

The figure on page 161 is that of the late Father Martinet, Assistant-General of the Oblate of M. I., who came to British Columbia as Visitor in 1882. He was born in France on February 10th, 1829, and died at Bordeaux on December 11th, 1891. R. I. P.

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Page 165 reproduces the miniature Life of St. Cecily. Over 5,000 Chinook words, equal to 7,500 English words, all in one page.

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The six following pages are taken by the continuation of Bishop Durieu's Old Testament. Only two pages and a-half are left for the December "Wawa."

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On pages 172 and 173 are the continuation of the History of the New Testament, by the same author.

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Pages 174 and 175 are of the size of the pages of our future Prayer Book, and contain Hymns for Benediction.

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On page 176 is a reproduction of the Indian Calendar, which is so useful to the Indians.

A Prayer to be Said Every Day before a Picture of the Holy Family.

O most loving Jesus, who didst hal-
low by Thy surpassing virtues and
the example of Thy home life the
household Thou didst choose to live
in while upon earth, mercifully look
down upon this family, whose mem-
bers, humbly prostrate before Thee,
implore Thy protection. Remember
that we are Thine, bound and consec-
rated to Thee by special devotion.
Protect us in Thy mercy, help us
in our necessities, deliver us from
danger, and impart to us strength to
persevere always in the imitation of
Thy Holy Family, so that, by serving
Thee and loving Thee faithfully dur-
ing this mortal life, we may at length
give Thee eternal praise in Heaven.
O Mary, dearest Mother, we implore
thy assistance, knowing that thy Di-
vine Son will hearken to thy petitions.
And do thou, O most glorious patri-
arch St. Joseph, help with thy power-
ful patronage, and place our petitions
in Mary's hands, that she may offer
them to Jesus Christ. Amen.

OUR INDIAN CATECHISM.

XVI.

136. *What is Matrimony?*

Matrimony is a Sacrament which sanctifies the union of man and woman.

137. *What are the effects of the Sacrament of Matrimony?*

The effects of the Sacrament of Matrimony are—1st, To sanctify the love of husband and wife; 2nd, To give them grace to bear with each other's weaknesses; 3rd, To enable them to bring up their children in the fear and love of God.

138. *What should young people do in order to make a good marriage?*

They should first pray to God to find their proper consorts; they should also consult their parents.

139. *How should parents act when they know their children's intentions?*

They should consult the will of God, and advise their children in accordance with that divine will.

140. *What does God forbid to parents in regard to their children's marriage?*

God expressly forbids parents to sell their children in Matrimony; to prevent them, unreasonably, from marrying the party they have chosen, and to compel them to marry another party against their will.

141. *When a couple have agreed to get married, what shall they do?*

They must not live together until they are married before the Priest; their banns should be published on three consecutive Sundays; they should duly prepare for marriage by learning all their prayers and the Catechism.

142. *Does the Church forbid marriage between certain persons?*

Yes; the Church forbids marriage between certain persons who are prevented from marrying by some impediments.