

C. M. B. A.

SYMPATHY OF BRANCH 1, QUE. C.

To the family of the late Edward McCall:—Dear Friends,—The secretary of Branch No. 1 is authorized to earnestly assure you that it was with regret indeed that they learned of the death of their late esteemed brother, Edward McCall, and that as the sad news still continues to reach others of our members for the first time, they, too, are equally pained, and they all now desire their secretary to convey to you the sincere sympathy of the whole Branch in your sad bereavement. And in doing so, we humbly pray that God, in His infinite wisdom, has called home to Himself our late comrade, at this joyous season, only to grant him a more happy Christmas in heaven than this earth could possibly afford him. Again, we pray that God may be pleased to bless you all with strength and patience to bear up in your sad affliction, and with Christian fortitude to humbly submit to His divine will. We sincerely hope that our little tribute of condolence may serve, in some measure, to assist in giving you consolation in your great sorrow. The charter of our Branch will be draped in mourning for the space of thirty days, in memory of our late brother. We now together exclaim:—

Good-bye brother, farewell,
Your demise gives us pain;
May your soul in glory dwell,
And death be to you a gain.

"Eternal rest grant to him, O Lord!
And let perpetual light shine on him."

Respectfully and fraternally yours,
F. C. LAWLOB, Secretary.

ST. ANTHONY'S BRANCH, NO. 50.

At the last regular meeting of this branch the following officers were installed by Chancellor T. P. Tansey, assisted by Chancellor P. Doyle:—

President, T. J. O'Neill; 1st vice, F. Langan; 2nd vice, M. Polan; recording secretary, F. McCabe; assistant recording secretary, L. N. Charlebois; financial secretary, W. P. Doyle; treasurer, M. Neher; marshal, P. Sheehan; guard, P. Keogh. Trustees—H. Brady and W. Smith.

Complimentary addresses were delivered by Chancellor T. P. Tansey and Chancellor P. Doyle.

After the installation, the president called upon the officers and members to help in spreading the organization, which was doing so much good, and urged upon the members the necessity of attending the meetings as much as possible, as this was the only way in which a proper interest could be taken and with continued efforts of officers and members the branch should have a large membership in such a prosperous parish as St. Anthony's.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS AT SMITH'S FALLS, ONT.

The following is a list of the officers elected, for 1895, in Branch 81, C. M. B. A., Smith's Falls:—Spiritual adviser, Rev. M. J. Stanton, P.P.; chancellor, John Meagher; president, Dan. Halpin; first vice president, John Malloy; second vice president, D. F. Woods; recording secretary, P. Delaney; asst. secretary, Wm. Edgeworth; financial secretary, Thos. Cushing; treasurer, Jas. Rielly; marshal, P. McNulty; guard, Lewis Bennett; board of trustees, J. Meagher, Wm. Edgeworth, Maurice Ready; elected for two years, M. Ryan, Thomas Salmon.

CHURCH APPOINTMENTS.

His Grace Archbishop Fabre has just made the following appointments: Vice-Chancellor M. Cousineau becomes Titular Canon at the Cathedral; Rev. Abbe Nantel, superior of the Ste. Therese seminary, and Rev. Abbe F. X. Leclaire, of the St. Jean de Dieu asylum, are appointed honorary canons at the Cathedral; the Rev. Abbes Perron and Dauth have received the title of chaplains.

ST. GABRIEL'S.

The basement of St. Gabriel's new church was opened on Sunday last, Jan. 6th. In the morning High Mass was celebrated, and in the evening there was a grand celebration of the 22nd anniversary of St. Gabriel's T. A. and B. Society. There were present delegates from the various sister societies. An eloquent sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Ahul of New Jersey. Benediction was given by the Rev. Father Bancart, C.S.B., parish priest of St. Ann's.

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ENGLISH POLITICS.

RUMORS AND DENIALS OF RUMORS.

London, Jan. 7.—The Pall Mall Gazette publishes a rumor to the effect that Sir William Harcourt, Chancellor of the Exchequer and Liberal leader in the House of Commons, has resigned, and that a dissolution of parliament is imminent. It is believed, however, that this report is based on the fact that the Postmaster-General, Mr. Arnold Morley, and the President of the Local Government Board, Mr. Shaw-Lefevre, both of whom are Cabinet Ministers, have been summoned from Monte Carlo, where they had just arrived, in order to attend a cabinet council, which is to be held here on Thursday next.

THE REPORT DENIED.

The Westminster Gazette authoritatively denies the Pall Mall Gazette's report that Sir William Harcourt has resigned, and states that no question has arisen which could lend the slightest color to the rumor. The Press Association is now informed, officially, that there is no foundation whatever for the report that Sir William Harcourt has resigned, or that a dissolution of parliament is imminent. The cabinet council which has been called for Thursday has no reference to any such contingency, nor has Lord Rosebery's visit to the Queen this afternoon any bearing on the subject. It is the intention of the Government to proceed steadily with legislative work during the coming session.

HOME RULE.

A SIGNIFICANT LEADER BY THE LONDON DAILY NEWS.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—The London Daily News, the organ of the Rosebery Government, has an important leader on the prospects of Home Rule.

"Ireland," says this doubtless politically inspired writer, "must occupy an important place in the coming session. Ireland has hitherto got nothing from the Parliament of 1892. The Liberal party is bound by every consideration of honor and justice to uphold the Irish policy of Mr. Gladstone; but, indeed, duty and expediency point the same way."

"Many who entered the House of Commons for the first time, two and a half years ago, coldly convinced by dry argument of the necessity for Irish Home Rule, have been turned by experience into home rulers of a type at once practical and enthusiastic. The idea that Home Rule means the dismemberment of the Empire has been abandoned to speakers and writers who have neither responsibility nor self-respect."

"The only questions left are how is it to be done, and who is to do it. The Irish Home Rule bill is at the stage where Parliamentary reform had reached after the rejection of Lord Russell's reform bill in 1866."

A priest who has just returned to Constantinople from Van, in Armenia, has told an interviewer that, notwithstanding every effort on his part, he has been unable to discover the cause of the recent massacre of Armenians. In his opinion the number of victims is at least

two thousand, and he believes the regular troops were the actual murderers and violators.

The Papal consistory it appears has been postponed until next March.

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—AND—

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E. F. E. ROY, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
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