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With all the splendor of the Catholic Church, the Right Rev. Joseph Rice was consecrated Bishop of Burlington., Thursday, April 14, in Burlington, Vt. He is the youngest prelate in the coun-

Bishop Beaven of Springfield, Mass was the consecrator, Bishop Feehan of Fall River, the preacher, Bishops Harkins of Providence and Walsh of Port-land, Me., assisting.

The most impressive moment in the ceremony was the reading of the Bene diction from the Pope, as follows:

"Right Rev. Bishop Rice:
"Our Most Holy Father rejoices ex-

ceedingly in the deep and filial submission so reverently manifested toward him on the occasion of your episcopa consecration. From the fulness of his heart he bestows upon yourself, your clergy and the faithful of your diocese, Apostolic Benediction humbly

"R. Cardinal Merry del Val." Bishop Rice, now 38 years old, was born at Leicester, educated at the Academy there, at Holy Cross College, at the Grand Seminary at Montreal and after his ordination by Bishop Beaven he studied at Rome, He has been stationed at Pittsfield, Fitchburg. Oxford and Northbridge, all in Massachusetts, and earned a reputation as

EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS STAMPS.

(Official Communication.)

Owing to the fact that many have asked for information about the Congress stamps and the dailies have taken the matter up, we deem it our duty to declare officially that the issue of these stamps is a purely private undertaking, and that the General Committee has absolutely nothing to do with it. The idea may be all right and the originator's intentions excellent, but no such scheme has had our official sanction. It may ot be amiss to mention here that several parties have asked our authoriza-tion to get out guides, solicit advertise ments and manufacture and sell various articles such as medals, pictures, etc., on the occasion of the Congress. We have given no such authorization. far as the committee is concerned the Official Guide and the commemorative medal alone have received our approval and they will be ready in the course of a few weeks. Other schemes may be encouraged, such as the stamps in question, but at the sole risk of the purchas

The General Committee.

CATHOLIC IMMIGRATION INTO OREGON.

In view of the increasing movement of immigration into Eastern Oregon, Rt. Rev. C. J. O'Reilly, Bishop of Baker City, has established a bureau of information concerning church and school accommodations. societies and other phases of Catholic life. This new organism will be instrumental in causing new comers to settle in well organized communities and in sections where it is planned to establish regular missions. Rev. H. A. Campo, Baker City, is incharge of this bureau.

HOUS, CLEANING SEASON.

(By E. A. S.)

This house-cleaning season is awful! It just seems a shame, so I say, To turn a nice house topsy-turvy, And float it in soapsuds each day

To pull the insides from the cupboards, To tear the carpets up from the floors,

To blockade the windows and doors. Now things disappear like magic, Unless you hold on to them tight: And things that have been lost for

Are just being brought into sight. We missed baby's best shoes and stock-

And what do you think was their Packed down in an old rubbish bar-

Way out by the back alley gate. ne night pa fell over the ladder,

That some one had left near the And he got so cross and disgusted

He won't come to meals any more. But, 'tween you and me, dad's a wise

one, He don't come home to eat or fear, if the meal wasn't ready, He might have a carpet to beat,
Dear mother seems all out of pe
tience,
And grandma is all out of tune;

As The Republic goes t the sad news of the death Twain (Samuel L. Clemen home in Stormfield. Conn.

orviving daughter was with his In his passing, America has lost the greatest humorist since Artemus Ward. The fame of Mark Twain was cosmo-politan. The honors he received at Oxford. England, less than two years a are still fresh in the memories of his countrymen.

one of the participants in an authors' reading, more than twenty years ago. for the promotion, we believe, of the international copyright law. On that occasion he read his famous about "The Collection of Al Weather in the World Made in Boston in Three Days for the Centennial." Nearly all the brilliant men participating in that reading, as Oliver Wendell Holmes, Colonel Richard Mal-colm Johnston, Thomas Bailey Ald-Thomas Bailey Aldrich and John Boyle O'Reilly. have passed away. We are inclined to think that with the passing of Mark Twain the only members of that notat le circle left are Mrs. Julia Ward. and William Dean Howells .-The Republic, Boston, April 23.

EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE.

As a preliminary to the Eucharistic Congress a pilgrimage will be held to Ste. Anne De Beaupre, on Saturday, June 4th.

The annual pilgrimage to the shrine of the Sacred Heart at Lanoraie will take place on Saturday, July 9th, by the steamer 'Three Rivers.' On this occasion the new Guard of Honor of the Congress, composed of 100 young men, will make their initial appearance in full military uniform

LINEN SHOWER

number of the friends of Miss Aice Mahoney met Monday evening at he home of Miss Regina Kiervan, 126 Main street, and presented her with a linen shower. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with Japan ese umbrellas and red streamers with

VICE-CONSUL FOR MEXICO.

Mr. E. T. Sturdee, has received the exequator from the Mexican government appointing him Vice-Consul for Mexico, and also the commission from the British government confirming the same. The former is signed by the President of Mexico, and the other by King Edward VII. All necessary pa-Consul, and any information given.

IT LOOKS ALL RIGHT!

In Brooklyn, New York, a plan has been suggested for the combination of all the Catholic societies into one great body. It looks all right, but h all the grands and supremes feel on the subject? That is an important point to be taken into consideration.

The Connecticut man who has left a will giving \$10 to his son, and the rest of his estate, about \$5000, to be expended for a monument, may not have thought much of his son, but he seems to have had a pretty good opinion of himself.

In view of the fact that that Washingon society girl's mother says that her daughter has been absolutely forbidden by her to go on the stage, perhaps it is not surprising that the girl is there

Right Rev. Francis Silas Chatard, D. Right Rev. Francis Silas Chatard, D. D., Bishop of Indianapolis, Ind., some time ago asked the Holy See for a coadjutor. March 21 the Apostolic Delegate received a cablegram from Cardinal Merry del Val. saying that the Pope was pleased to grant the request. The coadjutor will be cum jure successionis.

MAMA HAD MENTIONED IT

"There was one man whose life was perfect," said the Sunday school teacher. "What one of you can tell me who he was?"

Little Mary Jane's hand went up and the teacher nodded to her. "He was mama's first husband," she

TECHNICALLY DEFECTIVE.

"So there is to be a divorce," said the

woman who discusses everybody. "It seems but a little while since he asked her for her hand."
"Yes," replied the rude man. "He got the hand all right. But it turned out to be a misdeal."