

BACK TO ROME.

How rapidly and surely time is avenging the past! The changes in religious views and religious practices, the gradual return to the Roman Liturgy, or the established form of worship of the Catholic Church, among the dissenting religious bodies and the reaction of the sects from the dry and cold formalism of Puritanism, Calvinism and Socialism are indeed noteworthy signs of the times.

The innocent instrument was eyed askance as an invention of the evil one to rob worship of its simplicity, and the good people of the Presbyterian churches would have nothing to do with the diabolical machine.

To-day, in one of those cities where the church was split into factions over the subject, one large Presbyterian church has three great organs, and there is not a Presbyterian church in America that has not an organ or melo-

In our own memory, every minister wore a white coat, or "white choker," as it was called by the profane; now 50 per cent. of the denominational preachers wear a Roman collar or an M. B. (Mark of the Beast) vest.

Forty years ago a Roman cross on the spire of a Presbyterian or any Protestant church was strangely out of place and a curiosity, if not an abomination.

A young and eloquent pastor of a Presbyterian church in Cleveland, thirty years ago, thought it would be the proper thing to have a little service on the first Good Friday of his pastorate.

It is said that J. James Tissot, during the many years of his pilgrimage in Palestine, never failed in his devout daily worship at the historic monasteries of that Holy Land.

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A JESUIT AMONG UNITARIANS.

A few days ago the Rev. W. O'Brien Pardow, S. J., of New York, said: "I do not like the word medieval as used by Ruskin. There is a sort of slur on being medieval. And to illustrate that I will give you an experience of mine: I had the very great honor to be invited to address a club of Unitarian ladies. I rather shivered at the invitation to address these ladies, but I survived, and am here to tell the tale.

The new parochial residence for St. Mary's parish in the city which has been in course of construction for the past year, is now completed. About ten years ago this parish, so far as numbers were concerned, was of very modest proportions.

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