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NOTICE. Some of our exchanges have not yet noticed our change of address. Papers marked "Winnipeg" reach us a day late. Our present address is THE NORTHWEST REVIEW St. Boniface Manitoba.

- CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK November, 28, First Sunday in Advent. 29, Monday—Vigil. Feast of Our Lady's Patronage, transferred from the fourth Sunday in November. December, 30, Tuesday—St. Andrew, Apostle. 1, Wednesday—Votive office of St. Joseph. 2, Thursday—St. Bibiana, Virgin, Martyr. 3, Friday—St. Francis Xavier, Confessor. 4, Saturday—St. Peter Chrysologus Bishop, Doctor.

BRIEFLETS. His Grace has been able of late to drive out several times to the palace. Chief Prince, of St Peter's reserve, who underwent an operation in St. Boniface hospital, has returned to his reserve, much improved in health.

Rev. Father O'Dwyer, O.I.M., preached last week the retreat to the boys of St. Mary's schools, who are deeply grateful for the excellent sermons they were privileged to hear.

Rev. Father Woodcutter went to Beau-sejour last night by the delayed Atlantic express. He goes there at stated times to visit the Germans and Poles whose languages he speaks.

We are thankful to the Winnipeg "Mirror" for sending us, on the wrapper of its few last issues, early samples of the new half-cent stamp, but if its editor held the mirror up to nature as the latter appears on our fourth page, he would see that he has been raining stamps upon us wastefully, because needlessly, during the last seven months.

The new novitiate of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate at St. Charles is now almost ready for occupancy. It is a neat brick building erected by Mr. Senecal of St. Boniface. The interior woodwork by two Brothers of the order is admirably finished. The senior oblate of Canada, Rev. Father Dandurand, pastor of St. Charles, is delighted with this important addition to his parish.

The Weekly Review of Portage La Prairie has a long article on acetylene gas and the method of manufacturing calcium carbide, concluding with this interesting item: "Mr. J.O. Cadham is lighting his store throughout with this gas and finds it a very cheap illuminant and always to be depended on. When once installed, this light is the cheapest known and is perfectly safe."

Capt. J.E. Bernier, of Quebec, wants to find the pole. Though he has sailed in 59 different ships and has visited almost every part of the world, he does not seem to have had much Arctic experience, since he talks of using reindeer over the well nigh impassable hummocks of the polar basin. Then he is fifty years old. Nansen's farthest is still pretty safe from competitors.

The first semi-public utterance of His Grace since his recent illness was when he lately thanked the ladies of the the Hospital Bazaar for their devoted labors. He took occasion to praise Rev. Father Cloutier for his great charity and indefatigable activity in the organizing of the bazaar, adding that both he and his predecessor had always found in Father Cloutier an intelligent and faithful helper. To the ladies His Grace recommended the need of the

female orphanage and the hope of founding an orphanage for boys. Judge Van Wyck, the Mayor of Greater New York, pronounces the second half of his name *Wike*.

Very Rev. Father Rene, S. J., Prefect Apostolic of Alaska, recently gave a lecture on the Klondyke in the Academic Hall of the Gesu, Montreal. The hall was crowded. The Rev. Father said that the stories of Klondyke gold were not exaggerated. As this region had four months of summer, he hoped to persuade the Trappists to till the Arctic soil with their usual success. He spoke of the successful labors of the Sisters of St. Anne.

A.P.D., N.W.T., writes: "I have read of a drinker being a disciple of Bacchus and Gambrinus. Bacchus I know, but who is Gambrinus? I have searched in vain in classical dictionaries and cyclopedias." Gambrinus is probably a corruption for Johann Primus, John the First, Duke of Brabant (1251-1294), who is supposed to have invented lager-beer. Among the Germans he is represented as a king with a huge foaming glass of beer.

Rev. Father Beliveau, secretary of the archiepiscopal archives, left for Montreal by the belated Atlantic express which pulled out of Winnipeg station at one o'clock on Friday morning. He will visit the archives of several episcopal sees in the east, being absent about a month. Father Beliveau's modesty makes him object to the title of "Doctor," which he won by examination in Rome. As a student of St. Boniface College, he won the first scholarship and the medal of the Previous.

Mr. and Mrs. Laier, of Winnipeg, will celebrate their golden wedding to-morrow. Early in the morning they will attend a special Mass at St. Mary's church. In the afternoon, the only time when all their children in this neighborhood can be present, Rev. Father Guillet, O. M. I., will renew the matrimonial blessing in the same church. In the evening the hale and hearty couple will hold a reception in Friendship Hall, McIntyre block. We tender the respected Jubilarians our best wishes and congratulations.

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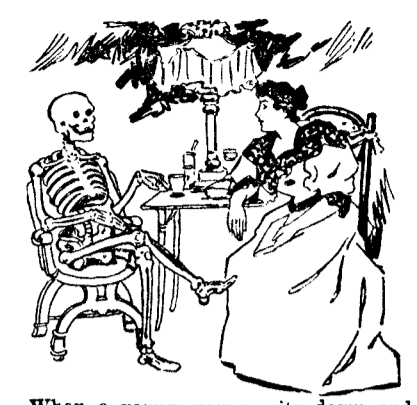
The results already attained in similar institutions of the Order give every reason to hope that this arrangement will fill a long felt want. Board and lodging will cost six dollars a month. For the boys who attend Provencher Academy there will be an additional charge of fifty cents a month. Bedding, mending and washing will be extra. The Sisters are willing to attend to these extras on terms to be arranged with them. The boys who attend the Preparatory Department of St. Boniface College will have to pay the tuition fees of the College.

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