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TOPICS OF THE DAY.

The Degradation of the word "Politics."

Dr. J. D. M. Ford, of Harvard, says the Sacred Heart Review, in a recent address to the Catholic Young Men's Association of St. Patrick's Church, Roxbury, advised them not to enter too deeply into politics. The evils which he pointed out, however, arise, we think, from Catholic laymen who go into politics and themselves forget their

Catholic principles, rather than from any danger inherent in political life itself. It is but too true that Catholics often out Herod the Herods of public life. But what is to enable and purify political life, if men of high principles can not enter it without leaving those principles by the way? It is a fact, which journalists and speakers of thoughtful tendencies are every day bewailing, that under representative institutions, bad men struggle to the top, and good men watch them do so with scarcely a word of protest. Nay, more, men who are naturally well-wishers of good and right yield to the influence of their surroundings and become the abettors or tools of the unscrupulous, until they finally adopt in its entirety the abominable doctrine that all is fair in war or politics. We confess that we can not see how such dangerous public tendencies are to be offset or overcome by keeping men of high character out of politics. A leading American journal states that the recent election in the United States was marked by the abstention from active participation of the best men in the country. There is no doubt that the ability and high principles which stamped the founders of the American nation have been inherited by their descendants,—that these characteristics are possessed by numbers of citizens today. If politics is become a disreputable profession, whose is the fault? And is condition to be in any way improved by disincanting men of

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The First School in Canada.

Mme. de la Peltrie's life in New France, writes Mary Sifton Pepper in the Chatauquan, is inseparably associated with the school she founded, for it afterwards developed into the great Ursuline seminary of Quebec, still active and flourishing after more than two and a half centuries. She and her companions took up their residence in a little two-roomed house previously used as a warehouse, which they playfully called their place. It was in the lower town, near what is now known as the Champlain Market. The French inn now occupying this site is so old and quaint and foreign that the traveller stopping there finds little difficulty in carrying himself back over the long flight of years and conjuring up vivid pictures of the landing of those gentle French ladies. The school began with six Indian and a few French girls. But soon reports of this wonderful institution, where girls, irrespective of race or condition, were taken in, clothed in beautiful garments and given plenty of food, spread through the neighboring country, and crowds of red-skinned maidens flocked thither. So many made their appearance that the miniature seminary could not accommodate them all, and soon a large and more commodious building was erected in the upper town, on the same site the school occupies today. Mme. de la Peltrie threw herself into the work of caring for these little savages with all the enthusiasm of her ardent French nature. She assumed the duty of teaching them the more polite accomplishments, while mother Marie and the other two women instructed them in the principles of the catechism and the French language. It became her favorite diversion, after spending an hour or two in teaching them to sew, to dress them up like little French children and take them to visit their

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How the Passion Play Receipts are Spent.

Calumnious reports concerning the matter have appeared in several papers and a Canadian clergyman

of Colinet Vaughan, of Court-

President Loubet's Gallantry.

Mr. Clement Scott, in his new paper, tells a pretty story of President Loubet, who became a rich man the other afternoon when his life-long friend, Madame Ferret, died. Rumor says that the old lady had bequeathed over five million francs to "poor petit Emile," as she always called him, and would have given him more if she had had it. The President of the Republic is especially charming with old ladies. Emile Loubet, although a bourgeois in appearance and in solidary, possesses the Frenchman's gift of frothy wit to an unusual extent, and many and varied are the cleverly turned compliments which are placed to his account. One of these refers to the old lady who has just died, and whose charities were notoriously immense in proportion to her large fortune. "She is a wonderful woman, Madame Ferret," said the grateful recipient of a large sum, for charity, to President Loubet one afternoon. "She in every deed carries her heart in her hand."

A Clerical Family.

His Eminence Cardinal Vaughan, of Westminster, England, naturally enough comes in for notice in Mr. Clement Scott's "Free Lance." After describing the Cardinal's appearance—he calls him "the handsomest Cardinal"—his receptions and his social life, he says: "With the exception of two brothers, Colonel and Reginald Vaughan, of Courtfield, Rose and Glen Irothy, Abergavenny, all Mrs. Vaughan's children, for whom she prayed so earnestly, have become priests or nuns. Teresa Vaughan joined the Sisters of Charity in 1861, who were then in Park street, Westminster. She offered herself to the superiors, Sister Oustelain, who, noticing at once her symptoms of delicate health—and, indeed, of consumption—made her reception apparently out of the question. Teresa, nothing daunted, exclaimed: 'If I cannot live as a Sister of Charity, let me at least die as one.' Her wish was granted, and Teresa Vaughan was the first Sister of Charity who died in England. Of his brothers, four

entered the Church—Bede, who died Archbishop of Sydney; Bernard, of the Society of Jesus, rector of the Holy Name, Manchester; John, Domestic Prelate of His Holiness, and Kenelm, founder of the House of Expiation, now in South America collecting funds for the new Westminster Cathedral. In addition to the four brothers who entered the ecclesiastical state, the Cardinal has two uncles—William, Bishop of Plymouth, who was born in 1814, was consecrated by Cardinal Wiseman in 1855, and Edmund, a member of the Redemptorist Congregation. To this fairly formidable list of clerical relatives must be added ten nephews,

of Colinet Vaughan, of Court-

Interesting Happenings

The World Over.

The reports from China to be found in the pages of the latest number of the "Annals of the Propagation of the Faith" read like the Acts of the Martyrs. The record is one of awful tortures and desolation. Father Joad Li, a native priest of Manchuria, burnt alive at Mukden; Father Alexander His, a native priest of Manchuria, beheaded at Mukden; Father Leray, shot through the breast at In-sing-hai; Father Georjon, slain by the "Faster" in the same mandarin; Father Emont, of the Paris Foreign Missions, burnt alive at Mukden; Mgr. Guillon, subjected to a singular martyrdom, as well as Sister Sainte Croix, Sister Albertine and three hundred of the faithful; the body of Father Moulis, who had been twelve days buried, disinterred and burnt after having been subjected to outrages; the remains of Sister Helene, who had been dead fifteen years, treated in like manner; Fathers Vian and Bayart, of Siko-hai-chai, and Father Agnius, of Kouang-sing, shot and their bodies cast into a river; Fathers Bourgeois and L. Grael, beheaded near Mount Tai-

ta-chau; Fathers Andlauer, S. J., and Isore, S. J., done to death with lance thrusts; two other Jesuits, Fathers Donn and Mangin, also massacred; Mgr. Grassi, Mgr. Foglia and Fathers Ellis and Balot, killed in Chansi, and many other missionaries, nuns and Brothers cruelly butchered, whilst the property of the missions in almost every part of China has been riddled—such are the dire incidents which the compilers of the "Annals" chronicle.

Cardinal Langueux, the Archbishop of Rheims, has had to submit to the indignity of appearing before

the tribunal de simple

answer a charge preferred by

municipality of infringing the regulation prohibiting religious processions in the streets of the city.

According to immemorial custom, a procession of the townspeople to the municipal cemetery was organized to take place on All Souls' Day, notwithstanding that the Mayor of the city had informed the Archbishop of his intention to put into force a decree which for the past twenty-three years had been allowed to remain inactive, by which he was empowered to prohibit all public religious observances. To this Mayor's interdiction Cardinal Langueux paid no heed, with the result that a process verbal was served upon him by the Commissary of Police during the progress of the procession to the cemetery. On Wednesday last the Cardinal and forty ecclesiastics who took part in the procession were found guilty, sentence being postponed for a fortnight.

The affair is much to be regretted as evidencing a sire on the part of certain municipalities to pursue an anti-religious policy which can only have the effect of creating widespread national resentment.

Such high-handed action as that taken by the Rheims municipality can only exasperate the majority of the population, who cling most tenaciously to their religious sentiments, among which the annual procession to the graves of their relatives and friends is one of the oldest and most deeply cherished

The Catholic Church gives the following hints on the evolution of the hoodlum: "When a raw boy in the tenement neighborhood begins to think that he knows more than his father, he is on the road to Hoodlumville. We may diagnose the symptoms for the information of parents: An affection for the street corner. Too strong to work. Fastidiousness as toward labor. An unusual versatility of pursuit—evincing by a habit of swapping jobs. A taste for the gallery at song and dance shows. A memory for the 'gigs' of supernumerary actors. Resorting to the incubating heat of saloon windows. The process downward begins with a taste for low amusements and a habit of resorting to drinking-places frequented by the rest of the gang. We occasionally meet the observation that the immigrant parents are in many cases far better and even far more intelligent than their sons and daughters. A chief reason for this lies in the fact that they were brought up under the innocent conditions of old country rural life, and not under the disadvantages of tenement life in an American city. But they manage their children as if this made no difference."

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