

Rev. Father Giroux, parish priest
of St. Anne, after being treated at St.
Boniface Hospital for paralysis of a
muscle of the right eye, returned home
last Tuesday somewhat improved in
health
kirev. Father Belanger, pastor of Sel-

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Rev. Father Rousseau, who was here
last week, hopes to have his new churc at MeCreary opened about the church next month. The church is 48 by 28
feet, the chancel being 16 by 12. With the organ g
250 persons.

## the Cathedral, Monsignor Dugas, kneel- ing in his violet robes before His Grnce ang in his violet robes before his Grnce the Archbishop, who was robed in cappa magna, and assisted by Fathers Dandurand and Drummond, read the profession of faith. The Archbishop, that this solemn profession was required Apostolic ad instar. To the assembled faithful this detailed expression of our common and unquestioned belief might seem unnecessary; but they had ouly to cast their eyes beyond the limits of this parish to see how many errors of misbelief and unbelief surrounded them and therefore how fitting it was that and therefore how fitting it was that integral Catholic doctrine should be occasionally reaffirmed. The high dig nity conferred by the Holy Father on their worthy and devoted pastor was an honor, not only to him, the re cipient thereof, but also to the entir parish. The Mass was then sung by parish, Fhe Mass was then sung by Father Pcitras, assisted by Father Molurier as deacon and Father Menage as subdeacon. The large and well as subdeacon. The large and well trained. choir, supported by orchestral nstruments, sang with admirable spirit Trudel, after reading the Gospel of the pressive sermon on Contrition. the communion Monsignor Dugas an nounced the intentions and names o persons requesting High Masses for the spoke volumes for the piety of the paristh, giving Masses revealed the rare ex cellence of that picty.

In connection with the recent visit
here of Father G. R. Fraser, pastor o Ste-Anne de la Pocatiere, "Les Cloch
de Saint-Boniface" mentions that he nephew of the late Monsignor Poire formerly a Red River missionary, Xavier, Man, from 1833 to 1838 . hed although he had left Manitob nearly sixty years, a few hours befor
he expired he said to a friend: "Do you know what I am thinking of? I should like to be in the Northwest, among my
good Metis." A similar last word. old of Bishop Lafleche, who left thes On the very day he died he sent for little Cree halfbreed girl, a seryant in her in the Cree language, His Lordship said: "Tell your people that I thought
of them up to my last breath." What a revelation this is of the true mission ary's love for his flock! What a r commendation too, for the much

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Persons and Facts
 Miss Gabrielle Mollot, who, after
teaching music with great sucess in this city for several years, is now taking
Iessons in Paris from Mr. Phillipp,
professor in the higher course of the Conservatoire and a master of technique letter to "Town Topiss." Among other
things she says that the two best orchestras in France, she Mr. Plymondon, who is engaged for the opera season this winter at Monte Carlo
guess he hasa fairly good voice, but it was pretty hard on him to sing against
Mme. Litvinne. Burgstaller and Saleza, At another concert Miss Mollot" had the good fortune to be sitting next to Saint
Saens. I heard all his criticisms and Saens. I heard all his criticisms and
opinions. I tell you it was a great
lesson to me." At a grand charity concert she saw Saint-Saens himself
conduct his new oratorio for orchestra,
organ and chorus, "Le Feu Cele," Besides teaching three pupils, Miss Mollot practises six hours a day. In
pite of the charm of hard work under fforget dear old Winnipeg. After not I shall be pleased to go back to it nex I think it is already very musical, and

 in two farms near Rome and described in a recent number of "Cosmos," the
great French scientific weekly. Rough imitations of ancient coins bearing
profiles of Tiberius or Caligula are first truck and then forced down the throat of turkeys. In course of time these
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