## C. M. B. A.

Resolution of Prescott Branch.

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Prescott, Dec. 2, 1891.

Moved by Brother O'Reilly, seconded by Brother Fitzgeralds.

That this branch is not in favor of the system of separate beneficiary heretofore asked for by the Grand Couril of Canada, and are also-lutely opposed, and that we approve of the sentiments and views expressed by Branch 45 of Brockville, in connection with this question; And, further CATHOLIC RECORD, Irish Canadian, C. M. B. A. Weekly of Detroit and C. M. B. A. Journal of Montreal.

B. A. Journal of Montreal.

P. C. MURDOCK, President, H. J. ALLEN, Rec. Sec.

An Acknowledgment.
Brantford, Dec. 14, 1891.

Thos. Caffey, Esq.:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER.—Enclosed please find another list of contributions for the Brother Brown relief fund; also a letter of thanks from Mrs. W. J. Brown, which I was requested to ask your to publish.

Yours fraternally, W. Schuller, Rec. Sec.

NEW YORK. Branch 51..... PENNSYLVANIA. Letter of Thanks.

Letter of Thanks.

Brantford, Dec. 14, 1891.

REY. FATHER LENNON: Dear Sir—Will you kindly convey my most sincere thanks to the members of the Branches of the C. M. B. A. for the great help they have been to myself and children. I had good reason already to be thankful to the members of Branch 5, to which my husband belongs, for many acts of kindness within the past two years, even before they appealed to the Branches in our behalf, and took such care to place the trust in so satisfaciory a state. The response to the appeal has caused me to feel grateful to every member of the Association—more grateful thanks caused me to feel grateful to every member of the Association—more grateful thanks caused me to express. This help came to me at a time when I was in poor health and much distressed at the prospects before me, and it assures me that I shall be able to hold my children together them fairly in life in ease my husband's malady continues. At present his condition does not give much hope of his early recovery, shall not neglect to teach my children to Please assure the members of the C. M. E. A. how great you know my thankfulness to be, and tell them that I shall always pray or blessings upon them all, that their Association may prosper and multiply as it so well deserves. their Association mass as it so well deserves. Yours most sincerely, Mrs. W. J. Brown.

Election of Officers.

Branch 23, Seaforth.

Spiritail Adviser Rev. Father Cooke, Chancellor John Killoran, Pres. John Kale, First Vice-Pres. Robert Coleman, Second Vice-Pres. Anthony Becker, Rec. Sec. Joseph Weber, Ass't Sec. Stephen Lamb, Fin. Sec. John McQuade, Treas. John Dorcey, Marshal Thomas Walsh, Guard Michael Fagney, Trustees for one year Robert Coleman and John Dorney, for two years John Killoran, Stephen Lamb and John Kale, Rep. to Grand Council Jos. Weber, Alternate John Killoran.

Branch 1, Windsor.

Pres. A Phil. E. Panet, First Vice-Pres. J De Gurse, Second Vice-Pres. M. J Collier, Rec. Sec. PM Keoga (box 153), Ass't Rec Sec. E C Lucier, Fin. Sec. S Gignac, Marshal D Cronin, Gnard Jas. Thomlinson, Trustees M A Brian and Wm. Rochford, Rep. to Grand Council Dr. Reaume, Alternate John Harmon.

Branch 145, Toronto.

Spiritual Adviser Rev. P O'Donnohe, C. S. B. Chancellor L V Byrne, Pres. F O C Higglins, First Vice-Pres. G H Boulton, Second Vice-Pres. J Fallerton, Treas. W O'Connor, Rec. Sec. W T Kernahan, Ass't Sec. J J Crottle, Fin. Sec. Jos. C Walsh, Marshal W Delaney, Guard O'Daniels, Trustees D Miller, L V Byrne and M Costello.

Spiritual Adviser, Rev. P McMahon, Pres.

W T Kernahan, Ass1 Sec. J J Crottle, Fin. Sec. Jos. C Walsh, Marshal W Delaney, Guard C Daniels, Trustees D Miller, L V Byrne and M Costello.

Branch 151, Brechin.

Spiritual Adviser, Rev. P McMahon, Pres. Michael McGrath, Vice-Pres, John Fox. Second Vice-Pres, Austin J O'Boyle, Recorder Michael Foley, Fin. Sec. R L Gaughen, Treas. John Malone, Marshal Joseph Fox, Guard John Overend, Trustees John McDonald, Peter J McDermott, Hugh McDougall, John Koster and John McCorkell, Delegate to Grand Council Mich. McGrath.

Spiritual Adviser Rev. Father Masterson, Chancellor P C Murdock, Pres. L J Redmond, First Vice-Pres. P K Halpin, Second Vice-Pres. Jas. Fitzgeralds, Rec. Sec. H J Allen, Asst Rec. Sec. A O'Nell, Fin. Sec. H J Bruder, Treas. Jas. Bolton, Marshal Jas. Black, Guard L Major, Representative Rev. Father Masterson, Alternate P C Murdock, Trustees J R O'Reilly, Jos. E Dubrule, M Flynn, Henry Gahan and John McDermott.

Branch H, Galt.

Spiritual Adviser Rev. E P Slaven, Pres. E Radigan, First Vice-Pres. D Callaghan, Second Vice-Pres. J D Daudeno, Treas. J Skelly, Rec. Sec. P May Say Sec. E Barre t, Fin. Sec. B Maurer, Marshal J Flynn, Guard W Donahoe, Trustees Rev. E P Slaven, J Campbell, J Skelly, D Callaghan and C Bart, Rep. to Grand Council B Maurer, Alternate Ocoper.

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Spiritual Adviser Rev. K Campbell, Chan. John Revan Pres. W J Frawley, First Vice-Pres. R D Gunn, Second Vice-Pres. R G Gunn, Second Vice-Pres. R G Gunn, Second Vice-Pres. R G Gunn, Second Vice-Pres. R F Gunn, Second Vice-Pres. R Frawley, Wm Thomson, Representative R A Lynch, Alternate J S Patton.

Branch S, Toronto.

Chancellor Wm. Ryan, Pres. N J Clark, First Vice-Pres. D J O'Dovochue, Second Vice-Pres. T B Winterberry, Treas. James Ryan, Pan Kelly, Trustees E Killeen, Wm. Ryan and D J Walsh, Delegate to Grand Council M K Uty, Alternate F Currau.

Resolution of Condolence.

At a regular meeting of Branch 12,

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At a regular meeting of Branch 13, Stratford, the following resolution was moved by Brother M. J. (illion, seconded by Bro. E., O'Flaherty: Whereas the members of this branch have learned of the death of Brother David O'Grady, member of the Ingersoll branch of the C. M. B. A. and formerly a charter member of Branch 13, States, be it.

Resolved, that we tender to the widow and failily of our departed Brother our heartfelt sympathy for the loss which they have sustant and we would be supported by the state of the state o

Brechin, Dec. 7, 1891.

To the Editor of the Catholic Record: DEAR SIR AND BROTHER - At the regular neeting of Branch 151, Brechin, held December , the following motion of condolence was

meeting of Branch 151, Brechin, held December 4, the following motion of condolence was carried unanimously:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to afflict the family of Brother Dun an F. McDonald by the sad deaths of his beloved sister and father, or November 11 and 19, respectively, of typhus fever, and by the almost fatal condition in which that dreaded disease has placed two other of his sisters, two of his brothers and two of the servants, that we, the members of St. Andrew's Baunch, No. 151, do hereby tender to Brother McDonald and his brothers and sisters our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of sorrow, and pray that the all-merciful God may grant them grace to bear their bereavement with fortitude. Be it further Resolved that a copy of this motion be sent to the family of Brother McDonald, a copy to the CATHOLIC RECORD and that a copy be placed on the minutes of the meeting.

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Prescott, Dec. 2, 1891.

Moved by Chancellor Keilty, seconded by Brother Halpin.

That we, the members of Branch 16, desire to place or record our profound sense of loss, in the death of our esteemed and beloved Brother, Edward Yaughan, one of the charter members of this branch and one in whose honorable and successful career we have always taken the greatest interest and pride. The feelings of grief and anguish of the parents and family of our lamented Brother, who has been struck down so suddenly by the Angel of Death, while in the full glory and pride of his youthful manhood, are shared by us his brothers in the noble order of the C. M. B. A. Our deepest symputhy

s with his parents and family in their hour of sorrow and affliction. That God in His merey may console them, that He may lighten the heavy burden laid on their hearts by the sad death of our dear friend and Brother, is our

death of our dear triend
fervent prayer.
Resolved that this resolution be recorded by
the Secretary in the books of this branch and a
copy be forwarded by him to our late Brother's
family.
P. C. Murabeck, Pres.
H. J. Allen, Rec. Sec.

H. J. ALLEN, Rec. Sec.

Berlin, Ont., Nov. 3, 1891.

At a regular meeting held of Branch No. 12, Berlin, the following resolution was read and and unanimously adopted:

Whereas in view of the bereavement and sorrow which it has pleased the AlmightyGod in His infinite wisdom to inflict on our worthy Brother, George Lang, by the death of his dear wife, by whom he loses a most affectionate wife and the family a kind and loving mother, we all join Brother Lang and mourn for her who was in every way worthy of our respect and regard; be it

Resolved, that we sincerely condole with the family of the deceased in their hour of affliction and sorrow, and commend them for consolation to Him whose chastisements are meant in mercy.

consolation to Hull whose the season meant in mercy.
Resolved, that a copy of this resolution as a testimonial of sympathy be sent to Brother Lang and also publisher in the official organs of the C. M. B. A.
Signed in behalf of the Branch,
JOHN J. STUMPF, Sec.

C. M. B. A. Monthly. We have just received the Christmas number of the C. M. B. A. Journal, of Montreal. It is a very neat sixteen page paper, and reflects much credit on the publisher. A journal such as this, devoted entirely to society work, deserves, and we hope will receive, every encouragement. We congratulate Mr. Coffey on the success which has attended his efforts.

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A general meeting of the Catholic Mutual Benent Association was held on the 4th in the hall of Branch 29. Chancellor J. P. Nagent occupied the chair, and Chancellor J. P. Nagent occupied the chair, and Chancellor P. O'Reilly acted as Secretary. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

On motion of Grand Cancellor J. A. U. Benudry, it was Resolved that the members of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of the cty of Montreal desire to tender the Loberty, on his elevations to Chancellor C. Loberty, on his elevation to the dignity of Honorable Justice of the Superior Court, and feeling confident that he will always maintain long life and happiness in his new sphere of usefulness to his country. It was also the control of the city of Montreal are due and are hereby tendered to Brother J. J. Curran, Q. C., M. P., for his earnest exertions, which resulted in the appointment of Chancellor C. J. Doherty to the well-deserved dignity of judge of the Superior Court, and that we feel assured that said appointment will tend to reflect honor on himself as well as on the Honorable Justice. It was likewise testoved that the members of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of the city of Montreal are due served that said appointment will tend to reflect honor on himself as well as on the Honorable Justice. It was likewise testoved that the members of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of the city of Montreal desire to express to the Honorable Minister of Justice, Sir John Thompson, their sincer appreciation of the honor conferred on our Brother Chancellor, C. J. Doherty, by happointment as honorable judge of the Superior court, and beg to assure him that in this resolutions be sent to the city press, the CATHOLIC B. A. Journal, for publication.

Query Answered.

Lindsay, Dec. 19, 1891.

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Lindsay, Dec. 10, 1891.

DEAR SIR—Can a member of the C. M. B. A. who has held no office previous to the election of December, 1890, and was then elected trustee for a term of two years, be eligible for the office of President at the present December election? The Constitution is somewhat confused on this. Please answer and oblige

Yours.

J. A. GILLOGLY, Lindsay.

Section 3, article 4, page 74 says: "Term of Trustees shall be two years." The trustee referred to has been in office only one year; therefore not "a term or to the en' of a term, which is required to qualify an officer for the Presidency according to section 6 of same article. Still, although said section states this, it also says: "during some year." From which is ingulate inferred that a year in office qualifies an officer for presidency. It certainly seem year is qualified for the President's chair, while year is qualified for the President's chair, while the Committee on Lews, Brothor Dowdall, would give this matter his attention.

At the regular meeting of the E. B. A., Stratford, held in the C. M. B. A. hall last Monday evening, the following officers were declared elected for the coming year:

President Angus J McPhee, Vice-President Harry O'Neil, Rec. Secretary E J Kneil, Fin. Secretary John Badour, Treasurer John Wahl, Stewards Patrick Keegan, Peter Wahl and John Bart, Marshal John Bart, Ass't Marshal Peter Bart, Messenger Wm. Hartly, Executive Committee Nelson La Marche, Thos. Quirk, Anthony O'Meara and Owen Kane, Delegate to Convention J J Hagarty.

The above society meets the first and third Mondays in each month in the C. M. B. A. hall.

# DEPUTIES QUARREL.

THE ECCLESIASTICAL CONTROVERSY IN THE FRENCH CHAMBER-A CABINET CRISIS EX-

PRENCH CHAMBER—A CABINET CRISIS EXPECTED.

Parls, Dec. 11.—The ecclesiastical controversy caused a great disturbance in the Chamber of D-puties to-day. M. Hubbard introduced a motion condemning the hostile attitude of the clergy, and demanding that steps be taken for the separation of Church and State.

M. Fallieres, Minister of Justice and Public Worship, in replying to the motion, commented at length upon the conduct of the Archibishops of Aix and Bordeaux.

In response to an interruption, M. Floquet, the President of the Chamber, said that Pope Pius IX. had given his authority to Freemasonry and was bimself a Freemason.

M. de Cassagnac and M. Baudry d'Asson instantly jumped up and called M. Floquet a liar. A tremendous uproar ensued, lasting fully ten minutes. The members of the Right, shouting at the top of their voices, hurled various opprobrious epithes at the members of the Left, who responded with equal vigor. Cries of "Infamous," "Abominable" and the like were freely exchanged.

Bishop Freppel stated that M. Floquet's charge was a calumny and a slander.

Comte de Mun cried that M. Floquet's words were insulting and false.

Throughout the uproarious scene M. Floquet remained perfectly calm. When the claunor had subsided he simply remarked that the chair was poweriess to deal with fits of madness.

M. Fallieres, resuming his speech, said that the Government was opposed to the separation of Church and State. The Ministry, he continued, would shortly introduce a bill dealing with associations, which would apply equally to religious and secular communities. Headded, preduce to the separation of Church and State.

The debate was adjourned.

It is reported that after the debate M. Flequet and M. de Cassagrac appointed seconds, but that M. Cleuneccan interfered and succeeded in preventing the threatened duel.

It is the general opinion announcembers of the Chamber of Deputies and the debate was religious associations. The members of the Right, it appears, are determined to do their utmost to produce a crisis.

# The English Masses Stirring Up.

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A cable despatch to the associated press says: If the rural conference which opened on the 12th in London represented with absolute fidelity the spirit of the agricultural element of Great Britain, the country would be on the eve of a social and political revolution. No assemblage of supposed representative men ever held in England has displayed such envenomed hostility to parsons and land owners. Delegates boasting themselves as persistent parson fighters and denouncing squire lyramy, were chered to the echo, and their scornful allusions to the patronizing air of the clergy towards rural inhabitants were keenly relished. An occasional delegate feebly admitted that he had met a liberal landlord or an open-minded cleric, but the entire sympathy of the conference was reserved for the motto, "Down with the church and the landlords!" The conference, while

increasing yearly, and indicating clearly and actively an existent force to be accounted with in the coming elections, owes its greatest importance to its foreshadewing the fundamentary regricultural policy. When the spirit of the delegates permentes the electorate, the hereditary privilegés of landlordism and churchism will vanish.

# FIGHTING BETWEEN BRITISH

FORCES AND TRIBESMEN.

London, Dec. 14. — Official despatches received here from Calcutta state that there has been fighting between the British forces and the tribesmen in the vicinity of Gilgil, near the Pamir frontier, and not far from the boundary line recently claimed by Russia. In short, the British troops are now face to face with frontier tribesmen in arms, who are claimed to be under Russian protection, and most serious results may ensee from this clash of arms. At Gilgil there is a British army garrisoned by some Kashmires and Indian Ghoorkas and a battery of artillery. According to the latest advices received from the front, the tribesmen of Huntz and Nagar, two towns on the River Indus and almost opposite to each other, have for some time been threatening the Chalt fort, held by a detachment of Kashmires. This caused Col. Durand, the British agent at Gilgil, to make an advance upon the Chalt fort for the purpose of relieving the garrison. This advance of the British troops was made early during the present month, for on Nov. 25 Col. Durand wired the commander-in-chief that he should move upon the enemy on December 2 unless he was previously attacked by the tribesmen, who were reported to be assembling in large numbers and to have been instigated in their action by Russian agents.

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Col. Durand also telegraphed the same day that he feared that a serious conflict was inevitable, although he had done everything possible to prevent it. The Milt Hunza River flows a few miles from the fort threat-ened by the Indo-Russian tribesmen.

Other despatches just received here from Calcutta amnounce that Fort Chalt was captured on Dec. 2 and that several Sepoys were killed and twenty-six were wounded.

Miraculous Cure by the Prayers of the Nuns of the Order of the Preclous Blood.

To the Editor of the Empire :

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SIR—You are requested by one who can prove the facts to publish the following statement.

A SUBSCRIBER.

Toronto, December 3, 1891.

THE PATIENT'S STATEMENT.

For two years I have been suffering from phthisis or pulmonary consumption, and my physician had ceased to give me his care, declaring that he had no hope whatever of my recovery. I then recommended fervently myself to the Most Precious Blood of our Saviour Jesus, and asked novenas from the Sisters, adorers of the Precious Blood at the convent in Trois Rivieres, for my care. My family and I also made novenas in union with them, and since my children and I have not ceased to pray in thanks giving.

I now certify that I am completely cured, and can attend to my occupations regularly without feeling any fatigue.

A thousand thanks to the most precious blood of Jesus our Lord, who has granted me this great favor, for which I shall always feel the deepest gratitude! I say to those well suffer: go with confidence to the most precious blood of Jesus.

(Signed) Thiburee Lafontaine.

St. Stanislas, Que., Oct. 1, 1891.

DOCTOR'S CERTIFICATE OF CURE DOCTOR'S CERTIFICATE OF CURE.

I, the undersigned physician, here declare that I have been treating Mon. Thiburec Lafontaine for acute phthisis during two years, and I had despaired of recovery for him. To-day I am surprised to see that he is in perfect health. I feel sure that his cure was not effected by ordinary means.

FERDINAND TRUDEL, M. D. St. Stanislas, Que., 25th Oct., 189.

CERTIFICATE OF TWO PERSONS. CERTIFICATE OF TWO PERSONS.

We, the undersigned, having often seen and visited Monsieur Thiburce Lafontaine during two years of his illness, unlesitatingly say, to all appearance, his case was hopeless. We now certify that he is in perfect health and attending to his work. We are astonished at his cure, and we attribute it solely

to supernatural means.
(Signed) PHILIPPE DEPUIS.
JOSEPH PTTHE.
St. Stanislas, Que., October 25, 1891.

The campaign against the English sparrow in Chicago, Ill., hegan in carnest. City Clerk Van Cleave fixed up a special office and appointed Capt. Heywood, general license clerk, to take charge of the work of receiving the remains of this doomed tribe. Every minute brought either a batch of birds or an inquiry by some prospective Nimrod who wanted to learn the ropes before beginning the hunt. One youngster wanted to know if he would be nabbed by the police for shooting. He was assured that nothing would be allowed in the way of shooting inside the city limits, but that there were many better ways of obtaining sparrows. Each boy, as he appeared, was furnished with a copy of the act providing for the payment of bounties for the killing of English sparrows, and the method of securing an affidavit and the bounty afterward were also explained.

Inauguration of the New Chime o Bells in St. Mary's Church, Gloucester City.

Gloucester City.

The new chime of bells placed in the tower of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church at Gloucester City last week was fully inaugurated on Sunday by Prof. Mellon, chimer of St. Vincent's Church, Baltimore. This chime was made at the McShane Bell Foundry, of Baltimore, Md., said to be the largest establishment in the world engaged in the manufacture of church bells, chimes and peals of bells. It is composed of ten bells, the largest 3085 pounds, and the weights gradually decreasing to the smallest, which weights about 200 pounds. The total weight of all the bells, exclusive of the frames and attachments, is 10,673 pounds, and the entire value including delivery and putting in the tower, is \$2500, the tones or notes of the respective bells being D, E, F sharp, G, A, B, C sharp, D, E, the 1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th, 6th, 8th and 9th corresponding to the eight notes in the Major octave of D, and, by the addition of the C and the E, secures a series of six tones in the key of the 4th, or G, thus enabling the playing of very many well-known and popular tunes which could not otherwise be played. The 1st, 3d, 5th and 8th bells are mounted with full church mountings, thus securing a magnificent peal of bells, separate and distinct from the chime—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

A FAMOUS CANABLES of Religion.

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A FAMOUS CANADIAN COLLEGE.—The Ontario Business College, of Belleville, now in its twenty-third year, has achieved, through the excellence of its work and the success of its graduates, a reputation that secures for it a wide patronage throughout America All sections of Canada from the Adams of the Pacific, many of its States, and the West India Islands are constantly represented among its students. The text books of the college, "The Canadian Action that," "Johnson's Yofes, Drafts and Checks, they come. The ninth edition of "The Acountant," "Johnson's Notes, Drafts and Checks, they come. The ninth edition of "The Acountant is now in press, and nine editions of the other books have been published. Mr. J. W. Johnson, F. C. A., one of the principals, is this year first vice-president of the Institute of Chartered Accountants. Ontario Summers College, Belleville, enjoys the fullest confidence of the business College, Belleville, enjoys the fullest commercial fits graduates have been successfulmen in Toronto. Address Messrs. Robinson & Johnson, Belleville, for the twenty-third annual circular of the college.—Toronto Globe, Dec. 5.

Send 25 cts. and get a copy of Benzigers' Home Ainmanae for 1892.—THOS. COFFEY, London, Ont. Also to be had from our travelling agents.

JOHN HOWARD PARNELL.

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This gentleman, brother of the late C. S. Parnell, is on his way to Ireland. To a reportor he said:

"Of course we recognize the fact that the Paris fund was subscribed by patriotic people to aid the Irish in their struggle for life and freedom. I have knowledge that my brother's widow will not agree to the diversion of the fund, as she is ardently devoted to the cause of Home Rule. In this I agree with her, and thus we are as one, and this will give me the lever with which to open negotiations. Without reviewing the causes which led to their (the Irish leaders) estrangement, I will say that over the grave of the leader, whose personal patriotism no one ever questioned, union should be declared. As the representative of the Paruell family, I will insist that no further quarrel should be kept up over differences, whether wisely or unwisely inaugurated, so that the two factions may come together. I am confident of the place which history will give to Charles Stuart Parnell. As the man who set in motion the ball for Irish freedom, his family will insist that his personal affairs are no longer matters of debate. Taking up the platform upon which he led the Irish people to the polls in 1885, we can still unite and stand upon it. I would propose that some such man as William O'Brien, holding the confidence of the Irish people, should be called to the leadership, around whom all should rally. We would then surrender the Paris fund into the hands of the man thus chosen. I am sure that this is a reasonable proposition, and, coming from our side, it should be readily accepted. I regret that so much rancer has been displayed, but that is all past now and our duty is with the future."

James Murphy, St. Marys.

The funeral obsequies of the late James Murphy, a seminarian, who died on Nov. 30, were held at St. Joseph's Church, St. Mary's, on Thursday, 3rd inst. The deceased had been studying for the priesthood, and would have been ordained at Christmas. He was a very promising young nan and of a kindly pature which made him very popular, a fac to which his large funeral fully testified.
Owing to the illness of Rev. Father Brennan,
the Rev. Dr. Kilroy, of Stratford, officiated. In his discourse he alluded to the many qualities of heart and mind which adorned In his discourse he alluded to the many qualities of heart and mind which adorned the deceased, ranking him among the cieries of the Church, as he had received the tonsure. The choir, under the direction of Miss Shea, the organist, rendered the Gregorian Mass effectively, Miss McKeough as-stine with the accompaniments. At the offeriory "Neurer, my God, to Thee" was stain in quartette by Miss Clarke, Messrs, J. and M. Fleming and Mr. McKeough. After the elevation the beautiful solo, "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," was rendered with feeling and expression by Mr. McKeough. The service being concluded, the funeral cortege wended its way to the cemetery, where all that was mortal of the deceased was laid to rest amid the tears of his sorrowing friends. To the aged father, the surviving parent, we extend our deepest sympathy. His trial is no ordinary one. He had already given two of his daughters to the service of God in the Order of st. Joseph am now the crowning desire of his life—to see his son in the ranks of the priesthood—see has son in the ranks of the priesthood—see has son in the ranks of the priesthood—see has donut to be consummated, when the Almighty, in His inserutable wisdom, saw fit to require of him this greater sacrifice. May God sustain him in this sad h-ur and give him grace to sub-

LAST SAD RITES. - The funeral of Mrs. Hearne, nee Leonore O'Grady, took place from St. Mary's Church, Toronto, last Sun day. The deceased was the four months' day. The deceased was the four months' bride of Mr. Maurice Hearne, and died of heart disease at Denver, Colorado, on Dec. 1. The remains were interred in the family plot of the R. C. cemetery in her native city. Relatives from Windsor attended the funeral. Mrs. Hearne was a grand-daughter of Mrs. Kilroy, Goyeau street.— Windsor Record, Dec. 11.

# The Mayoralty, 1892

TO THE ELECTORS:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—My name having been connected with the Mayoralty, I beg respectfully to state that I have received so many requests to become a candidate for the men and women of London—irrespective of political or other distinctions—that I consider it my duty to accede to the requests candidate for the position of Mayor, and respectfully, solicit your suff-ages. If elected, I shall endeavor faithfully to serve the interests of the City as a whole, and as far as possible of every elector.

Yours respectfully.

# Handsome Calendar

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Section .

EXTENSION OF TIME.

The time for receiving tenders for the construction of a Post Office at Petrolia, Ont., is hereby extended to Tuesday, 25th December By order, E. F. E. ROY, Secretary.

epartment of Public Works, ) Ottawa, 12th Dec., 1891.

MARRIED

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On Wednesday, Nov. 25, 1801, at St. Peter's Cathedral, Marquette, Mich., Mr. Mathew Dillon, of Paw Paw, Mich., and Lizzie A. Coleman, of Marquette, Mich., were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Langan before a large assembly of friends of the contracting parties. The sgroomsmon was Mr. William Bernard, of Duluth, and the bridesmald Miss Katle Kines, of Marquette.

## MARKET REPORTS.

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London, Dec. 17.— Grain (per cental) — Red winter, 1.45 to 1.50; whi e, 1.45 to 1.50; spring 1.45 to 1.55; rye, 90 to 1.10; barley, malt. 93 to 1.60; barley, teed, 85; oats, 90; peas, 95 to 1.90; beans, buss, 90 to 1.10; barley, teed, 85; oats, 90; peas, 95 to 1.90; beans, buss, 90 to 1.63.

PRODUCE—Eggs, fresh, dozen, 22 to 55; eggs, packet, 18 to 19; butter, best roll, 18 to 19; butter, large roll, 36 to 17; butter, crocks, 16 to 17; creamery, retail, 29 to 11; creamery, thus lessale, 18 to 10; hay, ton, 9,00 to 11,90; dax seed, bush, 1.40 to 1.50; cheese, lb, wholesale, 94 to 10; dry wood, 4.50; to 5.00; green wood, 4.50 to 10; trailow, rough, 2 to 3; tailow, cake, 4 to 1; tailow, rough, 2 to 3; tailow, cake, 4 to 5; tard, 10 to 11; straw, load, 2.75 to 1.00; clover seed, bush, 4.50 to 5.00; ansike seed, bush, 5.00 to 7.00; Timothy, bush, 1.25 to 1.50.

Vegetatabares, pr doz., 15 to 45; beets, per bag, 35 to 45; cabbarges, per doz., 15 to 45; beets, per bag, 35 to 35; carrots, per bag, 25 to 35; parsnips, per bag, 30.

Poultrey (dressed)—Spring chickens, perpr.

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Pout try (dressed)—Spring chickens, perpr., 35 to 50; fowls, per lb., 6 to 7; fowls, pr., 35 to 5); dacks, pr., 55 to 85; dacks, lb., 5 to 7; geese, each, 5) to 55; geese lb., 5 to 8; tarkey, lb., 7 to 8; turkey, sech, 1.5) to 2.90; peafowls, each, 65 to 75. 6 75. MEAT—Beef, by carcass, 4.50 to 5.50; mutton, oer lb., 55 to 6; lamb, per lb., 6to 7; lamb, lb., per quarter) 8 to 9; veal, per carcass, 6 to, pork, per cwt., 5.00 to 5.25; pork, per quarter

6 to 7. Live S rock—Horses, 95.00 to 203,00; milch cows, 35.00 to 45.00; live hogs, cwt., 4.61; pigs, pr., 2.3-to 5.00; fat beeves, 4.00 to 4.50; spring lambs, 35.0 to 4.00.

cows, 35,90 to 45,90; live hogs, cwt., 4,90; pigs, pr., 2,5 to 5,00; fat beees, 4,90 to 4,50; spring lambs, 5,5 to 4,00.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—CATTLE—Burchers cattle were dull, although the class of stock offered for sale was not up to the mark. Better stock would have commanded a fair sale. Interior and rough cows brought from 21 to 24; good was quoted at 3 to 34, and top 4c. The prices were not changed much from those quoted the first of the week, but were, if anything, a shade lower. Among the transactions were:

Milcel Cows—There was a good demand for good stock fresh calved, Five fair sold at 43,60 per head, and alot offour sold for 215,100. Stockers were dull; they brought from 30,90 to 35,90 per head and from 3,00 to 3,25 per cwt. Toere was a small dead by brought from 30,90 to 35,90 per head and from 3,00 to 3,25 per cwt. Toere was a small dead from 3,00 to 3,25 per cwt. Toere was a small shade at 25c; and one weighing 1,750 lbs. brought as high as 35c per b. The prices remain about the same, at from 25 to 35c per br.

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CALVES—The demand was small and there was little doing in them. There was some fairly good stock in, but they were a slow sale. Hoos—Business was quiet and prices casy. In hardly any case did they bring over 4,50 per cwt. Fourteen, well-hing 2,900 lbs. sold at 2,50 per cwt. Fourteen, well-hing 2,900 lbs. sold at 2,50 per cwt. Prosteed hogs are at present offering freely and at a low price, and the demand for blought for export or by outside dealers.

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Toronto, Dec. 17.—WHEAT — No. 2, red 92c 93c; No. 1, hard, Man., 1.95; No. 2, hard, 93c 1.09; No. 3, hard, 93c to 33c; spring, No. 2, 9 to 92c; barley, No. 1, 59c to 57c; No. 2, 53c 54c; No. 3, extra, 51 to 58c; No. 3, 49 to 59 peas, No. 2, 62 to 63; oats, No. 2, 33c to 35 corn. 70c to 71c; flour, extra, 4.00 to 43 traight roller, 4.19 to 4.29; hogs, dressed, 4 to 5.59; hay (Timothy), ton, 11.59 to 12.00; ry 91c to 92c.



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