MARRIED.

At St. Joseph's Church, Stratford, on the 25th inst., by the Rev. Father Ronan, Mr Henry Kerby, Syracuse, N. Y., to Miss Ettie, second daughter of Mr. James Douglass, Stratford.

At St. Joseph's Church, Stratford, on the 25th inst., by the Rev. E. B. Kilroy, D. D., Mr. Joseph Wininger, of Stratford, to Miss Kate Dawson, of Newmarket.

VERY REV. EDWARD PURCELL.

HIS DEATH AT ST. MARTIN'S, BROWN COUNTY, OHIO.

Near the beautiful little sylvan town of St. Martin's, Brown County, Ohio, is situated the convent of the Sisters of St. Ursula. It is already famously known to many of our readers by reason of its being the seat of learning and pious Christain training, whence have gone forth into the world the accomplished daughters of many of the prominent Catholics and non-Catholics of our western country. It was to this quiet, lovely retreat, where the regularity of convent life possesses a charm to the soul attuned to the love of God, and sheds a holy light upon world-wearied hearts, that the venerable and greatly beloved Archbishop of Cincinnati sought refuge when the recent financial crash overwhelmed him. There in close communion with the God whom he had so faithfully served during fifty years and more, he decided to offer up anew his fast declining days, and end in peace a life so long consecrated to works of charity in the great apostleship of Christ. But he came not alone. Another who had been his companion in life's journey and a sharer with him in the burdens of the priestly office, followed his tottering footsteps to this hallowed, sequestered spot. This loved associate was his venerable brother, Very Rev. Father Edward Purcell. Upon the latter burst the fury of the storm of Cincinnati's financial crisis, and completely overpowered, too readily did he seek this asylum as a protection from the troubles that would otherwise have crushed his noble nature to the earth.

Another tie bound him and the Archbishop to the sanctified spot. In the little convent cemetery these two affectionate brothers recognized the graves of two loved ones—their mother and their sister. But now another tomb is added and between the mounds of the former is the freshly turned earth of poor Father Edward's grave.

Mournfully and sadly did the *De Profundis* bell of the convent strike its solemn tones in the crisp and frosty air of last Thursday evening. The hearts of the community were filled with emotion as they bowed to the irrevocable decrees and hastened to offer up supplications to the throne of mercy for the departing soul of one whom they had cherished as a father. Father Edward is dead; the Archbishop is alone in the world. Only one hour previous was he in seeming health, having, as all thought, recovered from a slight indisposition, but the fatal apoplectic fit felled him in an instant, while preparing to take a noonday rest. God's angels gave the warning and good Father Dutton, the pastor of St. Martin's church, had sufficient time to administer Extreme Unction, when serenely and smilingly the soul of Father Edward hastened to its Creator. The Archbishop who had not been notified, was approached with the sorrowful intelligence, but strangely, he anticipated it, and calmly exclaiming "I know it all," gave expression to insuppressible emotion and resignedly added "I am satisfied. The will of God be done." Rt. Rev. Bishop Elder, coadjutor to the Archdishop of Cincinnati, was immediately notified of the sudden death and in company with several priests arrived at St. Martin's and on the following day sang Pontifical High Mass of Requiem. Sunday, the funeral took place from the convent chapel, Rt. Rev. Bishop Elder celebraing Pontifical High Mass of Requiem.

At the Gospel side of the altar sat the grand old Archbishop supported by Fathers Bowe and Murray. Only occasionally did the venerable Prelate show any signs of grief, and only a quivering of the lips betrayed his earnest effort at suppressing a deep emotion. He there remained, almost motionless, evidently wrapt in prayer and meditation during the whole service.

The pleading, plaintive cries for mercy in the feeling words and music of the solemn Requiem, the black vestments of the officiating clergy, the sombre draping of the chapel, the purple-vested corpse of the priest of God bearing the chalice wherein he had so frequently in life consecrated the most Precious Blood, and the appearance of the Archbishop, all conspired to add to the solemnity of a scene long to be remembered by all who were present. Not an eye was there that did not glisten with the starting tear, not a heart that did not throb with emotion.—*Catholic Columbian.*

PRESENTATION TO THE REV. FATHER A. J. McKEON.

On Sunday morning, the 23d instant, the Rev. Father A. J. McKeon, curate of St. Mary's R. C. Church, was presented by Messrs. Harmon, Almond and Gallagher, on behalf of the congregation of St. Mary's, with a handsome gold watch and guard, the watch, which was purchased at a cost of $125, is an exquisite piece of workmanship, and bore upon it the following inscription: "A token of respect, presented to the Rev. Father A. J. McKeon, L. T., by the congregation of St. Mary's Church, Simcoe, Jan. 23."

Previous to the presentation of the watch, Mr. Almond, secretary of the subscription committee, read an address as follows:

TO THE REV. A. J. M'KEON:

Rev. Sir and Father.

It is with feelings of pleasure we approach you to-day on behalf of the congregation of St. Mary's Church, Simcoe, to offer you a slight acknowledgment of the work you have done amongst us.

The high esteem in which we at first held you as our young pastor has not grown less but has been intensified during your charge over us, during which time you have made many friends, both old and young, not only in our own church, but in those of other denominations, and we hope that in the future you may have pleasant memories of the days spent amongst us, and that providence may crown your life with peace and happiness.

Engaged as you are in the service of our Holy Mother, the Church, you will undoubtedly meet with many discouragements, but we wish to assure you, that you will always have our prayers and sympathy, and we trust that when life and its labors are over your reward will be great in the world to come.

And now as a token of our esteem and appreciation of your services, we beg of you to accept the accompanying watch and guard, and we assure you that you will always have a warm place in the hearts of the congregation of St. Mary's Church.

And trusting that your life may be long and that you may be instrumental in winning many souls to our faith,

We remain, dear sir and Father,

On behalf of the congregation,

Your obedient servants,

JOHN HARMON,
DANIEL ALMOND,
MICHAEL GALLAGHER.

Simcoe Jan. 23rd, 1881.

The Rev. Father (who was then presented with the watch and guard) seemed deeply moved at this most practical proof of the warm feelings that his congregation had evinced towards him. He thanked them most sincerely for their handsome gift, but more still for the kindness, the sympathy and the regard they had so warmly expressed for him in the testimonial that accompanied the gift. He (the Rev. Father) said it was most encouraging to any pastor to know he held the sympathy and affection of his flock, but more-so for any who, like himself, were but entering upon that sacred mission to which they had dedicated their lives. The congregation of St. Mary's was the first he had had charge of since he was ordained, and he trusted he might be spared for many years in the service of the church. The memory of that day, and the many kindnesses he had received at the hands of his Simcoe friends would ever live green and fresh, rooted to the core of his heart. Again thanking them most heartily, the Rev. Father pronounced the Benediction and the congregation dispersed.—*Simcoe Reformer, Jan. 28.*

C. M. B. A. NOTES.

CANADA GRAND COUNCIL OFFICERS.

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Spiritual Director—Very Rev. Dean Wagner.

To the officers and members of the C. M. B. A. *Greeting:*—

In accordance with article 2d, Grand Council Constitution, and pursuant to a resolution of the Windsor convention, the second Annual Convention of the Grand Council of Canada of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association will meet in the City of London, Ont., on the second Tuesdey (being the eighth day) of February, 1881. Each Branch within the jurisdiction of this Council is entitled to one representative and vote in the convention. The Grand Council is composed of all those members who held a position as an elective officer, trustee or representative, at the *first* Grand Council Session of Feb., 1880, and thereafter, in addition thereto, not more than one legal representative from each Branch under the jurisdiction hereof. All Spiritual Directors of Branches are duly qualified and entitled to become members of the Grand Council.

All members and representatives are notified to be present on Tuesday morning in time to attend Mass in a body.

To all Grand Councils and Branches C. M. B. A.—Accordingto quarterly reports submitted for the quarter ending Dec. 31st, 1880, the total membership was 3926, divided as follows:

New York Grand Council		2511
Pennsylvania	"	636
Michigan	"	316
Canada	"	265
Leavenworth Branch No.	1	23
"	" 2	55
Wyandotte	" 3	14
Saint Mary's	" 4	13
Alliance, Ohio	" 1	26
Canton, "	" 2	28
Louisville "	" 3	12
Paducah, Ky.	" 1	14
Grafton, West Va.	" 1	13

Thirty-nine deaths occurred during the year 1880:—25 in New York; 9 in Pennsylvania; 4 in Michigan; 1 in Paducah, Ky.; of this number 10 occurred between Jan. 1st and April 19th, the date the undersigned qualified as your Supreme Recorder, this number and our other that died in Dec., 1879, making 11 on hand not paid at that date. Since April 19th we have had 29 deaths. There is now on hand 4 deaths not assessed, viz:—

Joseph Zeis, Branch No.	5,	Buffalo, N. Y.
Jacob Stable "	" 7,	" "
ThomasConway "	" 8,	" "
Thomas Morton "	" 7,	" "

No death reported so far this year.

Received since April 19th	$66,202
Disbursed 32 Beneficiaries	64,000
Balance on hand	2,202

A protest was made against the payment of the beneficiary due on the death of Rev. R. E. Hennessy, Branch No. 11, Susquehawna, Pa., he having been admitted without being examined. The case is being investigated. The money will remain in treasury until the investigating committee submits their reports. We are collecting to pay the beneficiaries due on the following deaths, viz:

Thomas Fitzpatrick, Branch 8, Buffalo.
Richard Mulcahey " 49, Syracuse
Peter O'Hare " 2, Flint, Mich.

The same will be paid inside of 20 days. All grand chancellors are hereby requested to send their name and residence soon as possible, as the record of same is incomplete.

Fraternally,
C. J. HICKEY,
Supreme Recorder.

WHAT IS SAID OF THE RECORD.

Niagara, Jan. 19th, 1881.

PROPRIETOR OF RECORD.

SIR,—I am well pleased with the tone and style of the RECORD. You are making it an excellent paper.

Yours sincerely,
J. HORIN, Priest.

INFORMATION WANTED

Of Michael Green, born in Kilrush, County Clare, Ireland. Was some years sergeant in the Constabulary, eight years ago was stationed in Knockermie, Co. Limerick. Any tidings of him will be thankfully received by his sister-in-law, Jane Green, London, Ontario, Canada.

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London Markets.

London, Ont., Jan. 31, 1881.

GRAIN		
Wheat, Winter	℔ 100 lbs	$1 67 to 1 78
Spring "	"	1 70 to 1 75
Corn		0 95 to 1 02
Oats		0 87 to 0 95
Peas		0 95 to 1 10
Barley		1 35 to 1 53
Rye		0 80 to 1 00
Buckwheat		1 10 to 1 25
Beans		1 50 to 2 00
FLOUR AND FEED.		
Fall Wheat Flour	℔ Cwt.	3 00 to 3 25
Mixed Flour	"	3 00 to 3 25
Spring Flour		2 75 to 3 00
Buckwheat Flour		2 25 to 2 50
Graham Flour		2 75 to 3 00
Cracked Wheat		2 25 to 2 50
Cornmeal	"	1 50 to 2 60
Bran, per ton		12 00 to 14 00
Shorts, ℔ "		14 00 to 18 00
Oatmeal, ℔ cwt		2 50 to 2 75
PRODUCE.		
Lard, ℔ lb		0 09 to 0 11
Eggs, Store Lots, ℔ doz		0 25 to 0 30
" Farmers' "		0 22 to 0 28
Butter, Crock		0 19 to 0 22
" Rolls		0 22 to 0 25
Cheese, Dairy, ℔ lb		0 12 to 0 12
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Mutton, lb		0 00 to 0 07
Lamb, ℔ lb		0 07 to 0 08
Beef, pr lb ℔ qtr		6 25 to 7 00
Geese, each		0 45 to 0 60
Turkeys, each		0 75 to 1 25
Dried Apples ℔ lb		0 06 to 0 06
Onions, ℔ bbl		0 75 to 1 50
Hay, ℔ ton		11 00 to 12 00
Straw, ℔ load		2 50 to 3 50
Live Hogs, ℔ cwt		3 75 to 4 00
Dressed Hogs		6 50 to 7 00
Chickens, ℔ pair		0 25 to 0 50
Ducks		0 35 to 0 50
Turnips ℔ bush		0 20 to 0 25
Carrots		0 15 to 0 30
Apples, ℔ bag		33 to
Potatoes bag		0 65 to 0 80
Tallow, rendered "		0 05 to 0 06
Wool, "		0 25 to 0 27
SKINS AND HIDES.		
Lambskins, each		0 75 to 1 25
Calfskins, green, ℔ lb		0 10 to 0 11
" dry "		0 15 to 0 17
Hides, green, "		0 08 to 0 09
" dry "		0 07½ to 0 7

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Reductions Tremendous in clothing, over coats, and suits, flannels—grey, scarlet and white at a great sacrifice, all this month of January.
Cotton sale going on as usual. Take notice of the prices at the Palace House this month. New goods coming in marked close. Carpets, carpets, carpets at any price.
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142 Dundas Street.

1881.

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Is now offering the balance of the

WINTER STOCK

OF STAPLE AND FANCY

DRY GOODS!

At greatly reduced prices, in order to prepare for a large stock of

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Several lines of goods at less than cost price.

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HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL
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National Pills, superior to all other purgatives in strength and virtue, in safety and mildness of action.

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—OF—
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MILLINERY
—AND—
KID GLOVES!
—BY—
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—THE—
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WHICH COMMENCED
Saturday, the 11th inst.

REMEMBER,
MILLINERY will be sold at cost.
MANTLES will be sold at cost.
DRY GOODS will be sold at cost.

Immense Reductions!!
IN EVERY DEPARTMENT.

We are determined to close out our Winter Goods. Each season's trade must bear its own loss. We have sold goods cheap in the past, and the sweeping reductions we now make throughout every department of our large store will show the citizens that when we advertise a sale, we offer not only the inferior goods in stock, but we include the most fashionable and desirable goods in our store.

Remember, the sale commenced Saturday, the 11th inst.

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