

THE TRUTH ABOUT THE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

BY A PROTESTANT THEOLOGIAN. CCCXLIII.

A writer in the Spectator has lately said, with a sneer, that some modern historians affect to admire Queen Mary Tudor.

I can not say, of course, to what lengths of extravagance some historians may have gone.

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the Crown, she allowed only one-third to be tried, and few of these again to suffer. After Wyatt's rebellion, which nearly overthrew her throne, she suffered the terrible legal vengeance of those days to overtake sixty, whereas Elizabeth, after a rising no more dangerous, raised and stored because only three hundred—others, with less warrant, say six or eight hundred—were hurried off to the gallows.

Unhappily for Mary, the English, long before and long after, were accustomed to the extreme excesses of political cruelty, and of what in time became the most sanguinary criminal jurisprudence of Europe.

When Philip's confessor, a Spaniard, protested from the pulpit against the burning of heretics, English Catholics heard echoed his words, and deeply resented it that the Queen was only transiently moved by them.

Indeed, the English and the Teutonic races generally, were always less inclined to severity against religious dissent than the Southern peoples.

Still, we must not impute Mary's religious severities wholly to her Spanish connections. Like her father and grandfather, her brother and sister, and even like Jane Grey, she had the cold Tudor heart, although she had perhaps more warmth of feeling than the rest of the race.

As we know, Edward, willingly seconding Cranmer, had drawn up a bill condemning all adhering Catholics to the stake. Had his reign been prolonged, excluding his elder sister's England would probably have witnessed religious butcheries fully entitling him to the name of Bloody Edward.

Dr. Lingard judges, and I think rightly, that there can be no excuse for the execution of Jane, Mary had plainly shown her apprehension of her young cousin's personal innocence in her usurpation.

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He was transfigured before them.—Words from to-day's Gospel.

At first sight, my dear brethren, it seems strange that just as we have entered upon this season of fasting and penance the Church should have chosen for to-day's Gospel one of the few accounts which the Evangelists have given of the manifestation on earth of our Lord's glory and majesty.

But to-day's Gospel forms an exception to this general rule. In it special pains have been taken by the Evangelists to give us in detail a description of the other life, so to speak, of our Lord's life.

Now, why has the Church, by selecting the account of the Transfiguration at this season, turned our thoughts to what seems so inappropriate a subject? It would seem that it would have been better to have chosen those parts of the Gospel which treat of sin, of the judgment to come, of the punishments which await the impenitent sinner.

In this life there is nothing so familiar to most of us as suffering in some form or other. Most of us are obliged by our circumstances to pass our days in exhausting toil and labor.

But does it not seem a work of derision, to uphold, in these days of elegant ease, and epicurean indulgence, the slightest practice of self-denial? The Carpe Diem of that tuncful old pagan—Horace—which may be translated—

Pluck the roses while you may. Old Time is ever flying. The rose that blooms for thee to-day To-morrow may be dying.

is fully endorsed in this age and country; and the man who will not sip from the golden chalice of human pleasure when presented to his lips, is regarded by the men of the world of to-day as

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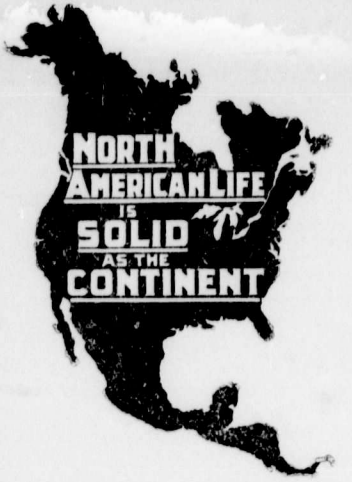
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