

C. O. F.

Toronto, Ont., July 20, 1895. Sacred Heart Court, No. 29, meets first and third Thursdays of each month, in room 2, Temperance Hall.

The above mentioned court held their regular meeting Thursday last, at 7:30 p.m. The regular business of the court was gone through in perfect order.

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OBITUARY.

DOMINICK GREHAN, FINCH. We regret to announce the death of Dominick Grehan, of the 5th concession of Finch, who died at his residence on the 15th June, 1895.

MISS CLARA QUAYLE, TWEEDE, ONT. It is with regret we record the death of Miss Clara Quayle which occurred on Wednesday evening, after a brief illness.

The Pilgrimage to St. Anne de Beaupre, which was mentioned in our last week's edition, promises to be a great success.

EL CATHOLIC RECORD. The Echo, a weekly paper published at Sandridge, in the Parry Sound District, in giving an account of the Orange celebration in that village on the 12th, administers a well merited castigation to some of the speakers on that occasion.

PLINIA TALK FROM A PROTESTANT EDITOR. One speaker condemned the grant given to Father Farahita by the word concerning the Rev. Manley Benson, Methodist minister, who received a night when he was on a holiday by lecturing as an entertainment.

Trout Creek Grand Picnic. Rev. A. P. Kelly, P. P., has announced a picnic at Trout Creek for August 1. From the success of Father Kelly's last picnic I have no hesitation in prophesying a still greater measure of success.

Picnic at Arthur. Whenever Father Doherty takes anything to heart it is sure to be well done; this was the remark of a Gaelic visitor to the picnic given by the congregation of St. John's Church.

PILGRIMAGE TO ST. ANNE DE BEAUPRE. The time now approaches for the fourth annual religious pilgrimage to the shrine of St. Anne de Beaupre, under the direction of Rev. M. J. Stanton, Smith's Falls, on Tuesday, July 30.

POEMS AND LYRICS. Mr. William John Thaler, an Austrian, but formerly a resident of Montreal, passed through this city last week, on an extraordinary undertaking—a trip around the world.

A TALENTED YOUNG LADY. The Washington (D. C.) Pilot recently offered a prize for the best essay on George Washington. The contest was open to girls not above eighteen years of age, and there were no national restrictions.

graceful. He has a keen sense of humor, which is well employed in his lighter poems. He can be pathetic also, and his tributes to Sir John Macdonald, Thos. White, Longfellow, and gentle John Lesperance, are touching, tender and true.

The Ave Maria. "Dr. J. K. Foran, the versatile editor of the Montreal True Witness, is certainly his own harshest critic when he characterizes his new book of 'Poems and Lyrics' as 'rude verses, written at haphazard'.

Catholic Union and Times. "Poems and Lyrics," by Dr. J. K. Foran, L. B., Montreal; D. J. Sadtler, price \$1. Dr. Foran is well known and admired this side the line, although his work has principally appeared in Canadian publications.

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EFFECTUAL.—Charles J. Booth, Oysterwood, Cal., says: "I have used Ayer's Pills in my family for several years, and have always found them most effectual in the relief of ailments arising from a disordered stomach, torpid liver and constipated bowels."

A WINTER IN PARIS. Mr. G. T. Fulford's Return From the World's Gayest City.—A Reporter's Interesting Interview With Him—Some Statistics and Information of General Value.

spring, introducing Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, has reached home with his family, and on the evening of his arrival was interviewed by a Recorder reporter and asked to give an account of himself.

"Well," he said, in reply to a question on the status of the Pink Pill business in France, "of course it isn't altogether an easy matter to introduce a foreign article into a strange market, but I don't think we can complain of the progress made, and it is gratifying to report that some, at least, of the Paris doctors are open to recognize a medicine of which the intrinsic merits can be demonstrated to them."

"How do you find business all round?" "Pretty good. We have sold in the past twelve months a little over two million three hundred and sixty thousand boxes of Pink Pills."

"That is a pretty large order, isn't it?" "It is the best twelve months business yet. Look for a minute at what the figures mean. If all the pills were turned out into a heap, and a person set to count them, working ten hours a day and six days a week, the job would take—I have reckoned it—four months, counting at the rate of 100 a minute. Or, if you want further statistics, it is somewhere about two pills a head for the combined adult population of Canada, Great Britain, Ireland and the United States."

"Does Great Britain do its share in the business?" "Yes, I think we have had a record there. The head of a leading advertising agency in London to whom I showed my figures, told me that no business of the kind had ever reached the same dimensions in England in as short a time; for though we have only been working in England two years, there are but two medicines there that have as large a sale as Pink Pills, and one of these is over thirty years old, while the other has been at work for almost half that time."

"Can't you attribute it in reasonable logic to anything but the merits of the pills?" "Was everything lovely, asked the reporter or were there any crumpled rose leaves in the couch?" "Can't grumble, except in one way. There's a certain amount of substitution in some retail stores, and there is a man in Manchester, England, that I have had to prosecute on the criminal charge for it."

"But what do the substitutes do—do they duplicate your formula under some other name?" "No, not a bit of it; that is the worst feature of the fraud. No dealer can possibly know what is in Pink Pills; and if he did, he couldn't prepare them in small quantities to sell at a profit. They are not common drugs, and by no means cheap to make. I suppose I have spent from \$10,000 to \$12,000 since I took over the trademark, in trying if the formula could be improved, and spent a share of it for nothing."

"After I acquired the trade-mark I saw that if the thing was to be made a success it was imperative that I should have the best tonic pill that could be gotten up. Consequently I obtained the advice and opinion of some of the most noted men in medicine in Montreal and New York—and expert advice of that sort comes high. I made the changes in my formula suggested by these medical scientists, and the favor with which the public has received the medicine demonstrates that it is the most perfect blood builder and nerve tonic known. However, I was anxious to still further improve the formula, if that could be done, and have since spent a great deal of money with that end in view. On going to London, two years ago, to place Pink Pills, I went into it again, with the best medical men there; and, as you know, the medical expert is not too friendly to proprietary medicines; and least of all to a good one; and I don't blame the doctors either. It isn't good for their business if a man can get for 50 cents medicine that will do him more good than \$50 in doctoring. Consequently advice came high, but I obtained the best there is, not only in this continent but in London and Paris."

When I went to Paris last winter I placed my formula and a supply of Pink Pills in the hands of one of the most noted doctors in that city for a three months' trial in his practice, with a view to getting suggestions for improvement; at the end of that time his answer was: 'Leave it alone, it cannot be bettered. You now have a perfect blood and nerve medicine.' This opinion cost me 10,000 francs, but I consider it money well spent, as it determines the fact that the formula for Pink Pills is now as perfect as medical science can make it. And coming back to the question of substitution and imitations; what I have just told you will show what a poor thing it is for a man who goes to a store for Pink Pills, to let something

else be pushed on to him in place of them—more especially if it is a work-out thing like Blaud's pills—a formula in the French pharmacopoeia that has been a back number for years until a few storekeepers tried to push it, on the strength of Pink Pill advertising. You can take it from me that a storekeeper who tells anyone that Blaud's pill (which is not a proprietary at all, in any way a substitute for Pink Pills) is an inorganic and never ought to be trusted to sell medicine at all. A druggist as ignorant as that certainly isn't fit to put up a prescription, and will poison someone one day."

MARKET REPORTS. London, July 25.—Wheat, 81c to 84c per bushel. Oats, 55c to 58c per bushel. Barley, 53c to 56c per bushel. Rye, 57c to 60c per bushel. Beef was easy, at 2 1/2 to 2 3/4 per cwt. Lamb 5 to 6c a pound by the carcass. Dressed calves, 5 to 6c a pound. Butter was in good demand at 10c a pound. Eggs 11c a dozen by the basket. New potatoes 10c a bushel. Raspberries were in demand at 10 to 12c a box. Red currants 8c a box. Gooseberries, 6c a quart. Hay 10 to 11 a ton. Mince 10c to 12c a piece.

Toronto, July 25.—Market quiet. Wheat—Winter wheat at 81c and held at 79c; 5 cars of Manitoba No. 1 hard sold west at 80c. Flour—Scarcely any demand at the mill. Oats—Holders 53c for white middle freight west at 52c, middle freight west at 53c. Feed for white middle freight west at 53c. Old cars quoted west at 55c.

Toronto, July 25.—Export Cattle—The best price paid to day was 10c, and sales were very quiet. Fat cattle were in good demand. Fat calves were in good demand. Fat sheep were in good demand. Fat hogs were in good demand.

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