not enter into the kingdom of heaven." artisans, 13 pharmacies, 3 hospitals and This presupposes that we are in need of a home for lepers. There are 50,000 conversion, which is altogether a gra- Catholics in the country. These figures tuitous assumption on the part of the are promising indeed. The conversion of person sending out the notice. Suppose Japan is surely possible. we were unconverted the slip does not indicate how we are to become so, nor does it even suggest the means to be adopted in in order to secure the boon of eternal happiness. The scattering of these, and similar tracts, is a liberty that no Christian should presume to take with the Holy Scriptures. They are highly calcu-Lated to bring religion into ridicule.

. A CONTEMPORARY describes I. Zangwill, the critic and novelist, he who writes Without Prejudice" in the Pall Mall Magazine, as a person with "a long, lank figure and a strongly-marked sallow face. He is a Londoner by birth, and it was while he was a teacher in an East End 'school that he learned so much of the Jewish poor and their ways of life." The description would almost suit some of his own funny caricatures in the magazine of his choice. Mr. Zangwill is now fairly well known on this side of the Atlantic, particularly since his recent article, in one of the leading publications of the day, on Judaism. He has great ability and a greater capacity for work; but he is strongly tinged with the hue of Londonism. The Londoner, as a rule, imagines that all the world's knowledge is centred in the great metropolis, and he sees things mostly through the haze of a London mist.

THE Protestant Archbishop of Canterbury recently addressed a pastoral letter to his archdiocese, asking the members of the Church of England to offer prayers on Whit-Sunday for unity. He

"When we consider the terrible separation of the past, when we now see so many communions-Presbyterian, Nonconformist and Roman Catholic-at home and abroad in America, we are moved to seek Christian unity. Who can doubt that this change is of the

Another evidence that the Sovereign Pontiff's appeal is not regarded, as some would have us believe, in the light of an "old man's childish appeal, arising from the simplicity of his natural goodness." Rather is it patent that his letter was the outcome of long and profound study combined with a great knowledge of the age.

THERE are many alive to-day who can recall Bianconi's stage-coaches. For nearly the third of a century these onetime famous vehicles have disappeared to make way for the noisy, rapid inventhat the old Bianconi yard in the Dublin | words : road, Tuam, Galway, from which in the · old coaching days went out as splendidly - appointed horses and cars as ever trotted · over a road, has been sold to the Presenowner. The sisters intend building exligious order of teachers takes possession of the once famous habitation of the proposed to run a thorough-fare through | quently about the influence of Catholic the habitation of nuns-an institution journalism, the necessity of keeping consecrated by 250 years of existence.

THERE are to be Women Freemasons soon. A Cambridgeshire lady, according to the London Telegraph, has determined to start a lodge, and she claims that a number of sisters who had applied for admission to the "ancient secrets of the mystic order," show an earnest desire ance that the Catholic paper is in duty on the part of women to help men in the working of the craft. The Telegraph says that the Salic law is very strict in Freemasonry. The female Freemasons might claim to represent the Queen of Sheba, but the representatives of King Solomon might not take kindly to her. The women would probably have one advantage, they would not require to purthase aprons, having them already on hand. The keeping of the awful secrets might prove the most difficult task. As masonry is sofull of symbols perhaps the dadies might use the compass and square to measure each other's patterns and the trowel to metaphorically bedaub the *Characters of delinquent and absent sisters. The grip might be replaced by wither conventional signs—such as making faces for example. Above all, for masonry work, bloomers would be quite convenient. It will now be in order for some New Woman to start a lodge of couple of years the bridge from the city female Odd Fellows.

know about the exact status of Cathodicity in Japan. Of late years, by means of our trans-continental railway and F. Larose, of 1627 Notre Dame street, can trans-Pacific line of steamers, Japan has been brought much closer, than was anticipated quar er of a century ago, to the Deople of the great West. In 1891, Pope means of attaining their object. Leo XIII. established a Catholic hier-Farchy there, consisting of one arch- THE LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR. The committee having charge of the arrangements for the entertainment to be held under the auspices of the Little saki in which are 44 students, two colleges at Tokyo and Nagasaki with 154 students, three pensions for young ladies with 130 inmates, 17 orphanages with 130 inmates, 17 orphanages with 1302 children, 18 workshops with 303

THE CATHOLIC CITIZEN of Milwaukee thus refers in a recent issue to our change of form :-

"The Montreal True Witness, which, if we are not mistaken, is the oldest Catholic paper in Canada, has changed from a sixteen page paper to an eight paged paper, enlarging its sheet. The change is a decided improvement."

We may say in return that the Citizen is one of the most valuabe and highly appreciated exchanges that come to our table. It is always brimful of solid Catholic news.

AT THE DANQUET during Archbishop Williams' Jubilee the amount of the testimonials presented by the clergy and laity, which was not announced at the time, has been ascertained to be \$50,000one thousand dollars for each year of his priesthood. But certainly one of the most gratifying of testimonials is that of the prayers and devotional exercises offered Men's Society, are all completed. Casey up for him. The Archbishop feels happy when glancing over this list:

1	Holy communions	41.583
e	Masses celebrated	318
l	Masses heard	74,520
-	Visits to Blessed Sacrament	120,323
	Beads	89,178
	Stations of the cross	35,954
e	Hours of labor	-88,984
	Prayers, Angelus, etc	234,835
	Various good works	61,819
	-	

Great and holy the man whose life has been the spring of such a mighty flood of devotion!

THERE are broader lights dawning gradually upon the world of conflicting elements. The Independent recently remarked that:

"There was a time when no Protestant seemed to be able to look upon the Catholic Church with the least degree of toleration or allowance. He waged war against it as though it were an evil thing, and only evil. The great amount of prejudice has obscured clear vision both on the Protestant and Catholic side. We hope that the time is at hand when this prejudice shall be dissipated, so that Catholics may come to understand their Protestant fellow Christians, and appreciate them for what they are; and that a similar view may be taken of Roman Catholic Christians.

If the non-Catholic world would only strive to crush out prejudice and fairly study the tenets and practices of the Catholic Church the day of universal Christian unity would not be far distant.

For a second time La Croix du Canada has suspended publication. In its valetion of modern innovation. We learn dictory editorial we find these significant

"We supposed that in this country, where there was so much devotion, that a paper devoted exclusively to the interests of the Church, submitted to the tation Convent, by Mr. T. J. Gilmore, the full towards ecclesiastical authority and independent of political parties, would tensive schools there. In Ireland a re- have some chance of success. We, however, were mistaken."

A sad comment upon the sincerity of only means of transfer; in Canada it is those people who talk so loudly and eleabreast of the times, and the apostolate of the press, but who prefer to support the non-Catholic press by subscription and advertisement to the detriment of their own organs. When they have some personal end to attain they rush to the Catholic paper with their item and consider that their object is of such importbound to help them along, to defend them, to praise them; but if they have an advertisement, for which they must pay, they go to the non Catholic press with it. They wonder why their paper cannot succeed. Look here: every time you have cash wherewith to purchase goods were you to go a stranger's store, and whenever you wanted credit, or goods for nothing, you went to your friend's establishment, would you be suprised to find that, despite your professed friendship, your friend failed in business and the stranger grew wealthy?

HO! FOR ST. LAMBERT. Now that the summer season is on hand it would be well to remember that there are 32 trains daily running between Montreal and St. Lambert. Only five cents per trip. Such facilities are scarcely to be found any place else in Canada. What will it be, however, when, in a to the St. Lambert Boulevard will be constructed. Perhaps there is no more healthy and convenient locality in all It was interest many of our readers to the Dominion than that beautiful town across the broad St. Lawrence from Montreal. The new Boulevard will be an attraction to the world of tourists. Mr. L. furnish more exact information about St. Lambert than any person we know of, and he can, moreover, afford all anxious to make a good solid investment the

encouraged. A large number of fine pieces of silverware will be drawn for on the night of the concert, and each person holding a general or reserved seat ticket will be entitled to one and two chances respectively in the drawings. The talent secured for the entertainment are some of Montreal's well known favorites, together with a host of novelties which will be seen for the first time in Mont-

DIFFERENT OUTINGS.

PICNICS. EXCURSIONS, AND ENTERTAINMENTS. Heron Island has been selected by District Assembly No. 18, K. of L., for the holding of their second annual picnic and games on Monday (Dominion Day),

The Shoemakers' Union have appointed a committee to make arrangements for their annual picnic. The date and place of holding their picnic will be aniounced later.

Typographical Union 176, at a recent meeting, decided to hold their annual picnic, and appointed a committee, who promise to outdo all previous efforts in making theirs the most successful of any that will be held by a trade organization this summer.

Arrangements for the annual excursion down the river on the steamer Three Rivers by the St. Axn's Young popular orchestra has been secured for dancing. The concert on the retnrn trip in the evening promises to celipse all previous efforts. Professor Shea, the musical director of the Society, will preside at the piano.

A NEW ENTERPRISE.

A FULLY EQUIPPED CREAMERY IN THE HEART OF THE CITY.

The firm of Croil and McCullough, the well known manufacturers of the "Clover Leaf Brand" of creamery butter, have now in operation, at 614 St. Paul street, a large creamery equipped with all modern machinery for the manufacture of the finest creamery butter. The cream is secured in the best sections of Canada and brought to the city in speci- them the means to do so? Look at the novelty of the establishment makes it front and endow a chair in either Otwell worth a visit from any person interested in the manufacturing of dairy produce. The "Clover Leaf Brand" was awarded a medal and diploma at the World's Fair, Chicago, 18-3, and took first prize at the Toronto Industrial Fairs in 1892 and 1894.

ST. ANN'S T. A. & B. SOCIETY.

The regular monthly meeting of the St. Ann's T. A. & B. Society was held in St. Ann's hall, corner Young and Ottawa streets, on Sunday last, 9th June, and there was a good attendance of the members. In the absence of the president Mr. James Shanahan presided; the Rev. Director was also present. Several new members took the pledge and became members of the society. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted. The secretary, Mr. Thomas Rogers, read a communication from Sister McGurty of the Hotel Dieu, asking the assistance of the society for a young man, a patient there, to help him to make a pilgrimage to France. The secretary was instructed to reply.

The office of vice-president having become vacant, it was moved by Mr. Wm. Davis, seconded by Mr. Wm. Donnelly, that Mr. W. Hawlett be elected vicepresident of the society for the remainder of the term. There being no other nomination the chairman declared Mr. Hawlett duly elected. Mr. James Me-Guire was also elected on the committee. Mr. Jams Shanahan and Mr. Wm. Davis gave the report of the committee in regard to the pic-nic, and explained all that had been done since the last monthly meeting; that it had been found inposible to procure cars for Dominion Day, as they have all been already engaged. After considerable discussion it was regularly moved and seconded that the committee have power to make arrangements for a pic-nic or excursion on some other suitable date.

Moved by Mr. J. Shamhan, seconded by Mr. P. Flannery, that a vote of condolence be passed to the relatives of our late member Mr. M. Noonan, who died since the last meeting. Carried. This brought a very successful meeting to a close. The committee atterwards held a very interesting meeting in connection with the pic-nic.

CATHOLIC SAILORS' CLUB CONCERT.

On Thursday evening last Mr. A. Giroux occupied the chair at the very successful weekly concert given by the Catholic Sailors' Club. The hall was crowded with an audience composed of citizens and seamen, who thoroughly enjoyed themselves as was evidenced by the great applause and numerous encores. Special mention should be made of little Norra and Hildred Coghlan, whose selections on bandola and piano were decidedly worthy of musical prodigies. So tiny were the little performers that they had to be lifted into their seats by their mother. Mr. Parizeau's dancing, Mr. J. Baxters' whistling selections, and Messrs. G. Holland and Josh Rankin as vocalists clicited warm and appreciative applause. Amongst the many ladies and gentlemen who took part were Messrs. Morninge, Godfrey, B. Laughlin, T. Carroll, F. Duffy, J. McGinty, J. McNerney; Mr. Lesperance, who rendered the "Wearing of the Green," and Mr. Harris, whose song and dance was highly appreciated. Miss Lawlor gave some very fine and ably executed piano selections; Messrs. Read and Milloy were most successful in their duet; and Miss Singleton, with her little brother Charley, added greatly to the entertainment by their piano

CHARITABLE LEGACIES PAID.

CORRESPONDENCE.

CATHOLIC LITERATURE IN CAN-ADA.

To the Editor of THE TRUE WITNESS. Sir,-I wish to say a word about a matter personal to yourself-the recent publication of your volume of poems. As one interested in the Catholic literature of Canada, I hail the advent of your "Poems and Lyrics" with delight, and hope that the PRACTICAL appreciation of your excellent volume will be quite equal

to the praise bestowed upon it through

the columns of the press.

We Catholics-Irish Catholics-are a generous people, but I sometimes think we are not as generously disposed to our own kith and kin as we should be. We sometimes fail—signally fail—to appreciate the efforts of those of our race who are unselfish by devoting their best energy and life to the betterment of our people. Take the representatives of our. people in Parliament. Is it not a sad fact that we often deny them that moral: support—that generous recognition of their services—to which they are en titled? Is the old charge true-that the Irish, as a race, are jealous of each other that with them, as Shakespeare says, "Virtue cannot grow out of the teetn of emulation?" I hope not. There is grand work to be done in Canada during the next twenty-five years in the way of building up a Catholic literature. But those who labor in the cause must look to their own people for support and encouragement, and if they do not get it, there is an end. The Catholics number two-fifths of the population of Canada. Does two-fifths of the intellectual strength of the Canadian people belong to them? The late Boyle O'Reilly well understood the great power which the Church could wield along the intellectual lines—which means the "citizen lines"

-for intellect to-day is the force in civic

and public life.

What are our wealthy Catholics doing to-day with the fortunes they have amassed? Are they endowing chairs or establishing scholarships in our Catholic universities and colleges? How can you hope that our Catholic colleges will keep abreast of the times if you do not give ally provided retrigerator cars. It is put large sums which, at different times, up in glass bottles for private family trade. The butter is sold in 1 lb. prints or in any size desired by purchaser. The tawa University, Ottawa; St. Mary's College, Montreal; St. Michael's College, Toronto; Assumption College, Sandwich: or St. Jerome's College, Berlin? We sometimes hear a complaint that Catholic education is not up to the mark. How can it be otherwise when a professor in a Catholic college is compelled to teach at an age when the mind is only ripening and then perhaps in three departments little related to each other and sometimes from four to six hours a day. I am sufficiently acquainted with Catholic colleges to know their professors deserve, not criticism, but sympathy—nay more, they deserve, and should receive, our hearty support. With no emolument, and very little encouragement, they sacrifice their very lives on the altar of Catholic education, bequeathing to the martyrs who follow naught but their mantle of self-

> Peninsula." His first volume was a "History of the Early Missions in Western Canada." This good and gifted priest is doing a noble work, and I make incidental reference to it here to show what can be accomplished by one possessed of the scholarship, industry, disposition and taste requisite for the performance of such a work. I am sure, sir. that no person, on reading your "Poems and Lyrics," can be otherwise than impressed with the significance of your colume as a contribution to Canadian Catholic literature. Whether you take first place, second place or third place. among the English Catholic poets of Canada, is of little moment, as the assessment of poets and poetry has been through all ages, and is to-day, as fielde and unstable as is individual taste. The world has given us no standard whereby we may measure the particular light of each literary star in the firmament, and, except, perhaps, in the case of Shake speare alone, no fixed place has been by the consent of ages assigned to any other English poet.

In fact those who ticket poetry with a value, as they would so many vegetables in a market, know very little of "the divine dement" and have little of it in them What is permanent, absolute and eternal in your volume will live in the literature of our country-nay, in the very hearts of our people, despite the frown

of the cynic or the smile of the flatterer. Poems and Lyrics" has, as its basis, patriotism and faith—an inspiration which the hearts of the people will not let willingly die.

THOMAS O'HAGAN

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A GRATEFUL PEOPLE TO THEIR PASTOR.

The Very Rev. Father Santoire, Vicar General of the diocese of Valleyfield, and who was parish priest since the diocese was erected, in 1892, has been obliged to resign the latter charge, through overwork and delicate health, to the great regret of his people. Hearing he was talking of taking a trip to recuperate his health, the citizens of Valleylie d, in a very short time, made up a purse of \$200 which they prasented him, in gold, on a silver maple leaf, with an address, which was read by the ex-Mayor, expressing their sorrow at his resignation and returning thanks for all he has done for the diocese and for them and their children in particular-instancing the splendid educational institutions which are in course of erection under his supervision. and the guidance of their distinguished bishop, and which will remain as monuments to his zeal and perseverance. The Very Rev. Father seemed much affected, and replied to the address in words which made him more dear to his hearers. Father Santoire is esteemed by all who

or creed, and there are many who owe much to his advice, not alone in spiritual but also in temporal affairs. In Huntingdon, where he had been parish priest for a few years previous to 1892, when he was removed by Bishop Emard to Valleyfield to organize the newly created diocese, the people were much grieved at his leaving, and presented him with a purse and a suitable address. "A son of an Irishman" said Father Santoire, "is a priest such as our forefathers called their Soggarth Aroon-men who, by their teaching and example, made themselves dear to the Irish heart, and planted therein the faith so firmly that they have stood firm through all persecutions and trials, and their descendants are the bulwarks and apostles of Catholicity whereever they go, as can be seen on this North American Continent.'

A CITIZEN OF VALLEYFIELD. Valleyfield, June 10, 1895.

PRESENTATION TO MR. BROGAN.

Mr. A. Brogan, the well known notary, whose health for the past year has not been of the best, decided to pay a visit to Ireland, and some of his friends on hearing of his intentions took advantage of the occasion to present him with a token of esteem, and on Thursday evening last he was waited upon at his residence by a large deputation. Mr. A. D. McGillis, on behalf of those present, addressed Mr. Brogan in fitting terms, and assured him that he carried with him the best wishes of his numerous friends for a pleasant trip to the old land, and they would all look forward to his returning with renewed health and vigor. Mr. McGillis closed by requesting Mr. Brogan's acceptance of a handsome travelling case and satchel from the following friends: Hon. Edward Murphy, Messrs. A. D. McGillis, M. Sharkey, Jas. Dunlop, J. H. Feeley, J. J. Costigan, P. Reynolds, Jas. Milloy, A. T. Martin, Thos. Martin, T. J. Kavanagh, B. Tansey, John Walsh, J. H. Kelly, W. P. Doyle, J. J. Bolster, Wm. Selby, D. J. McGillis, Edward Jackson, J. T. McCaffrey, Mr. Brogan, who was taken by surprise, most feelingly replied. Mr. Brogan was escorted on board the steamship Mariposa by his numerous friends.

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ST. PATRICK'S RENOVATION.

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Last Sunday being the first occasion that the decorations now in progress at St. Patrick's church were visible to the congregation, the Rev. Father Quinlivan made a few remarks concerning the same, in the course of which he stated that the improvements had cost so fur \$49,000, but of that amount only \$29,000, there is still the chancel and sanctuary to be done and it is estimated that \$5,000 will be needed for this work alone. The Rev. Father in his closing remarks made a powerful appeal to his parishioners for funds. General satisfaction is expressed at the able manner in which Mr. W. E. Doran, the architect, is conducting the work of renovating the church. Mr. Doran went to St. Hyacinthe last week and inspected the organ, which is almost complete. It will probably be placed in St. Patrick's church at the latter part of the present week.

ST, PATRICK'S T. A. AND B. SOCIETY.

follow naught but their mantle of self-sacrifice, picty and devotion.

Now, a word as to the future of Catholic literature in Canada. Just to-day I received a new volume from a Catholic pen—a gifted priest of God's Church—Very Rev. Dean Harris, of St. Cathorines, Ontario. This is Dean Harris's second contribution to the Catholic literature of our country, and is entitled "A History of the Catholic Church in the Niagara". The speaker also dwelf and of the decoration funds to be helded the Armory Hall, on Friday next. The speaker also dwelf. in and of the decoration funds to be helm! the Armory Hall, on Friday next. The speaker also dwelt upon other matters of interest to the members, Several new members were admitted to the benefit branch. Progressive reports on the forthcoming picnic of the society were approved. A resolution congratulating Sir William II, Hinsston on the recent honor conferred upon him was unminiously adopted. Arrangements were made for the Fete Dien procession on Sunday next, after which the meeting was brought to a close.

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THE LATE MRS. FOLEY.

On the morning of May 29, there passed away, in her fifty-second year, one of Montreal's most highly esteemed and universally respected citizens, in the person of Theresa Maria Phillips, beoved wife of our fellow-citizen Mr. James Foley, the popular dry-goods merchant, and sister of Messrs. John and Thomas Phillips. The sad event took place at her husband's residence on Coursol Street. The funeral, which was attended by a large concourse of representative citizens, proceeded to St. Anthony's Church and thence to Cote des Neiges Cemetery. Mrs. Foley was a native of the County Kilkenny, Ireland, where she was born in 1843. At the age of three years she came to Canada. When yet a young person, in 1863, she was married, in St. Patrick's Church, Mon-(real, and was for a number of years connected with that parish. Five children survive to mourn the loss of a good and beloved mother. One of her daughters is the Reverend Sister Theresa of Jesus, of the Hochelaga Convent, John, one of her sons, is connected with his father's business, and is the popular Treasurer of the Young Irishmen's Literary and Benevolent Association. The deceased was remarkable for her sterling business abilities and was as highly respected by di the mercantile community as beloved by all who came within the circle of her immediate acquaintance. To the members of the bereaved family we extend the sincere expression of our condolence, and join in the prayer that her soul may rest in peace.

THE LATE MR. NEVILLE. On the 8th instant, at the age of sixty-

nine years, departed this life an old and highly respected citizen in the person of Mr. George J. Neville, of the Chateau de Ramezay. The funeral, which was very largely attended, took place on Tuesday morning, to St. Patrick's church, and thence to Cote des Neiges cemetery. High funeral service was held in St. Patrick's. The celebrant was Rev. Father M. Callaghan, who received Mr. Neville into the Church during the Paulist Mission two years ago. The assistants, as deacon and sub-deacon, were Rev. Fathers McCallen and Faliey. We desire to convey the expression of our sympathy to the family and relatives of the deceased and to pray that his soul may enjoy eternal rest.

LATERARY COMPETITION.

The Toronto Saturday Night, a recognized authority in Canada on matters pertaining to literature, refers as follows to the short story competition offered by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, of Brockville:---

"It is gratifying to find this large business firm interested in literature, and the nature of the competition is such that a keen interest is sure to be aroused in all parts of Canada. There is perhaps no portion of the world that yields material so abundant, situations so piquant and characters so striking, for the writer of short stories, as may be found in Canada and more particularly in the North-West Territories. We have seen what Gilbert Parker has been able to do with his all too limited knowledge of the Hudson Bay country. Had he or any other trained writer as complete a knowledge of our great North-West, the tralitions of the forts, the half-breeds and the Indians, as is possessed by hundreds of our readers, the literature of the world would be enriched. Winners of eash prizes in other competitions are exduded, so that there is no reason why beginners should not try a hand."

Three hundred dollars is offered in prizes, the amount being divided among the best five stories received. Stories for competition must reach the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., before the 1st of July next.

DIED.

FOLKY—In this city, May 28th, Theress Maria
Phillips, beloved wife of James Foley, Dry Goods
Merchant, and sister of John and Thomas Phillips.
Funeral took place from her husband's residence,
77 Coursol Street, on Friday morning, May 3rd, to
58t. Anthony's Church, thence to Cote des Neiges
Cemetery. English, Irish and United States papers
please copy.