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SOME NOTES ON EDUCATION.

His Lordship Bishop Messmer, speaking at the Convention of German Catholic Societies, recently held at Milwaukee, said:—

I wish through you to announce to all German Catholics, but especially to all other Catholics, the importance of certain facts, and I hope you will feel free to publish them as far and wide as you are able. Permit me to illustrate from my own diocese. I have a certain mixed parish in my diocese in which the priest had for a long time attempted to establish a school, but in spite of the large number of German members had failed to succeed on account of the strength of the opposition offered by the English-speaking members. Last January the opposition succumbed. It happened in this manner: I had just addressed the congregation, encouraging them to build a Catholic school. When I sat down the priest arose and said to his congregation: 'Here, in the presence of the Bishop, I ask all those who favor the school to rise.' Everybody rose, and the fight was won.

Recently I had an audience with the Holy Father and related to him the incident. He asked me to thank in his name, and grant the apostolic blessing to those who had voted to establish the school. I think the Holy Father expressed clearly enough the error of those opposing.

"Second, I wish to urge the unification of the schools. Each priest should submit a report of the number of children attending the school, and other detailed information. I have observed that in spite of the decision of our Holy Father, we still encounter much opposition from the English speaking congregations. Two weeks ago the Holy Father said at Rome: 'It is much to be regretted that many Catholics send their children to public schools and thus stand in the way of the development of the parochial schools.' Publish the answer of the Holy Father to the question as far as possible."

One of the results of well directed energy and enthusiasm in regard to circulating libraries, is evidenced in the great success achieved by the Catholic Library of New York. It is under the direction of Rev. Father McMahon, one of the priests of St. Patrick's Cathedral, and is a free circulating library. The total number of books in this library on July 1 was 28,533, of which more than 4,000 had been added by purchase and gift during the year ended June 30. Within that twelvemonth the circulation for home use aggregated 141,763 volumes, and nearly 5,000 books were used for consultation in the reference room. The Library has three branches in the city.

Sometimes the most careful women are the most careless. Many a woman bundles herself up, to keep out sickness—when she is neglecting the very worst sickness that can come to a woman. She allows a slight disorder to become worse, to slowly sap her vitality. The little pain and the other slight indications of trouble seem to her unimportant. She goes on with increasing suffering, until life itself becomes a drag. Nervousness, "sinking spells," digestive disturbances, and fifty other complications may arise from the derangement of the organs distinctly feminine. Over thirty ago, the need for a reliable remedy for so-called "female complaints" was recognized by Dr. R. V. Pierce, then, as now, chief consulting physician to the World's Dispensary and Invalids' Hotel, at Buffalo, N. Y. He prepared Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, the most wonderfully effective remedy that has ever been used for such maladies.

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INTERVIEWED BY THE PATRIOT'S SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

OVERWORK BROUGHT ON NEURALGIA AND SHATTERED HEALTH GENERALLY—PAINED MANY SLEEPLESS NIGHTS.

From the Charlottetown Patriot.

The Patriot's special correspondent "Mac" being in the eastern section of the island on business, heard many complimentary remarks concerning Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which appear to be the favorite medicine in all parts of Canada. Among those who are very enthusiastic in the praise of this medicine is Neil McPhee, J.P., of Glencorrodale, and our correspondent determined to call upon him and ascertain from his own lips his views in the matter. Mr. McPhee was found at home, and as he is a very entertaining and intelligent gentleman, our correspondent was soon "at home" too. When questioned about the benefits he was reported to have received from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, Mr. McPhee said: "About four years ago I got run down from overwork on the farm. As there is considerable timber land on my property, I thought I could go into making timber in addition to my farm work. The task however proved too heavy for my strength, and soon I began to break down. I contracted a severe cold, neuralgia followed, and I found myself in shattered health generally. I felt very much distressed and discouraged and spent many sleepless nights. I tried several very highly recommended medicines, but received no permanent benefit from any of them. As Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were so highly recommended through the press, I thought I would give them a fair trial. After using a few boxes I found they were having the desired effect and I began to find my wanted health and strength gradually returning. I kept on using the pills until I had regained my former vigor and had gained considerable in flesh as well. Now I consider myself a healthier man and feel as well as ever I did in my life. I can conscientiously recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to any person suffering as I was. I have the utmost confidence in their curing properties."

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MEXICO UNEASY.

The People Beginning to Fear That Americans Will Swallow Them Up.

CITY OF MEXICO, September 7.—There is a very bitter feeling among the leading European merchants against Americans since the successful close of the war in Cuba and the Philippine Islands, wholly based on a fear of the rising prestige of Americans and the fear on the part of Europeans that they will lose the trade of Mexico.

A curious outcome of the war is an apprehension felt by resident Spaniards and merchants that their own nationality in Havana will come here and enter into competition with them. They are warmly opposed to Spanish immigration into Mexico.

The general sentiment among men in trade here is hostile to growing American commercial and financial influence and this feeling is manifested in many irritating ways. President Diaz's administration is friendly to the Americans, and this fact enrages the newspapers in opposition to his Government, which are owned or secretly subsidized by resident Europeans. These papers are doing all in their power to excite the bitter feeling against the United States.

The imports to Great Britain from Canada for the month of August are per returns just issued show cattle, 16,270 head, valued at \$264,551; sheep and lambs, 5,566 value, \$8,028; bacon, 78,929 cwt., \$144,909; hams, 25,259 cwt., \$50,720; butter, 15,536 cwt., \$66,425; cheese, 279,963 cwt., \$572,924; eggs, 89,959, great hundreds, \$30,033; horses, 836, value \$22,711. Cattle, sheep, lambs and horses show a decrease but in the other lines there is a decided increase as compared with the same period last year.

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