His Grace the Archbishop preached on devotion to the Blessed Virgin, in the chapel of the Sodality of men, Murray street, on the evening of Septungesima Sunday, and afterwards gave Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. After the service an address was read to him, and His Grace in reply expressed the hope of a large increase of members.

The Newman Reading Circle held their third meeting on Monday of last week, at the residence of Mr. John Gorman. Preoared papers on Ben Hur were read by Mrs. Waiter Armstroy and Mr. J. P. Dunne. An address was delivered by Dr. MacCabe and a synopsis of Cardinal Gibbons' late sermon on the New Woman was read by Mrs. Michael Kavanagh. Miss Emira Simsgave a recitation.

Rev. Dr. Falon, O. M. I., rector of St. Joseph's, entertained the choir of the church at the sinusi bacquet, last week. The affair took place at the Victoria Hotel, Ayimer, the party being conveyed to and fro by the Hull electric cars. At the conclusion, a purse was presented to Madam Arcand, who is about to leave on a trip to Europe.

His Grace the Archbishop of Kingston was in the city one day last week on a visit to relatives. He also paid at visit to the Congregation convent.

The progressive cuchre party in aid of St.

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The progressive euchre party in aid of St. Patrick's Home, in Harmony hall on Wednesday, 14th inst., was an immense success. Over five hundred, people were present. In addition, a good programme of music was carried out, and at the conclusion many of those present joined in the "light fantastic."

Miss Kathleen Kane has been elected President of the Children of Mary Sodality of St. Brigid's church.

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Brigid's church.
Rev. Father Fisher, O. S. F., Secretary to the
Apostolic Delexate. preached on Prayer and
Almsxiving, in St. Paul'schurch, Aylmer, Que,
on the evening of Seutuagesima Sunday.
Messrs, Willie Egleson, chairman: J. E. Mc
Glade, Secretary; J. A. Mechan, Treasurer;
M. A. Foley, P. A. Galvin, M. O'Connell, J. F.
Breen, M. G. Conway, J. R. O'Gorman, Dr.
Albin, D. O'Connell and J. F. Warnock have
been appointed to prepare for the annual St.
Patrick's Day banquet of the O'ctawa University.

DIOCESE OF LONDON.

Official.

LENTEN REGULATIONS FOR 1990.
The following are the Lenton regulations for a diocese of London:
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2nd. By a special induit from the Holy See, A. D. 1881, meat is allowed on Sundays at every meal, and at one meal on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, exept the Saturday of Ember week and Holy Saturday.

3rd. The use of flesh and fish at the same time is not allowed in Lent.

The following persons are exempted from abstinence, viz.: Children under seven years: and from fasting, persons under twenty-one; and from fasting, persons under twenty-one; and from fasting, persons on the labor, or some other legitimate cause, cannot observe the law. In case of doubt the pastor should be consulted. Lard may be used in preparing fasting food during the season of Lent, except on Good during the season of Lent, except on G

Friday, as also uncertainty of the Bishop,

Bastors are required to hold in their respective churches, at least twice in the week during Lent, devotions and instructions suited to the holy season, and they should earnestly exhort their people to attend these public devotions. They are hereby authorized to give on these occasions Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. Besides the public devotions, family prayers, especially the Holy Rosary of the Blessed Virgin, should be recited in every Catholic household of the diocese.

By order of the Bishop,

P. L'Houreux, Secretary.

Rev. M. McCormack's Departure Fron

Rev. M. McCormack's Departure From Woodstock.

On Sunday morning, Feb. 18, St. Mary's Church, Woodstock, was taxed to its utmost capacity to contain all who came to assist at the Holy Mass offered for them for the last time by their beloved pastor, Rev. Father McCormack. Norwich and Princeton were largely represented, and among the congregation were noticed also a number of non-Catholics of the town with whom the rev. gentleman had become a general favorite. At the closs of the last Gospel, a committee of representative men of the mission stepped forward, when a substantial sum of money in gold was handed to the Rev. Father, and the following address was read by Sheriff Brady:

ADDRESS.

Rev. M. McCormack:

Rev. M. McCormack: Dear Rev. Father-With feelings of the deep Dear Rev. Father—With feelings of the deepest sorrow, we, your devoted parishioners,
come this morning to take leave of you.
When you announced to us two weeks ago that
His Lordship had decided to remove you from
amongst us, to fill a more important charge in
the Masser's vineyard, mingted feelings of
sorrow and disappointment filled our breasts—
sorrow at losing so kind, so devoted, so beloved
a pastor; and disappointment at being de
rived at this critical time in the history of our
parish, of a leader who has shown himself so
admirably fitted to handle with lact and abil
ty the difficulties we see arising in the future
in connection with the establishment of those
institutions, which are so necessary to the

mentutions which are so necessary to the well-being of every Catholic parish.

But, as our chief pastor, under Divine Providence, directs all things for the best, we humbly submit to his will in this hour of trial, feeling that our loss is another's gain.

But, dear Father, in bidding you good bye, we cannot refrain from telling you how much we have appreciated your ardious labors in all parts of this mission; how we have watched the sacrilices you have made in order to give us, in Woodstock, the incestinable boon of the Holy Mass every Sunday notwistanding the long, hard drives it entailed upon yourself in most inclement seasons; how we enjoyed all the blessings of the exercises of our holy religion with the utmost regularity, and how, in your unostentatious manner, your example has been to us a beacon light, guiding us ever in the paths of right.

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Be assured then, dear Father, that we shall always endeavor to retain the good impressions received from you and in additional the statement of the statement o always endeavor to retain the good impres-sions received from year in assisting you to accept this little souvenir of our affection for you, we beg that when offering the Holy Sac-rifice of the Mass in your our bern home, you will sometimes remember your devoted par-ishioners of Woodstock, Norwich and Prince toa.

Signed on behalf of the parishes of Woodsbieck, Norwich and Princeton: Block, Norwich and Princeton:
Maurice Egan, James O'Rourke, Sutton
Frezelle, Patrick Farrell, John Haylow, James
Haylow, M. Furlong, D. Kenny, J. Leflamme,
& Murphy, T. Dunn, F. Frank, J. Brady, G.
Stacey, P. Slattery and P. Haney.
Scarcely a dry eye was to be seen as the
pastor, himself deeply affected, thanked the
congregation in the following words:

My dearly beloved bethern. My dearly beloved brethren:

I thank you very sincerely for your kindness and account

priest.

1 am leaving you in obedience to the will of Tam leaving you in obedience to the will of our beloved Bishop, who has appointed me to another parish in this diocese. I hope you will be as kind to my successor as you have been to me. Pray for me, my dear friends, and in return I shall cheerfully grant the request which you make in your address to be remembered by me in my Masses.

In bidding you to day a kind farewell, I pray that the blessing of Almignty God, the Father, Son and Holy Ghost may descend upon you and remain with you forever.

In the afternoon the Knights of St. John waited on the reverend pastor and presented him with a handsome gold-headed cane.

C. O. F.

Resolution of Condolence.

At a regular meeting of Byrne Court No. 10:1, Catholic Order of Foresters, held in Eganville on Monday evening, Feb. 12, the following ing resolution, moved and seconded by Bro. Brougham and Bro. Lacey, respectively, was adopted by a standing vote:

Whereas it has pleased our Divine Lord in His infinite wisdom to remove from this world of sorrow the beloved father of our respected brother member, fhomas F. Moran, and also the beloved mother of our respected brother member, Michael D. Furlong, therefore be it. Resolved, that we, the members of Byrne Gourt, No. 10:14. C. O. F., extend to our bereaved brothers and their families, in this their hour of affliction, our heartfelt sorrow and sympathy, and we pray that God in His infinite mercy will comfort and sustain them to their affliction.

Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be inserted in the reinures of this meeting and one such tendered to Brothers Thomas F. Moran and Michael D. Farlong, and published in the Leanville Enterprise, and Carlouac Record, of London.

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DIOCESE OF HAMILTON.

Official.

EGULATIONS FOR LENT TO BE READ BY THE REVEREND CLEEGY FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE FLOCKS AT ALL THE MASSES ON QUINQUA-GASIMA SUNDAY.

1.—All days in Lent. Sundays excepted, are fasting days—one meal and a collation.
2.—All persons who are twenty-one and under six y years, are bound by the law of fasting and abstinence.

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3.—By virtue of powers granted us by Apos totic Indult, we permit the use of meat on all Sundays at discretion, also at the one meal on all Mondays, Tuesdays, Taursdays and Saturdays, except the Saturday of Ember week and Holy Saturday.

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5.—The use of milk, butter, cheese and eggs, is allowed on all days,
6.—The use of dripping or lard (not suet), is allowed as a condiment in preparing food on all days except Good Friday.
7.—Those exempted from fasting are; all persons under twenty-one, and over sixty years of age, the sick and infirm, women carrying or nursing infants, all employed at hard labor.
8.—All who cannot fast should give more abund-int aims, be more assiduous in prayer, and attend more frequently to beir religious duties, so as to make up for the want of corporal mortification.
N. B.—Further dispensations, when occasion requires, can be obtained from the res-ective 23stors who are hereby empowered to grant them.

em. Pastors are requested to have, whenever pos Pastors are requested to have, whenever pos-sible, public devotions in their respective churches twice a week during the holy season of Lent. The Holy Rosary is recommended for Wednesday evenings and the Stations of the Cross for Friday evenings, followed in each case by suitable instructions. The fathful should be exhorted to have private devotions at home every evening—all the members of the family joining in the recitation of the Holy Rosary to be offered for the souls of the faith-ful departed.

†Thomas Joseph Dowling, Bishop of Hamilton.

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Feast of the Chair of St. Peter at Antioch, 1960.
Alex. G. Walter, Socretary.

Some entertainments on the evening of Feb. 12, in the cathedral parish hall. Not withstanding a steady downpour of rain all evening, a fair crowd greeted the boys. The entertainment was brimful of fun and music, and afforded two hours of solid enjoyment. It was the kind of entertainment the people seem to enjoy most, and may encourage the boys to continue this very pleasant way of furnishing them with recreation.

Last Wednesday evening Branch No. 231 C.

M. B. A. gavea concert in St. Lawrence hall. A very large audience listened to a well-balanced and enjoyable programme. During the intermission. Rev. Fr. W. Brady, the Chaplain of the branch made a few remarks that were pithy and full of good commonsense.

ORPHANS FESTIVAL.

It is expected that the Orphans' Festival entertainment, to be given on the 27th inst., will be of great worth, if some of the talent engaged by a forerunner of excellence. Some new faces will appear, such as those of Harold Jarvis, tenor, Detroit; Mi-s Jeannetta Lewis, elocutionist, Hamilton; Miss Teresa Tymons, soprano, Toronto. At the matine, the biograph, showing the Passion Play of Oberammergau will be the chief feature.

DIOCESE OF CHATRAM, N. B.

St. John Monitor, Feb. 10.

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The Right Reverend Thomas F. Barry, D. D., Bishop-elect of Thugga, and Coadjutor to the Right Rev. Dr. Rogers, needs no introduction to the readers of the Monitor. Throughout the province he is known by his works. His thirty-three years of fidelity to the interests of religion have left their impress on the diocese; his labors for the betterment of humanity are part of the history of northern New Brunswick, where no name is more revered.

Dr. Barry was born at Inkerman, Gloucester County, N. B., in 1811, and is consequently now in his fifty-minth year. His early school days was spent in his native parish, then at Chatham and subsequently in St. John, at the college established by late Bishop Connolly. After a course of rhetoric and philosophy at the Salpicians'college, Montreal, he entered the Grand Senniary, and, having finished his theological studies, was ordained to the priesthood on the festival of Our Lady of the Snows, August 5, 1866.

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Called to Chatham by Bishop Rogers, he remained there for five years and had charge of that important parish during His Lordship's visit to Rome. In 1876 Father Barry was appointed to administer to the Restigouche missions; his field of labor then including what are now the parishes of Dalhousie. Campbellton, Balmoral, Charlo, Jacques River, Belledune (Joucester) requiring at the present time seven priests. At the expiration of five years, during which time he had established several missions, including that of Campbellton, Father Barry was transferred to St. Basile, Madawsaka, with authority of Vicar-General for the whole diocese of the important parish of Garaquet and Vicar-General for the whole diocese of Chatham. For five years he labored in this almost exclusively french mission, when, in 1885, he was appointed parish priest of Bathurst town. Shortly before this time the town was separated from the village for church purposes and a new parish erected When Father Barry went to Bathurs there was neither church, no presbytery nor cemetery; nothing but a lot of land on a back street with a temperance hall and an old building used as a convent school. Visit the spot to day. Magnificent Catholic Church, a splendidly equipped presbytery and a massively constructed convent school, all of granite, the whole surrounded by a fence of stone and iron, have sprung up in the field making the locality one of the most altractive parts of this pictures us town, and be it remembered not a dollar of debt.

Dr. Barry has made three voyages across the Atlantic. While statloned at St. Basile he visited Rome with the Canadian pigrims in 1877, Again, in 1884, while parish priest of Caraquet, he spent some time in Rome and the Holy Lund, and finally, in 1886, he was sent as representative of His Lordship Bishop Rogers to the Eternal City, on which occasion he visited Morocco and that part

he is now Titular Bishop.

THE C. M. B. A. RECEPTION AT BATHURST TO THE R. M. B. A. RECEPTION AT BATHURST TO THE RIGHT REV. T. F. BARRY, D. D.

The reception January 25th, to Bishop elect Barry by the Bathurs branch of the C. M. B. A. was a decided success. Those who had the good fortune to be present at this reception will not soon forget the pleasant evening spent with the members of the C. M. B. A. that tertaining their Spiritual Director, Dr. Burry.

The nall was tastefully decorated with flags, bunting, pictures, etc., the work of Messrs. P. J. Venoit and Francis J. Mehanson over the president's chair was the C. M. B. A. that the president's chair was the C. M. B. A. that the president's chair was the C. M. B. A. that the president's chair was the C. M. B. A. that the stage was the metto. Ad Multos Annos, the rear being dramed with the British ensign of the rear being dramed with the British ensign. The half was crowded when the Bishop-elect, accompanied by Rev Father Varrily, paster of Bathurst village, and Rev. Fare Purceil, His Locaship's assistant, entered

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His Locaship's assistant, entered the platform, amid the strains of a march. They were received by first Vice. President, P. J. Venoit and conducted to seats assigned them on the stage. The first Vice President of the platform, a first Vice President of the platform. It was all the more requestable from the fact that Bro. Burns, who is one of the charter members, was also a very intimate friend of the person in whose honor we had, as smalled. He next welcomed all present to the C. M. B. A. hall to be participants in the rejoicings which animated Branch 18 at the rejoicings which animated Branch 18 at the rejoicing which and the platform and conducted to such a dignified position in

My Lord.—We, the members of Branch No. 30 of the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association of Canada, beg to offer you our sincere congratitations on your elevation to the high and holy Your leave.

have, in times past, caused those who have watched your priestly career, to hope that the laborer would one day receive the reward of his unremitting toil, that your self sacrificing devotion to the interests of the Church and your faithful vigilance over the flocks committed to your care, would receive that recognition which is due to conscientious endeavor and is the reward of duty well performed. That time has now arrived. It has pleased our Holy Father Pope Leo XIII. to place you among the Hierarchy as Bishop of Thugga and Condjutor to our venerable and venerated Bishop, Dr. Rogers, The honor conferred upon you is one that fills us with joy and gratitude. Our preaning time adequate expression to our sentiments of satisfaction at this signal proof of the estimation in which our beloved pastor is held. This dignity is one that by reflection casts a radiance on this parish, over which you have so successfully presided and in a more particular manner on this Branch of which you are the Spiritual Adviser, and which, established under vour patronage, is the banner branch of the Martine Provinces. Years ago, My Lord, the Venerable Ordinary of this diocess aw your ability and administrative qualities, and in appointing his Vicar-Generai he chose one wno has proved himself an able auxiliary in the management of diocessan affairs. We, ourselves, have been

ministrative qualities, and in appointing his Vicar-General he chose one who has proved himself an able auxiliary in the management of diocesan affairs. We, ourselves, have been witnesses of your progressive idea in parochia affairs. A glance at those stately granite structures, the church of the Sacred Heart, the presbytery and the school house, affords ample evidence of your untiring energy since your advent into this parish, while the affectionate regard in which you are helf by the members of your congregation attest that you have indeed been to them a faithful shepherd.

We thank you, My Lord, for all that your fatherly care has done for us, and, repeating our congratulations, pray God to grant you a long and happy life in the exalted position to which Mother Church has called you. Though we cannot be with you on the day of consecration, we shall fallow you in spirit and as an evidence of our regard we beg you to accept the accompanying Cope, and request you to wear it on that occasion.

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On rising to reply to the address His Lord-ship referred to a resolution of congratulations recently passed by the C. M. B. A., at a regular meeting (a copy of which appears below). In the resolution, said His Lordship, you express the hope that I may long b: spared to continue "the grand work begun and so well carried on by Dr. Rogers." I thank you for this kindly wish, but while I am willing to do my utmost to follow in the footsteps of my venerable Bishop, I feel that you expect too much of me. The work that the venerable condinary of this diocess has been able to accomplish since he became a Bishop has been of a herculean nature. His success in the administration of diocessan affairs has been due to his marked ability and strict devotion to duty. I doubt very much if in Canada there is to be found a Bishop who, under similar circumstances, and having the same difficulties to contend with, has been able to accomplish so much for the good of religion and the glory of God. I have not, continued His berdship, he same difficulties to contend with as had Dr. Rogers when taking charge of the diocese in its infancy. He had the ship to build, and so well did he construct her and guide her over the troubled sea of youth that now in her maturer age the task of paying the will had light one.

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Dr. Barry next referred to the address, thanked the members of the C. M. B. A. for the kind wishes therein expressed and also thanked them for the very handsome gift which accompanied the address. His Lordship in the course of his remarks spoke in high praise of the attainments of the youthful Bishop-elect of St. John, and wished that, like him, he had youth upon his side, which would be of great aid to him in the responsible position to which he had been called. In closing his remarks Dr. Barry said it gave him much pleasure to see the C. M. B. A. prosper. He regretted not being able to attend the meetings more regularly, but was pleased to see that lately Rev. Father Purceli, his assistant, had joined the association, and under his direction he was sure the society would continue to prosper.

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The President next called on Rev. Father Varrily, who said that though not a member of the C. M. B. A. he had its advancement at heart and was pleased to see so many of his own parishioners members of Branch 130, which to night was honoring its Spritual Advisor, Bishop elect Barry. Your address, said he, spoke of the honor attached to the el-vation of Dr. Barry to the Episcopate. While it is an honor, permit me to supplement the address by adding that it is an "onus" an additional burden aided to the responsibilities already resting upon his shoulders, which I know will be lightened by the knowledge of the fact that he possesses the good will of all classes in the discose.

Rev. Father Purcell was next called upon, and said that as being a member of the C. M. B. A. he was glad to see one of its number raised to the cpiscopate, but was particularly pleased to see the Spiritual Adviser of the branch to which he belonged the person so honored. He referred to the responsibilities attached to the office of Bishop, and said it was not enough to wish Dr. Barry well, but that we should pray that God might grant him all the graces necessary for the performance of the duties of his exalted office. In conclusion, Father Purcell made a strong appeal to non-members present to join the C. M. B. A., not so much for the insurance as for the good done for religion by such an organization. He referred to the pastoral letter of His Lordship societies, in which he strongty recommends the

The choir then rendered in a really beautiful manner "God Bless Our Pope," after which the President made a few remarks, and the meeting dispersed by singing "God Save the Ouren."

CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTION.

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At a regular meeting of Branch No. 130. C.

M. B. A. held on Tuesday, January 2nd. 1990,
the following resolution was unanimously
adopted;

Moved by Bro. P. J. Veniot, seconded by
Bro. E. L. O'Brien: That the members of
Branch 139 hereby tender to the Right Rev.
Dr. Barry, Spiritual Adviser of this branch,
their sincere congratulations on his appoint
ment as Bishop of Thugga and Coacjutor
Bishop of the Diocese of Chatham, and pray
that he may long be spared to continue the
good work commenced and so well carried on
In Northern New Brunswick by the Right
Rev. Dr. Rogers, the venerable Ordinary of this
diocese.

diocese.

That a copy of this resolution be sent to
Right Rev. Dr. Barry, inserted in The Cana
dian and spread on the minutes of the meeting
FRESENTATION TO RT. REV. DR. BARRY.

Chatham, N. B., Advance, Feb. 8.

PRESENTATION TO RT. REV. DR BARRY.

Chatham, N. B., Advance, Feb. S.

Nelson was visited on Taesday, 30th January uit., by the theological conference of which Bishop-Eect Barry is an active and devoted member.

Questions, theologic and philosophic, and, in general, omne scibile, are discussed by this learned academy. Tuesday's session was, however, invested with more than usual interest.

The conference intended honoring one of its members by the presentation to him of a Pectoral Cross and Cham, "rich and rare." The Rev. Father Power, at whose residence the mosting was, in the order of rotation, held, for this reason presided. In such capacity he, in a short spoken address, a model of good taste and chaste rhetoric, made the presentation. Father Van de Moortell followed in the happy vela which characterizes all his sayings. Both gentlemen gave utterance to the feeling animating the conference. Disadning the language of fulsome flattery they assured the Bishopelect of the conference's devoted attachment and sympathetic interest.

Dr. Barry, in acknowledging the gift, expressed his grateful appreciation. The gift told him of honors: it reminded him also of correlative responsibilities. He was conscious of the kindly feeling of which the gift was the interpretation. This feeling he knew was not restricted to the conference, but was general throughout the diocese. The receptions tendered him, the episcopal insignia of which he was the recipient, having a significance of their own, cheered him, nerved him for the work and filled him with confidence in the future. Relying on the Divine assistance, and encouraged by such fraternal feeling as was evidenced in the present gathering, he humbly bowed to the will of Heaven, as represented by superior authority.

Monseigneur Barry has the happy faculty of pleasing and of favorably impressing those with whom he comes in contact. To him may be implied the words of Emerson; "Honor and fortune exist for him who always feels himself in the presence of high causes".

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SUBSCRIBER -Address Redemptorist Fathers, St. John's Church, East Toronto, York ulations on your elevation to the high and noty office of Bishop.

Your long period of faithful service in the holy priesthood, your zoal and energy in the advancement of the interest of Mother Church and your constant solicitude for all that appertained to the exaitation of religion,

MEMORIES.

O! Sing me a song
Of former times—
A rollicking song
Of quicking song
Of quicking song
A song to cheer my weary heart
And bid all gloomy thoughts depart;
A song whose notes,
So glad and free,
Float out 'twixt dear old friends and me,
Pray sing! Fond hearts!
In youthful giee
The dear, old song again for me.

The night is cold
And the lights grown dim
And before min a syes
Faint shadows swim;
And there the friends of many a day
Pass in the darkness and fade away.
E'en now the dear,
Old song steals near—
Comes floating back o'er many a year;
But the voices, once
So young and clear,
Will sing no more the song so dear.

Time wrought a change
And far away,
They drifted all
One summer day.
The sun laughed down from 'neath the skies:
The light of Hope was in our eyes.
We parted with
A sad farewell—
Our hearts alone the tale can tell,
In accents choked

And oft in dreams
And silence drear,
Fond memories
Come creeping near—
Come creeping in the twiight lone
To still my hearts' incessant moan.
'Tis then the thoughts
Of other times
Recall the songs and tuneful rhymes—
Recall o'er faint
And misty years
The songs of love—our smiles—our tears.

J. William Fisch

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RYAN-MCMAHON,

On Tuesday morning Jan. 30, Seaforth was the scene of a very pretty event, when Miss Emily McMahon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McMahon, was united in marriage to Dr. Thomas Ryan of London, at 9.39. The bride entered the church leaning on the arm of her father, while the organ and church orchestra pealed forth the beautiful strains of Mendelsohn's wedding murch. The bride presented a charming appearance, attired in a costume of ivory satin, with customary veil. and carrying a shower bouquet of cream roses. Miss Aloysias, sister of the bride, led the procession, and looked very pretty dressed in white silk, and wearing a large white picture hat trimmed with piok roses and holding a bounded of the brides and fulling the season of the brides and full market of the brides were the ushers. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Father McCabe, followed by a High Mass, after which the party, with a number of guests, many of whom were from a distance, repaired to the home of the bride's parents, where a sumptous and legant repast awaited them. The tables were brilliamly lighted with numerous and an all the prosents were numerous, costly and beautifull. The happy couple left on many friends, on an exteeded weeding tour, after which they will take up their residence in Saginaw, Mich. RYAN-MCMAHON,

OBITUARY.

MARGARET KILGALLEN, WEST WILLIAMS.

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It is our sad duty this week to chronicie the death of Margaret, beloved wife of Patrick Kilgallen, who died Feb, 4, aged sixty-one years.

Deceased was an amiable woman and was much beloved by all who made her acquaintaice. Although ailing for some time, her death came suddenly and unexpectedly and was quite a shock to all who knew her. Her husband pre deceased her seven years age. She leaves

eavement.

The long procession of teams which followed her remains to St. Columbus church shows the esteem in which she was held. She was assuuch Catholic and died supported by the rites of the Church. High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father McRae. May her soul rest in peace!

On Monday, February 5, there departed this life, after a longthened period of illness, borne with true Christian fortitude and resignation, Mrs. Michael Powell, an old and respected resident of London. The deceased lady bad the happiness of receiving an unclined Church, and on her death-bed, of being surgunded by the loving members of her family-framed diffusion late from the family home after the family in the cathedral, on The funeral took place from the family homestead, 64! King street, to the cathedral, on Wednesday, the 7th inst., High Mass of Requiem being celebrated for the repose of the departed soul by Rev. Father Aboulin, master of novices, St. Michael's college, Toronto—who also officiated at St. Peter's cemetery. Mrs. Powell had reached the age of sixty seven years, and until recently, had always enjoyed the blessing of good health. Being of a cheerful and happy temperament she made many true friends, whom, now that her earthly life is ended will kindly remember her in their prayers that she may the more speedily be admitted into the Heavenly Home promised to all those who love and serve the Master. Besides her beloved thusband, she leaves to mourn her loss, three sons and two daughters—one of the former, Francis, a student of St. Michael's College, Toronto.

May her soul rest in peace?

Roderick A. O'Meara, London.

RODERICK A. O'MEARA, LONDON RODERICK A. O'MEARA, LONDON.
The funeral of the late Roderick A. O'Meara,
B. A., took place on Monday morning, Feb. 19,
to St. Peter's cathedral, London, where High
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Much sympathy is expressed on all sides to the bereaved ones, on the early termination of such a bright and promising career, the deceased being in the full bioom of manhood and at the outset of what promised to be a life of high and noble endeavor. Mr. C'Meara was an honored graduate of the University of Otawa; the youngest 10 1 of Mr. Michael O'Meara, for many years a respected resident of Belleville, Oat., and now of Dorchester, and was, at the time of his death took place at St. Joseph's the time of his death took place at St. Joseph's Holder, the only of the control of the con

WM. J. DOYLE VROOMANTON.

On Thursday last, Feb. 8th, there was laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery at Vroomanton all that was mortal of Wm. J. Doyle, eldest son of Mr. T. Doyle, of the 7th con. Brock. Mr. Doyle was a promising young man, of exemplary character and deservedly held the esteem and affection of a large circle of friends, which was amply attested by the large numbers present at the funeral.

Solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fatner Cantillon in the old parish church.

Besides the father and mother, deceased left one younger brother than three sisters—the eldest of whom entered the community of Loretto some four years ago. Much sympathy if elt for the family in their sad bereavement. May his soul rest in peace. WM. J. DOYLE VROOMANTON.

A DESERVED HONOR.

The Record is much pleased to notice in the issues of Toronto papers that the Public Library Board of that city has seen fit to honor one of our young Catholics by unanimously electing Mr. W. T. J. Lee, Barrister, one of the representatives of the Separate School Board, to their highest place, that of Chairman, From our knowledge of Mr. Lee w. are sure he will do honor to his new position and will conduct the affairs of the Board with dignity and decorum. The Separate School Board of Toronto too, will feel the honor done to it in honoring its representative. We are glad to chronicle at all times, and much gratified to notice our young Catholic men taking their proper places in the conduct of affairs of our

country. Each such honor should be an in-centive to our people to merit and to earn what they are justly entitled to, and we are pleased to see that the city of Toronto acknowledges Mr. Lee's services upon its Library Board.

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From the soat of war comes this week as a surprise the most bleasant intelligence which has reached the people of Great Britain since hostilities began. It is now certain that Kimberley has been relieved by General French who with a strong force of articlery, cavalry, and mounted infantry entered the town on Thursday evening, the 18th inst., the seige having lasted one hundred and twenty-two days.

General French's movement was part of a well-taid plan in which all the divisions of General Roberts' army were prepared to participate as required. To reach Kimberley General French's troops marched 99 miles in 4 days, fighting two engagements with Boer forces on the way.

The announcement of the great success achieved was made to the war office by General Roberts from Jacobsdal, which is in the Orange Free State, on the road from Kimberley of Bloemfontein, whereby it may be seen that not only has Kimberly been relieved from the besiegers, but that General Roberts has also captured Jacobsdal and begun his march towards the capital of the Free State.

General French states that with ten of the enemy's laagers (camps) he has captured extensive store supplies and a large amount of ammunition. In addition to this other despatches state that the Boers, in the haste with which they were obliged to retreat, were compelled to leave behind them all their big guns at Kimberley and Magersfontein. General Kelly Kenny has also captured over one hundred of the enemy's wagons, by determinedly pursuing a large convey moving toward Bloemfontein.

Gen. French also states that he has dispersed the enemy from the eatire South side of Kimberley, but it would appear that the entry into Kimbe rley was effected with less fighting than was expected, the Boers retring rapidly.

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General French is now scouring the country to the North of Kimberley.

At Magersfentein, the Boers have also abandoned their fortifications, and the Kimberley garrison are now occupying and entrenching themselves in positions which were hitherto occupied by their besiegers.

At Ladysmith, the Boers have very much relaxed their siege operations, and it is presumed that the withdrawal of a considerable force from the siege hus been necessitated in order to meet General Roberts' advance.

Around Naauwport there has been considerable fighting, with loss on both sides. Among the losses reported, a whole company of Australians, being New South Wales infantry, was cut off, though the blood on their bayonets shows that they fought desperately, and that many Boers were sain in the hard conflict. They were surrounded by superior numbers and annihilated by the heavy rifle fire of the Boers.
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East of Colenso General Buller has been engaged in bombarding the Boer forces at Blaauw Krantz. The Boers responded with rifle fire. Further particulars are not given, but it is stated that he has been engaged lighting seadily for five days, and he appears to have been successful at almost every point, as the Boers are said to have lost heavily from lyddite shells, and to have removed their guns back over the Tugela river which they had crossed near Frere Camp.
The KoyalCanadian Regiment took part in the capture of Jacobsdal. Five of its members are missing and are supposed to have been capmissing and are supposed to have been cap-

ssing and are supposed to have been cap red as they fell off from the main body of the giment while advancing. Regiment while advancing.
There is a rumor from the continent that Conje has surrendered with 7.000 men, but it is not confirmed, and is probably not correct.

MARKET REPORTS.

LONDON.

London, Feb. 22. —Grain, per cental—Wheat 81.05 to 81.11; coats, 85 to 89c.; peas, 79c to 81.09; barley, 80 to 85c; corn. 75 to 89c.; rye, 85c to 81.0; buckwheat. \$1.00 to \$1.20; beans, per busnet, \$1.25 to 81.35. onshol, \$1.25 to \$1.35. Secds—Clover seed, alsike, \$5 to \$5.70; clover, do., red, \$5 to \$5.70; timothy do., \$1.15 to \$1.70, Farm Produce—Hay, \$8.00 to \$9.00; straw, per load, \$3.00 to \$3.50; straw, per ton, \$5.00 to

per load, \$3.00 to \$3.50; straw, per ton, \$5.00 to \$6.00.

Live Stock—Live hogs, \$4.60 to \$5.00; stage, per lb., 2 to 2½c; sows, per lb., 2 to 1½c; butter, per pound, 10 to 1½c; lard, per pound, per lb., 2 lb., 1½c; lb.

Meat-Pork, per cwi turkeys, per lb. 9 to 11c.

Meat—Pork, per ewt., \$5.55 to \$6.00; beef, cow, \$4.00 to \$4.75; beef, heifers and steers, \$5.50 to \$6.00; veal, by carcass, \$4.00 to \$5.00; nutton, by carcass, \$5.00 to \$6.00; lamb, by the carcass, \$6.00 to, \$6.00; lamb, by the carcass, \$6.00 to, \$6.00; lamb, by the quarter, 9 to 10c.

MONTREAL. Montreal, Feb. 22. - No. 1 hard Manitoba wheat

Montreal, Feb.22.—No. Ihard Manitoba wheat was quoted to-day about 65te affect. For Whilman No. I hard, 2je below No. 1; No. 2 onts are quoted at 3ie, in store, Montreal; peas, 69 to 70e; bursely, No. 1, 49je; rye, 60c; buckwheat, 63je. Flour steady; spring patents, 23,30 to 3i; surong bakers, 83,50 to 83,69; winter parents 83,50 to 83,69; straight rollers, \$3,30 to 83,35; Manitoba bran \$15,50 to \$16, in bags, and shorts \$17, Ontario feed, \$15,59 to \$16, for bran in bulk; and shorts at \$16,50 to \$17, in bags. Provisions firm; dressed hogs are in good demand, with firm values; country dressed light weights, \$6 to \$6,25; light average, \$5,75 to \$6. heavy, \$5, to \$5,50; Canadian short cut mess pork, \$14,50 to \$15,50; short cut back pork, \$14,50 to \$14,50; heavy, \$14,50 to \$15,50; canadian short cut mess pork, \$14,50 to \$15,50; short cut back pork, \$14,50 to \$14,50; heavy long cut mess, \$14,50 to \$15,50; heavy, \$25,50 to \$25,00; choice grades, 20 to 21c, dairy continues in, light supply and active demand; tubs are quoted at 18 to 20c; rolls, 19 to 21c. Cheese — The cheese cable has advanced 6d and now stands at 58s, 6d for white, to 6's, 6d for colored; white goods are now held from 114 to 12c. Large supplies per express of fresh laid eggs continue to weaken prices; and 18 to 20 is quoted for such; other lines are steady, as follows—Selected fall, 16 to 17c.; held eggs, 12 to 14c.; limed do. 14 to 15c. with the latter in rather small supply.

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Toronto, Feb. 22. — Wheat firm on moderate offerings: we quote 65c. bid for red and white, 65c.; asked west; spring wheat is quoted at 67c. east; goose wheat is firmer, at 69 to 70c. the latter on a low freight for export. Manitoba dearer, at 82c. for No. 1 hard g.it. Sarnia, and 81c. North Bay Flour quiet; cars of straight roller in barrels, are quoted at 82.85 to 82.90 west. Milifeed firm, at 816 to 817 for shorts, and 815 for bran west. Barley steady, at 42c. for No. 2, east and 41c. west. Buckwheat steady; 49c. east and 48c. west. Rye unchanged, at 51c. to 515c. east, and 50c. to 59c. west. Corn firm for Canada yellow at 31c. west, American is steady, at 43½c. for No. 30d and 4½c. for No. 3 new Toronto. Oats firmer, at 276c. for white east and 26c. for mixed and 27c. for white west. Oatmeal steady, at \$3.20 to \$3.35 for bills Toronto. Peas firm, at 62c east and 61c. west.

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Toronto, Feb. 22.—Following is the range of quotations at western cattle market this morning:
Cattle—Shippers, per cwt., \$4.25 to \$5.00; butcher choice, do., \$3.75 to \$4.25; butcher, medium to good, \$3.25 to \$3.9; butcher, inferior, \$2.75 to \$3.00; stockers, per cwt., \$3.00 to \$3.50; butcher, inferior, \$3.50; and lambs—Sheep, per cwt., \$3.00 to \$3.50; bucks, per cwt., \$2.25 to \$2.50.

Milkers and Catves,—Cows, each, \$25 to \$50; calves, each, \$2 to \$10.

Hogs—Choice hogs per cwt., \$4.50 to \$5.00; light hogs, per cwt., \$4.00 to \$4.50; heavy, hogs, cwt., \$1.00 to \$4.50; sows, \$3; stags, \$2.

cwt., \$4.00 to \$4.59; sows, \$3; stags, \$2.

EAST BUFFALO.

Rast Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 22.— Cattle—Offerings, 4 loads; demand fair for butchers' cattle and choice stockers on the basis of Monday's prices. Calves—Fair demand and steady; choice to extra, \$8 to \$8,25; good to choice. \$7.50 to \$8. Sneep and lambs—Offerings, 49 loads; demand active: lambs, choice to extra, \$7.15 to \$7.30; good to choice, \$7 to \$7.15; common to fair, \$6 to \$6.75; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.35; mixed, \$5.75 to \$6; sheep, common to fair, \$3.30 to \$4.75; close steady. Hogs higher; supply light; heavy, \$5.15 to \$5.20; mixed, \$5.15 to \$5.20; Yorkers, \$5.174; pixes, \$5; roughs, \$4.60 to \$4.75; stags, \$3.25 to \$3.75; close steady.

The word that once escapes the tongue can not be recalled; as the arrow can not be cetained which has once sped from the bow.—Metastasio.

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BENZIGER BROTHERS,

Tenders for Mining Locations in the Yukon Territory to be Worked by Hydraulic or other Mining

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the envelope. Tender for Mining Location," will be received at this Department until noon on Monday, the 5th day of March, 1900, for leases under the provisions of the Regulations in that behalf, of the following described locations:—

No. 1. Situated on the West side of English River, a tributary of the Lewes River, in the Yukon Territory, commencing at the mouth and extending up the saidkeight River a distance of 4½ miles, by a depth of one mile throughout.

No. 2. Commencing at a point opposite the left limit of Creek Claim No. 210 below Lower Discovery on Dominion Creek, in the Indian River Mining Division of the Yukon Territory, thence down stream along the boundary line of the creek claims one mile, and extending back from the said boundary a distance of one mile throughout. CEALED TENDERS addressed to the under-

A separate tender to be made for each loca

tion, and an accepted cheque in favor of the Minister of the Interior for the amount offered as a bonus must accompany each tender. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. PERLEY G. KEYES.

Department of the Interior. Ottawa, 17th January, 1900. 1,112-4



Parliamentary Notice.

MONDAY, the twenty-sixth day of February instant, will be the last day for receiving Pettons for Private Bils.
FRIDAY, the second day of March next, will be the last day for introducing Private Bills.
FRIDAY, the sixteenth day of March next, will be the last day for receiving Reports of Committees on Private Bills.
CHARLES OLARKE,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly.
TORONTO, 1st February, 1900, 1.112-4

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The Catholic Record. shoul London, Saturday, March 3, 1900. was WANT OF UNITY AMONGST THE form

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Bishop Clifford (Episcopal) bemoans value the lack of unity among the various Luth sects, and assigns it as the chief cause stand of their failure with the heathen. No matr doubt it has a certain effect, but the the Bishop must furnish a more adequate deba reason for it than the one given. And and so he wants unity ! We are to blame decla for the sad state of affairs! We have begs been too stiff with Dissenters. We away must have more fatherly love and all perf that kind of thing you know! With a The little charity and forbearance, we tate Episcopalians will march cheek by jowl a me with Dissenters into the blessed haven If of unity.

hon Why doesn't he try Dr. Arnold's has scheme "that all sects should be united fires by Act of Parliament with the Church of e of England, on the principle of retain- aced ing all their distinctive errors and ab- bon surdities." It would work better, we ween, than the brotherly love business. However, we wish the Bishop well. cen We could not help thinking as we read pai his address that John Ruskin must who have seen something similar when he spe said that the English liturgy was evi- div dently drawn up with the amiable in- or tention of making religion as pleasant Pro as possible to a people desirous of sav- he ing their souls with no degree of per- but sonal inconvenience.

JOTTINGS.

Some time ago we saw a series of articles on the subject "Is Society Deteriorating," from the pens of "society leaders" and the sundry other females who troop through the country lament ing in strident tones the woes of the poor down-trodden women. It is con soling to see them, despite their many ste social duties, outlining the duties and we sphere of their sex. It betckens an interest in the poorer classes - the th seamstresses who make their luxurious robes and who are rewarded with sa princely munificence. Are they wak fa ing up to a knowledge of their mission. | th

Without attempting to answer the

question, we may advise them to give m an attentive perusal to the sermon of m Cardinal Gibbons on "The Christian by Woman." It is brimful of sound ad- fe vice, whose following will bring peace th and comfort to the aching brains of fr the fair ones who have been laboring ti with that social problem. They may not view the sermon with marked favor ; but they will, in their desire to break the chains that for ages have o bound woman to the mean and sordid b things of life, and to uplift her into the is serene atmosphere of equalitarian- t ism, not allow personal prejudice t to prevent them from prefiting i by its wisdom. The Cardinal has no pity on the females who stump the country presumably for woman's rights, but to our mind to gratify a sickly vanity or through morbid excitement. He regards "women and l society leaders, in the higher walks of life, as the worst enemies of the fe male sex. They rob woman of all that is amiable and gentle, tender and attractive. They rob her of her innate grace of character, and give her nothing in return but masculine bold ness and brazen effrontery. They are habitually preaching about woman's rights and prerogatives, and have not a word to say about her duties and re sponsibilities. They withdraw her from those sacred obligations which belong to her sex and fill her with am bition to usurp positions for which neither God nor nature ever intended

The women who are truly Catholic will never merit a rebuke such as came from the lips of the Cardinal of Baltimore. They know their position, and they know also that the masculine woman is lacking in the graces that are the peculiar ornament of womanhood. The strong woman is not the lady whose life's horizon is bounded by social pleasure or she who longs to be man's competitor in the professional and commercial world, but the maiden and mother who are gentle and tactful, content to influence in and through the home, and strong with the strength that wells up from the

hearts that are pure. Protestants indeed deplore the low tone of morality, the scanty respect tha