

sary to the validity of orders, seeing that many of its most illustrious divines—Peter Martyr Martin Bucer, cum multis aliis who had never received Episcopal Orders had held benefices and exercised ministerial functions within its pale. This is historically true, and is of itself conclusive against the absurd claim of Apostolical Succession and valid Orders of late years put forth by some of the extreme Ritualists. The fact is patent to all readers of history that in the early days of the Anglican church, and down to the time of Laud, no importance whatsoever was attached to Episcopal ordination; all ecclesiastical authority was held to flow from the Crown; and it was enough for the valid administration of the Anglican Sacraments that the person administering had authority from the civil power to administer.

His Grace the Archbishop of Toronto announced on Sunday, 12th inst., from the pulpit of St. Michael's Cathedral, a Pilgrimage for the end of the present month, the object of which will be to honor the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and to pray for the Catholic Church—more especially for the delivery of the Sovereign Pontiff from the hands of his enemies, the robber King of Piedmont and his soldiery. All true Catholics will make it a point of honor to take part in this act of devotion and public profession of faith. "Nam qui me erubuerit et meos sermones; hunc Filius hominis erubescet cum venerit in maiestate sua."—St. Luc. 9, 26.

An anonymous correspondent who adopts the pseudonym of a Catholic Subscriber should know by this time that we never insert anonymous communications; besides he is not a Catholic at all, for his speech doth discover him. "Nam et loquela tua manifestum te facit" we say to him. He asks what reason he can assign for believing that there is a purgatory? There is but one reason for believing either in purgatory or believing in hell; in the Incarnation, or the Trinity that we, or any other Catholics know of—to wit, the teaching of the Catholic Church. Either that reason is sufficient for our querist, or it is not. If it were, he would not ask what reason he can assign for believing that there is a purgatory. If it is not, he is not a Catholic; for a Catholic is one who believes all that the Church believes and teaches, and simply because she so believes and teaches. This is the highest, indeed the only sufficient reason that can be assigned for belief in any of the doctrines of the Christian religion, as supernaturally revealed.

His Excellency the Governor-General was in Montreal on Thursday of last week; and in the course of the afternoon, accompanied by Lady Dufferin, he paid a visit to the Convent of Mont Ste. Marie, under the charge of the Ladies of the Congregation. Though but little notice of the visit had been given, the Ladies had arranged a very brilliant reception. On their arrival at the entrance of the Convent His Excellency and suite were received by the Bishop of Montreal, Mgr. Tache, the Very Reverend Superior of the Seminary of St. Sulpice, and other ecclesiastics, and by the Lady Superior of St. Marie, by whom they were conducted over the establishment. They then entered the exhibition hall, where a *serenade* of the young lady pupils had been prepared and who had the honor of performing several pieces of music before their distinguished visitors. An Address to His Excellency, and a handsome bouquet to Lady Dufferin were presented by the pupils, the receipt of which was acknowledged in suitable terms by His Excellency, who asked and obtained for his fair young entertainers the usual indulgence, which was of course, granted. The *serenade* terminated with the performance of the National Anthem. On Monday morning the Governor-General left Montreal for Ottawa.

**FRAUDS IN BUSINESS.**—The land of the "open bible" is also *par excellence* the land of false weights and measures, and of adulterated goods. The time of the magistrates is well taken up investigating the never ending complaints brought before them of rascalities in the way of business; and so numerous have been the convictions in some branches of trade, in the milk selling business for instance, that we learn from the *Times* "the London Dairyman's Association have held a meeting at which it was resolved to raise the retail price of milk."

But the dodges of the coal dealers are the smartest of any. They cheat the public with impunity, and defy the magistrates. Their *modus operandi* is this. They advertise their "best coals" for sale at a low price. The unwary, mostly of the poorer classes especially washerwomen and laundresses, pay their money, and receive in return a load of slates, black stone, and other rubbish which of course will not burn, even when oil is poured on it—as some of the many dupes of the rascals testified before the police courts. When before the Court, the vendors of the rubbish in question plead that they did not sell the stuff as "best coal," but simply as "our best coal" and that in truth

they had none better in their yards. So the scoundrels go away smiling, and bless the Lord for the privileges which they enjoy as dwellers in the land of an "open bible."

**M. MAZURETTE'S CONCERT.**—M. Mazurette was most unfortunate in the weather. Monday, the day of his first Concert, was one of the stormiest of the season, accompanied with a deluge of rain and a heavy N.E. gale. This prevented numbers from attending, and the audience was not so large as his merits, and the merits of his Troupe entitled him to expect. Nothing daunted, however, M. Mazurette well maintained his reputation as one of the first pianists of the day, and by his brilliant execution enraptured his audience; in listening to him they felt that they were listening to an artist of the highest rank. M. Luderer, the violinist of the Company, achieved a great success, as were also Miss J. Daniel, and Mr. W. H. Stanley, especially in their duo "Only Three."

M. Mazurette, who is on his way to Paris, will probably visit Quebec, and some other of our Canadian cities. Should such be the case, we strongly advise all lovers of first class music, not to let the opportunity slip, but to go and hear one who will in after years be held in remembrance as one of the great pianists of the present century.

Father O'Keefe writes to the *Daily Express* contradicting the report of his submission to his ecclesiastical superiors. He complains that he has "not got from the public the support he requires to continue the struggle with people of unlimited means;" but he adds, though he may be conquered, he will never yield.

The scheme for a submarine tunnel connecting France and England is in a state of forwardness; and "middle aged persons," says the *London Times*, "may yet hope to witness the realization of this gigantic undertaking."

In the case of the *Cingalee* and *Erl King* collision, the Court of Enquiry has found that Biron, the pilot of the first named vessel, was to blame, and has deprived him of his certificate as pilot.

**The Iowa Catholic Advocate.**—This is a recent and very handsome addition to the Catholic press of the U. States, and one which, judging from the number before us, will render good service to the cause of religion on this continent. We present to its editors' our respects, and best wishes.

His Grace the Archbishop of Halifax has been pleased to make the following change: Rev P. Deaneher, from Bedford to St. Joseph's Church, Halifax, where all letters and papers for him may be addressed.

Mr. Francis Treanor has kindly consented to act as our Agent for the *True Witness* in Charlottetown, and surrounding country.

In our columns last week, appeared the announcement:—"In this city, on the 11th inst., the wife of J. A. Sadler, Esq., of a son."

The above should have read J. A. Sadler, employed, we believe, on the *Daily Witness* Staff.

The following was received too late for publication in our last week's issue:—

JOLLETTE, Oct. 13th, 1873.

Dear Mr. Editor:—The Pastoral visit of Mgr. Fabre has been the occasion of much consolation and pleasure to the people of Jollette, and especially to the Faculty of the College. And for which reason, they left no means untried to make it as agreeable and pleasant as possible to all concerned.

On the morning of the feast the students gave a very creditable entertainment, at which His Lordship and the public were invited to attend. All the young gentlemen acquitted themselves of the particular parts assigned them, in a manner which did much credit to themselves and no less to their instructors—as the many and hearty plaudits of the audience testified.

Monday being the Feast of St. Edward, the patron Saint of His Lordship, he sang Pontifical High Mass in honor of the occasion, in the presence of a vast assemblage of the laity and clergy.

The music, rendered by some one hundred voices and a brass band, under the management of the indefatigable Prof. L. Vandoneur, S.V., was superb. And in a word, the ceremonies and amusements connected with His Lordship's visit were of so impressive and delightful a nature as not to be easily forgotten by those who had the good fortune to participate.

It might not be amiss to say a word here in reference to this College. For it is not as widely known as it deserves to be. The Institution, which embraces a College and Seminary, was founded by Hon. Bar. Jollette, in 1846, and was given by him to the Fathers of the Order of St. Victor. It is consequently in the 28th year of a prosperous existence. And under the able directorship of Rev. C. Beaudry, S.V., is making rapid strides in becoming one of the first, if not the very first College outside of Montreal. On Sunday morning in the chapel attached to the College, the following gentlemen were advanced to Minor Orders:—

A. Panneton, Diocese of Montreal, R. Boivin, F. Mondor, F. X. Boiseau.

Tonsure:—A. Lapalme, Diocese of Montreal, T. Archambault, E. Doyle, Marquette, J. A. Mart, Albany.

Stratford, it is said, has fifteen doctors, twenty-four drug stores, and the largest cemetery of any town of its size in Ontario.

The Rev. P. G. Clarke for many years attached to St. Patrick's Church Quebec, and formerly cure of St. Basil, County Portneuf, died yesterday after a long and painful illness.

## VILLA MARIA LOTTERY

The following are the successful numbers as drawn on the 16th October. The holders of the tickets bearing the numbers as below are requested to apply at the office of the undersigned, No. 5 St. Sacramento street, after the first of November next, when the amounts will be settled:—

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