Official Notice. Grand Secretary's Office,

London, June 25th, 1888. To the Members of the C. M. B. A., Canada BROTHERS:—You are hereby officially motified that the next convention of the Grand Council of Canada of the Catholic

Grand Council of Canada of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association will be held in the city of Toronto, Ont., commencing on the second Tuerday of August, 14th, 1888, at nine o'clock a. m.

Railway certificates for reduced fares to the Convention have been sent to all our Grand Council officers and Branch Representations. sentatives. On said certificates instruc-

Officers and representatives not having received their certificates before this date, July 31, will kind'y notify the Grand Secretary, and duplicates will be sent.

Yours fraternally, D. J. O'CONNOR, Grand President, SAMUEL R. BROWN, Grand Secretary.

Officers and representatives to the Grand Council Convention, Toronto, are requested by the Grand Secretary to bring their C. M. B. A. constitutions with

Assessment No. 10 was issued on August Ard. It calls for the payment of ten ben-eficiaries—five in New York, two in Pennsylvania, one in Michigan, one in West Virginia and one in Canada.

New Branch. Branch No. 82 was organized at Kings-bridge, Oat., on July 31st, by M. Corrigan, Eeq, C M. B. A. Deputy. It starts with fourteen members. The following is the

list of officers: Spiritual Adviser—Rev. B. Boubat President—Peter J. Neven
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Dalton, Donald Matheson, John O'Neil
and Peter Whitty.
Representative to Grand Council, Peter
J. Neven.

Windsor, August 2nd, 1888.
Received of J. M. Meloche, Recording
Secretary of Branch No. 1 of the Catholic
Mutual Benefit Association, two thousand
dollars, in full for beneficiary due Mary
Beuglet by eald association on the death
of her husband, Henry Beuglet, late a
member of said Branch.
Witnesses C. Benelet, H. C. Glaser, ir.

Witnesses, C. Beuglet, H. C. Glaser, jr.

Resolutions of Condolence. At the last regular meeting of St. Mary's Branch, No. 54, C. M. B. A, the following resolutions of condolence were presented to Bro. R. Byrne, on the sad loss he has sustained by the accidental death of his con. That

loss he has sustained by the accidental death of his son. That
Whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death the son of our worthy and esteemed Chancellor, R. Byrne, be it
Resolved, That we, the members of Branch 54, do hereby tender our sincere and heartfelt sympathies to Bro. Byrne and his family in this, their hour of trouble, and trust that they will find controuble. trouble, and trust that they will find con solation in Him who willeth all thirgs

Be it further
Resolved, That a copy of these resolu tions be presented to Bro. Byrne and family, and also to the efficial organs of this association and to the Montreal Evening Post for publication.

Eugene, our sincere and heartfelt sym pathy in his extremely sad breavement. Be it further resolved, That a copy of Rev. Dr. L. Furcken, Berlin, and also inserted in the CATHOLIC RECORD, the C. M. B. A. Monthly and the Berlin

JOHN NALL, Pres. P. E. HERRES, Sec.

FROM BRANTFORD,

CONDOLENCE.

At the regular meeting of the Separate School Board this week the following resolution, in reference to the death of Mr. Kelleher, was unanimously adopted, on motion of Mr Wm. Fleming, seconded

Whereas the members of this Board have heard with sincere sorrow of the death of Mr. P. D. Kelleher, who has taught in this school for upwards of six

Resolved-that this Board desire to place upon record their sense of loss at the re moval of one who has always been earnest and devoted in the discharge of his duties; believing that his love for his profession, and arder for the welfare of his pupils, made him at times forgetful of his health and tended in some measure to hasten his

early death. Resolved-that this Branch offer their sincere sympathy to his widowed mother and the other members of her family in

Resolved-that copies of this resolution be forwarded to his mother and to the city papers and CATHOLIC RECORD for publication.

THERE are 10,000 Catholic Churches in the United States, and new ones are constantly being erected. Special to the CATHOLIC RECORD. ST. JOHN, N. B.

Brother Joseph, who was principal of the schools in St. Peter's Hall, Portland, the schools in St. Peter's Hall, Portland, in 1872, arrived here on July 17th, from St. Catharines, Ontario, where he had been teaching for the last nine years. He received a hearty greeting from many of his former pupils, who were delighted to meet the preceptor of their early days. In the evening a complimentary dinner was given in his honor at Washington's dining rooms. Mr. John McGowan precided, with the guest of the evening on his right and J. L. Carleton, Esq., on his left. Mr. Timothy O'Brien occupied the vice-chair, and was supported by Messrs. D J Doherty and J. J. Power. The chairman, who discharged his duties admirably, in an appropriate speech proposed the leading toast. Brother Joseph suitably replied, and said he was glad to meet so many of his former pupils. After this there were songs by he was glad to meet so many of his former pupils. After this there were songs by Messrs. A. T. Moore, C. J. Tomney, J. McGrath and H. Campbell; recitations by Messrs. R. Connor and J. L. Carleton; reading by J. Mahoney; and speeches by Messrs. R. J. Walsh, D. J. Gleeson, Wm. Ferrie, T. Connor, T. Broanahan, P. Marry, Chas. McCarthy, James Quinn, Philip Granran, Flor. McCarthy, J. F. Gleeson, H. Doherty, J. H. McHugh, Jas. McMonagle, T. M. Ryan and others. At a late hour the assembly broke up after a late hour the assembly broke up after having spent a most erj.yable evening. The following morning Brother Joseph left for New York and sailed from there

left for New York and sailed from there for Paris on July 21st.

Mr. F. W. Walsh, M. D., formerly of Portland, but now enjoying an excellent practice at Rockville, Connecticut, is spending his holidays in the Province.

The picnic at St. Stephen, July 25th, was largely attended There were excursion trains from St. George, St. Andrews and this city. Father Dollard has charge of the parish, and as he was formerly stationed here, a large party went down to St. Stephen.

PORT LAMBTON.

The annual picnic held in McDonald's Grove at Port Lambton on Wednesday of last week under the auspices of the Roman Catholic Church of that place was very successful. The crowd was not so large as might have been expected, when the fine weather and the well known reputation for excellence enjoyed by picnic of past years held under the sam of past years held under the same auspices, are considered. The genial parish priest, Rev. Father D'xon, and his parishoners, made every effort to make the occasion an erjoyable one for those present, and their efforts were eminently successful. A splendid programme of sports and amusements had been provided. A very exciting and interesting game of base ball for a cash prize of 84 was played between the Junior club of Wallaceburg and the Junior club of Port Lambton, and was won by the Wallaceburg club. The was won by the Wallaceburg club. The Rev. Fathers Williams, of Contham; Ronan, of Wallaceburg; McKeon, of Bothwell; McGee, of Corunna, and Villeneuve, of Pain Court, were among the visitors present. In the contest between Messrs. Dan Goodwin and James Beattle, two of the most popular young men of the Port for a beautiful little model of a steamship, Mr. Beattle obtained 282 votes, and Mr. Goodwin, 198. Miss Anna McDonald, of Marine City, was a lucky winner of the handsome and valuable set

AN EMINENT PHYSICIAN.

EDITOR CATHOLIC RECORD .- DEAR SIR,

of dishes. - Samia Observer.

As a contant reader of your most excel-lent and truly Christian paper, I perceive you take a deep interest in all things Catholic, particularly our rising young men of genius and culture, of which class the Mailer, seconded by Bro. D. J. Bruxer, and carried unamimouely: That

Whereas, Almighty God, in His infinite wiedom, has been pleased to remove from the midst of our congregation Rev. Father Eugene Funcken, C. R, the good shepherd who had been in our midst the last thirty-two years, who departed this life on the 18th day of July last,

Therefore, be it resolved, That we, the members of Branch No 55, of the C. M. B. A., do hereby signify our deepest feeling of sorrow, and extend to Rev. Dr. Funcken, brother of the suggest of the control of the suggest of the control of t In 1887, when he graduated, he took the highest honors offered to indomitable perseverance in the acquisition of that vast range of knowledge which insures preficiency; and, despite all rivary, he bore the gold medal away in triumph, together with numerous special prizes, leaving behind a brilliant record worthy the emulation of future students. Coming home to Irishtown, his native parish, he formed a partnership with that popular and able man, Dr. Mackid, who, though young in years, is old in professional practice, and who, though hestood at the head of ble weekers. of his profession, yet cultivated the laudable ambition to soar still higher and obtain more knowledge in the healing art, that he might the more effectually aid in alleviating the ills of humanity. He discovered that he could leave his numerous patients and patrons generally to the care of Dr. Evans, without prejudice to their interests, while he proceeded to study for a year under the great masters of Germany, where are situated the best of European schools of medicine. Dr. Evans assumed the large practice of Dr. Mackid and gave universal satisfaction, astonishing all with the depth of his knowledge. Nature does not reveal her secrets to the superficial observer, and it needs great acuteness to foretell her designs, but it would seem Dr. Evans is adapted by nature for his calling, for his diagnosis and prognosis of every one of he numerous grave cases he has treated

ablest man in the county; but it is a subject of regret that the county has lost his services. for when Dr. Mackid returned services. for when Dr. Mackid returned from Europe, a few weeks since, Dr. Evans handed over to him his old practice, and sought a fieldjof labor elsewhere, locating himself in Lucrosse, Wisconsin, followed by the gratitude of his former patients, and the warmest feelings of respectful deference, by a vast number of admiring friends, who wish him all that success that is due to talent an integrity.

Sub criber
Seaforth, Aug. 7, 1888.

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NEW BOOKS.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL COMPANION .-This is the title of a new and extremely useful volume brought out by the publishing house of Messrs. Benziger Bros., New York, and sold retail at 25 cents. It contains the Catechism; Devotions and Prayers for Church, School and Home; Hymns; and simple music for mass and other solemnities. A work of this kind was much needed, and a glance over its pages serves to convince us it will, as it ought to have, a large sale amongst those who have charge of Catholic youth.

LOURDES, ITS INHABITANTS, ITS PIL-GRIMS AND ITS MIRACLES—This beauti-fully printed and neatly bound volume is also issued from the above named house. The author is Rev. Richard F. Clarke, S J. There is likewise given an account of the apparition at the grotto, and a sketch of Bernadette's subsequent history. It is handsomely illustrated with pictures of the Grotto of Lourdes, the Church of Notre Dame de Lourdes, as seen from the town, the interior of the Churco, Berna dette Soubirous at the age of fourteen, and the Caurch of Notre Dame de Lourdes. The work is both interesting and instruc-tive in the highest degree. The price is only 75 cents.

CATHOLIC PRESS.

Boston Pilot.

According to the recently published life of Buckshot Forsier, that worthy predecessor of Balfour enjoyed the favor of his overeign to as great a degree almost as the murderer of Mandeville does. Her Mijsty was deeply moved on hearing of his death, but she reserves her fondest ad-miration for the minister who, instead of dying himself, has made her disagreeable subjects die.

The people of Mitcheltsown, County Cork, have started a fund for the memorial which Ireland will build to the mar-tyred patriot, John Mandeville. A num-English public associations have signified their intention to contribute to the work. Among the bodies which have passed resolutions of sympathy with Mrs. Mandeville, are the Cambridge Liberal Association, the Cam bridge Women's Liberal Association, the Wood Green Liberal Club, London, and the Protestant Home Rule Association of Dublin. The Cambridge Liberals signifi-cantly declare that the fate of John Mandeville "will serve as an additional incentive to all true Liberals to strive more ardently than ever in the cause of Irish Home Rule."

How our Puritan and British contem. poraries would be shocked if the recent Republican National Convention were a Republican National Convention were a meeting, say, to nominate a President of Ireland, or even, if it were a Democratic Convention. If T. P. O Connor had shouted "Foul liar!" at Michael Davitt as Mahone did at Wise, and if the banners of Meath were assailed by the men of Galway as the Blaine and Gresham mobs attacked each other, what "a disgrace to civilization" it would be, and what an argument in favor of Ecclered.

Wonderfully vigorous and spring-like. The late Mr. Motteith, of Carstairs, once said to me: "In Scotland there are a few Catho te grandees and a few thousand very poor Catholics; yet there is, somehow, a vitality about Scotch Catholicism which I benefit and Gresham mobs attacked each other, what "a disgrace to civilization" it would be, and what an argument in favor of Ecclered. what an argument in favor of England reinvading and "governing with a strong

This is awkward enough for the Govern-ment, but what do they think of Baron Dowse's renewed onslaught on the resi-dent magistrates? He actually said that it was so rare to find a "remov-able" who understood his business that such a curlosity ought to be sent to the British Museum! And the Lord Chief Baron made the matter much worse by suggesting that the magistrate were in the habit of consulting the Ex-ecutive authorities before they prepared a case. Who is discrediting the ad istration of the law in Ireland now? Mr. Balfour's great point was that the magis trates might have made a mistake in one islated case; but here are two judges declaring every other day that th istrates are always wrong, and that they are grossly incompetent.

Colorado Catholic Periodically an epidemic of anti-Catholic zeal breaks out in this country. and just at this moment it has taken hold of eastern ministers and fanatic Having built up for themselves the monster of Rome with claws and teeth fixed upon American liberty and American institutions, they proceed to violent oration and contortion. This is too bad. We Catholics were just getting along nicely and were in hopes that we might be permitted to stay in this country. But if our good friends insist upon us leaving immediately, why we

suppose we must go. Au revoir. A certain foolish devotee of science

the latter it is the power of virtue and the means to save his soul.

Colorado Catholic Colorado Catholic.

Next to the Blessed Virgin in height of prerogative is St. John the Baptist, whose feast the Church celebrated June 24th. Although, unlike the Mother of God, he was conceived in sin, he was like her in this, that he was born free from original sin. Humble and mortified, he was full of zeal for the truth. A voice in the wilderness he was unworthy to unite the wilderness, he was unworthy to untie the latchets of the Master; and yet when the latchets of the Master; and yet when the occasion came he braved the sinful monarch to his face, fearlessly denouncing crime in the high places. What a glorious contrast to the time-serving man! What a refreshing exhibition of nobility of character! Here, indeed, was immaculate, uncompromising religion. St. John the Bapitet would not tolerate the spirit that imbuss the so called liberal spirit that imbues the so called liberal Catholic. For him to die for the truth Catholic. For nim to die for the train was a glorious duty. Many lessons are taught by the life of the blessed precursor, but none more important than those of humility, mortification and courage. of numity, mortineation and courage. And perhaps the lesson of mortification should-speak with a peculiar force to the intemperate man, for of temperance societies the saint is the special patron. But for all the life of the saint is full of

instruction.

N. Y. Catholic Review. The High Church, Ritualistic wing of the Euglish Establishment, resolutely deny that their Church is a State Church, deny that their Church is a State Church, or that the reigning Severeign has any authority in spirituals. Yet every Bishop of the Eiglish Church is obliged to subscribe to the following oath: "I — Doctor in Divinity, now elected, confirmed and consecrated Bishop of —, do hereby declare that your Majesty is the ouly supreme governor of this your realm, in spiritual and ecclesiastical things, as well as in temporal, and that no foreign prelate or potentate has any jurisdiction within this realm; and I acknowledge that I hold the said bishopric, as well the spiritualties as the temporalities increof, only of your Majesty, and for the same temporalities I do my homage presently to your Majesty. and for the same temporalities I do my homage presently to your Majesty. So help me God. God Save Queen Victoria." If that is not an express acknowledgment of subjection to the

acknowledgment of subjection to the temporal power, we know not what is We presume, however, these "non natural ecclesiastics put the same inter pretation upon this oath that they do upon the anti-Catholic language of the XXXIX Articles.

From Scotland it is pleasant to hear that within the last fifty years no less than sixty churches have been dedicated to God in honor of Our Lady alone. Considering how poor Scotch Catholics are, this announcement can not fail to be surprising. We all know that St Margaret—like Bruce, David, Wallace, Gavin Dunbar—was a devout client of the Mother of God; and that in the old Catholic days, before the dry bones of Presbyterianism usurped the place of chivalrous terianism usurped the place of chivalrou Scottish Catholicity, the temporal, like the spiritual, life of Scotland was very different from what it is now. There were no heartless poor laws in old times. Meirose, Jedburgh, Dryburgh, like Roslyn, Steton, and Holyrood—all tell us what Catholicity was. But the new life of Catholicity in Scotland is wooderfully reference. wonderfully vigorous and spring like. The late Mr. Monteith, of Carstairs, once said to

FROM ALMONTE.

Mr. P. J Dowdall, our clever and popular young Catholic barrister, has just returned home from the far North West, after having spent three weeks on a trip of business and pleasure combined. It is a pleasure to all Catholics to know that our young friend's business is increasing rapidly and that his sphere extends not only to the limits of the Province of Ontario but to those of

the other provinces as well.

His abilities as an orator are so well known over the Province that I need not here allude to them, but suffice to say that more than once the readers of the CATHOLIC RECORD have been charmed by his words of eloquence and advice. He is a staunch Catholic and has always shown himself ready to lend a helping hand in any matter which he thought would be for the welfare of the parish and the Catholic religion in

Let us hope that he may be long spared to reap the benefit which he so richly deserves and that in the near future we will have the pleasure o classing him among the foremost mer

that Almonte has produced.

Mr. P. C. Dowdall, druggist of this town, returned home last week, after spending a couple of weeks at Montreal, Old Orchard Beach and other places of interest. He was feeling unwell before leaving, but we are gratified to know he nas returned home with a ruddy glow on his cheeks.

During the recent visit of the venerable and pious Father Malloy, of Ottawa, to our parish, he spoke of the Father Mathew Temperance Association in glowing terms and was pleased to know that such an institution

as this was in our midst.

He also spoke of those deserving institutions over which he so ably and worthily presides at Ottawa, and at both morning and evening services delivered eloquent and instructive sermons. Father Mailoy's voice has long since become familiar to vote has long since become tailliar to the parishioners of St. Mary's, and his face is ever welcome in the pulpit of our church. This saintly priest, though enfeebled by age, retains those vocal and mental qualities which in times past enabled him to stir the innermost feelthe numerous grave cases he has treated for more than a year has proved correct, reflecting much credit on his unerring judgment, his strictly temperate habits, his unquestioned moral rectitude and his unusually large measure of human sympathies. These noble qualities, so essential for a physician, have endeared him to, and inspired confidence in, all with whom he comes in contact.

While the writer was in conversation the other day with an M D. of good standing, he told me Dr. Evans was by far the

ularity in this section. We may also add that one of his latest and best productions was the splendid article describing the pastoral visitation of His Grace Archbishop Duhamel, which won the encomiums of all Catholic readers of the Gazette, In concluding this item, we may add a word of praise for the proprietors of the Gazette, whose sense of fair play leads them to treat their numerous Catholic readers in the same manner as those outside of the

the same manner as those outside of the Catholic fold.

Catholic fold.

A SUNDAY WITHOUT MASS.

Owing to the absence of our esteemed pastor, Rev. Father Foley, who was obliged, like all the other priests of the obliged, like all the other priests of the Archdicese, to attend the annual retreat at Ottawa, and afterwards the Synod called for the purpose of framing rules and regulations for the archdiocese, which occupied their time from Tuesday of last week until the following Tuesday, we had no mass in St. Mary's church on Sunday last This was something new for the Catholics of Almonte, and under the circumstances a striking proof of their sincerity and devostriking proof of their sincerity and devo-tion to the faith of St. Peter was found in the fact that, being unable to assist at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, they repeated he beads at the hour when Mass was being offered up throughout the Catholic



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GREAT MANIFESTATION IN EDIN-

BURGH. Mr. Wm. O'Brien on the Tullamore

Tragedy. United Ireland, July 28. At Edinburgh, on Saturday, a magnificent demonstration, the extent of which has been variously estimated at from 25, 000 to 30,000 people, took place in the Queen's Park, under the auspices of the Etinburgh United Liberal Committees to John Dillon. Four platforms were erected and the four members for Edinburgh pre-sided at them—Right Hon. Hugh C. E. Childers, M. P.; Mr. William McEwan, M. P.; Mr. Robt. Wallace, M. P.; and Mr. T. R. Buchsnan, M. P. Mr. William O'Brien, M. P., arrived at Elinburgh in the afternoon. Mr. Wilfrid S. Blunt, also addressed three of the meetings. Two other members of Parliament who have wrested Libersi Unionist seats from their holders were present—Mr. A. L. Brown, M. P., who defeated Sir George Trevelyan for the Border Burghs; and Mr. John Sin clair, M. P., who recently beat Mr. Evelyn and the four members for Edinburgh pre

clair, M. P., who recently beat Mr, Evelyn Ashley for Ayr. At all the meetings the following resolution was proposed and carried by acclamation:— "That this meeting earnestly protests against the cruel and vindictive administration of the Coercion Act in Ireland, by which many of the representatives of the people have been imprisoned and subjected to indignities and outrages, so that respect for law has been lessened

and popular feeling wontonly embittered and exasperated. This meeting also indignantly protests against the imprisonment of Mr. John Dillon, M. P., effected by the mean subterfu; 1 of processing the country of Louth after he caiming the county of Louth, after he had delivered a political speech, and so procuring a conviction which could not otherwise have been obtained. Further, this meeting calls upon the Government to liberate Mr. Dilton forthwith from his unjust imprisonment; to repeal the obnexious Overcion Act, and to devise wise and conciliatory measures for the better government of Ireland; and resolved

to petition Parliament praying for Mr.
Dillon's immediate liberation."

At No. 1 platform, Mr. T. R. Buchanaa, At No. 1 platform, Mr. T. R. Buchanaa, M. P., presided, Baille Walcot proposed the resolution, which was seconded by Conneillor M'Intosh, Messrs. W. S. Blunt, A. L. Brown, M. P.; T. Carmichael, S. S. C.; Owen Kiernan, T. G. Holborn, and J. W. Grilland also spoke.

At No. 2 platform, Mr. Wm. M'Ewan, M. P., took the chair.

The Chairman said they had met to give expression to the indignation they telt because John Dillon, whom they knew and loved, bad been most unjustly condemned, and was suffering a felon's punishment for no crime known to the law of England and Soutland, or even to the law of Ireland, under the Coercion Act. The Government had accomp ished its evil purpose by no law, but by the retting aside of all law (bear, hear) If the object of the Government had been to impress upon the minds of the British people the horrible tyranny of their rule, they could not have done it more effectively than by their action towards John Dillon. What was the opinion which the people of the Three Kingdoms had formed of John Dillon's character and motives? They regarded him as one of the noblest of the Irish race, a high minded patriot, consumed with love and sympathy for his downtrodden countrymen, and capable of the most heroic sacrifice on their behalf (applause)

A VICTIM OF COERCION.

Councillor M'Pherson, in proposing the resolution, said six months ago he had the honour of dining with John Mandeville, who was then the personification of health and strength, and to-day he was dead, the the victim of the Government (hear, hear). The terrible tragedy which occurred at Fermoy cast a lurid light on the operations of the Tory Government.

Mr. C. Yorston seconded the resolution.

MR. O'BRIEN'S SPEECH.
Mr. William O'Brien, M. P., on rising to speak, was received with such thunders of applause as for a few minutes to inof applause as for a few minutes to in-terrupt the proceedings of the other meet ings, though the speaker at each platform was usually out of hearing of the speaker at any other. Mr. O'Brien said—This is the first time I ever in my life addressed a Scotch audience (cheers), and my first words to you must be words of gratitude and amazement at the way in which you have been pleased to welcome me—an humble representative of the Irish people (cheers)—to welcome me to this, your beautiful capital of Old Scotland (cheers). Believe me, I don't come here to day to pay you empty compliments But it is to me a duty as well as a heartfelt delight to be able to tell you that there is no more sincere feeling animating the breasts of the Irish race to-day than

A FEELING OF GRATITUDE TO THE WHOLE SCOTTISH NATION (cheers) for the steadfastness, for the grand and unchanging fidelity with which the people of Scotland have stuck to us a