May 30, 1883.

contemporary gives for disagreeing with the Hon. Senator's proposal is decidedly unfortunate. If the News had only retrospected a little, it would have seen that a large number, if not the majority, of the senators are political fossils and the outcasts of constituencies that refused to elect them as representatives in the House of Commons. The real fact is that the class of politicians who compose our Senates, Provincial and Federal, are men who were prevented from mingling in responsible public life by the popular decision of the ballot.

THE following figures, giving the difference between the expenditure per head of the population on war and on education in the various European States, which have been compiled by Mr. Leon Donnat, a Belgian statistician, are very suggestive :---

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This comparison, of course, takes no account of the great waste entailed by the sacrifice of the labor of able-bodied men during the period of military service.

THS third of Oarey's victims, the youthful Michael Fagan, was duly hanged yesterday in Klimsinham jail. He died protesting his inno. cence, and the black flag, the emblem of England's rule in Ireland, was hoisted to inform the world that, whicher guilty or inno. cant, the objects of British vengeance must pay the penalty marked out for them by packed juries, partizin or "hanging " judges, and by perjured assassins and informers.

A PARAMOUNT DUTY.

To the Easter of The TRUE WITNESS :

DEAR SIB,--- "History repeats itself." In 1155 an Englishman, Brakspeare, was Supreme Pontiff; John of Sallsbury, the right hand man of Henry II. of England, in that year. brought from Rome a gold ring set with an emerald, as a token of the gift of Ireland by that Pontiff to that King; the Buil of that Pontiff, which John of Sallsbury also brought to that King, authorized Henry II. to conquer Ireland, "for the eradication of vice, the implanting of virtue and the spread of the true Of course this could only be faith." done, as in the case of Mahomet, the sword; and it was so with done; and, in the persons of the successors of Henry II., the heel of despotiem, with one only short and prillant intermission, has been for the last seven centuries on the neck of Ireland. For proofs of the authority of that Bull see "McGee's History of Ireland," volume I, page 139.

A second time, in 1814, the saintly Pontiff, Plus VII., was the prisoner in France of the whom the Sopreme Pontifi had in his absence confided the administrative powers of the Pontifi, listened to the sweet voice of the infamous Castlereagh and ad dressed to Dr. Poynter, Vicar Apostolic of the London district, a rescript, commendatory of the Emancipation—Bill of 1813, with its Protestant Ecclesiastical Commission. to ϵ_x . the Bees of Meath, Uloyne, Olonfert, Kerry, Waterford, Derry, Achonry, Killsla, Killaloe, Kilmore, Ferns, Limerick, Eiphin, Cork, Down and Connor, Ossory, Raphoe, Clogher, Dromore, Kildare and Leighlin and Ardagb, unanimously adopted resolutions strongly condemnatory of the rescript. The concluding resolution is a gem : "Though we "sincerely venerate the supreme pontiff as "sincerely venerate the supreme point as "head of the Church, we do not conceive that "our apprehensions for the safety of the Church in "our apprehensions for the safety of the Church in the Sicretary for his valuable services, the meeting adjourned to meet again on June 12in. " Ireland can or ought to be removed by any "determination of His Holiness, adopted, or "intended to be adopted, not only without our "concurrence, but in direct opposition to "our repeated resolutions and the very "energetic memorial presented on our bathalf, and so ably supported by our "deputy, the Most Reverend Dr. Murray: " who, IN THAT QUALITY, was more COMPETENT io "inform His Holiness of the real state and in-"terests of the Roman Catholic Church in Ire-"land THAN ANY OTHER with whom he is said to " have consulted."

reported by cable) the rescript is more advisory than mandatory. For my own part, I do not feel disposed to follow any advice that tends to interfere with the purely temporal welfare of Ireland. I look upon it as "nonobligatory," and let us all so consider it. It is, therefore, at this moment, our para mount duty to show our undiminished faith in the leader of the Irish people, by taking much to the oredit of the talented nuns who THE PARNELL TESTIMONIAL. immediate steps to double our intended contributions to the Parnell fund. Here, we have seitled on adopting that course; let us hope that, throughout this Dominion, a like resolve shall pervade our people. Your friends here trust to your well known pstriotism to set the ball a moving. Onward, let it be! 1.

"FAUGH AU BAULAGH." Quebec, 21st May, 1883.

LOCAL NEWS.

-A religious profession took place at the Bon Pasteur yesterday morning, when two young ladies were admitted to the order. Mgr. Lorrain officiated.

-An address was presented yesterday to the Rev. M. Bourassa, cure of Montebello, by his parishioners, on the occasion of the rev. gentleman's 25th anniversary as cure of that town.

-The subscription which was started on behalf of the widow and children of Mr. De. lorimier, who met his death on the scaffold for his participation in the events of 1837-38, now amounts to over \$1,000.

-A special meeting of all the officers of St. Jean Baptiste Society will take place next Thursday evening in the lecture hall of Notre Dame Seminary, so make arrangements for the celebration of St. Jean Baptiste Day.

-The committee of the Point Claire Boating Club has decided to hold its annual ball on the evening of Friday, 22nd Jane, and, judging from the completeness of the arrangements, promises to be even more successful than its predecessors.

-Yesterday the Union Jacques Cartier Bailway Company, originally incorporated by the Quebec Legislature in 1882, and which obtained some amendments to its charter this year, was formally organized. The provisional directors are Messre, Henry Starnes, Henry Hogan, E. Beaufort, J. Barsalou, and A. H. Murphy, of Quebec, of whom the four first named were present at the meeting. The railway is intended to connect the Grand Trunk with the North Shore road by a direct line, and will start from Lachine Bank, running out past Sault au Becollet. Surveyors will be sent out at once, and the work of construction begun this summer.

CATABEH.

CATABBE.-A new treatment whereby a permanent cure is effected in from one to three applications. Particulars and Treatise free on receipt of price. A. H. DIXON & SON, 305 13-tf King street west, Toronto, Canada.

TEMPERANCE.

The officers of the various Irish Catholic tem-The officers of the various Irish Catholic tem-perance societies held a meeting in St. Mary's Hall on 22nd instant, the object being to discuss the propriety of holding a convention in further-ance of the cause of temperance. Among those present were Meesrs. T. F. McGratl, W. Rawley, Jas. J. Costigan. W. Selby, M. Sharkey, J. Callaghan, T. P. Tansey, A. Brogan, Thos. Foy, J. Coffey, P. O'Domoghue, Jas. Meek, John Beresford, J. Byrne and T. O'Connor from St. Patrick's T.A. & B. Society; Meesrs. P. Flannery, J. O. Quinn and M. Crowe from St. Am's T. A. & B. Society, and Meesrs. M. Lawlor. J. McGuire, J. P. O'Kourke, M. Allan. J. Hough, J. Condon, M. Kelahar and W. Smith from St. Bridget's T. A. & B. Society.

Protestant Ecclesiastical Commission. to ex-ercise a veto in the selection of Irish Eishops, a satanic device to abase the Irish Episcopate. How was that improper interference received? Did the Irish Episcopate quietly bow their necks to that rescript? Not at all; at a con-ference, wherein were represented the Archi-episcopal Sees of Cashel and of Dunin, and the Sees of Meath, Uloyne, Olonfert. Kerry product Pearlies to this great cause of temper ance. Short speeches were also made by Messra. P. Flannery, J. D. Quinn, A. Brogan, P. O'Donoghue, J. Coffey, Jas. McGuire, T. P. Tansey and others. A committee, consisting of two representa-tives from each society, was then appointed to draw up a programme for the proposed conven-tion, and after a short recess they reported a code of rules, which were adopted, and which will be submitted to the various societies at an early day.

academy, carefully directed by one of the glited nuns, discoursed choice and appropriate McKeewn, Lynch, Morin, Murphy, Maguire, hymns in a soul inspiring manner. We are Creegan, Devine and Green, of the Shamrocka. pleased to make special mention, that for richness of voice, compass, shading and intelligent rendering, seldom is it given us to listen to anything of the kind to equal the St. Gabriel's pupils choir, a feature which reflects have charge of the young ladies.

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The afternoon service was no less imposing, if not more so, than the morning. Confirmstion was administered by His Lordship Bishop Lorrain, of Pembroke, supported by several Priests. His Lordship preached a most in structive and practical sermon in French and Eaglish before the ceremony. The children were presented for Confirmation by Mr. John Lynch and Mrs. Hubert Lafontaine, who acted as sponsors. After receiving Confirmation, the little ones renewed their Baptismal Vows and were consecrated to the Blessed Virgin; two of their number, kneeling in front of the Shrike of the Holy Virgin, which. was most artistically decorated for the occasion, read the solemn act of consecration in a manner that would do honor to children of more advanced years.

Thus ended the beautiful and beart-feeling ceremonial of the Catholic Church for such occasions. Too much credited cannot be bestowed on the worthy Sisters and the Jesuit novices for the successful manner in which they prepared the children ; and the reverend pastor has every reason to feel proud of the new addition of communicants to his flock.

IMPBESSIVE RELIGIOUS OEREMONY AT LACHINE.

DONNING THE HOLY HABIT

The quaint parish church of Lachine was, on Tuesday, May 22, the scene of an impressive ceremony, the occasion being the reception of tweenty young ladies into the religious orders. The auditorium was well filled with the parents and friends of the novices about to be professed. The altars were tastefully and artistically decorated for the occasion, and presented an inviting and pleasing appearance. The shrine of the Blessed Virgin was illuminated by a number of tapers of various colors, which threw their reflecting rays, with becom ing splendancy upon the assembled audience' One of the Sisters of Villa Anna Convent! presided at the organ, and the choir consisted of pupils of the Convent, whose sweet and sympathethic voices resounded throughout the sacred edifice. The novices were attired in a neat dress of virginal whiteness, and as they knelt at the alter to receive the Holy Habit, the grandeur of the sight was certainly impressive. In answer to the ques ion put to them by the Rev. Pastor concerning their religious dispositions they pronounced in clear and distinct voice the final vows. The Rev. Father Piche was the celebrant, and the Bev. Father Benault, a Jesuit Father, delivered an eloquent sermon on the excellence of a religious life. The Rev. Father Salmon of St. Gabriel, Rev. J. Biley of Boston, Rev. F. Tasse, St. Septien, and Bev. M. Cavanagh occupied seats in the sanctuary. The following are a few of the names in religion taken by the young ladies :- Miss Ellen Salley of Lower Lachine, in religion Sister Mary Frances Miss Mary Barrie of Lachine, in religion Slater Mary Fortunate; Miss Rose Martin of Lachine, in religion Sister Mary Ceceline.

BEQUIEM MASS.

BEQUIEM MASS. The requirem service for the repose of the soul of Rev. Sour Marie de Jesus, late Superioress of Mount St. Marry Convent, was held in the beauti-ful little chapel on the 2ist inst. His Lordship Bisnop Lorrain, of Penbroke, officiated, assisted by several priests. The choir was composed of gentlemen from several choirs in the city, and the singing was such as one seldom hears -in lact it was magnificent. The chapel was decorated suitable to the solern occasion and reflected great crodit on the Sisters concerned. There was quite a large number of citizens present, including many leading commercial men, who showed by their attendance the great respect in which the sisters of Notre Dame are held.

in all, as follows :- Hart, Daly, Lally, Butler, Oreegan, Devine and Green, of the Shamrocks, and A. McNaughton, of the Montreal Club. The medal was won by Green, of the Shamrocks, with a good score, with McNaughton a good second, and Devine third.

THE FIRST SUBSOBIPTION.

To the Editor of THE TRUE WITNESS

Your remarks on the above subject do honor to the independent spirit which should animate the frish Canadian Press, especially in a country where many Irishmen are by far too modest to state their true feelings, for fear it would appoy the sympathizers of Ireland's oppressors. I believe that a man who does not state his honest convictions fearlessly, maniply and candidly lacks manhcod; while a man who has not a due regard for the convictions of others lacks common sense. Therefore, with this principle in view and a firm conviction that gratitude to Ireland's greatest living patriot for services rendered, is a duty we owe to God and country, I hereby enclose ten dollars to begin the Parnell fund you suggested.

Yours respectfully, M. MULLIN, 47 Papineau Square.

Montreal, 28th May, 1883.

In vindication of the above truth, we need but revoke the testimony of all ages, which has been done time and again by many and abler pens than mine, and, moreover, that it would be out of place here, as being somewhat foreign to the subject in question to deal with these and similar proces, we shall leave them and preceed to show from a Biblical point of view that the genuine rule of faith must have a divinely instituted, living, speaking teacher, and such a teacher can be found only in the Holy Roman Catholic Church. Let us now examine and see if such a teacher is in any way contradictory to the Bible, or if the Bible requires in its own express terms such a teacher. If the Bible or divine revelation requires in its own words such a teacher, we hope that Protestants, who claim to be such great lovers of the Bible, will accept what the

We read in the Bible, Matthew xxvi, 18-19, where it is said that when Jesus was standing on the Holy Mount where He addressed His disciples for the last time before ascending into Heaven : "Behold, all power has been given to me in Heaven and on earth, going, therefore, teach ye all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you, and, behold, I am with you all days to the consummation of the world." Any one that is honestly intent on making a thorough and impartial inquiry into the meaning of these words, cannot fall to see and clearly understand that they speak of a mission promised and given, a mission that is universal as regards the time and place, while its nature and power, duties and obligations, ends and objects are here clearly and distinctly defined. He who makes this promise possesses all power in heaven and earth But He that has all power can accompliab all things, and thus sustain the work of His creation and verify His promises. He is a God who can neither deceive nor be deceived, and He has promised His special assistance without interruption till the end of time. He will, therefore, perform that which He has promised and nought can hinder Him there-

trom. That Jeans wave this divine mission to His Apostles on Mount Olivet, Protestants do not pretend to deny. They also admit the Apostles possessed divice authority to teach all nations, but they argue that this divine authority ceased to exist in a liv-ing, visible teaching body after the Apostles. In doing this they faisify the true meaning of the words in the divine mission; for it is quite evident from the very nature and the object for which it was given, that its characteristics no less than its powers and duties must over be such as they were when it was first given, and as such must ever be continue to be as long as lasts the world itself. in that mission the task of teaching has been imposed on the Apostles, for to them alone is it said, "Go and leach." The Apos-tles, then, must teach at all times and in all places, as to them only is it said teach all nations. Then the Apostles are charged to teach all nations, not only of the present time, but of all future time. " Teach them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you," Jesus has, therefore, imposed on His Apostles, and on no one else, the obligation of teaching His commands and ordinances to all nations. But Protestants say that this is impossible since the Apostles have long since died; consequently, Jesus did not mean by what He said that this living authority should survive sings is the fervent prayer of your them. They might as well conclude that God's Ohurch, or the means that He had established for the salvation of the world, also ceased to exist when the Apostles disappealed. The Redeemer of the world did not give this mission to the Apostles only, who existed at that time. He gave it at the same time to their successors. He did not give it to individuals, but to a body; to the Apostolic body of all ages. Hence the powers, privileges and duties emanating from their divine mission appertain to them not as the isolated disciples of Obrisi, but as collective members of this spiritual body. As such they are required \$15,000 by the American Express shortly to teach all things unto all nations. What Peter and Paul, therefore, could not accomplish in their life-time, Linus and Clement finished, and what they left undone has been performed by others. This Apostolic body which forms the Authority of the Ohuroh, the proximate part of the Catholic rule of faith is always the same, though the members composing it are individually different, always changing. The prerogatives belong to the body and not to the individuals. Peter died. Matthew, Mark, Luke and John died, but the prerogatives of the divine mission, the authority of the apostolio body, the living, teaching voice of the Ohurch did not die with them, but remained with the others, ever constituting the component elements of the immortal leagne. During the lifetime of the Apostles many were received into their oircles and became Apostles themselves, enjoying all the privileges granted in the divine mission. The first twelve Aposties soon disappeared, but all the prerogatives | 021.18 outstanding cheques held by deposit-

mission on Mount Olivet from the hands of Jesus. Hence it is quite evident that the mission being one for all sges must necessarlly carry with it perpetusily all its divine prerogatives. Go and teach all nations, implies that as

soon as a nation, tribe or individual appears in the world, that nation or individual is to be taught by this living, teaching authority of the Church. Therefore, this authority of

the Onurch must remain as long as there will be people to be taught. But it is evident that as long as the world exists new nations, and new peoples will be entering the stage of life, hence, as a necessary consequence of the condition by which it has been established, this living teaching of the Church must remain as long as the world itself shall last, and its duties will cease only when the youngest child of Adam that shall appear upon earth shall have been instructed.

But the great moving power, the very soul and life of this living teaching authority, the efficient principle of all its action, is comprised in the concluding part of the Divine Mission and expressed by these memorable words, "Behold I am with you all days, even to the consummation of the world." By this endowment, the mission is stamped with the scal of infaillibility, and its teaching living authority been wanting to insure its success in attaining the end for which it was founded.

PHILALETES. (To be continued.)

\$450 BEWARD IS OFFERED

For the arrest of the burglars who broke into the store of G. N. Asseltine, of Gananoque, P.Q, on the 16th May, and stole \$1,500 worth of gold and sliver watches. No description of the burglar is given, but further information may be had by applying to William Byers, Reeve of Gananoque, P.Q., ard another reward of \$200 is offered for the arrest of a hotel thief who stole several gold watches and jewellery from the Rockingham House, Portsmouth, N. H., on 21st May last. The thief registered from Halifax, N.S., and his described as about 40 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, ruddy complexion and large nose. Address Geo. F. Thompson, Rockingham House, Portsmouth, N. H., or Chief of Police Paradis, Montreal.



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OBITUARY,

Abel El Kadir, the famous Algerian Chlef is dead.

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M. Glinks, the Russian Minister at Portngal, is dead.

Arthur Mathewson, the well-known English author, is dead.

PABES, May 25.-Edourd Rene Lafebyre Laboulaye, the well known Jesuit, is dead. The Marquis of Orovio, the leader of the

Conservative party in the Spanish Senate, is dead. Aaron Goudey, one of the principal ship-

owners of Yarmouth, N.S., a few years sgo, is dead.

Wm. Mason, proprietor of the Mason Ma-chine Works, Taunton, Mass., the largest in the country, is dead.

Mrs. Scarff, wife of Mr. John Scarff, a farmer on the Little River Road, Quebec, died suddenly at her residence on May 28th.

Col. Geo. W. Dresser, a distinguiched artillery officer during the war, died at Newport, R.I., on May 17th, of cancer. His wife died six weeks sgo of the same disease.

Ex-Chief Justice George Sherwood died as Philadelphia on May 28th. He was the auther of several legal works. In jury trials lawyers say he was the ablest man who ever occupied the bench in Pennsylvania, and possibly in America.

Bev. Dr. Watkin B. Joseph (Ymyfyr), aged 46, pastor of the Bethesda Church, Utica, N.Y., died on May 22nd of inflammatory rheumatism. He was a remarkable Weish orator, and one of the leading bards of Wales. He won two bardic chains at the National Esteddfods in Carnaryon.

Mr. Patrick Harrison O'Flaherty, of the firm of Messrs. Robertson & Co, the well known hatters, St. James street, died at his residence, 1163 St. Catherine street, on the 27th inst. aged 40 years. The deceased was well known in the city, and his somewhat sudden domise is deeply regretted by a largo circle of friends.

Dr. South, the well known physician of this city, died on the evening of May 24th at his residence on Union Avenue. He was born in London in 1823. He arrived in Montroak in 1832, and received his education at the hands of Mr. Workman. He studied mediclas with Drs. Holmes and MacCullosh, and graduated at McGill College in 1844.

Lord Rokeby (Sir Henry Montague, G.C.B.), Sixth Baron Armsgh in the Peerage of Ire-land, and an English baronet, is dead. The deceased was a general in the army on the retired list, Colonel in the Scote Guards, Commander of the Legion of Honor, and a Enight of the Medjidie. He commanded a division during the Orimean War.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Kenneth C. Patterson, of the Bank of Montreal, which took place on Sunday. The deceased gentleman was stationed at the branch office in London, Oat., and was a most trustworthy and efficient officer. He was also for many years connected with the volunteers, in which he took a deep interest, and will be buried at Kingston on Tuesday next with military honors.

The death is announced of Sir John O'Shanaesy, K.O.M.G., an Australian colonist of some 41 years' standing, and identified with the colonization and government of Victoria. One of the framers of its present constitution. he was Prime Minister of three administrations, and was for 29 years a member of the Victorian Legislative Assemuly. Besides being a Knight of St. Michael and St. George he was made a Knight of St. Gregory the Great by Pope Pius IX. in 1858.

It is with feelings of great regret that we today chronicle the domise of Mrs. W. Doran at an early age. The deceased, who was a daughter of Prof. W. P. Bond of this city, had been in delicate health for some time past, but strong hopes were entertained that she would ultimately recover. For several months past, however, the respected lady had been confined to her bed, and on Sunday succumbed to the fell destroyer consumption. To those who were privileged to visit her during her iliness will miss the holy smile of resignation with which she used to great them. To Ler bereaved husband and orphaned child we tender Our sincers sympathy in this hour of bitter trial.

PAPERS ON REASON AND FAITH. (Contributed to The TRUE WITNESS.)

Bible says; and if they do, we do not hesitate to assert at the very outset, that they accept the Catholic rule of faith. Very well; now for the investigation.

That remonstrance signed by all the Bishops present was forwarded to Bome. MCGEE, THE DOMINION STEAMSHIP COMPANY. vol. 2, page 773, of the same work, says :--

"The second order of the clergy were bardly "behind the laity, in the fervor of their op-position to the rescript of 1814. Their entire body, secular and regular, residing in "protest egainst it, beaded by Dr. Biske, "afterwards Bishop of Dromore, in which it "was denounced as 'pregnant with mischief' "and entirely 'non-obligatory upon the Church "in Ireland' The several ecclesiast!-"cal provinces followed up these declarations "with a surprising unanimity, and although " a vetoistical address to His Holiness was dis-"patched by the CISALPINE OLUE in England, "the Irish ideas of church government tri-"umphed at Rome. Drs. Murray and Milner "were received with his habitual kindness by "Pius VII.; the illustrious Cardinal Gon-"salvi was appointed by the Pope to draw up "an explanatory rescript, and Monsignor "Quarranlotti was removed from his official "position. The firmness manifested at that "critical period by the Irish Church has since "been acknowledged with many encomiums " by all the successors of Pius VII."

repetition, in the ear of the Sovereign Pontiff, of like repeated calumnies of the Oatholics of Ireland by bigoted and unscrupulous English [black suit; whilet the girls, under the carb Catholics. Advisedly, I use the term bigoted true Irish opinion been obliged to denounce dresses tastefully trimmed, bearing on their aristocratic English Catholics, whose Ciscl-pine Club of this day has for chief calumni-Hen Catholics whom the beloved disciple in beloved disciple in back to be beloved disciple in which the little ones presented is handsome gold medal, presented by the same body possessing the same powers, the s

A GOOD MOVE .- The advocates of tem. perance should congratulate themselves on the introduction of "JOHNSTON'S FLUID BEEF" into the leading saloons of the city. It has become quite a favorite, and has almost entirely displaced whickey. At the Carnival His Excellency was amongst those who partook of the beverage and expressed bimeelf highly pleased with it. It continues to be the chief beverage at the House of Commons' retreshment room. - Ot tawa Citizen.

We refer our readers to the advertisement in another column of the Dominion Steam. ship Company. The steamers of this company are amongst the best coming to this "and about Dublin, published a very strong port; they are safe and commodious, being may be assisting some of their friends in the old country to emigrate, would do well to advise them to come by this line. The "Oregon," their latest acquisition, command. ed by the gentlemanly Oaptain Williams, has been secured to convey the pligrims from the city, who are going to visit the shrine at Lourdes.

FIBST COMMUNION AND CONFIRMA-TION AT ST. GABBIEL'S.

Of the many interesting celebrations which occur at St. Gabriel's, few surpass the festival of Monday (May 21), on which occasion the little ones of the parish approached Holy Communion for the first time. It was indeed a parochial feast, judging from the large attendance of relatives, friends and admirers, who thronged the church to be present at the Is not the recent rescript the result of the important event. The boys were under the spetition, in the ear of the Sovereign Pontiff, special charge of two Jesuit novices, and wore, according to the usual custom, a neat of the nuns of the parish,-the Ladies of The How often within the last six years, have not | Holy Cross-made a new departure from the the Nation, the Freeman, and other organs of ordinary white dress and appeared in black the vile calumnies of the Irish Catholics heads a nice white veil, gracefully resting by the two weekly organs of those bigoted, over the sholder; and were per-aristocratic English Catholics, whose *Cisal*-feet pictures of taste and neatness. Sharp at 8 o'clock the Bay, Pastor, Father wor Caruinal Howard, of the House of Nor-folk. It is those so called aristocratic Eng-several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the conclusion of the match, a com-folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the conclusion of the match, a com-folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the conclusion of the match, a com-folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the several clergymen occupying seats in the folk of the several clergymen occupying seats in the several clergymen occupying seats in

MOWAT MUST GO.

This is the cry made all along the line. Will he or will he not go? that is the question. We shall not attempt the solution of the question, but answer one of far greater individual importance than the question of Ins and Outs. How can I get rid of my tor. menting corns; get rid of them without pain; get rid of them quickly and effectually, with-out possibility of return? The answer is, use Putnum's Painless Corn and Wart Oure, the great corn cure. Always sure, safe and painless. Putnam's Extractor. Use it and no other. Frauds are in the market. Don't run the risk of ruining your feet with such caustic applications. N. O. Polson & Co., Kingston, proprietors.

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ST. REGIS VS. SHAMBOCK.

Despite the threatening aspect of the weather on the 24th, a large number of people were present at the lacrosse match between the St. Regis Indians and the champions of the world, which was played on the Shamrock Lacrosse ground. The ground was in a wretched condition; nevertheless the games were very keenly contested, especially the last which occupied nearly an hour in playing. The respective teams were as follows :- Shamrock-Oreagan, Lally, Morton, Butler, Maguire, Hart, Mechan, Devine, Green, Pryor, Daly and Kennedy. St. Regis-John Oaks, Thomas Oaks, Michel Lee, Peter Benedict, Thomas Murdoch, Peter Skin, J. Lafrance, Louis Solomon, Francois Jocks, John Friday, Peter Deer and John Day. Messrs. McNaughton, of the Montreal Cinb, and Chief Willisms acted as umpires, and Mr. Giband, of Le Canadien Club, as referee. The first and second games, which were taken by the Shamrocks in six and balf a minute respectively, require no comment. The third, which was also won by the Shamrocks, was for a time sharply contested, but it became evident soon that the Champions had it all their own way, the Indians playing a detence game throughout. Several of the red men played a thorough good game, and on the part of the Champions Lally, Butler, Ureagan, Pryor and Maguire distinguished themselves.

Prior to the match the competition for long throwing for the McNaught medal, took place, the scores being as follows :--

	Yds.	Ft.	I
Tally	126	1	
Daly	124	0.	,
Butler	113	1	:
Lally Daly Butler Hart	. 108	0.	۰.

The following letter has been received from His Grace the Archbishop of 'Tuam, acknowledging receipt of relief fund lately forwarded by the St. Ann's T. & B. Society :

Толм, May 6, 1883. My Daab Sir,-Will you please convey to the members of St. Ann's T. A. & B. Society my grateful thanks for the timely subscription of £53, so generously contributed for the relief of distress. May God bless them and their families and reward them with the abundance of all spiritual and temporal bles-

Very faithful servant, (Signed) † JOHN MACEVILLY, Archbishop of Tuam. Mr. P. Flannery, President St. Ann's T. A. & B. Society.

THE HONEST BABBER MAKES A CLEAN SHAVE-NEXTIII

Henry M. Kieseling, a barber, of No. 188 Dearborne st., Chicago, bought a fifth ticket for one dollar in the April 10th drawing of The Louisiana State Lottery, and wiped off the capital number of 62,887, and received Ingioriune. He is 31 years old; born in Weisdorf, Germany; has a wife and five children, and tells every one they had better send \$10 to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, Ls. before Jane 12th (Taesday), when \$522,500 will be distributed in like manner, in sums from \$150,000 down, in the Grand Semi-Annual (the 157th) Drawing. Next!

POSTOFFICE SAVINGS' BANK ACCOUNT

According to the Post Office Savings Bank account for the month of April, 1883, the balance in the bands of the Finance Minister on the 31st March was \$11,391,667.10; deposite in savings banks \$531,329; interests allowed to depositors on accounts closed durin the month, \$7,402.54, or, in all, \$11,920, 448.64. There were repayments at the Post Office Savings Bank during the month of \$545,551.40, leaving a balance of \$11,311, 876.06 at the credit of depositors and \$73, of their apostleship, remained. Their places ore and not presented for payment. There were filled by others, and these in was deposited for the month of April to the

Sergeant John Meek, Collector of taxes for Amherstburg, Ont., died in that town on May 5th, aged 79 years and five months, Although he had been in declining health for some time-his somewhat suddan demise was a surprise to his friends. Sergeant Meek was born at. Banbridge, County Down, Ireland, in 1803, and was educated for the Ministry, but at the uge of 18 he enlisted in the 43rd Regiment of of Foot and served with them in England, Spain, Portugal, Gibraltar and Malts, coming to Canada in 1844; and being stationed at Amherstburg, where he secured the position of school masters sergeant, which he held until he obtained his discharge from the Royal Canadian Bifles in 1849. He then removed to Montreal, for a short time filling a position as bookkeeper there, but afterwards lived in Toronto and Nisgars, eventually returning to Amherstburg, and on the asylum being opened in 1858, he was appointed bookkeeper of the institution, where he remained until its removal to London, when he went to that city and discharged the duties of Bursar till May 1872, when he resigned and went to live again at Amherstburg. On leaving the Forest Oity he was presented by his friends in theasylum and city with a valuable gold watch, which the deceased left to his son, Mr. James Meek, the well known full mer-chant of this city. In 1875 he opened a furniture store in conjunction with his som Nicholas, and in 1866 he was elected a member of the Public School Board, having been

re-elected for a three year's term in 1869. He was twice married, and his second wife survives him, while of a family of six sons-James of Montreal, William of London, John of Lynn, Mass, and Nicholas-and one daughter, -Mrs. H. Lapointe, of Amherstburg-eurvive him. The Town Council attended the faneral in a body, the pall bearers being ex-Mayors Kolfige and Twomey, Town Treasurer Cousins and James Hamilton, John Bell and Zenobio Morin. I'he deceased was a strich Oatholic, a kind hearted old gentleman and a

firm and steadfast friend to all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. Gen. Sabatier, Governor of Paris, is dead

Chas. A. Pierce, formerly a well known broker, died in New York on May 23rd.

Aaron Goudey, one of the principal ship owners of Yarmouth, N.S., a few years ago, died, at that place this morning, May 24th.

EUROPEAN MILITARY STRENGTH.

Cologan, May 26 -The Gazette has published an article which attracts much atten. tion, showing that Germany, Austria and Italy, can together muster 1,318 battalions of infantry, 1,740 Equadrons of cavalry, 4454 field guns, while the forces of France and Russia