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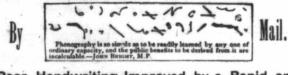
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when the Sacred College is complete, is 70, but at present there are six hats vacant. Among the list appear the following English-speak-ing Cardinals:—Moran, Archbishop Sydney; Vaughan, of Westmin ster; Logue, of Armage, and Gibbone, of Boltimore. Seven of the 'ardinals now living were created by Pope Pius IX., and 57 by Leo XIII., and no fewer than 106 mer bers of the Ocllege have died since his accession. In England and Wales there are 17 Bishops, including the "Vicar Apostelie" of Wale and in Soctland seven more; the 3,014, and they serve, 1,789 churches, chapels and missions. Of Our Father's voice these pricats, 2,090 are of the secular and 924 of the regular clergy. Besides the above, there are resider in England one Archbishop and two Bishops of titular sees (in partibus), ances in which he says : It would

who are not included in the above be well to dissociate the Catholic ummary. The Catholic faith people of Sligo from any participais professed by 41 Peers of tion in or sympathy with the one England, Scotland and Ireland, by act of violence that has been com-53 Baronets, by 15 Privy Council- mitted possibly by some wanton ore, by 3 Euglish and 67 Irish boy. While doing so, and while members of Parliament. The es- making it perfectly clear that you

Snow, O. S. B., concluded on a reof sermons in St. George's Cathedral, Southwark upon the Catholic land generally by the visit of his Church and the Labor Question. Eminence Cardinel Vaughan, Arch-The right Rev. gentleman, who is bishop of Westmiuster, who, not-The undersigned having been appointed sois selling Agents in the Province of Prince Edward Island for the above Company's mines in Cape Breton, and no prepared to issue orders for Round, Stack and Run of Mines, and will keep a stock of each kind of Coal on hand to supply customers at lowest prices.

but in all their struggles they had beautiful marble pu'pit and eiegant; though the Church has ever sternly discountenanced mixed marriages, In future it may be said that no still the evil exists to a considerable visitor to Glasgow will have done and has just been read to the Channel, justice to the spirit of Cathelloid. and has just been made the subject existing there, more especially of a notable deliverance by the Bishop of Salford. In a letter urging out seeing St. Francis', and it is of a notable deliverance by the Bish-op of Selford. In a letter urging out seeing St. Francis', and it is the claims of the Protection and resily magnificent evidence of the

Besone Society his Lordship writes : "The funds of the society might be

Dec. 20 was a joyous and eventful day in the usually quiet little town of Swinford, in East Maye. It was known that his lordship, the Most Rev. Dr. Lyster, the Lord Bishop, of Achonry, was to visit this part of his diocese after his recent return from Rome, and the people, one and sil, looked forward to the cocasion with the greatest possible interest. His lordship was met at the railway station by the respected parish priest, the Very Rev. Dean of Speech or of wisdom declaring unto you the testimony of Christ. But I judged myself," that is, I determined, "not to know anything among you but Jesus Christ and him crucified." But why should the preaching of Christ and him crucified." But why should the preaching of Christ and him crucified he unpopular with the modern Protestant preachers? Simply because a crucified Saviour declaration that was to last till the end of the world, and that it should beats stayed on Him who is our life, our comfort, our hope and our jy forevermore.

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Of hope, and love, and never failing praye

The Bishop of Elphie, Right Rev. Dr. Clancy, has written a letter or the Sligo screet preaching disturb-

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Staunton and several of the parish- for it. This was the burden of the spostles' preaching, "Jesus Christ ners." "He came to call not th righteous, but sinners to repent-ance." He freely suffered and died on the cross to make atonement for sin. The Gosp I of the Cross takes importance of so living in this world as to secure a happy destiny in that ing. The Gospel of the Cross im og our lives with the requirements of God's law, and making it the great business of life to live for sternity. This is repugnant to the natural man, absorbed with the

business and pleasures of the world, and so the world? preacher avoids the offensive topic. He amuses his bearers with the discussion of political and social topics, and questions of theoretical ethics, with the state by the enemies of revels. result that his sormons are, and must always be, as busks and stone to souls hungering for the food of eternal life. What such preacher lack, of course, is the apostolic spirit-that spirit which determined St. Paul to know nothing but Jusus Christ and him crucified. But how can they have the apostolic spirit without the apostolic faith? This

is the great need, a firm, living, unoubting, abiding faith in the great with a holy enthusiasm and a burn-

what they want. They know that that it must have rested on some

with apost lie zeal. It fills them sufficient basis of faith in grevealed will transform their lives and make firmed and attested by a competent

The Church and the Bible.

their Bible from the Church. An Ideal City. This is the title which Rev. Ethelred L. Taunton bestows upon 1. It is not true that Christianit rests on the New Testament, and therefore the assertion that it does is not a Catholic doctrine. The very per on which place he contributes senger of the Sacred Heart. Father rests for its validity, authority, and inspiration on Christianity. It is a Taunton tells us that, although historical fact that Christianity, or Bruges may have lost some of the the Christian Church, was foundedbuilt on a rock-by ou. Divine Lord erities of the Gospel of Jesus order about three generations befo the New Testament was completed the soul of the preacher will be fired and some years before any part of it was written. Now, as the Church of St. Sauveur, which, he says, is ing desire for the salvation of the of Christ existed, teaching and ad- most interesting when regarded as souls of his people. He need not ministering means of grace and sal. a parochial church, and where timated Catholic population of condemn outrage of any kind equalbe afraid that his people will not vation long before the New Testathe United Kingdom is nearly by with your Protestant fe lowrespond to his call. That is just ment came into existence, it follows balf hour from 5.30 till the chapter they are sinners. They know that thing else than that book. That versary ones often celebrated at foundation on which it rested before later hours. What is better still, with an offended God. They long to the New Testament existed is the these Musses are well attended, for be roused—to be stimulated—to have same that it has rested on ever since. "no good B ugeois," says Father their faith revived. And oh, how and will continue to rest on until the sweetly, how like heaven's own call angel of eternity calls the mu ter the day without assisting at the sounds the precious invitation of the roll of time. The New Testament is Holy Sacrifice; and there are but Gospel of the crucified Saviour to a product of Christianity; it was few who do not return in the eventhem! Jesus speaks to them from written by ministers of the Chris- ing to get the last blessing of the the cross as he spoke in tones of tian Church, with whose names we Father of the family." pity and forgiveness to the penitent are all familiar. But as a mere un- have descriptions of the devotion thief. His gospel thrills their souls inspired record of events and the shown by all classes when the Viato their very depths when presented opinions of its writers it is not a ticum is borne publicly to some high authority on all matters af withstanding the urgent claims of them good citizens, good fathers and suthority before it can be made a of Corpus Christi, which is really a mothers, good brothers and sisters, basis of divine faith or the ground state affair, the authorities, civil and large congregations throughout. present and preach at the reopenGoing back to the time of the early ing of St. Francis' Church, Cumgood and charitable members of of reasonable belief. The only belief the early indicated the content of the carry of the content of the carry o Ohristians he showed that it was berished stree', S. S., on completion owing to the influence of the Church of the new anctuary and high and that slavery was abolished in Equation 1. The only inspiration of the New Testament is form this wretched graded and splendor; and every parish in that slavery was abolished in Equation 1. that slavery was abclished in Europe, and that in all ages she and the chancel and isles. The charthere is so much suffering and which Christ established to teach the chancel and isles. The charthere is so much suffering and which Christ established to teach of particular saints happens and her ministers had been the friends acter of the work performed may and protectors of the weak. After be judged from the fact that it cost and protectors of the weak. After referring to encyclical letters issued by his Holiness Leo XIII. in the cause of labor and the enormous influence for good exercised by the late Cardinal Manning, the preacher went on to refer to the splendid services performed by the clergy of Ireland for the poor and oppressed. The people of that country had met with starvation, trouble, and death,

with starvation, trouble, and death, the High Altar reposer, and the but in all their struggles they had essurial marble pupit and siegants are instruction, trouble, and death, the High Altar reposer, and the we find this apostolic faith which is this court affirmed its inspiration, Council, and was excommunicated to constitute the source and attimute wast books are inspired of God professor at Nuremberg, he refused upon the heart. But where shall we find this apostolic faith which is to court affirmed its inspiration, Council, and was excommunicated but in ell their struggles they had ever with them the priests. Alter a design intended though the Church has ever sternly discountenanced mixed marriages, at future it may be said that no extent on the still the evil exists to a considerable visitor to Glasgow will have done extent on the slde of the Church has ever to the Church has ever sternly still the evil exists to a considerable visitor to Glasgow will have done extent on the slde of the Church or concrete Christianity, not Christianity on the Bible. Men come to a knowledge of the Bible as of whom were laymen. He was we do not deny, now, that there such through the teaching of the Bible as bitter against the dogma of Papal interestants some preachers who seem to have a certain appreciation of the great fundamental truths of the Christian faith—the Incarnation, the divinity of Christ and his mediastructive viscissitudes of ag. 8. But loviel death upon the creas for our some one will sak. "How an the