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This is Rosary month.

It will soon be, "oh after the fair is over."

A HEART that has often been tendered is tough.

The Lieutenant governorships plum is still on the vine tree.

MR. F. W. RUSSELL has returned after a brief visit to Prince Albert.

MR. AND MRS. J. E. O'MEARA, of Selkirk, were in the city on Sunday.

SPRUCE gum costs a dollar a pound to those who chew to buy it.

MR. JOHN GILMOUR, of Russell, reports thirty bushels of wheat to the acre.

MR. JAMES JORDAN left for the World's Fair on Saturday.

MISS NELLIE COLLETON left last week on a brief visit in the east.

WOMAN may often be a conundrum, a puzzle, but the world never gives her up.

MR. C. J. O'CONNELL, of the Tecumseh House, left last week to take in the World's Fair.

CHILDREN, employ well your time; you owe an account of it. Time lost never returns.

ST. MARY'S COURT No. 276, C. O. F., will meet in Unity hall on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

GRADING on the Galt road is nearly completed. The rails are laid for ten miles out of Dunmore.

After the fair is over, Think of those hotel rooms, With the pastebord beds and washstands Silent as so many tombs; And think of the cable cars running, Crowded with nothing but air, There won't be a fare in Chicago After the fair is over.

If all questions were settled or known there would be nothing left to develop the mind of man. His powers would be dormant or dwarfed.

MR. T. O. BOURBEAU, ex-M. P. for the county of Arthabaska, is in the city on a visit to his son, Mr. Richard Bourbeau boot and shoe merchant.

A NEW vest-pocket prayer book entitled, "Golden Prayers," and containing the mass and vespers, has just been issued by Benzinger Bros., of New York.

MR. ED. MCKEOWN, Manitoba's champion pugilist, was taken to the hospital on Friday, having an attack of typhoid fever. Ed's condition at the present time is considered very low.

MR. N. D. GAGNER, late of this city, and until recently of Bathgate, N. D., is said to have put in a \$300,000 plant at Cavalier, and will proceed to issue another paper at that point.

Mrs. COSTIGAN, wife of Hon. John Costigan, who has been visiting her son, Mr. H. Costigan, collector of inland revenue here, left on Saturday for Calgary to visit another son who resides at that place.

MATTIE SIDES, a Columbia girl, finished washing dishes in hot water, and to arrange something, thrust her right arm into the ice box. The cold atmosphere paralyzed her arm, which fell helpless to her side. In a few minutes her hand became cramped and the arm swelled to twice its normal size. A physician was summoned, but medicines were of no avail. Finally hot iron was applied and gave relief.

WAGHORN'S GUIDE for October is to hand. It contains all changes in time cards of travel and includes the new Pasqua section and connections with Sault Ste. Marie line to Minneapolis, etc. The sailings of Atlantic and Pacific steamships, rates of passage etc., are also given. The map of Manitoba has been brought well up to date and the new railway extensions clearly shown. The general business table including the municipal guide, the county court and military lists embody all alterations and additions.

The anniversary of Chas. Stewart Parnell's death was celebrated in Cork on the 7th instant with the usual imposing ceremonies. In the afternoon a procession of thousands marched through the principal streets to the hall where the memorial meeting had been called. The speakers eulogized Parnell, reviewed the recent course of events in the British parliament and appealed to the people to fight on, undiscouraged by the cause of home rule. The Nationalist club and

many private houses were draped with black. There was no disorder and the police made no arrests.

The commercial bank has closed up its Fort William branch.

MR. ADOLPHE POISSON, one of Canada's foremost poets, is a guest of Mr. J. A. Richards.

The residence of Mr. G. Phillips, at Elkhorn, was completely destroyed by fire on Monday evening last, loss \$700.

The Broadview fall exhibition which took place on Thursday of last week is reported as having been a success.

Civil service examinations will be held in this city on the 14th of November.

A BOARDER has good reason for suspecting his landlady when she advises him to eat sparingly if he wishes to be healthy.

A NEW YORK paper solemnly announces that one of the hotels of that city is to be enlarged by reducing the size of its immense rooms.

The Chicago papers pleasantly mention Bishop McDonnell's modest and practical address at the convention of the Catholic Benevolent Legion.

We notice that Mr. John D. Kelly lately of the Church Progress has accepted a teachership in the Knottsville Ky., district.

MR. T. D. WOODCOCK, of Chater, will again operate his elevator this year, the lease to Messrs. Dines & Cleveland having expired.

In a cemetery adjoining a small town in the State of Vermont, there is a tombstone bearing this remarkable legend: "Sacred to the memory of three twins."

ON Saturday last the three-year-old daughter of Mrs. Scaetson, of Rapid City overturned a burning lamp, and was so severely burned that death ensued in the evening.

"GRANTLEY MANOR," the interesting tale which has been running in these columns for some time was concluded in our last issue. Hereafter we will publish short serials of entertaining and pleasant reading. Look out for them.

The French government proposes to line the railroads for late trains. A penalty for trying to make two trains pass on the same track is a reform that would be generally appreciated. People do not object so strenuously to being late on earth as they do to being hustled into eternity ahead of time.

A HOME is generally what we make it, and it is pretty much the same with Catholic journals. Therefore, dear readers, send in the amount of your arrears to this office, and we will endeavor to make the REVIEW a "pleasant home" Catholic paper.

ON October 20th the students of St. Francis Xavier's College, New York, will render a Latin play at the World's Fair. This should be a sufficient answer to the criticism of those who profess to believe that Catholic colleges are not the equal of the secular institutions.

SAYS an exchange: The Rev. Dr. Edward McGlynn addressed over 2,000 of his friends and admirers at the Lexington Opera House, New York, last Wednesday night. The occasion was a reception to celebrate his fifty-sixth birthday, and was in the nature of a jubilee over his restoration to the priesthood.

THE North American Review for September may almost be termed a Catholic number, containing as it does, a brilliant article by the Rev. J. A. Zahm, C.S.C., of Notre Dame University, on Christian Faith and Scientific Freedom, and a thoughtful review of the questions involved in the Briggs controversy from a Catholic standpoint.

AT a meeting of the Toronto board of health on Friday last a bill of expenses for the construction of a small-pox hospital at Rat Portage was submitted. The board refused to pay for the building, but agreed to liquidate \$1,784 for other disbursements. A resolution was passed asking the provincial treasurer to apply to the Dominion government for reimbursement of this amount.

CAPT. DUDLEY SMITH, of Roser, has returned after an absence of nine months in the old country. Capt. Smith is extensively interested in gold mining operations in the Rat Portage district. While in England he interested a number of capitalists in Rat Portage mines and formed a syndicate to be known as "The Bonanza." They are commencing operations.

"Old and New Lights on Columbus," is the title of a new book on Columbus now in course of printing to be ready for the public in a few weeks. It is from the experienced and gifted pen of New York's Catholic historian, Dr. Richard H. Clarke, who is already so well known as the author of "The Lives of the Deceased Bishop of the American Catholic Church."

"CAN you tell me what sort of weather we may expect next month?" wrote a farmer to his country paper, and the editor replied as follows: "It is my belief that the weather next month will be very much like your subscription bill." The farmer wondered for an hour what the editor was driving at when he happened to think of the word "unsettled." He sent a postal order.—Whitewood Herald.

MR. ALEX. ELVES, of Minnedosa, who brought his infant son to the city last week to undergo an operation from the supposed effects of a bruised arm of which the doctors in the west treated as inflammatory rheumatism but, without effect, returned home on Friday with elevated spirits, as a result of some of our skillful city doctors thinking that amputation was not necessary to save the child's arm.

BROTHER AMBROSE, in his excellent paper on "The Lessons of the Catholic Educational Exhibit," forcibly combated the absurd notion that the teachers in Catholic schools, for the most part men and women who follow a religious rule of life, are inferior to the instructors

in state schools. The worthy Brother recited the cases of Diogenes and Plato, separated themselves from the world in order to teach their disciples better; and he declared that the superior showing made at Chicago by the Catholic schools was ample refutation of the assertion that the teachers in these schools are in any sense inferior or unqualified for their positions.—Catholic Times.

There is many a thing that I'd like to portray And I would—if I had a kodak. For instance, the girl who chews gum at the play. Oh, I would—if I had a kodak. I would show you the crowd that hangs on to the grip, And the blue air around that enlivens the trip; I would show you a waiter when grabbing a tip. Yes, I would—if I had a kodak.

In a Methodist paper published in Cincinnati appears this delicious "special offer." "Owing to the great financial stringency, called hard times, I make this special offer, which holds good until Dec. 1. Any church wanting a protracted meeting, can have my services at \$12 per week, plus car-fare, should the distance be more than one hundred miles from Frankfort, Ind. My services are intended for churches wanting the plain simple gospel of Jesus Christ, regardless of human dogmas or opinions. Also churches convenient, wanting a pastor can secure my services at \$10 per trip, or \$500 per year, etc." Churches in need of the gentleman's services should act promptly, but, please don't all speak at once.—Terms, C. O. D.

Couldn't Fool Him.

A farmer went into a store in a Georgia town the other day, and asked the proprietor if he wanted to buy some fresh butter. The merchant told him he would ask his wife if she needed any, so he stepped to the telephone, called up his wife, and talked to her a few seconds through the phone, then turning to the countryman, who was standing with his hands in his pockets, his eyes stretched and his face very red, told him that his wife said she did not need any butter. The indignant countryman blurted out: "Look here, mister, if you didn't want any butter why didn't you say so? I ain't such a gold-durned fool as to think that you've got your wife shut up in that little box."

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