At the regular meeting of Ladies' Auxiliary, Div. No. 1, held in St. Patrick's Hall, 92 St. Alexander St., the following resolutions were ad-

Whereas, — It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to call to his eternal reward the Rev. Father O'Donnell, brother

the Rev. Father O'Donnell, brother of Miss O'Donnell, and pastor of St. Mary's parish, Montreal;
Whereas,—We, the members of the above organization, extend our sincere sympathy to Miss O'Donnell and the other members of the sorrowing family in this their sad between the control of the sorrowing family in this their sad between the control of the sorrowing family in this their sad between the control of the sorrowing family in this their sad between the control of the sorrow of the sorrow

rowing family in this turn search reavement.

Resolved,—That whilst we bow in humble submission to the will of our Divine Saviour, we deeply mourn the loss which they have sustained.

And be it further resolved,—That a copy of these resolutions be recorded in the minutes of the meeting, one forwarded to Miss O'Donnell, and one sent to the "True Witness" for publication.

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At a meeting of the members of Division No. 3, A.O.H., the following resolution was passed:

Moved by Bro. D. Gallery, and seconded by Bro. Brophy,— That the members of this Division have learned with, sincere regret of the death of Bro. Hogue, and beg leave to convey to his afflicted parents and relatives their heartfelt sympathy at the loss they have sustained, a loss which the members of this Division all keenly feel.

It was also further resolved,—That

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FRED. J. DEVLIN,

At the regular meeting of Branch 26. Catholic Mutual Benefit Associa tion, Grand Council of Canada, held Monday, Dec. 24th, 1900, the fol-lowing resolutions were unanimously

adopted:—
That whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to take from amongst us out late worthy and esteemed brother, Rodger Minogue.
Resolved,—That the most sincere sympathy of this branch be extended to the mother and family of our deceased by other.

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adopted:—
That whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to take from amongst us our late worthy and esteemed brother, Jno. Phelan.
Resolved,—That the most sincere sympathy of this Branch be extended to the widow and family of our deceased brother.

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Resolved,—That the usual number of Masses be offered for the repose of the soul of deceased;
Resolved,—That the charter be draped for the period of one month in respect to deceased, and that a copy of these resolutions be inserted in the "True Witness."

At the regular meeting of Branch 26, Catholic Mutual Benefit Associa-tion. Grand Council of Canada, held Monday, Jan. 14, 1901, the fol-lowing resolutions were unanimously

adopted:—
That whereas, it has pleased Almighty God to take from amongst us our late worthy and esteemed brother, Thos. T. Flynn.
Resolved,—That the most sincere sympathy of this Branch be extended to the family of our deceased brother.

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Resolved.—That the usual number of Masses be offered for the repose of the soul of deceased;
Resolved.—That the charter be draped for the period of one month in respect to deceased, and that a copy of these resolutions be inserted in the "True Witness."

At the last regular meeting of St. Gabriel's T. A. and B. Society a resolution of condolence was passed, econveying the deep sympathy of the members of the society to Mr. Charles Sweeney and family, on the great loss thuy suffered by the death of Mr. Sweeney, sr., father of Mr. Charles Sweeney.

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He invested his profits in the Harqua Hala mines, and doubled his wealth in a few years. From that time he has been prospering to a degree undreamed of by him.

But he has never changed his manner of living. He is over 60 and in fine health. Every day he may be seen walking about the little town of Kingman or over at Ash Fork where he has valuable real estate. No one would think from his appearance that he has property. He lives alone in a cabin, cooks his own flapjacks, pork bacon and oatmeal over a. 94 stove, and sleeps in a bunk of red blankets. Once in a year or two he pork bacon and oatmeal over a 94 stove, and sleeps in a bunk of red blankets. Once in a year or two he may go to Phoenix or to Los Angeles for a few days, but he always returns to his cabin, saying that he will never take so long a journey again. His sole amusement is playing pedro for five cent cigars, and if he can win a pocketful in the course of an atternoon he is happy for a few days. He has never been known to stand the loss of more than a half dozen cigars in the course of his pedro gambling in one day, for he will quit when the tide of luck is running too hard against him. running too hard against him. Virginia Enterprise

INTERNATIONAL CATHOLIC TRUTH SOCIETY.

have received the following from a member of the local executive of the above named organization, No. 373 Fulton street.

Brooklyn, N.Y., Jan. 9, 1901. To the Readers of the True Witness

Dear Sirs,-The attention of the International Catholic Truth Society has been directed by the pressing need of Catholic papers and magazines among our co-religionists in the Southern and Western parts of the United States, in the Maritime Provinces and in the North-West Territories

Recently we have received word from priests in sparsely settled sections of Canada that there are Catholic families there who see the priest but once or twice a year, and if such families, frequently very poor, are to be kept in the Church it must be largely by means of good Catholic seems very little work at first sight, but it requires patience and some licerature.

We are assured by those who are that if our plan be heartily co-oper ated with, a knowledge and love for our holy religion will be revived in thousands of homes. The paper hurriedly glanced over and thrown by us in the waste basket will be a welcome and efficient missionary in many a country home.

The following plan to meet the call has been adopted :-

We are obtaining lists of names of Catholics and non-Catho to whom Catholic literature would be welcome, from the pastor of southern and western parishes subscriber to a Catholic newspape magazine and, after you have read it, would be willing to mail it regularly to some worthy person who would be delighted to receive it, "send a postal to that effect to the International Catholic Truth So ciety, Arbuckle Building, Brooklyn, N.Y.," and we will send you the name and address of some one who will greatly appreciate the publica tion you send. We desire to have our Canadian friends attend to these canadian rience attend to these families in their own land, as the Canadian papers would doubtless be more welcome than those coming from the United States.

Sincerely yours, REV. WM. F. McGINNIS.

Mary, thou art the book in which the rule of our life is written; or ra-ther thou art the book which con-

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MR. DEVLIN INTERVIEWED

In the course of an interview with an evening contemporary, Charles R. Devlin, the able and enthusiastic immigration agent in Dublin, at present on a short visit to this country, said :-

'A mistaken idea prevails," he said, "with respect to Irish immigration. There are those who com plain that the returns are not satisfactory, and yet who never take the trouble to find out what the actual returns are. If they will look in the last issue of the Statistical Record they will find at once the great growth in the matter of Irish immigration to Canada. The Statistical Record places the number in the thousands.

"I read recently in a Canadian newspaper an interview given by a Belfast clergyman, who was then or a visit to Canada. He said that little or no work was being done that province. I will just tell you the work done there, and it will illustrate generally the work that is be ing done throughout Ireland. have an agent at Londonderry, Mr E. O. Kelly, an able and competent officer. He has also a branch office in Belfast. I venture to say that vince of Ulster which has not been visited by him. He goes to fairs and to shows, and makes exhibits-very extensive exhibits—at all agricultural shows throughout the province; as often as possible he visits intending immigrants. More than that, Mr Webster, who is attached to my office, has delivered already months of November and December at least twenty illustrated lectures on Canada. Assuredly this is work,'

exicaimed Mr. Devlin. "But let me take up the work generally as affecting all Ireland. Whenever an article calculated to do injury to Canada appears in a paper, and is brought under my notice, I make it my duty at once to arrest whatever errors may be in such article. I have been four years in Ireland, and during that time no great arrestingle or situation. provincial or city fair has taken place without a very extensive exhibit of the best that the lands, the forests and the mines of Canada can produce, being made. All of this

'Again, our offices are visited by the business man, both Camadian and Irish. The Canadian is anxious to extend his business in Ireland, the Irishman equally so. During the summer months, I am happy to say, we have the wisits of a number of Canadians who avail themselves of the construction of Canadians. the opportunities offered them by reason of the existence of the office. Before returning to Ireland I propose visiting quite a number of pose visiting quite a number of those who have established them-selves in this country from Ireland since my tenure of office, and ob-taining from them some expression of opinion."



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STATISTICAL NOTES.

A bit of a mathematical problem, remarks an exchange. How many Catholics will be in the world's census of 2000 A.D.?

Here's the rate of progression for nineteen centuries, on the authority

of a German Protestant statistician:
First century 500,000
Second century 2,000,000
Third century 5,000,000
Fourth century 10,000,000
Fifth century 15,000,000
Sixth century 20,000,000
Seventh century 25,000.000
Flighth century 40,000,000
Ninth century 48,000.000
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Thirteenth century 85,000,000
Fourteenth century 90,000,000
Fifteenth century100,080,000
Sixteenth century 125,000,000
Seventeenth century175,000,000
Eighteenth century250,000,000

ther, more than one billion and five hundred million have lived and died in the arms of Holy Mother Church

The census of the faithful in th year 2000 may swell the stupendous aggregate to the most incom total of two billions two thousand millions of Catholics!

Market Report.

GRAIN-The market is steady with ry little change. We quote: 30c to 311/c ex-store, and 27c to 271/2c wes freights; peas, at 601/2c to 61c west freights; barley, No. 2, at 40c to 40½c east freights; rye, 48c to 40½c, east freights; rye, 48c to 48½c; buckwheat, 51c east freight; wheat red and white, 67½c; spring wheat, 68½c.

FLOUR—The local market conti-We quote as follows : Manitobe

we quote as follows: Manitoba patents, \$4.50; strong bakers, \$4.05 to \$4.20; and straight rollers, \$3.30 to \$3.45; in bags, \$1.60 to \$1.70; winter patents, \$3.65 to \$3.95. ROLLED OATS-Demand is fair.

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We quote \$3.30 per barrel, and \$1.60 to \$1.62½ per bag.

FEED—Business is fairly active, and prices are strong.

We quote as follows: Manitobebran, \$17 in begs; shorts, \$16; Ontario bran, \$16.50 to \$17 in bulk; shorts, \$17.50 to \$18 per ton.

HAY—A moderately active business is passing, and prices for best qualities have advanced 50c per ton. We quote as follows: No. 1, \$10.50 to \$11; No. 2, \$9.50 to \$10; clover, \$', to \$8.50 per ton in car lots on track,

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PARLOR TABLES.

15 only handseme parlor Tables in solid oak, size of top 24 by 24 inches, turned legs, with undershelf, best finish, regular \$3.25. \$4.75 | Sale price,.....\$2.25



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Liverpool quotations show a decline of 3d in pork from 68s to 67s 9d. Lard is up from 28s 3d to 28s 6d.

EGGS—Receipts continue small, and values steady.
We quote Montreal limed at 15c to 6c; boiling at 26c to 28c; fall cooking, at 17c to 18c.

BUTTER-The local market is quiet and steady.

We quote choice creamery at 28c in a jobbing way, with some offering at 22c in wholesale quantities; roll dairy at 20½c to 21c.

MAPLE PRODUCTS.—The market continues quiet and steady. We quote syrup at 70c to 75c in large tins, and 50c to 60c per small tin, and 6½c to 7c per lb. in wood; sugar, 9c to 10c. HONEY—Business is fair, and prices are steady. We quote the following prices to-day: White clover comb, 18c to 14½c; and white extracted, 8½c to 10c; buckwheat, in comb, 10c to 12c; and extracted, 7c to 8c.

BEANS—The demand is fairly active and prices are firm. We quote \$1.40 to \$1.45 for primes.

POULTRY—Business is moderately active, and prices are steady.
We quote as follows: Turkeys, at 8½c to 9c; chickens, at 6c to 7c; bowls, 4½c to 6c; geese at 5c to 6c, and ducks at 8c to 9c per lb.

POTATOES —A steady trade is in progress and prices are firm at 45 cents per bag in quantities.

DRESSED MEATS -Market quie DRESSED MEATS — Market quiet and steady.

We quote Hindauarters beef, 4½c to 7c; forequarters, 3c to 5c; habs, 5c to 7c; mutton, 4½c to 5½c; veal, 4c to 5c per lb.

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