FOR BUSY MEN.

### ROMAN CATHOLIC

A Jesuit convention is being held in Rome to elect a General of the order. The dress of this official is the severest black, and from the power he wields to is known as the "Black Pope."

The congregation of the Jesuits to elect their general has some resemblance to the conclave for the election of the Pope, there being the same secrecy and the same seclusion, no members of the society heing allowed in the quarters of the congregation where the quarters of the congregation, where only the appointed delegates can be

In Montreal last Sabbath evening immense congregations assembled in Notre Dame and St. Patrick churches in response to an appeal from Arch-bishop Bruchesi to give a religious tone to the Labor Day defebrations. The sermons are described as having been strong and masterly, and the rebeen strong and masterly, and the respective claims of capital and labor forcibly presented. Much good advice was given, and Bishop Emard, in Notre Dame, advised Canadian workmen to keep aloof from foreign unions. "Why," said he, "units with men whose aims, whose designs, and whose methods you know nothing about? Why trammel yourselves, why tie your hands, endanger your future, your peace, your happiness, aye, even the daily bread of your children, by uniting with men whose designs you know not." designs you know not

And the tone of the service in St. Patrick's may be gathered from the following words of the Archbishop:-"I am happy to see the working men of Montreal at the foot of the altar, inaugurating their labor festival by an act of religion. The imposing scene which we are witnessing is being cnacted at this very hour within the walls praise, and like you consecrating them-selves to the adorable Heart of Jesus. My emotions are akin to the joy I feel. May Heaven bless you one and all, now

### THE ANGLICAN

The Bishop of London's statemen that he recently "refused unhesitating-ly to sanction the marriage of two American Unitarians in one of the churches of his diocese has naturally The Bishap of London's statement States, especially on account of the reason given by the Bishop—namely, that the marriage service should be that the marriage service should be used only for those who had been bap-tized into the Christian Church. The Boston Christian Register infers that if there were in England no church would refuse to perform a marriage service for any man or woman had not been baptized into it.

The Bishop of Sheffield suggests that The Bishop of Sherneid suggists that a brief amending act should be passed which, whilst acepting the udgment of the Court of Appeal, should mocify such sections of the Act of 1902 as have been found in their working to curtail religious liberty or to offenr the conscience of the Nonconformists.

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The tower of Holy Trinity Church, Hull, which is built upon interlaced pak trees, has dangerously subsided owing to the decay of the timber. At a cost of £5,000, the tower will be underpined, and brickwork and concrete substituted for the present foundations.

that the General Committee of the Synod on Christian union be called to prepare a pronouncement on the matter, and then in a more formal manner submit its conclusions to the other

### THE PRESBYTERIANS.

The General Assembly committee on Young People's Societies have been so encouraged by the success of their missionary text-book, "Reapers in Many Fleids," that they have obtained permission to issue another text-book of a smaller kind. The new book will be biographical in form and will consist of a series of twenty-four sketches of Canadian missionaries and missionary leaders. The title of the book will be "Missionary Pathfinders."

The regret at the retirement of Dr. Oswald Dykes from the Principaliship of Westminster College, Cambridge, is shared equally on both sides of the border. He has long been recognized as the foremost man in the English Presbyterian Church and what Westminster College is today is largely due

minster College is today is largely due to his personality. He has always seted as a medium of sympathetic con-tact between English and Scots Pres-

The Rev. Robert E. Walsh, the new secretary of the Canadian Bible Society, is a Scotsman, with Covenanter blood in his veins. He comes of a missionary family, and was born at New Cumnock, Ayrshire—the country where the graves of the martyrs lie scattered sing with increased enthusiasm, "God"

over the "wine-red moors." Mr. Welsh had his schooling at Ayr Academy, and then studied and graduated at Glasgow University, afterwards taking his course in theology at Edinburgh. He was ordained in 1880 to the ministry of the United Presbyterian Church of Scotland, and went out as one of its missionaries to Japan.

The membership of the Presbyterian Church, North U. S. A., was 1,158,662, a gain of 43,000 for the year as against a gain of 20,758 the previous year. There is a gratifying increase of interest in missions. Home Missions heads the list, with \$1,226,114 to its credit, and Foreign Missions comes next with

and Foreign Missions comes next with a total of \$1,063,206. It is the first total of \$1,085,208. It is the first me that givings for Foreign Missions eached the million mark. The total outributions of the body for the year are \$19,993,308, an increase of \$1,254,-

A good report also comes from the Southern Presbyterian Church. In twenty-five years from 1836 to 1861 the membership grew from 67,177 to 114,-505, a gain of about 100 per cent. The years inmediately following the war show a decline, but from 1874 to 1899 there was a growth in membershi from 105,956 to 221,194, nearly 109 pe

A good deal of dissatisfaction is ev ressed in Scotland over the long de-ressed in Scotland over the long de-by of the Free Church case commis-on in bringing the matter to a settle-tion. The U. F. Church Magazine commenting upon the situation says: "Unfortunately the maximum of delay is not accompanied by any clearer per ception of a satisfactory issue."

### THE BAPTISTS

On August 9 the 3,000th weekly print ed sermon of the late Charles Haddon Spurgeon was published. Although it is fourteen years since his death, the sermons come out regularly every week; they circulate in every civilized country, and have been translated into thirty different languages. It is es-timated that over one hundred and fifty million copies in the penny week-ly form have been disposed of. Tributes to Baptist ministers paid by

lergymen of the Established Church, are somewhat infrequent occurrences. Speaking brethren are there blending The vicar of All Angels, Hoxton (Rev. their voices in prayer and in hymna of W. M. Puttock), in The Stoke Newington Recorder on the removal of Rev. G. P. McKay: "May I be permitted (he wrote) to express my admira-tion for the work and character of the late pastor of Devonshire Square Church. It will be a long time before Church. It will be a long time before the congregation there secures another like him. His zeal and earnestness have often shamed me. I may add that personally I am unknown to Mr. McKay, and differ from him widely both in religion and politics; but for downright hard work he has set an example to all of us, both Conformists and Nenconformists.

and Nonconformists."

In the Western States the Baptist In the Western States the Baptist Church has a force of fifty mission-aries, besides 100 colporteurs, who also take an active part in organizing schools. While the missionaries of other denominations go about the country after the fashion of the old-time circuit rider or with a mule team, the Baptists supply their missionaries with gospel wagons in new sections of the country. They also have aix chapel cars, which are carried free of cost by western reliroads. There is the car Evangel in Indian Territory, the Emmanuel on the Pacific Coast, the Good Will in Texas, the Glad Tid-

### THE METHODISTS

The London Times gives the follow-The London Times gives the following despinsed, and brickwork and concrete substituted for the present foundations.

Rev. Herbert Symonds, of Christ's Church Cathedral, in an open letter to Bishop Williams, of the Diocese of Buron, furnishes a valuable contribution to the union question. It will be remembered that Bishop Williams was one of a delegation from the Anglican Synod to the late General Assembly of the Perspection of the recognized lay preachess. The total number of places of the Perspection from the Anglican Synod to the late General Assembly of the Perspection of the acception of the contribution to the union question. It will be remembered that Church and whose speech on that occasion called forth such hearty commendation. In this letter Mr. Symonds deals with the question in courieous language and in a broad-minded spirit, and suggests a basis of union against which little objection could be made. He advises the adandonment by the Anglicans of the dogma of Apostolical Succession, which is by no means universally accepted by them, and consequently the recognition of non-Epiacopal ordination, and on the part of the others the acceptance of the historic Episcopace, which acceding to to Principal Grant is "the system of government which obtained early and general acceptance."

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Total Sunday-school Force... Number joined the Church during the past year:.... Contributed for Missions by the Schools..... \$29,676 Contributed for Sunday-school

creases 278 and 114, value \$21,129,768, an increase of \$4,327,330. And for connexional funds and circuit purposes during the four years \$13,720,650, an increase

The New "Black Pope" is a German—

Rev. R. Rymer, of London, England, is believed to be the oldest Methodist minister in the world. He is 94 years of age, and has been in the ministry 77 years. His health is fairly good, he takes much interest in public affairs and voted at the last general election. and voted at the last general election

### GENERAL.

Rev. Dr. Chapman, the noted American Presbyterian evangelist, has arranged to hold a series of revival services in Halifax, beginning on January the 5th and continuing until the 18th.

save our gracious King," in the reali-tayr Academy, action that he has not only the heart that desires peace, but also the splen-did ability which has enabled him to make such master strokes of diplomacy as to secure for Britain, and for the moral generally, the best and most persion of the sword into the plot

# OF INSPECTION

## Prominent C. P. R. Officials Will Decid on Many Important Improvments Along the Line

MONTREAL, Sept. 7.-The finance committee of the city council today received a protest from the Hemming Manufacturing Company complaining of a tax of \$5 per year levied upon them for an electric motor. The pany say that they recently moved to Montreal from Toronto, but had they not invested largely in the plant, etc., they would move back to Toronto or to Hamilton, for they find control or to hamilton, for they find cost of rent, power, light, labor and small purchases of materials greater here than there. They warn the council they will soon lose some of the city's important industries. No action was taken on the letter. It is denied that the allegathe letter. It is denied that the allegations of the protest are correct.

MONTREAL, Sept. 7.—At nine o'clock this morning a special train pulled out of Windsor depot having on board a party of railway men. It was the commencement of the tour of inspection to be made by Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, president of the Canadian Pacific; R. B. Angus, E. B. Osler, W. D. Matthews, Senator Forget, Henry Joseph and Vincent W. Hill, manager of the South.

cent W. Hill, manager of the South-eastern and Chatham railway, Eng-The party will go right throughhe Pacific coast, and a careful insp tion will be made with the view to ciding on many important develop-ments now contemplated. Among mat-ters to be talked over will be the Fort William terminals and the hotel sys

tem of the company.

MONTREAL, Sept. 7.—David Hobbs C. P. R. customs clerk who was ac-cused of absconding with \$65,000, was sentenced by Judge Choquet today to four years in penitentiary.

HAD A BAD LEG. "For twelve years I was a great suf-erer from eczema on the inside of the leg. There was a raw patch of flesh about three inches square, and the itching was something fearful. Dr. Chase's Ointment completely cured me, took away the itching and healed up the sore."-Mr. Alex. McDougall, Post-master, Broad Cove Marsh, N. S.

## THIS WOMAN WANTED A ONE-EYED HUSBAND

PARIS, Sept. 8.—There is a strange story told of a woman in the Belleville district, Madame Jollet, who wanted

years of age, and in all probability will
be given her liberty if a home with
some family can be secured for her.
Mrs. McAfee was given some advice by
the magistrate not to decorate her littie daughter with bright, gaudy, second hand waists and cheap jewelry,
remembering that it was unbecoming remembering that it was unbecoming to a little girl and makes her con- as we are liable to be held up for a

# FRANCIS XAVIER WERNZ

Pope Plus Notifed of the

ROME, Sept. 8.-Francis Xavier Wernz, a German, was today elected general of the society by the Congregation of the Company of Jesus, in suc-cession to the late Father Martin, who died last May.

died last May.

Following the election a messenger was immediately despatched to the Vatican to inform the pope of the choice, which, to become effective, required the papal sanction.

the Charlet Electric

## "SASSED" HER

SHERIDAN, Wyo., Sept. 7.—Miss Edna Ievine, daughter of State Trueas irer W. I. Irvine, shot Geo, H. Knigh on, foreman of the Leiter Cattle impany's Big Red ranch, near Clearyesterday.
Miss Irvine would say is that
iton "sassed" her and shot him

Miss Irvine says she has been sub-jected to annoyance when her father has been away, and says Knighton was one of her chief tormentors. Yesterday morning the barn doors were left open and the horses got into the granary. Knighton returned to the house, after finding the doors open, and made

some remarks about carelessness.

The girl whipped out a revolver which she carries on the range and snapped it in Knighton's face. The first cartridge failed to explode, but the second sent a bullet into the foreman's body.

He was brought here and physicians have been working with him ever

Miss Irvine has been arrested.

## A TORONTO ITALIAN **BUNGOED OUT OF \$400**

He Trusted a Stranger Who Took Him in on the Old Flam-Flam Game.

TURUNTU, sept. 8 -- Friesco Salvatori reported to the police yesterday that he was robbed by a fellow countryman and film-flammed out of \$400. Salvatori was sitting on his door steps when a stronger came up. Telling a story of how he was obliged to go to Italy in a hurry to be present in a case in court, the stranger asked if Salvatori knew where the Nicolettis Italian tori knew where the Nicolettis Italian Bank was.

He claimed to have \$7,000 he wanted changed to Canadian currency. After the stranger had suggested that Salvatori sheuld help him to exchange the money, the alleged \$7,000 was put in a piece of paper together with \$4,000 of Salvatori's which was put up as evidene of good faith.

Salvatori was then handed the parcel to keep. After going for a walk the two men returned to Salvatories house and the stranger asked for the paper parcel for a few minutes. He

paper parcel for a few minutes. He retnurned it, or another like it, and making some excuse, left Salvatori, As he did not return the Italian's suspicions were aroused. He examined the parcel. There was no money. Detectives are working on the case.

# MURDERER RETURNS BUNUS HE HAD STOLEN

Leaves Thom, on Saint's Statue in Church With A Note to the Priest,

story told of a woman in the Belleville district, Madame Joliet, who wanted to make a Polyphemus of her husband. "He'd look so queer as a cyclop," she said to the police magistrate after her arrest. "I wanted to gouge out his own eyes and to hammer a nice glass one into the centre of his forehead." The woman had approached her husband with a scissors, and was punching his eyes when he awoke, shricking with pain. Jumping out of bed, he had a fearful struggle to bold his wife down until help came. The woman, it is needless to say, had gone mad, and she is now in an asylum crying for a one-eyed husband.

GIRL ADMITTED THEFTS

BARIS, Sept. 8.—A few hours after the Abbe Bellin presented and sold this week to a Clermont baseloid the Septent Generale, some three Ber cent Stock of the Paris Lyons-Mediterraneau Railway, of the value of \$2,400, the coupons of which had not been paid for ten years, the bank discovered that they had been stoler on an author had been increded in her home on that day. The woman's nephew had been arrested on suspicion, but no case having been proved against him he was allied in clear up the myster. Meantime, the bonds in question had never heen presented. Abbe Belin was therefore communicated with. He expiained that he found the bends last May on the statute of \$1. Anthony of Padua in his own church. A piece of paper was pinned to them hearing the

(Montreal Herald.)
The United States may reform their consular service and have all "outstanding" differences with the British

year previous.

In the whole history of the Intercolonial railroad there is not another such record. The fact is encouraging, and

of Nova Scotia's Moncton branch, received this morning a telegram from St. Stephen announcing that G. W. Daniels, manager of the St. Stephen branch, had on Wednesday morning suffered a severe stroke of paralysis.

MONCTON, N. B., Sept. 7—The last act in the case of Gallagher vs. the City of Moncton, took place this morning when mutual releases between the two parties were exchanged. The cases had been standing for many years and were recently settled by arbitration.

An interesting wedding took place at Shediac on Wednesday morning when Miss Louise Weldon, daughter of James D. Weldon, was married to Reg-

er took place at Ginson this afternoon and was largely attended. The Rev. J. C. Berrie, Methodist minister at that place, conducted the services at the house and grave. A delegation from the Order of Railway Conductors arrived by special train from Moneton rived by special train from Moncton and other points, and the obsequies were held under the auspices of the or-

dentist had the inisfertune to fall down stairs at his residence, Queen street, today and fractured his kneedap. The injury is most painful and Dr. Torrens will be laid up for some time.

home in the south end of the county.

Rev. H. A. Meek, who resigned the rectorship of St. Many's church here last fall and removed to Saskatchewan, is coming back to Ontario fext month, where has accepted a parish. John G. Miller of the postal car service is spending a short vacation here.

D. W. Stothart, who has been in charge of A. & R. Loggie's business here for several years, has resigned his position. It is understood he will shortly start business in Newcastle for

Mrs. F. Ferguson is visiting in Sus-

MONCTON, Sept. 7.—That the I. C. R. is buoyant and that the Minister of Railways, Hon. H. R. Emmerson, has met with energetic co-operation in his efforts to place the road on a pay-ing basis is evidenced by the fact that in the traffic department the increase of revenue is slightly more than \$221,-

sepecially so as it was expected that the short fiscal year of 1905-7, nine months, three of surpluses and six of deficits, would result in a deficit. If Mr. Emmerson can, on March 31, 1907, make the revenue meet the expenditure, as now seems hopeful and even year analysis. very probable, he will have accom-plished what was never accomplished

by a predecessor.

A. N. Lyster, manager of the Bank

James D. Weldon, was married to Reginaid Ritchie, son of the late Judge Ritchie, of Halifax. The ceremony took place in St. Andrews church which had been beautifully decorated for the or-casion and was performed by Rev. A. F. Burt. A sister of the bride, Miss Mary Weldon, acted as bridesmaid. The groom was supported by his brother Norman Ritchie, of Halifax. FREDERICTON, Sept. 9.—Commo dore Thomson, accompanied by a party of ladies, arrived with his steam yach

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HINDOO IMMIGRANTS.

(Vancouver World.)

It is hinted that representatives of large Canadian railway corporations are engaged throughout India in apreading information concerning this country, its climate and resources, and that the passages of all Indians who will consent to come to this country will consent to come to this country and the passages of the country and the passages of the recents a day, a sum sufficient to pay their way to Vancouver.

THE TWO DOLLAR CHARGE.

(Montreal Herald.)

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5,000 Superstitious Peasants Abandon

stitious peasants have fled from the Val Vedasca, on the Swiss-Italian frontier, to the east end of Lake Masgiore.

During a great storm the superstitious villagers declare that they saw an angel in the clouds pointing a finger at the valley. They fied in hundreds, believing that the place was doomed, and at the present time hitherto prosperous orchards, gardens and fields are deserted.

The valley is situated between tw precipitous mountain rangers. Dozens of avalanches fell into the valley early in the year, and when the snow melt-ed there were landslides. This was followed by rain, and the stream running through the valley became swol-len and swept away bridges and houses on its banks. Twenty people were drowned, and herds of cattle were de-

# DESPATCH NEWS.

MONTREAL, Sept. 7-On the Allan liner Tunisian there sailed today as a saloon passeiger one James Broderick Roach who a week ago was worth a few dollars and today is the possessor few dollars and today is the possessor of \$350,000. This story reads like a romance with the difference that it is real for the driver of the rig has be-Canada and settled in Montreal some years ago. His father went out to South Africa in the days when Kimberley and Johannesburg were unknown to the world and the race of South African millionaires liad not yet come forth. After his some left his home at New Castle in Natal he was lucky, and at his death left a million dollars. By the terms of the will the cliars. By the terms of the will the son was not to come into his share until he reached the age of twenty-five. The news was conveyed to Mr. Roach on his birthday, this week, by a cable from Shirley and Johnson, solicitors, at Plymouth. Roach was engaged on a Montreal delivery wagon.

QUEBEC, Sept. 7—Few people are aware of the importance and magnitude of the new fortifications now in course of construction at Beaument, some ten miles below Quebec, on the Levis side of the river. The work, which has now been in progress for

elicep in bed he threw maniel upon him and before the latter was thor-oughly awake, inflicted him gashes. One stab in the temple came danger-Way to lly some of the huge forest fires which the association aims to prevent. All along the route his excellency will travel the worse forest fires in a decade are raging or have left blackened ruins being them. The damage will run into six figures, if not seven, Prom Fernic, in the Crow's Nest Pass, district, on the easthuge forest fires which the

ern boundary, to the extensive forests on the coast north of Vandouver, and upon acre of valuable timber has been lestroyed, while a number of settlers have lost all their possessions. LONDON, Onto Sept. 8 - The remains of the late Hon. David Class arrived in the city yesterday from Spokane, Washington and they were intered in Mount Clement cometery. Mr. Glass, who was born in Westminster in 1829, had served the city several years as alderman, and then as mayor, and in 1872, represented East Middleser in the 1872 represented East Middlesex in the Damiaion house. He practiced law here and afterwards in Winnipeg, becoming a member of the Manitoba legislature, and was Speaker under the Greenway regime. Later he made his home in Spokanel where he died the July 17.

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Wounds I'vo Men Before She is Kile by a Well-Directed Rifle Shot CAPB TOWN, Sept. 7.—A fight tween two flunters and an infer liness is toported in the mail British East Africa.

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was observed.

While the men stood at the edge of the thicket the brute poinced on Mr. Goldfinch and threw him to the ground. It bit him on the thigh before Mr. Lucas lodger a burger in its

Maddened by the wound the snima usped its attention to Mr. Lucas those horse it felled, and the plane the rider to the ground, infleting his right arm. He was saved by Mr. Goldfinch, who, sitting up rotted the lieness ever with a well-aimed shot. The beast was about to spring on its victim again, when another discharge from the same weapon proved fatal town, where they received medical aid.

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