

CATHOLICITY IN SCOTLAND.

The Catholic Bishops of Scotland are organizing a national pilgrimage to Lourdes for next month. Their Lordships have issued the following joint pastoral letter on the subject:

"The time fixed for our National Pilgrimage to Lourdes is now approaching, and it is important that all who wish to take part in it should have timely information about the arrangements which are being made by the central committee, acting under our authorization and sanction:

"1. This pilgrimage forms part of the programme of devotional exercises with which his Holiness desires the present century to be solemnly closed, and the coming century inaugurated.

2. The objects which he wishes to be kept in view are briefly:

(a) Thanksgiving for blessings received, and reparations for sins committed during the present century.

(b) To implore the Divine blessing on the church and on its visible head during the new century on which we shall shortly enter.

(c) In our case to pray with special earnestness for the return of these countries to the true Faith.

"3. Those who are unable to join the pilgrimage in person, may, and ought to join with actual pilgrims in prayer for the above intentions. They may also associate themselves even more closely with the pilgrimage, by giving a sum of money sufficient to send a substitute to Lourdes, or by joining with others in providing such a sum.

"4. All are invited to make a small donation towards the Scottish Banner which will be present at Our Lady's Shrine, that it may be, in the fullest sense a national offering.

"5. A special service will be held in the Cathedral Church of each diocese, on the evening of Sunday, the 3rd of September, to implore the Divine Blessing in our pilgrimage.

It is desirable that on the 8th of September, the Feast of Our Lady's Nativity, the faithful at home should in a more special manner unite in prayer with their pilgrim brethren at Lourdes; and that at least on Sunday the 10th September, the evening devotions in every church be offered up for this intention."

IRISH NATIONALISTS AND THE TRANSVAAL QUESTION.

Irish Nationalists view the Transvaal question from a point of view opposite to that of the members of the Canadian Parliament. At a recent meeting of the United Irish League, Mr. Michael Davitt, M.P., delivered a stirring speech in favor of the policy of the Boer republic; and when he finished speaking resolutions were passed sympathizing with the Transvaal in its courageous opposition to the attacks of Rand capitalists and their allies in the British Ministry.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERING.

Was Troubled With Palpitation of the Heart, Extreme Weakness and Nervous Headache.

In the little Hamlet of Montrose, Welland County, resides a lady who gives much praise to the curative power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The subject of this testimony is Mrs. Richard Hanna, an estimable lady who has resided in that locality for many years. A reporter seeking an interview with Mrs. Hanna found her willing to give full details which are given in her own words. Five years ago I was taken ill. I attributed the trouble at the time to an injury sustained by a fall. Time went on and I did not get better. The symptoms of my complaint were palpitation of the heart, extreme weakness, stomach troubles and terrible headaches. I was very nervous and had no appetite and experienced much wakefulness at night. Finally I was compelled to take to my bed, being too weak to sit up any longer. In this condition I was treated at different times by three doctors, and took a great quantity of medicine but realized no benefit. Not one of my neighbors thought I would get well. In the meantime I thought myself that death would soon end my sufferings. One day Mrs. Smith, of Port Robinson came to see me and persuaded my husband to procure for me some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he purchased six boxes. After taking the six boxes I had improved very much and was able to be up, though yet too weak to walk. I sent for another six boxes and as a result consider my cure complete. I can relish food better, sleep soundly, and stand more fatigue than I could for years previous. Although I have passed the meridian of life I feel as healthy as when I was in my twenties. With great pleasure and a grateful heart I give this testimony.

The public is cautioned against numerous pink colored imitations of these famous pills. The genuine are sold only in boxes, the wrapper around which bears the words "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People." If your dealer does not have them they will be sent postpaid at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, by addressing the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

WOMEN AS INVENTORS.

Some of the most valuable as well as important inventions have been patented to women, among which may be numbered the first cook stove, a permutation lock having 3,000 different combinations, a machine for making screws (invented by a little girl) which revolutionized that industry, and the valuable Burden process of making horse-shoes, which resulted in a saving over the old process of many millions of dollars per year.

The first patent to a woman was granted in 1808, and since then the number has increased to many thousands.

These facts are interesting, not only because indicating the rapid and almost marvellous growth of woman's intellect, but also from the fact that the inventive genius of women invades fields in which one would scarcely credit her with any interest much less knowledge. We would not be surprised that a hat-pin, corset, glove-fastener, etc., should be invented by women, but when we learn that such inventions as telescopes, making marble from lime-stone and dams and reservoirs, are evolved, people begin to be interested.

In Canada, also, women are becoming interested in inventions, as is evidenced by the large number of women applicants seeking patents through Marion & Marion, of Montreal.

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NOTES OF IRISH NEWS.

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A NEW CHURCH.—The Most Rev. Fitzpatrick, a member of the Order of St. Brownrigg, Lord Bishop of Ossory who has recently interested himself deeply in the effort to provide a beautiful new church for the ancient parish of St. Kieran's a few miles from Birr, has approved of the plans, etc., and has fixed next week as the date for laying the foundation-stone. The parish priest, Rev. Thomas Phelan, has had this project in view for many years, but in consequence of other church-building schemes the matter had to be deferred. Now, however, it becomes absolutely necessary to proceed at once with the work. The old church is in a most unsafe condition.

THE PARNELL MONUMENT.—A meeting convened by the Lord Mayor in compliance with a requisition was held recently in the Mansion House, Dublin, for the purpose of furthering a movement for the erection in Dublin of a statue of the late Mr. Parnell. Much opposition was given by representatives of the Wolfe Tone Memorial Association, who considered that the success of their enterprise would be seriously interfered with by the new movement, and who therefore suggested that the Parnell statue project should be postponed until after the Wolfe Tone monument had been completed. The Lord Mayor moved resolutions approving of the Parnell statue project, appointing an Executive committee to carry it out, and expressing confidence that this movement would not obscure the claims of the men of '98 to be honored by the land for the freedom of which they fought and died. After a lengthy debate the resolutions of the Lord Mayor, which were seconded by the Mayor of Waterford, were carried by a large majority.

DIFFERENCE IN SPIRIT.—The Manchester Guardian wants to know what Catholicism has been returned in enlightened Ulster to any part of dignity, as that fine scholar and English-minded gentleman, Sir Thomas Moffitt, has been honored by the Catholics of Galway? When did Belfast show anything like what Limerick showed the other day when the Catholic Bishop followed the remains of the venerable Protestant Bishop to the grave, and all Catholic Limerick united with him in paying that tribute to piety, learning, and charity? "Of course," our contemporary says, "Belfast is unlike any other city in Europe, but yet its appeals have always a ready hearing in the English ear."

ANOTHER ATTEMPT AT UNITY.—A correspondent remarks, "Father who knew him."

IRELAND'S MISSION.

"THE IRISH EMPIRE."—The British Empire is a phrase with a meaning for everyone who can read and write. An anonymous writer in the New Ireland Review digresses a little from the rut of those who never tire of singing England's "far-flung battle line" to discuss the influence of another empire which, he declares, "will endure when that of the British Empire will have vanished into the dim past, into which have receded all other preceding Imperial dominions." The Imperial race, whose eternal heritage the writer proudly expatiates on, are the Irish, and the empire founded by this race cannot be destroyed, "because it is a spiritual one." The up-building of this empire was the handiwork of many generations, for "when the countless Irish missionaries went forth to spread the light over the north and west of Europe they founded the Irish Empire, establishing a spiritual sway over many races."

In the present century the flag of Faith has been carried aloft by Irish hands through Australia and America, and at the present moment they are unfolding it to the breeze in the coming federation of South African territories. At home, the centre of the Irish Empire, the signs do not point to decay or disintegration. "In the hour of trial Ireland will be found true to her trust as the repository of the spiritual forces of the western world.

Toothache stopped in two minutes with Dr Adams' Toothache Gum. 10 cents.

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August Sale of HIGH CLASS DRESS FABRICS.

SILK AND WOOL GREXADINES.—Only four shades left. These goods were excellent value at \$1.30 per yard, but we want the room for Fall goods now on the way, therefore we will clear the balance out at 50c yard.

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Special Sale of Remnants.

The balance of our Remnants will be placed on tables during this month—all marked at clearance prices. Come and make your selection. All desirable lengths.

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MARKET REPORT

FLOUR AND FEED.—A well known company reported a sale on Wednesday of 7,500 barrels of flour for export. If the market had not broken much more export business in flour would have resulted. Advances from the Old Country indicate that stocks, all over, are rather low; but the large wheat crop has given dealers the idea of lower prices, which was somewhat shaken by the recent sharp advance, resulting in inquiries from all the European centres, but buyers have quieted down with the reaction of yesterday. The local demand is for small lots only. Consumers and dealers are expecting lower prices, and buy only for immediate use. Orders received are usually for assorted cars of flour and feed, with the demand for feed very much out of proportion to that for flour.

The demand for flour is not only from usual customers, but enquiries are being received from Montreal millers, from Boston and other American centres, where dealers are very anxious to place orders for future delivery. With mills running to full capacity, the supply is very insufficient for the consumption. Dairymen are feeding heavily to keep up supply of milk, and it is said also feed cows inside during the day to keep them from the attack of flies, which are very numerous this summer.

Flour quotations are unchanged. Manitoba strong bakers at \$2.70 to \$3.80; patents at \$1 to \$1.10; western patents at \$3.70 to \$3.90; Manitoba bran in bulk at \$14; Ontario bran in bags at \$13.50 to \$11.50; shorts at \$17; meal at 20c; cornmeal at \$1 per bag. Receipts were 11,511 barrels of flour.

EGGS.—The country offerings are considerably larger, though prices have not yet been affected, the tendency is decidedly easier, and lower prices will likely rule next week, if warm weather continues.

The English market is not responding to Canadian offerings; the price there being too low to permit of much export business. Fresh laid are quoted at 15; candled at 14 1/2; straight gathered stock at 13c to 13 1/2; No. 2 and culls very low side at 10c to 11c. Receipts on Thursday were 775 cases by rail and 189 cases by canal.

PROVISIONS.—The local provision market continues firm at the recent advance in hams, and bacon. The Liverpool quotation for tallow is up 6d, but bacon has declined 6d from yesterday's advance, being now quoted at 32s 6d for light, long cut, 32s for heavy do., and 30s 6d for heavy short cut; tallow at 24s; Am. Ref. lard at 28s 3d; American mess pork at 50s. Receipts at Montreal on Thursday were 1,158 boxes of hams and bacon, mostly for export; 7 cases of meats and 100 tierces of lard.

Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Aug. 16.—Hogs—To-day's estimated receipts, 23,000; yesterday's receipts, according to official returns, 12,496; shipments, 3,218; left over, 2,392; estimated receipts to-morrow, 23,000; market slow generally, 10c lower; light mixed \$4.60; mixed to \$4.90; mixed packing \$4.95 to \$4.87; heavy, \$4.20 to \$4.40. The receipts of cattle were 23,000; fancy steady others 10c to 15c lower.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—While it would not be correct to report any break in the butter or cheese markets the keen edge has gone, for buyers have found that they could not obtain orders at the high prices they have been paying. The English butter market never warranted more than 20 cents to 20 1/2c, and Montreal quotations are going back to these figures, though some buyers may pay 21c for 'pot' creameries rather than lose their stake; but at this figure buyers feel rather insecure. Cheese has been a little dull so far this week. Campbell sold some at 10 1/2c yesterday, but the most were held, buyers being unwilling to pay the top price of last week. It is probable that country markets will run about 10c to 10 1/2c during this week, as factories have no reason to sell, having been well cleaned out with every advance. Spot quotations continue about 10 1/2c to 10 3/4c for western, and 10c for eastern cheese. Receipts on Wednesday were 4,310 packages butter and 13,778 boxes cheese.

New York, Aug. 17.—Butter irregular; western creamery, 17c to 20c; do., factory, 13c to 15c; imitation,

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creamery, 13c to 15c; state dairy, 14c to 18 1/2c; do., creamery, 17c to 21c. Cheese, firm; large white and colored 9 1/2c; small white, 9 1/2c; small colored, 9 1/2c to 10c.

FRUIT SALES.—On Wednesday there was a very active sale of Californian fruit at Montreal Fruit Auction Company's warehouse. The Earl Company had a car of 764 packages of pears and peaches, and the competition was equal, or near, to Mr. McLean's expectations of this market. His Bartlett pears brought \$2.15 to \$2.25; Crawford peaches, \$1.05 to \$1.15. Mr. John T. McBride had a car for the Porter Brothers' Company, and he also, was content with the results; peaches 90c, to \$1.15; pears, \$1.95 to \$2; plums, \$1.25 to \$1.35; grapes, \$2.20. Mr. Potter, of Messrs. Potter and Morin, conducted the sale.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.—Reports from East Buffalo, N.Y., say that for cattle there were no offerings, but in view of the higher prices on Wednesday, and the decidedly higher prices in Chicago, the tone of the market was stronger. Calves in light supply, fair demand, steady.

Sheep and Lambs.—The sheep and lamb market was steady with light offerings, only five loads, including one load of Canada lambs, which sold at \$6.40; native lambs, choice to extra, were quotable at \$6.25 to \$6.50; good to choice, \$6 to \$6.25. Sheep, choice to extra, \$4 to \$4.65; good to choice, \$4.25 to \$4.40.

Hogs—There were fair offerings, 20 loads, The demand was fair and the market ruled steady at the quoted figures. Heavy were quotable at \$4.75 to \$4.80; mixed \$4.95 to \$5.00; yorkers, 5.00; pigs \$4.65 to \$4.75; grassers, \$4.75 to \$4.85; roughs, \$3.95 to \$4.05; stags, \$3.40 to \$3.60.

Reports from New York, just as we are going to press say: Beeves—Receipts, 592; no trade of importance; feeling firm. Cables firm; exports, 650 cattle and 6,340 quarters of beef; to-morrow, 445 cattle; 3,708 quarters and 30 sheep. Calves—Receipts, 113; steady, all sold. Veals, \$5 to \$7.50; buttermilks and feed calves, \$4.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5,062; 13 cars on sale; sheep dull; lambs offered active and firm, closed easy; three cars unsold. Sheep, \$3 to \$4.60; lambs, \$5 to \$7; no choice; culls, \$4-50.

Dr. Adams' Toothache Gum is sold by all druggists; 10 cts. a bottle.

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THE WAVE OF MATERIALISM

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