Calendar for May 1907.

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Pray For Me.

I can not tell why there should come

A thought of years away. In swift insistence on the memory, Unless there be a need that I

should pray. He goes his way, I mine; we seldon

Oi pain or pleasure, triumphs or de-Or special reason why 'tis time to

pray. We are too busy even to span thought

For days together of some

Perhaps God ought To read His signal as a call to

fiercer fight, Of courage, darkness, some lost ser of right-And so in case he needs my prayer

intrude

I pray.

Unasked crowded day,

Give me a moment's prayer as interlude-Be very sure I need it, therefore

Author unknown

sion.

In a series of very interesting articles now running in The Ave had bad a great deal of trouble with Maria the Rev. R bert Hugh Beneon careless and impertinent servants. is telling the story of his conversion. But this girl was like a ray of sun-In the last number (April 27) he shine in the house. There was nothdescribes some of his difficulties as thing to be found fault with but her an Anglican. They are not diffi- name, which was odious in the ears culties in regard to beliefs and prac of the daughter of the Puritans betices of the Catholic Church such as neath whose roof it had been her fate Newman sought, with so much per- to cast her lot. Her sweetness and sussiveness and winning grace of gentleness, however, so won her style, to smooth away for the friends mistress that she resolved to take be left behind in " the city of con- her for her maid, feeling confident fusion" They are such as every that she could soon learn to fulfil earnest Anglican who fain would perfectly the duties required of her. believe his communiou to be a One morning she sammoned the girl branch of the Church Catholic must and said : feel in its utter lack of clear-out and "Bridget, my maid, Aurelie is definite teaching upon points of about to leave me, to be married. Catholic belief and practice that are She has sorved me well, but I feel plainly vital. Incidentally, Father that in a little white you will be able Beneon explains how grace may be to fill her place. You are quick, associated with Anglican rites, and post and obliging; there is no doubt we have been much struck with the that you will be a success in the way he does so because that agrees duties I shall require of you. What so well with what we read in the do you say?" life of Sister Anne Catherine Em- "I shall be very glad, me'am," mericb, the femous stigmatist of Westphalia, Here are the latter's

words . " Souls separated from the Church ments. But those who live in error Delia. and are in good faith receive a spiritual force in the reception of scarlet. their bread (Communion), not "I cannot change the name that through the bread itself, but through was given mo jo baptism, ma'am," their ardent desire for Christ." she said. "I could never deny my

And here are Father Benson's words, which strikingly confirm mistrose. "Biddy' is a most unthose of the seer from actual obser- desirable name." vation and experience:

"There are two things in the re- Bridget," said the girl. "But if I ception of grace—the fact and the had to change at all, I wouldn't mind mode. The faut is a matter of epiritual intuition; the mode of intellectual apprehension. As regarded the former, the setual communications between Our Lord and my soul, granted above all at moments of great sclemnity, I seither had nor have the slightest doubt. Without any sort of besitation I still say that the times of Communion in the chapel at Mirfield, and of Anglican confession, will always be among the most sacred of my life; to deny reality to them would be indeed to betray Our Lord and repudiate His love. But the mode is qui e another matter. While I was

Bet the Most Out of Your Food

28 Tue 4 35 7 51 9 11 10 57 pretend to her—namely the diabeliant of the 30 Thu 4 34 7 53 11 13 1 10 12 16 31 Fri 4 33 7 54 3. m 2 02 1 02 sions in the Church of England. Lat any rate, made acts of contrition and did my best to comply with the Secrement of Penance; in my Communions I lifted up my heart toward the Bread of Life; and therefore Our Lord could not be the Rewarder of these that seek Him if he had not visited me in response."

A True Bridget.

To talk of plans or changes, day by From " Patron Saints," by Mary E. Mannix, Bensiger Brothers, New York.)

> Notwithstanding the many beautiful associations connected with St. Bridget, her wonderful sanctity, the fame of her angelic life which spread over every civilized country long before our own was discovered, it cannot be denied that in America particularly a certain obloquy has been attached to the name, principally on account of the ignorance and prejudice of those who have sought to belittle it. Irish fathers and mothers who bestow it upon their daughters are few and far be-This should not be so. Unfortunately, this prejudice has extended so far and has had so bad an effect that many who bear the came discard it on their arrival in

America. But there are many exceptions to this very reprehensible custom, as the following story will illustrate:

A comely young Irish girl, not ong in America, went to live as domestic in the house of a wealthy woman, who was kind but eccentric. and somewhat arbitrary in her methods of dealing with her servants. The Story of a Conver- The young girl was called Bridget, Her untiring industry, obserfulness and nest, capable ways soon attract. ed the notice of her mistress, who

replied Bridget. "At least I can

is something else. I do not like do not share in the graces obtained the name Bridget. From this through the feaste and the sacra- time forward you will be called

The face of the young girl flushed

patroness."

" But it is so common," said her "My name is not 'Biddy,' but

Biddy' as much as Delia. "Think about it, my dear. You may change your mind,"

vas immovable.

asked the mistress. "It would be like denying my this brave beroine of seventeen. "Then call yourself what you

"I bequeath the sum of five thou might be depended upon to tell the sand dollars to my maid, Bridget truth, for if he is found speaking well Costigan, in consideration of her of Catholics he will surely give proper faithful service to me and as a mark credit to other Protestant denomin of my appreciation of her devotion ations than his own. After reading to her country and her faith."

vision did not understand, as the compendium of its subject does no girl had never made any great dis- exist. The author is thoroughly inplay either of patriotism or piety; formed and he writes with clearness but Bridget knew, and a prayer of and force. He has illustrated his gratitude mingled with the tears of work with well-chosen photographs, regret she shed for her dead mistress, and he has provided a mission map returned with her legacy to her own with a working index. country and the dear old mother whom she had left behind .- Standard and Times.

The Proceeding of Non Civilized State.

M Jaures (Socialist and antient rulers maintain that legal forms of Lancashire and Durham have to are obligatory for the maintenance of fight to the utmost to get more than politics; -- and yet not always, be- a beggarly half-hour in the day for cause ministers, prefects, and come the religious instruction of their missioners of police, are dispensed children; but when it is a case of from obedience to law!"

Clemenceau has yielded to the demands of the Socialists, and that this judicial customs a discredit of ing the weight, and for which it must finally suffer the consequences. It is also evident that European opinion has gauged without mercy our attitude towards that Papal Govern ment which is regularly recognized by all States in the world, and with which they all have diplomatic relations, which relations our own rup ture with it is powerless to modify. As M Ribot sorrowfully remarked. there are diplomatic proprieties which a Government does honor to itself it respecting. The publication of the Montagnini papers will injure that reputation for justice, uprightness and

-Sacred Heart Beview. The Test of a Writer's Fairness.

ways had in the eyes of the world."

Reviewing a volume entitled Christianity in Modern Japan, written by Ernest W Clement and

A New Orleans woman was thin. Because she did not extract sufficient nourishment from her food. the took Scott's Emulsion.

She gained a pound a day in weight ALL DRUGGISTS: Soc. AND STOR

"It is no use, ma'am. Once and Carleton Lee, who conducts the liter

red? Your work lighter and history of Christianity in any part of pleasant, and your wages the world is presented to us for review we at once say: What is the found that we look first to see in "That is where you be- creeds. If with unfairness, there is ridget bent her head respectfully shame of the author is stamped on it. and left the room. Six months later So when the present work was her employer sent for Bridget again handed to us we first ascertained that and made her the same offer, under its writer was a Baptist, and we then the same conditions. But the gul sought to find in what light he regarded Roman Catholic missionary "Why are you so stubborn?" work in Japan. Here is what we found: "But, as ever and everywhere, the Roman Oatholic mission country and my faith," answered aries, male and female, have been carrying on their work with complete devotian and self-sacrifice in a quiet please," was the reply, "But I and unostentatious manner,' and want you to take the position I further we read: "The Catholic Church throughout the West is noted For five years Bridget served her for its splendid charities. It doe mistress faithfully. Then the old more to care for the helpless, aged lady fell ill and, after several months and infirm than all the Protestant of auffering, died. When her will bodies combined.' When we found aw that the anthor was a man wh

the book we may well declare that a Those who heard or saw this pro- more useful and carefully prepared

A tablet correspondent tells of visit to the Jesuit College of the Holy him freely to deaden the pain and Family in Cario. It has 450 pupils -Arabs, Greeks, Syrians, Italians, French, Jews, and a bandful of English. The non-Catholic portion o the school, equal, perhaps to 35 per Elgin Road, L'Islet Co., Que. cent, of the whole, consists of schis-Catholic) obtained from the French matic Copts, Orthodox Greek, Jews, Chamber his demand that the papers and Mohammedans. The rest of the of the former Papal nuncio, seized school is divided into Latin Oatholic. illegallay in his apartments by Gov Maronites, Armenians, Catholic eroment officials a short while ago, Copts, Uniate Greeks, and Catholics should be examined by a commission, of the Syriac rite. The ordinary those papers, that is, which date course of studies includes Arabic, from the passing of the Law of Sep- English, French, mathematics, hisaration. M Ripot bitterly opposed tory and geography, but not Latin or this proposition; but he spoke for Greek. Arabic is taught by native I suppose you regretted, after it was honor in vain. The Journal des professors, and Jesuits and Moham all over, that your persuasive powers Debats accuses M. Clemenceau of medans work side by side in perfect going against his best life-work by harmony on the teaching staff. The

upholding this base procedure, for he Church's work in Egypt is hampered by want of English teachers. The law in 1904 for the safeguarding of Egyptians are more anxious to learn individual liberty, and punishing by a English than French, and they go to fine of from 50 to 5,000 francs, and Protestant schools to get it. Mindful imprisonment of three months to of the controversies at home, the cor three years, whoever should make use respondent was curious to learn how of papers taken from a person ac- a British Administration dealt with sprained arm. Nothing we used did cused, without such use being author the problems of denominational edu ized by him. "We do not know," cation in a Mohammedan country says the Journal des Debats, "any His conclusion is that the religious law that gives the Government power difficulty in England would simply 25c. to seize upon papers that are the disappear if the wishes of English property of a stranger, and to publish and Irish Catholics were treated with from them what it chooses to make a tenth part of the consideration known. These are the proceedings which is shown to the wishes of the of a non-civilized State. Our pres- Moslems in Egypt. The Catholics

teaching Mohammedanism, balf of In relation to this incident the the whole school day is not thought Journal des Debats says that M. excessive by Lord Cromer.

Until the Buropean newspaper has been his customary action of late; mentioned it recently, on occasion that the Governmental methods are of his death, most persons had forg in derision of true judicial forms and gotten completely the name of the in violation of all diplomatic pro- famous Leo Taxil. Yet ten years! prieties; and that the French are ago Leo Taxil was in the mouths of now using the most reprehensible everybody. His real name was pocket. practices of absolute monarchies. G.briele Jogese Pages, and the "The affairs of the Montagnini early fruits of his literary career papers casts on our political and consisted of a dirty and slanderons attack on the memory of Pius IX which the Republic already is feel- But the great success of his life cam when he posed before the world as converted Rreemason and published half a dezan volumes of "revelations on the iniquitous doings of the sect. He minfiled truth and falsehood a conningly at the beginning that great many Catholics of prominence

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