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CATHOLIC INTELLIGENCE.

Pius IX.—Pius IX. has been the contemporary of all the Presidents of the United States. He was seven years of age when Washington died, was a priest in the time of Monroe, was a bishop when John Quincy Adams occupied the White House, and became Pope during the presidency of Polk.

COMMEMORATION.—It is intended to commemorate Dr. Northcote's seventeen years' headship of the Roman Catholic College at Oscott by erecting a new hall to be called after his name. The estimated cost is £2,500. A committee to carry out this object has been formed and includes Lords Denbigh, Stafford, Lovat, Gerard, and many other influential Roman Catholics. —Liverpool Journals.

CATHOLICITY IN LONDON.—A new Catholic church was solemnly opened recently by His Eminence Cardinal Manning at Homerton, when High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. Father Akers, recently removed from the mission which has resulted in the present building to be Vice-Principal of St. Edmund's College, near Ware. The Cardinal preached on the occasion.

CONFIRMATION IN GERMANY.—It was hoped that the Prussian Government, in its war against the Catholic Church, would stop short at sequestration of ecclesiastical property. But this hope must, it would seem, disappear. The royal Commissary who "admonishes" the temporality of the See of Fulda has announced that on November 3 he will proceed to sell the parochial dwelling-house and gardens at Elchenzell. —Tablet.

CATHOLICITY IN VANCOUVER ISLAND.—Bishop Seghers, of Vancouver, has a free field in that island, if it be true, as he writes, that the Protestant sects are becoming more and more dismembered. The Presbyterians, he says, are divided. It is nearly ten years since the Episcopalians separated into two camps on account of the Anglican Bishop having dismissed his Dean, and, on the other hand, a sect has sprung up, and is increasing in numbers that attacks all the other sects, but respects the Catholic Church, whose teachings it points to as being always consistent with itself. The diocese of Vancouver contains 5,408 Catholics in an entire population of 3,000 souls. It has eleven churches or chapels, one school for boys and two for girls, two orphanages, two convents of nuns, and one hospital. —Boston Pilot.

CATHOLICISM IN SWEDEN.—A letter from Stockholm to the *Missionary* speaks of the effect produced by the conversion of M. Carlen, formerly a Lutheran pastor, who became a Catholic, and after being ordained priest at Rome returned to Sweden. Several pastors seem inclined to follow M. Carlen's example. Unfortunately, however, they are married, and have large families, whom they shrink from exposing to want. Other pastors would gladly abandon their ministry, so discouraged are they by the indifference of their flocks. Prejudices against Catholicism appear to be diminishing. Some ladies of rank have just been received into the Church. No one finds fault with their conversion, while several persons have openly expressed their approval. Both Catholics and Protestants agree in saying that for the last two years prejudices have beyond doubt disappeared, and that the Catholic priests are gaining much ground compared to the Protestant ministers.

THE KULTUR-KAMPF IN GERMANY.—There are evidences in abundance that certain high personages in Germany are tiring of the struggle against the Church, and would conclude a treaty of peace on conditions. Gossip on the subject has spread since the return of the Emperor from the Rhine, and the feeling is certainly ripe that some change is impending. Many journals of Berlin have adopted a more pacific tone, and the *North German Gazette* has gone as far as suggesting a revision of the famous "May Laws." It is no secret that the Emperor ardently desires a cessation of the persecution, and takes occasion, by writing to unhappy religious and visiting convents, to manifest his deep sympathy with the victims of Bismarck's brutal code. Even the Princess Imperial gives expression to her weariness of the contest, and encourage the Catholics to believe that better days are soon to dawn. In this juncture of affairs considerable sensation has been created by a pamphlet from the Bishop of Paderborn, entitled "Not the revision, but the abolition of the May Laws." His lordship takes as motto, *Veritas liberabit vos* and distains the compromise so many unofficial but influential negotiators would offer. We do not suppose the bare thought of abolition would be entertained seriously at this moment; but it is a sign of the times that leaders of public opinion openly contend for a relaxation in the pressure of Falck's tyrannical statutes. —Catholic Times.

THE CHRISTIAN BROTHERS' SCHOOLS.—The following is from a Belgian paper:—"The admirable phalanx of the disciples of the Venerable de la Salle is spread and appreciated throughout the entire world. In France, their cradle land, the Brothers of the Christian Schools have 1,009 establishments, containing 10,583 professed brothers, novices, and little novices. Their schools number 1,878. There are twenty-three new establishments. The number of extern children to whom the Brothers impart education and instruction is 258,086. The boarders, half boarders, &c., are as many as 18,441. The orphans cared for by the Brothers are 3,502; the adults and apprentices, 26,013; 225 are undergoing normal training. Finally, the Brothers attend to the religious and moral interests of more than 3,900 old soldiers. The total number of pupils under the charge of the Brothers in France amounted, then, at the close of the year 1876, to 320,319. If we add to this the 7,933 of the French colonies, we will have a general total of 328,252. In Belgium the Brothers of the Christian Schools have assumed a development which, we hope, will become proportionately as considerable as in France. There are forty-one establishments here, with 995 professed brothers and novices. There are seventeen new establishments and ninety-four schools. The number of extern children and novices who frequent these schools is 12,866; that of the boarders and half boarders, 1,125; that of adults, 1,654; that of apprentices, 146; and those under training, 213; making a grand total of 16,014. The places, after France and Belgium in which the Brothers of the Christian Schools possess the largest number of establishments and pupils are:—New York, fifty-eight schools and 17,052 pupils; Canada forty-one schools and 13,281 pupils; Turin, nineteen schools and 3,407 pupils; St. Louis, twenty-three schools and 4,138 pupils; Ecuador and New Granada, ten schools and 2,851 pupils; Rome, fifteen schools and 2,890 pupils. Finally, the Brothers have besides many schools in Lorraine, Switzerland, Prussia, Austria, England, New Mexico, Turkey, Egypt, India, and Malaysia, China, the Islands of Mauritius and Madagascar, Tunis, &c. Then, the general estimate of the institute of the Christian Brothers for the year 1876 gives the following figures:—Old establishments, 1,227; professed brothers, novices, and little novices, 14,936; establishments founded during the year, 31; schools, 2,237; day pupils, 322,691; boarders and half boarders, &c., 23,308; orphans, adults, those under training, and old soldiers, 49,608. The grand total of pupils then under the charge of the Brothers is 355,718. A recent census of the Brothers in the United States shows that they have 1,009 establishments, containing 10,583 professed brothers, novices, and little novices. Their schools number 1,878. There are twenty-three new establishments. The number of extern children to whom the Brothers impart education and instruction is 258,086. The boarders, half boarders, &c., are as many as 18,441. The orphans cared for by the Brothers are 3,502; the adults and apprentices, 26,013; 225 are undergoing normal training. 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