

SATURDAY, JAN. 30, 1886.

We take the liberty of sending the NORTHWEST REVIEW to many of our friends to whom we hope it will be acceptable, and to all it will be delivered at the very reasonable cost of \$2.50 per year. The reading matter of the NORTHWEST REVIEW is selected with care, and every paragraph will be found interesting. It will compare favorably with weekly papers of the Northwest and we believe it deserves a warm support, especially among Catholics. We trust our friends will help to increase the circulation of the NORTHWEST REVIEW by sending in their names with the subscription fee mentioned, to the office, corner of McDermott and Arthur streets, Winnipeg.

AGENTS WANTED.

Agents wanted throughout Manitoba and the Northwest, to canvass for the NORTHWEST REVIEW, to whom a liberal commission will be given.

CHURCH NOTICES.

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Sundays—Masses at 7.00 8.30, and 10.30, a.m.; Vespers at 7.15 p. m. Catechism for perseverance at 2.30 p. m.

Week Days—Masses at 6.15 and 7.30 a. m.

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Situated in Point Douglass. Rev. Father Cherrier, rector.

Sundays—Masses at 8.30 and 10.30 a.m. Vespers at 4.00 p.m.

Week Days—Mass at 7 a.m.

CITY AND PROVINCIAL NEWS.

The Dominion Government has made provision for the immediate distribution of seed grain among the settlers in the neighborhood of Prince Albert Qu'Appelle is the centre of supply.

Mr Roper Goulet has been appointed sole commissioner to settle the undisposed half breed claims,

If the columns of the "Review" of this week are not as attractive and newsworthy as usual, our beloved readers will sympathize with the boys, for the boss has left on a trip east, and as he left the work in our charge, we done the best we could. It may be strange to learn of his departure but we imagine how it is, for when one half of him is here and the other half in the far east, we would naturally accept that it was his duty to get the two halves nearer together. We are sorry he left us but under the circumstances we regard it proper, and wish him a pleasant trip and a safe return. The boys will have a grand time while he can't see us.

M. AND N. W. T.

Regina, N. W. T., Jan. 27.—A large and influential meeting was held last night in the town hall to make arrangements for a public dinner to Lieut. Col. Irvine and the officers of the N. W. M. P. Harry Fisher, J. P., in the chair. A dinner will be given at an early date, and the following were appointed a committee to see the affair successfully carried out: the mayor and the council and Messrs. Hunter, Fisher, Dodd, Kerr, Scott and Gibbs. There will be a great meeting of Conservatives in the town hall on Saturday night.

Regina, Jan. 24th.—Messrs. Christophe and Reidie, agents for the thriving colony of New Alsace situated near Long Lake, about twenty-six miles north of Regina, have left for Hamburg, to bring out several hundred families from the fatherland in the spring. Several able and laudatory articles on the Canadian Northwest as a field for emigrants have appeared in German newspapers, and cannot fail to send a large number of industrious Germans to the fertile lands of the Territories. New Alsace will have Strasburg for its capital.

Macleod.—The stockmen here forwarded a petition to Ottawa containing the following clauses; Your petitioners further pray that a horse brand be devised and registered for each tribe of Indians in treaty 7 and that all the horses belonging to each tribe of Indians be branded therewith, and that any white man selling a horse to an Indian be required to deliver the same at the camp in the presence of the agent or other official, to be branded at the time of such sale. Your petitioners would call attention to the unsatisfactory state

of the laws, or absence of laws punishing stock stealing from Canada to the United States and "vice versa," and pray that at this session of parliament steps be taken to secure international measures to redress the evil.

The River Press publishes a telegram from Sir Alexander Galt to Mr. W. G. Conrad, of Benton, saying that the prospects of a railway to Benton are very favorable.

Everything is reported perfectly quiet on the Blood and Piegan reserves. The Indians appear anxious to be prepared for the spring work. They want more tools.

Lethbridge, Jan. 22.—From all that can be learned the extension of the Galt railroad to Montana is only a question of a few months; there is no doubt that the money, \$100,000, will be forthcoming, as it lacks less than \$20,000 of the amount asked for. We have been informed that as soon as the preliminaries are settled, an effort will be made to have the work of construction commenced at both ends to the line and the work pushed forward to completion without delay. It is expected they will receive their charter from the Dominion Government by the middle of March.

Prince Albert, Jan. 13.—Mr. Duck, of the Land Department, is also at Batoche taking evidence in support of half-breed claims for patents to land held by them. The government appear to be doing all in their power to settle matters satisfactorily in regard to land claims in this district.

Col. Sproat left last week to make a survey of lands occupied by French half breeds at Batoche and St. Louis de Langevin. The survey will be made on such a plan as will satisfy the half-breeds, which will remove another "grievance."

Pilot Mound, Jan. 25.—A largely attended meeting of the townspeople was held in the town hall on Saturday evening, for the purpose of forming a company to erect a flat grain warehouse for the use of the buyers here, and if the crops of this year should warrant the expenditure an elevator will take its place. The meeting was unanimous, and a company was formed, with, W. A. Donald as president, Thos. Billmay as secretary-treasurer, and Jas. Baird, Jas. Steward and D. B. Graham as directors, with power to add to their number. Before the meeting adjourned most of the shares were taken up, and it is expected the building will be commenced at once.

Portage la Prairie, Jan. 22.—Mr. McInnis, contractor on the M S W Colonization Railway, was in town this week and reports railway matters booming in the south. The road is already completed to Treherne, and ready for the rails eight miles farther. On this the iron will be laid as soon as weather will permit. The farmers are, of course, jubilant over the matter.

Edmonton, Jan 23.—Messrs. Haney and Henderson, who are now engaged in developing a quartz lead, which the former discovered about seventy miles up the river, have succeeded in extracting silver from the quartz. The lead is six feet thick. They are preparing to work the lead extensively.

The contract for tamarac telegraph poles, for a line to Fort Saskatchewan, has been let to John Aspen. Poles to be on the ground by May 10th.

Shoal Lake, Jan 26.—On Saturday evening last a large enthusiastic meeting of the ratepayers of this municipality was held for the purpose of considering the advisability of granting a bonus towards building a roller mill. It was decided to petition the municipal council to submit a bylaw to raise the sum of \$3000. A committee was appointed to circulate the petition, and two meetings are to be held at an early date. The indications are that Shoal Lake will have a roller mill in a short time.

Calgary.—Mr. E. R. Rogers has forwarded to Major Walker, president of the Calgary Board of Trade, at Ottawa, thirty two unpaid claims for contracts during the late rebellion, amounting to over \$10,000. This is only a portion of what is due in the neighborhood, and it is to be regretted that more of those having claims did not have them forwarded by this means.

Capt. Vaughan has been in town for some days during the week. He has just come from the scene of operations at the Cochrane Coal mines, and says they have struck a very fine seam about seven feet in thickness. It is expected that the first shipment of a few carloads will be made to this point on Monday or Tuesday next, and citizens will then have opportunity of testing the qualities of a deposit for which is claimed greater excellence than any sample that has yet even placed on the market. The Captain

is certainly deserving of praise for the tenacity with which he has persevered in the development of this mine.

Battleford, Jan. 11.—Mr Berthiaume of the Department of Public Works, goes to Prince Albert this week on business connected with the purchase of lumber for the public buildings to be erected here next summer. His visit will bring about a large amount of teaming, which it is understood it is his intention to give to the Half-breeds of Batoche and neighborhood.

Conscience Money.

Father Gutowski, pastor of St. Casimir's (Polish) Church Detroit, Mich., received lately through the Confessional the sum of \$450 as restitution money for the Sun Insurance Company, of London, England. He remitted the same to its owners through the People's Savings Bank, Detroit. The Insurance Company are probably not aware that this money was ever taken from them unjustly. They will naturally be curious to know the name of the man who defrauded them but this they will never know. It comes to them through the Catholic Confessional, whose secrets are held in the bosom of God.

The Queen vs. Louis Riel.

The Government has just published a very important Blue Book "The Queen vs. Louis Riel." containing a verbatim report of the evidence adduced at the Regina trial the speeches of the prisoner and the judge's sentence. The decisions of the Manitoba judges, the appeal to the Privy Council, the petition for the medical commission, and the list of petitions for the commutation of sentence are also published, so that the work embraces the whole case, and for use by the historian, politician and journalist will be simply invaluable.

The book contains nothing particularly new and will be chiefly valuable as a work of reference. There were sixty-three petitions presented to the Governor General, thirteen of which were for the appointment of a medical enquiry, and the remainder for a commutation of his sentence. Of these fifty-four are from the Province of Quebec, three from Manitoba, and from Chicago, one from Whitehall, N. York, one from Minnesota one from Ottawa, and one all the ways from Granville, France, which was presented by a gentleman named Lucien Dion.

Last May Father Riordan, of Castle Garden, established a lodging-house for immigrant girls in New York. It is sustained by voluntary subscription, and by a card of membership, which cost the holder twenty-five cents a year. Since its opening it has given refuge and board to upward of 300 homeless young girls. Besides this number hundreds of others have been furnished with meals, and kept until the arrival of their friends. After night. Every evening, the last duty that Father Riordan performs is to go through the Garden, and, if there are any girls, no matter what their creed or nationality, he takes them to his mission. A labor bureau for Catholic immigrants is also maintained by Father Riordan's exertions. Those wishing to aid the work can send their subscriptions to Father Riordan, either at No. 7 State Street, or Castle Garden, New York.

A tribute to Leo XIII from a non Catholic show that, whether among his own household of the faith, or among outsiders, the illustrious chief attracts the attention and admiration of all. "Pope XIII," is universally regarded one of the best classical scholars in Italy. As a Latinist he is reckoned inferior—if at all—to Valluri alone; Valluri who speaks and writes the language of Cicero with the ease and eloquence of his native Italian. His Holiness, unlike the majority predecessors, is beholden to no Latin secretary for the diction of his Epycyclicals Allocutions. He writes them all himself, and if he does submit them to any one before placing them in the printer's hands, it is to his brother, Cardinal Pecci, librarian of the Vatican, who is nearly as sound as a Latinist as himself. His Latinity is not, it is true, framed on the Ciceronian model. From a theologian, addressing the faithful on themes of modern ecclesiastic interest, it could hardly be expected to be so. It may rather be characterized as good orthodox theological Latinity though savoring more of Lactantius than of St. Jerome. The same may be said of his occasional productions in Latin verse. He writes with great facility and grace, not in the style of Virgil or Horace, or been of the poets of the Silver age, but in that of the early Christian poets; while in turn, it may be said of his versification that it rather recalls Ausonius than Prudentius. In other words, it is strictly ecclesiastical, but with a leaning to the more classical forms."

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