society to Rev. Father J. A. Mc- for his journey, that was so beauti- best laterests of the pupils. Instead. Callen, S.S., who has been their able full and at the same time so useful, It a certain sum will be set aside anspiritual Director and President dur- woold prove, he said a daily remind- mully to provide hooks for a working his twelve years' stay in St. Car- or to him of the T. A. and B. Socie- mg libray to be established in conrick's Parish, and who is about to ty of St. Patrick's of the pleasant leave on a year's lecturing tour in relations which had always existed between the spiritual director and Among those present were Messrs, the members; of the fact that though the Senior Department, or many other John Walsh, 4st Vice-President of St. assemed by his superior now to one or department, of the Protestant Patrick's T. A. and B. Society, J. J. function, now to another in the parsumption of the Protestant Costigan, 2nd Vice-President: W. P. lish, we had always been allowed to any opinion concerning the operations

four sons, one of them being Mr.

Percy J. Quinn, of the Queen Insur-

ning, W. F. Costigan, J. Gaherty, D. greater as to the members of the .e. School, or to lany other Cataoire Kelly, T. Mechan, R. E. Reddy. To ciety, that not once in all the twelve School, It is certain that the man Whelan, and many others. Mr. John years and tray intered one word or ordy of pupits study for the price Walsh, 1st Vice-President made the dece on action to mar the harmony that they expect to gain, and to tid presentation, which cars, but of a that smooth always exist between the away that source of equilation would gentleman's travellant con suction. He species, head and the members of a mean to throw cold water upon the

great that all felt at better Metals sand more work as four school. You cannot with unionalis len's departure, even though it was erable, would cause him many on degrive youth of any privilege that but for a year. During his stay and hour of sorrow, were it not that he has become customary, to do so is ougst them be showed biased to be hoped to meet their again after to to run great risk of doing not other their true friend. It would be as less, short absence, Their worthy chair ble insure, in any cases to a could he said, to extel the great and good man, Mr. Walsh, had indeed said the timbe of grave reasons - we are work that the Rev. Father has done, kindest word in uttering that re-

Rev. F. Cher McCallen after bidding DIVISION NO. 5, A. O. H., held acknowledgement of the good he had farewell to each one personally then gave all his blessing.

PARISH NOTES.

ST, MARY'S, -- On Sunday last at to state that this society will not meeting of the Sacrod Heart Society only hold regular religious relebraof St. Mary's Parish was jeld and those, but also those of a social kind. We think this is a move in the hers. The zealous pastor, Rev. Fifth- keeping the younger members of the chairman explained the object of the The remark is often heard, "Too." meeting and gave in detail much is done for young men now . work Society composed of the former (90) classes, gymnasiums, and all these ils of St. Mary's School, was founded things." on June 29th, 1882, by the late. We wonder at a man who, looking the late Archbishop Fabre.

which a committee consisting of angels fear to tread." Messes, Brennan, Fahey, Trainor, school to attend a special meeting which was inaugurated Notre Dame street. It may be well loved pastor, Rev. P. F. O'Donnell.

there was a good attendance of more right direction, as it will go air in er O'Donnell, occupied the chair. Mr. parish together and bringing them Mitchell acted as Secretary. The Rev. in closer contact with one another. outlined for the when I was a boy, we had no Young The Sacred Heart Men's Cathelic Club, with econing

lamented paster of St. Mary's backward on his own life and on re-Church, Rev. Father Simon Longram, cords made by his boyhood friends, It received the special approper at of can say, "Let the young man fight it; out alone." It makes one shudder to Father O'Donnell next advised the thin's of the temptations and snares young to continue this good week, that one has met and been entangled and build up a society that would do in, and it seems strange, very strange nealentable good. Speeches were also that a man cares little to save made by Messrs. P. Heffernan, J. the young man who, is the rashness Prevost, F. D. Daly and others, after of his youth, dares to rushin where The

Mitchell, Purcell and Heffernan, was 'alumni of St. Mary's School every gulations as well as to send invita- pupils of the school will avail themtions to all the old pupils of the selves of this golden opportunity which will be held on Sunday after- years ago under happy auspices, and noon. September 17th, at 3 o'clock, now to be continued under the charge Mary's Young Men's Hall of the painstaking, zealous, and be-

NOTES FROM OTTAWA.

Mount St. Anthony.

The "First Friday" observance was L. marked by a very large aumber of recipients of Holy Communion.

Amongst those who departed this life last week was an old and spected resident of this city-Mrs. Thomas Kehoe, After Requiem High-Mass on Friday the funeral procession wended its way to Our Lady's Cemetery and in doing so passed by ing up united prayer for her soul,.... ten o'clock,

gy at the University, and four new Gloucester, on 7th instant.

Amongst the visitors to the city professors have been added to the is Father Eugene Prevost, a native staff, which now numbers forty-five of St. Jerome, Que., and brother of in all departments. Rev. Father An-Dr. Prevost of this city. The reverend toine, O.M.L. having completed his gentleman has resided in Paris, three years as chaplain of the Glou-France, for twelve years past; he is coster Street Convent, has been apa priest of l'Orphelinat. St. Joseph. pointed to a 1-x posit, on at the Good Shepherd Convent; he is succeeded by Rev. Father Murphy, O.M.

> The annual retreat of the members of the Order of Our Lady Immaculate terminated on Tuesday of last week. $e^{-i \rho \sigma_{\pi}} \cdot A$ reunion of friends took place in the afternoon at the Scholasticate.

His Grace the Archbishop made his pastoral visit to the parish of St. the monastery of Our Lady of Char, (Francis de Sales, Gatineau Point) on ity so that her daughter, Rev. Sister Sunday 27th August. He relebrated The house of Mary to the House of Mary St. Bernard and her sisters in Massand administered the Sacr. religion might have a last glimpse of ment of Confirmation to the children the casket containing the beloved re, and also a number of adults, at half mains which they did from the win- past seven o'clock, and preached in dows of the cloister, meantime offer, both languages at the High Mass at

A harvest home picnic in aid of By mortal eye, yet shows beneath the Ray, Father Perdereau, O.M.L. has church funds will take place on Mr. been added to the faculty of Theolo- Patrick's Shearon's grounds, South Of God, resplendent, like the crystal

VISITORS FROM THE ISLAND PROVINCE.

Ex-Governor Howlan, of Prince) several of our most prominent citi-

of the sturdy manner in which they have encountered the many difficulties inseparable from the life of colonizers in a way that is really charming as well as instructive. It is a pity that his honor cannot be induced to put his story into bookform, it would be pleasant and profitable reading. Mrs. Howlan has all the characteristics of a true Irish

clip the following item, in connection with the Montreal High School;

"Principal Rexford aumounces in connection with the Montreal High School that it has been decided, after mature consideration, to discontinue EVERY EUROPEAN NOVELTY! partment of the school, as such is nection with each class. Possibly it is none of our affairs.

whether prizes are given, or not, hapoyle, Secretary: J. I. Metaffrey, J. Tremain. Perector of the Temperature of that establishment. But we crust that no such resolution will ever be T. R. Stevens, P. Duly, J. P. Guns. They pleasant to all present, how taken in regard to the Catholic High enthusiasm and real of more than favor of prizes in all schools

HOLY NAME OF MARY.

September 10th.

Dear, honored name, beloved for 1.6 man fies.

But loved and honored arst that One Was given. In living proof, to erring mortal

That our poor flesh is akin to Heav-Sweet word of dual meaning, one of

grace, And born of our kind Advocate admove;

(And one by memory linked to that dear face. That blessed my childhood with its

mother-love.

den snares.

And taught me first the sample prays ting of that monument cost er, "To thee, Poor banished sons of Eve. we send

our cries, Through mist of years those word recall to me. A childish face upturned to loving

eves. And yet, to some the name of Mary bears

special meaning and to gradious powerr that dear word they sads for hid

flower.

doubts and fears to earth;;

The "True Witness," wishes the Which, to the upturned trusting face appears Greater than angel, though of human birth.

> $cheerless\ night,$ The rays of hidden sun that rise to- | the image."

morrow: unseen, God still lets his promised light

Through holy Mary, shine upon our sorrow.

JOHN BOYLE O'REILLY.

MARY'S BIRTH.

September 8th.

At dawn of day, the day of Mary' birth,

There fell a golden cloud upon the earth. Down-curtained from the Throne of God above,

mystic shadow of his earthdrawn love-On all the Holy Land, tradition saith,

Between Jerusalem and Nazareth, Between the temple of the cheruban And humble home of Anne and Jour-

Uniting thus, whilst angels thither trod

God. For though it seemed to eyes of men a haze sun-mists, gathered in a golden

sheen.

Yet was it full of angels, who, un-

gems That sparkle in the snow-drift as it

Or like the stars, that fill with dia dems. The milk-white arch that spans the purple skies.

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"On July 20, after two days of great fatigue, forty Alphasts, and twenty supports of the Susa Regiment, succeeded in carrying to the summit of the Rocciamelone of haght of 3,-537 inetrest, on the confines of France and Italy, the colossal statue of Our Lady of the Shov, scaphured by Stuardi, of Turis, and cast at bronze at Milan. The statue divided into eight pieces, weighs six hundred kilogrammes, and to arrive at the summit of the mountain there were no paths, save those of the chamois, As wasps find poison in the sweetest, and the snow and new years as get not thoroughly melted. Accompanying the expedition were a band of mason; faithful hearts can see, ever and stonerutters, who on their arrival promptly began the work of the Virgin link that binds the Lord foundations. The expedition was accompanied by tanon Fonda, provest of the Cathedral of Susa, who celebrated Mass in the refuge which had been improvised for the workmen. This gigantic statue is the effering of the children of Italy, from Prince to sweet-faced moon reflects on peasant, to the Madonna, 150,000 in all, whose names are enclosed within

BRIEF NOTES OF NEWS.

TAXING MACHINERY, -The offorts of the Montreal assessors to tax the machinery of manufacturers is meeting with opposition.

FOR PEACE .- According to a recent dispatch, the Pope is very solicitous that hostilities in the Philippines should cease.

SAD ACCIDENT .- By an accident to a sailboat at the eastern passage on the east side of Halifax harbor, on Monday, seven lives were lost. The victims all belonged to Halifax. squall struck the boat.

NOT SO ENTHUSIASTIC: -- A Catholic priest of San Juan, Porto Rico, writes to a friend in the United States that the ardor of Protestant missionaries in that Island is rapidly languishing.

ORNAMENTAL WINDOWS.

It seems strange that for ornamental windows lead should still be used for glazing purposes. With the copper joint without coment, a window can be made in small pieces and yet perfectly tight, and so that it will remain tight. The electric joint in copper is patented by the Luxfer Prism Co., and they are putting together a great amount of glass by this method. The joint is tight and remains tight, and is the only joint that can be made good, and only the sixteenth of an inch wide.

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Notwithstanding all the skill and careful attendance of devoted physicians and nurses; the watchful care of a beloved mother and sister, she peacefully passed away at the Royal Victoria Hospital at five on Sunday evening, Aug. 27th inst., fully prepared to meet the Divine summons by a good Christian life, and fortified by all the consolations and rites of our Holy Mother Church. Her funeral took place from her

signation the sufferings which term-

inated her devoted and unselfish life.

residence 244 Bleury street, at 7.30 for more than half a century. On Tuesday, the 29th, to St. Pat- was a true representative of

+++++++++++++++++ MRS. DAOUST .- The sad news of relations. To them and especially to the death of N. M. Donahue, beloved her absent sisters, Rev. Sister Mary Isabella, and Sister Mary of Perpetuwife of Mr. G. Daoust, was received al Help of the Order of the Congreby her relations and numerous friend gation de Notre Dame, do we tender with deep sorrow. Mrs. Daoust bore our heartfelt sympathy and prayers with much fortitude, and edifying re- for the dear departed. May her soul rest in peace.

MRS, JOHN DWANE .-- Another of the early Irish settlers of Montreal passed to her reward a few days ago in the person of Mrs. John Dwane. mother of Messrs. John and Thoma-Dwane, well-known in commercial circles in this city.

Deceased was one, if not the oldest parishioner of St. Patrick's Church. and lived within the shadow of this sacred edifice wherein she worshipped rick's Church, and the numerous zealous and industrious class of Irclergy and sorrowing friends who at- ish women who came to this city in tended was a consoling proof of the the forties, and laid the foundation esteem and affection entertained for of the present Irish-Catholic commun-

Edward Island, and Mrs. Howlan, zens. The ex-governor is seill hale spent a few days in Montreal during and hearty, and full of reminiscences the past week. The ex-governor and of his long and varied career. He is manner in which the affairs of the source of good stories for him. Noth-Island Province were managed at ing could be more interesting than the executive mansion during the his account of the early struggles of

Don't forget to call on Mr. E. his devoted wife won golden opinions an admirable raconteur. The early mansfield, The Shoeist, his recent in every quarter for the admirable history of the Island is a fertile purchase of a large stock of manuterm of his honor's incumbency. Irish Catholics in Prince Edward Is- youths' and men's goods. Our read-Whilst in Montreal many old friends land. He speaks of the rise and de-ers will consult their best intertests were delighted to meet Mr. and Mrs. velopment of their different societies. by calling early, and getting a choice the deceased lady, and her bereaved ity in this district. Her form was a Howlan, and they were the guests of of their progress in agriculture, and of these goods.