

An Eminent Linguist

**Gathering Data For Book on
Indian Life—New Polish
Author.**

Among the guests at the Driard is one of the most noted living linguists and students of the folk-lore of many lands, Jeremiah Curtin, of Washington, D. C., where he is prominently connected with the Smithsonian Institution.

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though his rendition to English of the novels of Stenwicklew has given him a reputation for being a writer of his own that are of note. He is now engaged in collecting data for a new work on the various races, studying as it were, what material he can get together on the state of the early human mind—the religious history of the primitive peoples of the world. He has been especially amongst the Indians is included in the scope of his effort. He has already secured considerable material for his books on the Indians of the Northwest, and is anxious to gather data in support of the material already obtained. He has been especially successful among the Indians of California, and among the Indians of the Northwest. He has also, of his work published a large book entitled, "Creation Myths of Primitive Races," which he has written for the Northwest and Eastern Siberia, whence he returned a year ago with material for the book. He has also been very successful in securing material from the early Mongols. This book will be published in the fall of the Mongol race from the time of the conqueror, Genghis Khan to the trial

gathering data for this work, Mr. and Mrs. Curtin—Mrs. Curtin accompanying her husband—were in accordance with the native custom. They were in the southeastern part of Siberia when the great earthquake occurred. Nine horses were killed and their flesh burnt as a sacrifice. The sacrifices were made by the tribes gathered to take part in the striking of the Mougol peoples, after which they returned to their homes.

Jinghis Kian, the great Mogul and conqueror, was without doubt one of the greatest leaders of his time. He has been known, his exploits, the manner in which they were accomplished, and the story of Alexander's stamp him as the superior of Caesar.

The English world has been given the Polish name he regarded the "Polish" as "knavekies" as "Quon vado," "With Prins," "Gaword Michael," "The Deinge," "Knights of the Cross," "The Knights of the Soul," "The Polish author has many good stories." I think that the Polish people whose books have endeavored to tell the

certainly as possible for the English public, is one of the greatest writers of our day. His "Quadragesimo Anno" is a remarkably powerful book and His Holiness Pope Leo XIII, after appointing a special committee to study it, has sanctioned it; there cannot any longer be any doubt that it will be a success.

"In the near future Sienkiewicz will give the world a novel to be entitled 'On the Field of Honor,' and later on will publish four volumes depicting the career of Napoleon, from the Russian campaign to the battle of Waterloo.

"At Sienkiewicz's grandfather and grand uncle both served in Napoleon's army, and he is able to furnish information that has made him the greatest Napoleonic student of the present day."

While in this city Mr. and Mrs. Crutten will be entertained at dinner by the Lieutenant-Governor, Sir Henry Joly, and will afterwards be entertained by the local gentlemen who have become known as authorities on matters of ethnological interest, dealing with the Pacific Coast legends; into whose stories, myths and legends, he will also be introduced. He has already made a study of the Indians of the plains, and has gathered much data regarding them. He is of the opinion that there is no racial connection between those peoples and the tribes of the Coast.

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FISH AS FOOD.

Immense Value of Fishing Industry is

United Kingdom.

From the Lancelot.

The total value of the fish caught and landed in the United Kingdom during 1901 was over £9,000,000. Haddock and herrings produced £2,237,196 and £2,028,784 respectively. The value of a halfpenny a pound only was received for herrings (0.62d.), and three halfpence a pound was received for haddock (1.875d.).

From the point of view of quantities of market value, these two fishes are the most important of those caught off our coast. They are so feared, nevertheless, that the small proportion of the poor of the country have been able to obtain either of these in an appetizing form at a low price. Many of these fishes are in

are cur and the methods employed are neither wholesome nor cleanly. If the fish-comes were more carefully ensuaged, they would be more profitable to the put, and would enormously increase at their trade and their profit. It is by such uncertain quality that the fishery of relying so much on foreign products is so much less profitable. Sardines are so highly esteemed. It is said that the English spring tinned fish in this country is now transported to France, and in many instances is assigned to England for the benefit of those who eat "sardines" and practice the bladders and kippers are superior in respects to the cheaper sorts of "sardines" and kippers. The fish is not readily obtainable, although near 2,000,000 barrels of herrings were

GRAVE ROBBERS.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 25.—The grand jury this afternoon returned 25 indictments in the local grave robbing scandal. Five doctors have been indicted. Their names will be kept secret until Monday, when capias for their arrest will be issued. All the shrouds now on order arrest have been indicted.
