C. M. BA.

Resolutions of Condolence.

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At the last meeting of Branch No. 119,
Welland, held March 22, 1597, the following
resolution was unanimously adopted by
standing vote:
Moved by Bro. James Kilty, seconded by
Bro. James O'Brian, that
Whereas, it has been the will of Almighty
God to remove by death Michael, eldest and
beloved son of Bro. Michael MacAuliff, one
of the charter members of Branch No. 119,
be it therefore
Regular, the Branch No. 110,

of the charter members of Branch No. 119, be it therefore Resolved that Branch No. 119, Welland, do hereby tender Bro. M. MacAuliff and family our earnest and heartfelt sympathy in their great sorrow, and humbly pray that our heavenly Father, through the intercession of His Divine Soa, will grant them spiritual consulation. And be it, further, Resolved that a copy of this resolution be recorded on the minutes of the branch and also inserted in the CATHOLIC RECOLD ard The Canadian, the efficial organ of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association.

John R. Dowd, President, Chas. A. Smith, Recording Secretary.

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Stratford, March 25, 1897.

At a regular meeting of Branch No. 13,
Stratford, held March 24, 1897, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

That whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death the mother of our respected Bro., Michael Bannon,
Resolved that we, the members of Branch No. 13, hereby express our heartfelt sorrow for the loss sustained by him and extend to him our most sincere sympathy and condomere in his sad affliction.

Resolved that a copy of this resolution be inserted in the minutes of this meeting, and sent to him and also published in the official organ.

E. J. Kneitl, Secretary.

At the regular meeting of Branch No. 208, Dartmouth N. S., held Thursday evening, March II, it was moved, and seconded, That we, the members of Branch No. 208, extend to our beloved Spiritual Adviser, Rev. C. Underwood, and, through him, to his brother and sisters, our sincere sympathy and condelence in their bereavement by the death of his mother, whom God, in His goodness, called to her eternal reward; and Resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to Rev. Father Underwood and also to the CATHOLIC RECORD and Canadian for publication.

A. O. H.

FIFTH ANNUAL CONCERT. Association hall. Hamilton, was filled last evening on the occasion of the fifth annua concert of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. An excellent programme had been provided, to which the only objection to be offered was that it gave the people too much for their mone; and took well towards midnight to get through it. M. Foley occupied the chair and introduced the performers. The programme was a follows:

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Piano solo—" Irish Gems"
J. F. Morrissey.

Song—" Dan'llog"
Mrs. F. Mackelcan.

Song—" The Pride of the Pink Hussar"
James Fax.

Song—" The Irish Piper"
Miss Alice Hanley.

Song—" Thistle, Shaurock and Rose"
E. G. Payne.

Recitation—" The Battle of Fontency
Miss M. Thomson.

Song—" Killarney.

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Dance—" Hornolpe

J. Lynch and Prof. Hayes.

Duet—" Madeline

Mrs. F. Mackelcan and Mr. Payne

Song—" The Peeler

James Fax.

Song—" Altho! I'm Not An Irishman

E. G. Payne.

Song—" There's a Dear Spot in Ireland

Miss Maggie Neville.

Recitation—" Flying Jim's Last Leap

Miss M. Thomson.

Duet—" Love and Pride

Mrs. Mackelcan and E. G. Payne.

Song—(Selected).

Mrs. F. Mackelcan.

Comic song—" Mrs. Grogan's Boy"

" Irish Jig"

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" Irish Jig"..... Prof. Hayes and Jas. Lynch.

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Nearly every number was encored, which doubled the size of an siready large programme. In response to an encore Mrs. Mac kelcan and Mr. Payne sing the "Gobble Duet," which was greatly enjoyed. Mr. Payne's solo was encored, and he sang "Taken in Tow." Miss Neville has a very promising voice, which, with careful training, should be heard to good effect in future. Her encore number was "True till Death "James Lynch danced horipipes and Jigs with surpassing nimbleness, and was warmly applaude. As usual, Mr. Fax kept the addience in good number, and was warmly applaude. As usual, Mr. Fax kept the addience in good bumor. The accompaniments were played by "F. Morrissey.

During the evening the chaplain of the order, Father Hinchey, delivered an interesting address. With him on the platform were Chanceller Craven. Fathers of Relly and Brady, Rev. Dr. Burns and Rev. T. Geoghegan. Father Hinchey, in latroducing his subject, said he was proud of Canada, proud of her young institutions, but frishmen could not and would not forget the old land from which they sprung. He spoke of the tender love of the exile for his native land, a love which even the Icelander feels towards the bleak and barren icy waste he calls such. The speaker explained that the original Ancient Hiberolans had banded themselves together to protect the priest in his sacred ministrations at a period when persecution followed close upon them in Ireland.

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Rev. Dr. Burns, in moving a vote of thanks, made a speech in which he suggested that Ireland's darkest hour is just before the dawn, and though the Home Rule Bill has been contemptuously rejected by the House of Lords, it would all come right. He thought the last years of the Queen's life would be made brighter if her Majesty would celebrate the publice by liberating every Irish political prisoner. (Applause.) To be sure they were dynamiters, but that act was the last wall of despair.—Hamilton Spectator.

C. T. S.

Toronto, March 22, 1897.

The second of the series of "Lenten Talks" being held under the auspices of the cathedral branch of the Catholic Truth Society, was delivered on Thursday evening by Rev. Dr. Tracey, in St. Vincent's Hall. The lecture was a forcible and trenchant one, the subject being treated with the rev. gentleman's well known earnestness and vigor. During the evening a number of selected numbers were rendered by local artists. Miss Ida Massey sang "Not Ashamed of Christ," very sweetly; while Mr. Charlie Hall rendered "The Holy City" with much power, securing a recall. A class of young ladies from Loretto convent, Bond street, gave a most tleasing and effective recital.

John P. McCarthy, 393 King St. West.

NEW BOOKS.

"Our Favorite Devotions," published by Messrs. Benziger Bros., New York city, is a book that will appeal to every lover of devout book that will appeal to every lover of devout reading, comprised as it is of devotions to Our Blessed Lord and His holy mother, the Holy Family, the Angels and the Saints. It also contains prayers for the sick, the dying and the departed. These "Devotions" are compiled from approved sources by the Very Rev. Dean A. A. Lings, of St. Joseph's church, Yonkers, N. Y. Price, 60.

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A perusal of Dr. McTaggart's advertise-ment will be of great interest to those who are or have friends addicted to the use of in-

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

In Almonte.

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What a thrill of pleasure runs through the heart of every Irishman at the approach of March 17, the anniversary of his country's patron saint. St. Parick; and with what pride his heart swells as hooks back for centuries over the history of Ircland, and there traces the many great ochievements his countrymen have made.

Borombe - all of these men are remembered with veneration; but even those all fade from his vision when he remembers the great St. Patrick of paganism, 'till now it is one of the most Christian countries of the world; who haved his beautiful country from with the forever, and an example of morality and consistency which every true Irishman endeavors to follow. Little wonder, then, that the sons of Erin should lay aside one day of each year to celebrate his memory, and to honor him is a fitting manner! St. Patrick's Day monte in the usual manner. A large number attended Mass in St. Mary's church in the morning; some also approaching the sacraments. A sthe organ pealed forth the grand and solemn strain of "St. Patrick's Day," its notes touched the heart with an eloquence that words could never command, and for a moment even prayer were forgotten 'till its. Strains died away. In the evening a grand concert was heald in the town hall; the twenty lifth of a series of annual concerts which have been gotten up by the Father Mathew Total Abstinence Association, of Almonte, in honor of Ireland's patron saint. Very Rev. Canon Foloy occupied the chair, and in a short and spicy address thanked the large audience for their good will in being present. The following programme was then ziven, each one doing his part to perfection, and all responding to an encore:

PROGRAMME.

Opening remarks—
Chairman.
Inst. solo-(violin) "St. Patrick's Day".....
Mr. Dave Walker.
Recitation—"The Exile of Erin.".
Mr. H. W. Sproule, Ottawa.
Vocal solo-" Asthore"...
Miss Nellie Smith, Ottawa.
Reading—

Reading— Mr. W. Gallagher.

Song—" Norah O'Neal".

Mr. Geo. Parsons. Ottawa.

Recitation—" The O'Mara Consolidation".

Miss Bessie Blyth. Ottawa.

Vocal duet—" Upper Ten and Lower Five".

Masters Oswald and Gordon Shepberd.

Comic song—" Duffy's Blunders".

Mr. H. G. McDowell, Ottawa.

Part II.

Orchestra—... Piano solo—" Valse Arabisque ". Miss Regina Reilly. Baton exercise-... Master M. Trainor.
Recitation-" Jerry "... Miss Bessie Blyth.

Comic song—, Mr. McDowell.
Recitation (selected)—, Mr. H. W. Sproule. Mr. H. W. ep.
Club swinging —
Miss M. E. McDowell.
Vocal solo (selected)
Miss Nellie Smith Comic song (selected)— Mr. H. G. McDowell.

The programme closed with "God Save the Queen," by the orchestra, and all went homewell pleased with the evening's entertainment.

In Simcoe.

The concert, which was held under the auspices of the Simcoe branch of the C. M. B. A. at the Opera House on St. Patrick's night was well attended, every available seat being occupied, and each part taken was very favorably received. Great credit is due to the man agement in arranging and carrying out the programme. There was no delay from beginning to end and the various parts elicited frequent and vigorous encores which testified to the complete satisfaction of all present. The Stratford talent made a very favorable impression, particularly the solo of Mr. Kennedy which was considered the gem of the programme. Miss Carlin's solo deserves special mention, and Mr. McCauley in his comic song. The Sincoe Auctioneer 'brought down the house. The natural voice and graceful movements of Miss Kearney, of Brantford, in her beautiful recitation, showed a marked degree of considerable ability and knowledge in her undertaking, and promises well for her future. Of the local talent the parts taken by Messrs O'Neil, Purcell. Dredge and Dunnett speak favorably of our town, and added much to the amusement of the evening. Mrs. John Allgeo played the accompaniment in her usual skilful manner. The opening of each part of the programme by the 3th Battallion band, under the able leadership of Mr. John Sutton, was highly appreciated and will not soon be forgotten by those who were fortunate enough to be present. The Stratford quartette in their comic sketch at the conclusion of the programme sent the people home in good humor. Everybody realized that St. Patrick's concert means a treat indeed and will eagerly await a similar effort another year. In Simcoe.

another year.

(From Cantata, A. Romane, C. John P. Kennedy.
Song and dance—
John P. Kennedy.
Song and dance—
Annie Kearney.
Character song—' Tell Them You're Irish ''...
M. J. McCauley.
Quartette (selected!—
J. P. Kennedy, A. A. Goet Z.
Misses C. J. Carlin and C. Hartley.
Character song—' The Ship that Carried Me
Over
Fred Purcell.
Solo—' Forbidden Music' (Musical Proibita).
S. Gastalcon

Miss C. J. Carlin. Part II.

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March—" Sambo at the Cake Walk".

39th Battallion Band.

Trio—" Bumble Bee"...
Mr. and Mrs. Dunnett and Mrs. Churchill.
Song—" Sweet Kitty Shea
John J. O'Neil.
Song—" Letter From Ireland"...
Fred Purcell.

Duet—" I Feel Thy Angel Spirit".

Mr. J. P. Kennedy and Miss C. J. Carlin.
Character song—" The Simcoe Auctioneer"...
Mr. J. McCauley.
Solo—" The Last Muster"...
J. Dunnett.
Quartette (comic)—" O. P. R. A. Leslie
Messrs. Kennedy and Goetz, and
Misses Carlin and Hartley.
" God Save the Queen."

In Barrie.

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The ladies of St. Mary's church. Barrie, gave a very successful "At Home" to their friends in the town hall on March I?; and they have every reason to feel proud of the secess of their efforts in this respect. The hall was beautifully decorated, the principal decorations being green and white, and was carried out very artistically throughout the large building. The windows were prettily draped with lace curtains; the doors with chenille curtains. The back of the stage was draped in green and white; in the centre was hung a large picture of Her Mejesty, encircled with the Union Jack and a pretty green flag. Under this was a large painting of Gladstone, and on either sides were pictures of different Irish patriots. The stage floor was covered with rugs, mats and any amount of pretty fur niture, chairs, sofas, taoles and such like. On a large easel was a painting of St. Patrick; upon the main floor in the corners adjoining the stage were acandy and a flower table, which were well patronized.

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At 8:30 the hall was comfortably filled, and a half hour later the large building was crowded.

Mayor Wells presided, and in a short and witty speech opened the programme, which was as follows:

"Maypole," by eighteen little girls of the Separate school. They were dressed in white, and with their petty colored ribbons they made a beautiful picture. Vocal solo, by Mr. A. Saunders, which was well received. "Oxford Minuet," by three little girls and three little boys, who certainly deserved the hearty encore they received, and for which she gave the "Scotch Reel," which was very pretty. Then followed a piano and violin duet, by Messrs J. C. Morgan and M. Shonacy. "Tommy Atkins" was rendered in fine style by six boys in soldier costume, which created a fund of amusement for the audience. They were hearily encored, and gave "St. Patrick's Day" very nicely. A vocal duet, by Miss Bingham and Mr. W. A. Boys, was well ren-

dered. "Skirt Dance," by two little girls was really very pretty, and was loudly applauded.

After the singing of the National Anthem refreshments were served, after which the evening was spent in a pleasant and social manner. The young people enjoyed themselves until 12 o'clock.

Thanks are due the Sisters of St. Joseph for their kindness in training the school children who took part, also Miss Hornsby, who trained the dancers and for her kindness in putting the children on the stage. Her pleasant and gra-

the dancers and for her kindness in putting the children on the stage. Her pleasant and gracious manner certainly made her many warm friends; also the Misses Fletcher. Miss Birdle Hinds, Messrs. J. C. Morgan, M. Shonacy and F. Clark, who so kindly acted as planists during the evening. We hope this is only the forerunner of many such pleasant social gatherings to be yet held. Proceeds (195.00, in aid of convent.

In Fort William.

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Sit—It is with feelings of pride and pleasure that I venture to give you a faint description of the Ith of March and its observance by the Catholics of Fort William. Seldom if ever out of Ireland has has this day been observed with such remarkably religious and soul-stirring sentiments as must have been the feelings experienced by Erin's sons and daughters exiled from home and country.

It may be truly said that the Church of Rome is the great and tender mother, her arms extended out over the stormy deep inviting to her breast the children of every clime. In the fierce conflict of life we find her ever endeavoring to soften our sorrows and harmonize our resentments, by pouring balm upon our wounded spirits by offering worfs of sympathy and consolation, and by ever pointing to that home where all nationalities will meet in on union of supreme happiness.

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Thoughts similar to these occurred to us as we entered St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church and admird the neat and appropriate decorations in green and gold, relieved alternately by the shamrock and the Irish harp. The organ gave out one of Moore's most exquisite melodies as the large congregation took their seats.

We all wish to express our pleasure at seeing once more upon our altar, Rev. Father Baxter, S. J. He was one of the pioneers of this country in the early days.

He is also the founder of our handsome church. This and many other useful and necessary undertakings are monuments of his apostolic zeal and enthusiasm. Many a weary and fatiguing hour has he spent in the accomplishment of so much for us. We also esteem him for the kind and self sacrificing disposition he has ever evinced towards us. No thought of self was ever allowed to restrain him when the spiritual or temporal welfare of his people demanded his attention.

High Mass was well rendered by the efficient choir, to whom much credit is due for the success they achieved. Although small mumbers the choir comprises amonust a cocalists. After the Communion the Rev. Father Dono. Van. S. J., addressed the tocrospation. This priest is recent acquisith real literary salents. He is a pulpit orator of great ability; and his arguments were logical dispassionate and incisive; and litterary the traction of related short of related sportons apostle powerfully delived the success they achieved. Although small rimphs, of his few failures: a heather country given up to heathen practices, resigns its own creed on the authority of a missionary, and that missionary, too no king, no warrior but a mere unarmed stranger without power to enforce one of the decrees he proclaimed, the Christianizing of Ireland was no "plous exaggeration," on mere "flash in the pan;" enthusiasm, but a steady flame which burned undimmed through centuries of persecutio

Instrumental duet—" Irish Airs"
Miss and Miss L. Smith.
Recitation—" Over the Hills to the Poo
House"
Mrs. G. Pike.

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Song—[Selected]...
Miss A. Rochon.
Song—" Kittle of Coleraine".
Miss V. Pelletier.
Comic song—" Put Me Off at Buffalo".
Mr. Coolidge.

Instrumental duet—
Misses Phipps and Sellars.
Song—" The Meeting of the Waters".
Mrs. McNaughton.

Song-[Selected] Mr. Reading.

Part II.

Song-" The Soldier Song " ... Mr. H. Sellars.

Song—"The Sellars.

Mr. H. Sellars.

Song—[Selected[
Mrs. J. Elms.

Tableau and Trio—"My Boy Tammie,".....
JIn Scotch Costume] Mrs. McGillivary, Miss Meikle, Mr. R. M. Hamilton.

Song—[Selected].....
Mrs. J. J. Morrow.

Song—[Selected].

Mr. W. Butcher.

Instrumental Trio—" Irish Airs".

Piano—Mrs. J. J. Morrow;

Violin—Mr. J. J. Morrow;

Cornet—Mr. Boon.

Song—" Oft in the Stilly Night"....

Mrs. McNaughton.

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A friendly round with gloves.
Ireland—Master F. V. O'Hagan.
Scotland—Master J. Miln.
[In national costume]
Miss Smith, accompanist.

In Alvinston.

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From the Alvinston Free Press of March 25 we learn that on Wednesday evening, March 17, the St. Patrick's concert, under the direction of Rev Father Tobin, of London, was held in the Music Hall, and, as one of the audience remarked, the large attendance showed that an entertainment of a high class character is always sure of Alvinston. The seating capacity of the hall was well occupied by the hour of commencement, and from then to the close of the programme the audience was delightfully entertained by the different performers. The Free Press says that owing to the fact that the Alvinsion friends who were expected to take part in the programme being unable to do so, the talent from London were compelled to do double work, but, we are glad to know, they proved themselves more than equal to the occasion. The proceeds of the entertainment amounted to about 890. For lack of space, the local paper was unable to gave an extended notice of this really excellent entertainment, but remarked that all were delighted with the rendition of the following programme:

PROGRAMME.

J. Connor.
Dance—" Irish Gig".
Susie McGill.
Solo—" Swim Out, O'Grady"...
Solo—" Shamus O'Brien
W. E. Mullins.

Solo-" Killarney ".
Miss Lenehan.
Dance-" Highland Fling "...
Suste McGill.
Solo-" Loch Lomond"...
J. Connor.

Duet-"I Love Thee".

Miss Lenehan and J. M. Daly.

Song-"I'I Like to be Like Grandma".

Susie McGill.

Quartet-"Good Night".

Miss Lenehan, Miss Carney, J. M. Daly, J. Connor.

God Save the Queen ''.
Choir and audience.
Accompanist, Miss Christena McKittrick.

In Renfrew.

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Renfrew, March 26, 1897.

St. Patrick's night was honored in a royal manner at Renfrew by a concert and lecture in the town hall. The attendance was large, and enthusiasm well sustained throughout. A distinctive feature of the concert was the chorus-work by the choir under the leadership of Father Ryan. The good Father is widely known as a musical enthusiast; anything of this nature he goes into heart and soul, and as earnestness is the keystone of success, Father Ryan is always successful in bis efforts to furnish high class music. Mrs. C. C. Collins, 'recitation, ''Seene at the Battle of Minden,' was most artistically treated and most highly appreciated, as were the efforts of the orchestra under the leadership of Mr. C. C. Collins. A very hearty encore was given Miss A. Minoi for her excellent rendition of that old favorite ''Kathleen Mavourneen.'' A similar courtesy was extended to Mr. P. McGarry, who sang 'Tell Me That You Love Me,' in rattling good style. The subject of the lecture was 'Thos. D'Arcy McGee.'' Mr. J. P. Downey, editor Guelph Herald, was the lecturer. The lecture treated from a most sympathetic standpoint. The finer points were brought out with a very delicate touch, whilst the more pathetic part of D Arcy McGee's life-story was told with a skill and appreciative feeling that moistened the eyes and quick ened the pulses of many in that warmhearted, sympathetic Celtic audience. The eloquent young lecturer was very warmly and sincerely applauded at the close of this splendid peroration:

"As we prize his achievements and love."

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"As we prize his achievements and love his memory, let us not forget the guiding principle of his maturer years, the principle which he resolutely fought for and heroically died for—that grand old sentiment first chanted by angel voices to the humble shepheds on the hiliside, when the morning stars sang together and like a benison there descended with the new-born King the blessed message; 'Peace on earth! good will to men!' Let us not forget that D'Arcy McGes was the first great force to break down the barriers that separated races and creeds in this country and breathe into our young Dominion the spirit of a proud self reliance! Let us, Irishmen and sons of Irishmen, as we recall to-night the story of his life, take home to our own hearts the noble example he set us, and by living in peace and harmony withour neighbors, telerant of their prejudices, charitable to their faults, build on this blessed Canadian soil a nation which shall fulfill the glowing expectations of him who closed his eyes in eternal sleep just as he had beheld the glorious vision of her birth."

IRISH NATIONAL BANQUET.

SONS OF THE EMERALD ISLE CELE-BRATE ST, PATRICK'S DAY.

Successful in every way was the Irish National banquet held at the Victoria hotel last night, says the Hamilton Spectator of the 18th ult. There were over one bundred present. A mejority of them were Sons of the Emerald Isle, but representatives of other nationalities were also there and assisted in the celebration of St. Patrick's day. The chairman, Robert Menary, said it was a gathering of Irishmen, irrespective of creed, and he gave a hearty welcome to the representatives of other nationalities. As many of the Irishmen attended the concert at Association hall, it was almost 12 o'clock be fore a start was made. William Magill occupied the vice chair. After the excellent supper provided by Host Rowan was served the following toast list was carried out:

"The Queen."

"The Queen."
"Canada, Our Home—Responded to by "Canada, Our Home—Responded to by W. M. McClemont.
"The Day We Celebrate"—Responded to by M. Allen.
"The Mayor and Corporation"—Responded to by Aldermen Findlay, Griffith and Miller.
"Mercantile, Mechanical and Manufacturing Interests"—Responded to by W. G.

Reid.
"Ireland, the Land of Our Fathers"—Responded to by James Henigan.
"The Learned Professions"—Responded to by Drs. Anderson and Balfe.
"Dominion and Local Houses of Parliament"—Responded to by Adam Ballentine.
"Our Guests"—Responded to by James Phillips.

"Oar Guests
Phillips.
"Sister Nationalities"—Responded to by
W. Hancock, Ald. Findlay and A. Bourque.
"The Ladies"—Responded to by T. Col-

W. Hancock, Ald. Findiay and A. Doirque.
"The Ladies"—Responded to by T. Colgan.
"The Press."

"The Press."

"The Host and Hostess."

Mr. McClemont made an eloquent speech. In discussing the destiny of Canada he came out strong for independence.

During the evening sweet music was discoursed by Nelligan's orchestra. Songs were sung by T. Hanley. W. Magill, H. N. Thomas, P. Ralston, Dr. Anderson and others, and recitations were delivered by T. Colgan and John Mullaney, Mr. Mullaney's recitations were given with great dramatic effect.

The committee having charge of the banquet was composed of Robert Menary, W. Magill, T. Mullins, C. Mooney, J. B. Nelligan, T. Bain, M. Padden, A. Ballentine, T. Wilson, John Crooks and M. Hanley.

MISS LIZZIE MOORE, ORILLIA. 'Angels, ever bright and fair," Take, oh take me, to thy care."

"Angels, ever bright and fair,"
Take, oh take me, to thy care."

After a lingering illness, borne with Christian fortitude and patience, Miss Lizzie Moore, fourth daughter of Mr. C. Moore, of "Homenock," Orillia, quietly passed to the silent majority last Friday morning, and for the third time in a little over two years the family were called on to mourn over their dead. Some weeks previously it was known that there were no hopes of an ultimate recovery, but it was thought with fine spring weather that life might be prolonged at least until summer, but a sudden change for the worse three weeks ago, banished all hope, and death came at last "as a thief in the night." Great sympathy is felt for Mr. Moore and his family, and expressions of sorrow are heard on every hand. The funeral, which was held on Sunday afternoon, was the largest seen in Orillia for many years. The floral offerings placed around the casket, were numerous and beautiful, evidencing the loving esteem in which the deceased young lady was held by the community. The Church of the Angels Guardian was crowded as the remains were carried to the altar for the last sad ries prior to burial. Miss Madden sang the beautiful solo, "Angels Ever Bright and Fair," by special request of the deceased made some days previous to her death, and Father Duffy made a very touching address to the assembled multitude, taking for his theme the certain fact that "all men must die." The casket was borne to the grave by the following friends of the deceased: Messrs, W. T. Lee, Jas. Mullen and Jas. McCabe, of Toronto, and A. L. Vick, W. H.

Fox, W. C. Kennedy, Teefy Mulcahy, and Bert Hatley, of Orillia.

Miss Moore was a graduate of Loretto Abbey, Toronto, and on three occasions was awarded gold medals—for charity in conversation, singing and fine arts. She was the possessor of rare musical talents. As a vocalist she ranked among the highest, and after procuring the gold medal in 1892 she studied with Mr. E. W. Schuch, Toronto, until obliged to discontinue, and see if a change of climate would benefit her. But, alas! God ordained otherwise, and took her to Himself on the first Friday of March, the feast of the Holy Crown.

May her soul rest in peace!

Muston—57.50 to 85.50 to 87.50 to 88.50 to 87.60 to 81.60 per cwt.

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DIOCESE OF HAMILTON

Reverend Mother Patricia, Superioress of Loretto convent, Hamilton, died on Sunday evening, March 28, after an illness of three months. The tuneral will take place on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock to Holy Sepulchre cemetery, Hamilton. The news of her death will bring tears of heartfelt sorrow to the eyes of her many friends throughout Ontario. Her obituary notice will appear next week.

MISSION AT ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL.

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On Sunday morning, the 28th, a mission conducted by Rev. Fathers O Brien, O'Sullivan and Murphy, members of the Society of Jesus from Montreal and New York, began a mission to the people of the cathedral parish. Eloquent addresses were delivered by Fathers O'Brien and O'Sullivan at the Masses Sunday morning. In the afternoon Father O'Sulivan addressed the ladies of the parish. In the evening Father O'Brien lectured for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid Society. Hundreds had to go away, as the large edifice was so crowded that they could not gain admission. All this week the mission will be for the benefit of the ladies of the parish and next week the instruction will be for the men.

LECTURE ON THE INQUISITION.

for the men.

LECTURE ON THE INQUISITION.

The third of the series of lectures given under the auspices of St. Patrick's Literary Society was held last evening in Andrews' Hall, and was largely attended. President W. T. Griffin occupied the chair. Rev. Father Craven, Honorary President of the society, and Mr. E. J. Mahony, President of the Sahfleet Literary Society, were also present. After the first part of the programme was concluded, the chairman introduced the lecturer of the evening, Rev. Father Burke, of Oakville, who chose for his subject, "The Spanish Inquisition." He told what caused the passage thereof and gave both sides of the argument, tracing it in a very able and interesting manner through the different centuries until the time of its withdrawal, and in concluding touched upon the question of national arbitration by which all countries can settle their disputes. The rest of the programme for the evening was: Song, M. F. O'Brien; song, Miss Fee; selection, Glee Club, under the leadership of Jas. F. Morrissey; song, Miss Hanley; song, Jae. A. Cox; selection, Glee Club. Miss O'Brien and Jas. F. Morrissey played the accompaniments. LECTURE ON THE INQUISITION.

Type-Writers.

Attention is drawn to the advertisement of Creelman Bros. Typewriter Co., in another column. Mr. Seitz, the manager of the firm, is well known among Catholic people, having been prominently identified with different societies in Hamilton for many years. Anyone desirous of getting a typewriter of any make at a very reasonable price should communicate with Mr. Seitz.

Hoffman's Catholic Directory.

Owing to many difficulties the publication of the above named Directory for 1897 has been delayed. It can, however, now be had from M. H. Wiltizius and Co., 429 431 East Water street, Milwaukee, Wir. This year's Directory is, we are pleased to say, characterized by the same thoroughness it possessed when published by the Hoffmann Bros.

A city subscriber has sent to this office a A city subscriber has sent to this omee a sum of money, but forgot to give name and particulars. Will the party please call, and explain, so that credit may be given.

A bad conscience is always fearful and un easy.—The Imitation.

Sweetly wilt thou take thy rest, if thy heart reprehend thee not. (Prov. iii., 24.)

MARKET REPORTS.

London, April 1. — Wheat, 72 to 73c. per bushel. Oats, 17 to 20 2 5 per bush. Peas, 36 to 15c per bush. Barley, 19 1 5 to 31 1-5 per bushel. Buckwheat, 14 1-5 to 26 2-5c per bush. Rye, 28 to 30 4-5c per bush. Clover seed (red) 186 to 15c per bush. Barley, 19 1 5 to 31 1-5 per bushel. Buckwheat, 141-5 to 26 2-5c per bush. Rye. 28 to 30 4 5c per bush. Corn, 22 5 to 33 3 5c. per bush. Clover seed (red) 22 5 to 35 3 5c. per bush. Clover seed (red) 22 5 to 35 3 5c. per bush. Clover seed (red) 22 5 to 35 3 5c. per bush. Wholesale, and read at 85 50 per bush. Alsike clover, 84,00 to 81,50 per bush. Timothy, 81,75 to 82,00 per bush. The meat market was largely composed of veal, and this sold at 44 to 5 cents a pound by the carcass. Lamb. 8 to 9 cents a pound by the carcass. Lamb. 8 to 9 cents a pound by the carcass. Beef, 81 50 to 85,00 per cwt. Dressed hogs ranged from 8 to 10 cents a pound. Fowls were in good demand, at 50 to 75 cents a pair. Roll butter could be bought for 16 to 18 cents a pound by the basket. Rygs were casy, at 91 to 10 cents a dozen. A large number of apples came forward, and prices varied from 5 to 90 cents a barrel. Potatos, 30 to 35 cents a bag. Cabbages sold at 39 cents per dozen. Parsnips, 40 cents a bag. Hay, 86,50 to 87,50 per ton. A few mileh cow sold at 830 to 840. TORONTO.

Toronto, April 1.— Wheat. white, 77c.; wheat. red, 710;; wheat. goose, 62) to 35c; barley, 29 to 30c; oats, 22 to 33c; peas, 42c.; rye. 30 to 32c, buckwheat, 29 to 32c; turkeys, per 1b., 11 to 12c.; ducks, per pair, 40 to 80c; chickens, per pair, 30 to 50c; geese, per 1b., 8 to 90c; butter, in 1b. rolls, 15 to 16c; eggs, new laid, 11 to 12c.; petatose, per bag, 25 to 30c.; apples, per bag, 81.25; hay, timothy, \$11.00 to 13.00; straw. sheaf, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw, sheaf, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw had, and how the shear, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw, sheaf, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw had, sheaf, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw had, sheaf, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw had, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw had, \$7.00 to \$8.00; straw had, \$7.00 to \$8.00

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PORT HURON.

Port Huron. Mich., April 1.—Grain—Wheat, per bush., 81 to 83c; oats, per bush., 14 to 10c; corn, per bush., 20 to 22c; rye, per bush., 30 to 32c; buckwheat, 20 to 22c per bush. at ley, 45 to 50c per 100 lbs.; peas, 28 to 33c per

per ton in car lots; straw, \$3.00 to \$4.00 per ton ton yegetables and Fruits.—Potatoes, 15 to 90c, per bush, apples, green, 15 to 25c per bush, dried, 3 to se per pound.

Dressed Meats.—Beef, Michigan, \$5.00 to \$3.50 per cwt. Live weight, \$2.50 to \$3.50 per cwt.; Chicago, \$5.00 to \$7.00 per cwt.

Pork—Light, \$4.50 to \$4.75, no sale. Live weight, \$5.25 to \$3.50 per cwt.

Mutton—\$7.50 to \$8.50 per cwt.

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Veal, \$6 to \$6.50 per cwt.; choice, \$7.00.

Poultry—Chickens, \$5.00 to per pound; alive, 6 to 76 per lb.; turkeys, 13t to 14c per pound; pigeons, 15c per pair, alive; ducks, 12h per pound; geese, \$6.00 per pound.

Hides and Tallow—Beef bides, No. 1, 650 7c per lb.; twins, No. 1, 8c per lb.; No. 2, 5t 6c, per lb. for green; calf skins, No. 1, 8c per lb.; No. 2, 5t 6c, per lb. for green; calf skins, No. 1, 8c per lb.; No. 2, 5t 6c, per lb.; shearilugs, 15t 0 20c each; lamb skins, 30 to 80 cents each.

Tallow—23 to 8c per lb.

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Toronto, April 1. — Shipping cattle — Thera was one sale of seven five animals at \$4 00 per 100 pounds, but this was the only sale at all out of the common; prices ranged from \$3 to be and sometimes \$4 per pound.

There was a sharp trade done in butcher cattle at firm prices. Good stuff sold around be per pound; very choice lots were several times figured out at \$1 per animal selections \$5 was reported as paid. Still there was not any all quotatable advance, though prices for good stuff are very firm. Inferior sold at \$2 to \$3 per pound.

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Good stock netters soid this morning at trem 3 to 3je per pound.
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Hogs continue firm at 5je for the very best offen hogs. Sows sell at 3j to 3je. All kinds are wanted.

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East Buffalo, N. Y. April 1.—Cattlecars on sale: mostly held for Monday's n
Sheep and lambs —14 cars on sale;
active and higher, and all sold early;
mixed sheep, 44.75 to 84.90; prime to
lambs, 99 to 95 pounds, 55.90 to 86.15;
good, 85.35 to 85.75; clipped lambs, 85
Hogs—15 cars on sale; active and highe good, \$5.35 to \$5.75; clipped lambs, \$5 to Hogs—15 cars on sale; a "tive and higher; of choice weights sold at \$4.32; to \$4.35, closing sales of good York weights at \$9 pigs, \$4 to \$4.19; roughs sold mostly at \$8.25 to \$3.50, and stags, \$3.25 to \$3.50.

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Who ravaged for gain, a
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And millions of captives

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