THE TRUE WITNESS AND CATHOLIC CHRONICLE.

Some years ago there died at the burning Hospital for Jusane sman who had once been a prominent at-torney of Chleago. Although he died penniless he left a will which was duly sent to the probate court and there remains on file as an ab-solutely unique document. Referring to this will at the time, the Chicago "Tramed with such perfection of form and detail that no flow be found in its legal phraseo matters, yet 'devising' only those beauties and blessings which the Great Father long ago devised to all human creatures." It is here republished for the sake of its in-

trinsic beauty of expression: "I, Charles Lounsberry, being of sound and disposing mind and me-mory, do hereby make and publish this, my last will and testament, in order, as justly as may be, to distribute my interest in the among succeeding men. That part interest, which is known in law and recognized in the sheep bound volumes as my property, be-ing inconsiderable and of no account, I make no disposition of in this, my will. My right to live, being but a life estate, is not at my disposal, but these things excepted, all else in the world I now proceed to devise and bequeath.

"Item. I give to good father and mothers in trust for their children, all good little words of praise and encouragement, and all quain pet names and endearments, and I charge said parents to use them justly, but generously, as the needs of their children shall require.

"Item: I leave to children inclu sively, but only for the term of their childhood, all and every, the flowers of the fields, and the blossoms of woods, with the right to play among them freely according to the customs of children, warning them at the same time against thisties and thorns. And I devise to children the banks of the brooks . and the golden sands beneath the waters thereof, and the odors of the willows that dip therein and the white clouds that float high over the giant

"And I leave to children the long, long days to be merry in, in a thousand ways, and the night, and the moon, and the train of the milky way to wonder at, but subject, nevertheless, to the rights hereinafter given to lovers.

"Item: I devise to boys jointly, all the useful, idle fields and commons. where ball may be played; all plea sant waters where one may swim; all snowclad hills, where one may coast; and all streams and ponds where one may fish, or where, when grim winter comes, one may skate, to have and to hold these same for the period of their boyhood. all meadows, with the clover blossoms and butterflies thereof; the woods with their appurtenances, the squirrels and the birds and echoes and strange noises, and all distant places which may be visited, toge ther with the adventures there found. 'And I give to said boys each his own place at the fireside at night, with all the pictures that may he seen in the burning wood, to enjoy without let or hindrance, and without any incumbrance of care.

"Item : To lovers, I devise their imaginary world with whatever they may need, as the stars of the sky red roses by the wall, the bloom of the hawthorne, the sweet strains of music, and aught else they may desire to figure to each other the and beaufy

ingly as in Rev. Father Bryant, the priest in charge of the Catholic Church at Casper.' When the news of the disaster came into Casper, Father Bryant was the first volunteer to go to the scene of the wreck. In company with Buperintendent Cantillion, Superin-tandent Spencer, Dr. Dean, Dr. Gil-lan, Joseph Harris and eighty-two Austrian laborers, he left Casper at Austrian laborers, he left Casper at 11 o'clock at night, in the midst of a steady downpour of rain. bridge over the North Platte River

was not sufficiently strong to bear the weight of a train, and the party travelled on handcars. A mile west of Cadoma the rain

undaunted, abandoned the cars ty, and started to walk the remaining fourteen miles of the distance to the wreck.

Mile after mile they plowed through the utter darkness and the deepening snow, suffering agonies from cold and exhaustion. One by one the sturdy Austrian laborers, men of more brawn than courage. gave up the struggle and fell by the track, but Father Bryant, slight, of build and seemingly not possessed of even ordinary strength, pushed stea-How great an ordeal dily ahead. that trip was to him he only will ever know, but never once did he falter or make complaint. Miles away in the darkness and the storm men were suffering and men were dying in need of spiritual consolation which he might give, and his high purpose urged him on his orrand of mercy. Behind him labored the two physicians, heroically carry ing their skill to the aid of the same sufferers, and with them came the remainder of the dwindling band. Time after time Superintendent Spencer fell from exhaustion and was aided by others less tired. Near Seminole, twenty-three miles out, Harris gave up and was practically carried into the station, where the party were revived by food and

warmth. Scant time was lost at this haven however, before the weary trip was resumed. Father Bryant was the first to leave Seminole and the first to arrive at the wreck. Immediate ly he went among the injured, offe

baptising those who desired it, cheer ing and comforting. Too much cannot be said of the

courage of the physicians and of the others of the heroic little band that accompanied him, but the cour-\$4.10; winter wheat patents, \$4.25 age of the priest, frail of body but to \$4.50; and straight rollers, mighty of determination, stands out \$3.90 to \$4 in wood; in bags, clear cut and distinct-a golden deed \$1.75 to \$1.90; extra, in bags, of heroism. He carried a message \$1.35 to \$1.50. which the others could not deliver, and a relief greater than the soothing of physical suffering He knew where his duty lay when the message of the disaster came to Casper, and he did not hesitate to confront the obstacles that were between him dinary, \$1.50 for granulated and it. No duty as an employe or hope of emolument inspired him to ly knew that there were none other there could take them, and he carried it

Father Bryant is the kind of man Mr. Carnegie was thinking of when he established the hero fund.

When Dr. Williams' Pink Pills re-place bad blood with good blood they strike straight at the root of all common ailments like anaemia decline, indigestion, kidney and live

with 50 cents a box, or six boxes for Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Cone of Vesuvius

A mile west of the snow, and it that the crater cone crowning Vesu-became impossible for the hand cars If the report proves to be tru not be surprising. During the most violent eruptions of some volcanoes the whole tops have been blown away. Most of the eruptions of Ve- all the firms will have to buy next suvius are of a much milder type than those which have torn moun tains to pieces, as at Krakatoa, but even so, the top of Vesuvius has time and again been changed. As vices yesterday say that Canadian Le crater have sometimes been melted ger hundred weight, and that or fallen in, and most of the debris has finally been thrown out on the and rising market.

slopes, greatly enlarging the crater within which a new cone of eruption has been formed. Thus cone has been reared within cone, and no volcano shows the history of such volcanic forms better cones, one within the other. suvius has been surrounded by where it is called Monte Somma, and at 9c to 10c per lb. it is traceable in some degree nearly

activity has gone on destroying these cones and rebuilding them. The precone through which in recent years quiet market. the volcanic ejections have found

outlet.

bags of 90 lbs.

Cornmeal-\$1.30 to \$1.40 for or-

shorts, \$21.

ton on track; No. 2, \$7 to \$7.50; clover, \$5.50 to \$6; clover mixed,

Oats-No. 2, 41c per bushel; No. 3, 40c; No. 4, 39c. Peas.-Boiling, in car load lots

PROVISION MARKET.

The local market for dressed hogs is keeping steady on a fair demand from retailers, who are paying from \$10.25 to \$10.50 for their stock. The strength that has developed re-cently in the English bacon market has also had a good effect on the trade in general. Hams, bacon, and

all cuts of cured and smoked meats are quiet, but lard and barrel pork are firm, with the general upward tendency of the market. Messrs. A. C. Doughty & Co., pro-vision merchants, of London, Eng-land, writing under date of April 11, says that : "The bacon market is not quite s

good this week, and yesterday agents were easing prices about 1s both for Canadian and Danish. The reason for this is that there was a good quantity of Danish bacon left over from last week, and agents have been pressing sales in order to make a clearance of their stock before the Easter holidays, as after that there will be no bacon trade for a week This, of course, has the effect of naking Canadian + bacon easier. but we think the lull is only temporary, for this week, and we feel sure that week, and pay the price.

Since the date of the letter market has taken the firmer feeling and again been changed. As vices yesterday say that Canadian Conte shows, the sides of the bacon has advanced from 2c to 3 bacon has advanced from 2c to Sc long cut hams are wanted on a stron

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COUNTRY PRODUCE.

There is a fair demand reported for than Vesuvius. Scrope's diagram of maple products, and prices show no Vesuvius in 1756 shows four of these change. Sales of maple syrup For ages the active cone of Vea 6c to 64c per lb. in wood. Sugar rampart, very high on one side, is still somewhat scarce and wanted

Business in honey continues all around. This is nothing else quiet. We quote as follows: then the remains of a great crater clover comb, 13c to 13gc; White buck of Vesuvius, miles in diameter, with- wheat comb at 10c to 11c; white in which the subsequent cones of extracted at $7\frac{1}{2}c$ to $8\frac{1}{2}c$; and buck-eruption were formed. The volcanic wheat at $6\frac{1}{2}c$ to $6\frac{1}{2}c$ per lb. Beans are firm and in good de mand at \$1,55 per bushel for whole sent phase of the process, if the re-sale lots, and in a jobbing way at port is accurate, is the destruction \$1.60 to \$1.65 per bushel. Hand in whole or in part of the active picked are quoted at \$1.70 on

> Boiling peas are steady at \$1 \$1.10 per bushel, and the demand is quite up to the supply.

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Trade in spring wheat grades flour is reaching fair proportions, , and prices are holding steady, but

Ontario grades are quiet owing to the millers holding for higher prices than buyers will offer. Rolled oats are firm and unchangat \$2 to \$2.05 per bag for

small lots, and \$1.95 by the carload. Cornmeal is dull and steady

\$1.30 to \$1.40 per bag for ordin-ary ground, and \$1.50 for granulated There is no change to report on

e millfeed market, which is maintained in its firm position by a continued scarcity of offerings of the grades most wanted on this market.



Everything for First Communion Wear

We've been getting ready a long time for this import int event, and now stocks are in splendid shape to supply every conceivable want for either hoys' or misses' wear. All parents will take a pride in seeing their children appropriately dressed for this eventful ceremony. No bet ter place than Carsley's to do so in good style but not expensively

Boy's First Communion Suits FOR BOYS OR CIRL'S, MODERATELY PRICED

Boys' three piece suits for First Communion wear, made of

Boys' two-piece suits, in fine quality all-wool black Venetian cloth smartly cut and perfect fitting, fancy pleats back and front, silk sewn, lined best quality farmer's satin throughout, equal in quality and workmanship to a \$7 suit. Special price\$5.50

First Communion suit, made in Eton style, of best quality Boys'

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Misses' Fine White Lawn Communion Dresses, made with full skirt and deep hem, full tucked waist and yoke with wide embroi

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Boys' Fine White Shirts, reinforced fronts, open back, with cuffs attached. Extra well made and perfect fitting. All sizes ... 50c White Silk Ties, for First Communion, in Windsor, String, Derby 230

Boys' White Linen Collars, very good quality, in high tarnover, straight, turndown or Eton style. Prices range from 9c to 20c

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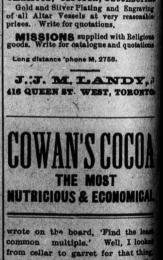
1765 to 1783 Notre Dame St .. 184 to 194 St. James St. Montres

Millionaire's Two Minute Sermon.

The millionaire was David R. For gan, vice-president of the First Na tional Bank, Chicago. He preached his short sermon to the representatives of seventy-three denominations Here are some of the test points of this lay preacher: "Perhaps you think it impossible that a man's soul should entirely shrivel up in the pursuit of wealth. If you knew some millionaires as well as I know them you would agree with me that they had lost the last vestige of the

souls they may be presumed to have possessed before the mania for money-getting possessed them. I would like to acquire millions, but if the process is going to make me like some of the old devils I know who are millionaires I don't want money. To me there can be sadder sight than an old man, * n

Oats are firm, but there was no further change to-day in spite of wealth, but eager only to increase the small receipts and the brisk en- it before he topples from the earth. quiry that is reported on all sides. No. 2 white are quoted ex store at 41c per bushel, No. 8 at 40c, and No. 4 at 89c. Here the bushel is an at a store at the store at the store at the board is the board is the board is the store at the



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ly he went among the injured, offer-ing the divine consolation of faith, MONTREAL WHOLESALE PRICES GRAIN MARKETS. April 24. Flour-Manitoba spring wheat pa-Rolled Oats-\$2.00 to \$2.05 per ed

Pearl Hominy-\$1.85 to \$1.90 in bags of 98 lhs.

Mill Feed .- Ontario bran io bulk,

hope of emolument inspired him to undertake the fearful trip. He mere-\$20.50; Manitoba bran in bags, \$20 to Hay-No. 1, \$8 to \$8.50 per

\$6.00 to \$6,50.

and brave choruses to sing with lusty voices. "Ttem: And to those who are no longer children, or youths, or lov-	to 70c. Beans-Prime pea beans, \$1.65 to \$1.70 per bushel; hand picked, \$1.80 per bushel. Money-White clover in comb, 13c to 14c per pound section; extract, 8c to 14c per pound section; extract, 8c to 14c per pound section; extract, 8c to 9c; buckwheat, 6c to 6jc. Maple Syrup-60c to 65c per 9 lh. tin; maple sugar, 9c to 10c per pound. Provisions-Barrels heavy Canada short cut pork, \$22,50; light short cut, \$21.50; barrels clear fat back, \$22.50; compound lard, 7½c to 7½c; Canadian purejlard, 11½c to 12½c; kettle rendered, 12½c to 13½c; hams, 13½c to 15c, according to size; breakfast bacon, 16c to 17c; Windsor bacon, 15c to 15½c fresh killed ahattoir dressed hogs, \$10.25; contry dressed, at \$9.25 to \$9.50; alive, \$7.50 to \$7.60 for selects. Egga-New laid, 15c to 15½c per doze. Rutter-Choicest oreamery, 20c to Sic; undergrades, 1wc; deiry, 16a to 18c. Dhesse-Colored, 12½c; white, 12c. Ashe-First pots, \$5.10; seconds, \$4.60 to \$4.65; thred, \$7.00 for	A fairly active local trade is pass- ing in baled hay, and there is a firm undertone to the market. STURDY BABIES. STURDY BABIES. The every home where Baby's Own Tablets are used you will find rosy, sturdy, good-natured babies because these Tablets cleanse the stomach and bowels, aid digestion, and thus bring perfect health. Ask any mo- ther who has used the Tablets and she will tell you there is no other medicine so good. Mrs. Jamee Hall, Beach Hill, N.S., says : "My baby was troubled with indigestion, was dross and peevish and rapidly losing flesh. I got Baby's Own Tablets and less than a box cured him and he has ever since enjoyed good health and is growing splendidly." Mothers should remember that this medicine is absolutely safe, and can be given to the weakest, tendenest baby, or to the stundy weil-grown boy or girl with equally good effect.	every small town has its wealthy men who never part with a dollar if they can help it. My last word to the man who would succeed is "Save your soul." For what shall it profit a man that, if to gain the whole world, he lose his soul in the striving ?"" A DUDE'S USEFULNESS. "What is your idea of a dude?" he asked of a bright Washington girl. "A dude," (she answered, after re- flection, "is a young man who isn't good for anything except to hang a chryssathemum on."-The Colum- blad. HARD TO FIND. A janitor of a school threw up his job the other day, says "Primary Education." When asked the trou- ble he stid : "I'm honest, and I won't stand being slurred. If I find a pendi or a handkerchief about the school when I'm sweeping i hang or put it up. Fivery Bitle while	would meet it on the street. L night, in big writin' on the bla board, it said, "Find the great common devisor." Well,' I says myself, 'both of them things are b now; and I'll be accused of the 'em, so I'll quit !' " It Has Many Offices.—Before German soldier starts on s ' h march he rubs his feet with tall for his first care is to keep his in good condition. If he knew i Dr. Thomas' Eelectric Oil would of much better service he we throw away his tallow and pasi few bottles of the Oil in his m sack. There is nothing like it.
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