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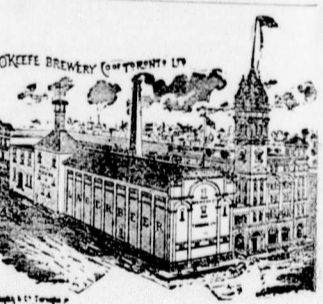
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FIVE-MINUTE SERMONS. Quinquagesima Sunday.

MATRIMONY.

This morning, dear brethren, we will say a few words with regard to the remote preparation for marriage.

The choice of a husband or of a wife is something of the highest importance.

For, when a man marries, he contracts a relation with his helpmate which death alone severs.

This being the case, too much can hardly be said of the necessity of earnest preparation for a manner of life bringing with it so many and so serious engagements.

Reason, right reason, should reign ever affection, that our eyes may not be closed to our own faults nor to those of our beloved.

Do not view things either with colored glasses, especially not with rose-tinted ones, or you will make many mistakes.

In the course of a sermon which he delivered about a month ago Canon Simpson of Bradford stated that he had been informed by a well-known priest in Paris that there were in the French capital associations whose members made the father of evil the object of worship.

They began to wonder what had become of him, but no one thought of doing anything to help the brave dog.

They were surprised. They thought another child must have fallen in without their seeing it, but they were quick-witted.

He saw the child struggling in the water, and he leaped over at once. He dived down to the bottom, then he rose near her, and in a minute he had her tight and swam with her to land.

Three Events in a Life. BY VIOLET. The sweet feast of the Immaculate Conception was drawing to a close.

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OUR BOYS AND GIRLS.

An Allegory.

Two painters were employed to fresco the walls of a cathedral. Both stood on the rude scaffold, constructed for the purpose, some forty feet from the floor.

The painter flew forward and turned upon his friend with fierce upbraiding. But starting at his ghastly face, he listened to his recital of danger, looked shudderingly over the dread space below and with tears of gratitude blessed the hand that saved him.

Tray was one of those noble dogs who live about the docks and save people who fall into the water.

One day a little beggar child was sitting on the edge of the quay, just as so many do in New York in hot weather.

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Very few people have any conception of the deadly effects of la grippe or influenza, which with each recurring winter sweeps over Canada, leaving in its trail death and broken constitutions.

Dr. Bryce, the very efficient health officer for Ontario, in his annual report to the provincial government, shows that the deaths in Ontario alone from the effects of la grippe for the years 1892-93-94 reached the aggregate of 2,023.

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Years have winged their rapid flight, and again it is the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

Does she think of the days in the years that have gone by?

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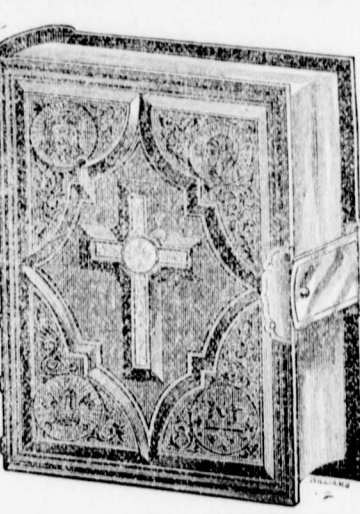
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