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A. O. H. Cadet Corps Organized at Quebec.

(From our Own Correspondent.)
The National Convention of the A.
O.H., held at Indianapolis in July, nd the Provincial Convention, Montreal in September last, hav-g recommended the formation of venile divisions, the matter was juvenile divisions, the matter was at once taken up in the Ancient Capital with most gratifying results. On Sunday last the officers of Division No. 1 and Provincial Secretary Coveney met a large number of boys in Tara Hall for the purpose of completing the work of organization. The chair was occupied by Mr. J. Gallagher, County President, who addressed the boys at some length, extlaining to them the object for which they had been assembled and the qualifications necessary to come members. He said the objects of the A.O.H. were both national and religious. He urged boys to be true to the faith which St. Patrick preached to the Irish ion No. 1 and Provincial Secretary tional and religious. He urged the boys to be true to the faith which St. Patrick preached to the people, and for which their fathers suffered persecution even death rather than deny, and which was handed down to them as a Irecious inheritance. The boys were also urged to study the history of Ireland, which was a glorious one of which every Irishman should be proud. He urged the youngsters to lead good and exemplary lives, so that they would be a credit to the (hurch and good members of society. Mr. Gallagher denounced cigarette smoking in a very severe member. or merating many of its ill-effects on those addicted to the habit. He then read for them the constitution and by-laws which were to govern them, and which they promised to obey. The election of officers was then proceeded with, constitution and by-laws which were to govern them, and which they promised to obey. The election of officers was then proceeded with, and resulted in the election of the following, there being a keen contert a cach officer. President, John Wall res vice-president, Thos. Fuller recording secretary, Robt. Delany:

financial secretary, Paul Carbray; treasurer, Wm. Dollard; sergeant-at-arms, Clifford Malone; sentinel. T. Delany. The newly-elected of were then conducted to their respective seats and the duties of their office explained to them. Congratulatory remarks from members of the County Board followed, after which the hoys were dismissed. During the whole proceedings the utmost enthusiasm prevailed. The newly-organized corps starts out under most favorable auspices, and promises to be a credit to themselves and an honor to those who worked so faithfully and zealously to organize them. fully and zealously to organize them

Silver Jubilee of Rev. Fathers RIOUX and Flunn.

(Continued from page 1.)
was the more convinced of this, as was the more convinced of this, as he would be celebrating his own silver jubilee next year. (Laughter) He heartily congratulated Rev. Father Rioux on having attained his silver jubilee, and he also endorsed all the good things that had been said, or that would be said with record to the musical programme. regard to the musical programme presented on this occasion. He was presented on this occasion. He was particularly proud of the leader of the choir, and of the leading singer, as they were both members of his own parish (Cheers.)

Rev. Father Shea, pastor of St. Aloysius, added his congratulations to those already expressed, both to Rev. Father Rioux and to Rev. Father Rioux and to Rev. Father Rioux and to Rev. Father Flore Headed his reliable for ther Flynn. He added his wishes that they might both be long spared to rule with the same wisdom and to rule with the same wisdom and prudence which the pastor had dis-played in his administration of his duties among his people. Rev. Father McCrory, curate of

Rev. Father McCrory, curate of St. Michael's, spoke not as a pastor but as an assistant, and especially as a son of St. Ann's parish, who came to pay his tribute to the father by whose good teaching and better example he hoped he had profitted. fitted somewhat. The demonstra-tion of the evening was the best proof of the justice of the Irish intuition which had dictated the manner of the celebration. Rev. Father Jacquemain, Prof. Shea and Mr. Quinn, the choir leader, been well inspired when they decided that this glorious jubilee could best be celebrated by that most beautiful form of human expression music. The success had been strik-ing in the portion of the programme which they had already heard, and he had no doubt that the second part would be equally pleasant. He wished once more to express his titude to the father rector for many acts of kindness received many acts of kindness received throughout his course, and to Father Flynn, the friend of all young men, and he hoped that both would be spared to celebrate their golden jubilee among their beloved people in St. Ann's.

in St. Ann's.

Rev. Father Cullinan, speaking as another son of St. Ann's parish, endorsed all that had been said by Rev. Father McCrory and the pastors who had considered the father than the state of tors who had spoken before him. While celebrating the silver jubilee of the priesthood of the Father Rector and Father Flynn, they were also celebrating the silver jubilee of the advent of the Redemptorists in the parish. Their coming was not viewparish. Their coming was not vie ed with unmixed feelings, and it ed with unmixed feelings, and it is a commentary on the changed feeling that whereas on the first Sunday on which they came to officiate in St. Ann's Church the choir was empty, except for the organist, that the silver jubilee of their coming should be celebrated by music of the highest order, rendered by the finest choir in the city under such brilliant leadership. The singing by large choirs was in great vogue in England at the present time, and the visit to Canada recently of the Sheffield Canada recently of the Sheffield choir showed to what a high degree of perfection choirs in England had attained. There was no reason why St. Ann's choir should not follow the good example thus set, and after appearing before leave the appearing before large audien in this city, even aspire at no distant date to go across the sea and show what a Canadian choir could

Mr. Justice Curran presented his Mr. Justice Curran presented his hearty congratulations to the Rev. Father Rioux, whose silver jubilee was being celebrated, and expressed his regret that Rev. Father Flynn his regret that Rev. Father Flynn was kent away by his duffes as a missionary. He was afraid that their friend, Ald. O'Connell, was in league with the priests to make him sneak on such an occasion after the priests had said all there was to say. He felt like a man who, being called on in the British House of Commons to speak after Edmund Burke, declared that all he could find to say was "ditto." He rejoiced at the presence of so many, especially the members of the clergy. The remarks of Father Donnelly recalled a discussion at which he assisted many years ago, in which the various marks of Father Donnelly recalled a discussion at which he assisted many years ago, in which the various speakers all claimed that the part of Ireland from which each had come was the very finest and best; they heard of Limerick and Clare and all the other points of the dear old land. When his turn came, he declared boldly that they were all mistaken, that he himself had been born in the very best part of Ireland. St. Ann's ward. (Cheers and laughter.) The manner in which the performance of the evening had been carried on so far showed that it had not been necessary for the Sheffield choir to come to Canada to encourage the practice of splendid choir singing, and he hoped that the people of Montreal generally would have an opportunity of hearing them at an early date. They must not forget Father Donnelly's hint about next year, and on that occasion he hoped to hear St. Ann's choir and other choirs iniped with them in celebrating the notable event.

The learned instice received that he was one of those who had the privilers of seeins the Dadenytorists.

MONTHLY CALENDAR

12 | **D**ecember, 1908 T. | Bl. Edward Campion & Comp W. 2 St. Bibiana, V. M: Th. 3 St. Francis Xavier, C St. Peter Chrysologus, Abp. C D S. 5 St. Saba, Ab.

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7 St. Ambrose, B. C. D.
8 The Immaculate Conc.
9 St. Leocadia, V. M.
b. 10 St. Melchiades, P. M.
11 St. Damasus, P. C.
12 St. Cormac. Ab.

Third Sunday in Advent.

8. 13 St. Lucy. V. M.
M. 14 Bl. Andrew Bobola, M.
T. 15 St. Florence, th.
V. 65 St. Eusebius, B. M.
Th. 17 St. Olympias, W.
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2. Fourth Sunday in Advent.

25 Christmas. 26 St. Stephen, First Martyr.

S. 27 St. John, Ap. Evangelist
M. 28 The Holy Innocents, MM.
T. 29 St. Thomas à Becket, Abp. M.
So. St. Sabinus, B M
Th 31 St. Sylvester L. P C

watched with pride and pleasure the progress of the parish and particu-larly of the institution for young men in_whose hall they were gathered, founded in 1883, and held up as a model for young men's sociations all over the city, as deed St. Ann's parish was a m for all the others. Might the rish continue to prosper as it under the present rector and his as sistant as it had under those who re like their friend Father had gone before like their dear departed friend Father Strubbe, whose memory must always be revered in this place

which he had founded. Rev. Canon O'Meara, who having been detained by his parochial du-ties, had reached the hall quite late came under the watchful eye of Ald O'Connell, and was called upon. He could but join, he said, in the conratulations and good wishes that had been showered upon Father Rioux and Father Flynn. He hoped that both would be here in St. Ann's parish to celebrate their gol-

den jubilee. Rev. Father James P. Killoran another St. Ann's boy, who had just managed to get inside the hall, was next spied out. He was not so old, he remarked, as Canon O'Meara, but he wished to be just as short in his remarks. He had come as a Ann's boy to express to the reverend jubilarians gratitude for all they had done for St. Ann's parish at large and for the speaker in particular. Not only did the people of St. Ann's gather to honor their pastor, and minister, but from all over the city came old St. Ann's boys and girls, who had moved to the various new parishes where other St. Ann's boys had now gone to minister to their switted words.

their spiritual needs. He hoped that when the fiftieth anniversary of when the fiftieth anniversary of their ordination came about there would not be any hall in Montreal large enough to hold the crowds that would come to celebrate the

happy event. in St. Ann's.

Hon. Charles J. Doherty, M.P., declared that he had no word of apology to offer for coming before them on such an occasion, as he was glad to add his congratulations to the already uttered, on his own behalf and on that of the people of Ann's. He considered himself entitled to speak to some extent for St. Ann's, for though he was a member of the parish, he gone to school there, to Brother Ar-nold, and Brother Arnold's gone to sensor there, to brother Ar-nold, and Brother Arnold's boys were St. Ann's boys. Speaking for a still broader constituency, he wished to offer his congratulations and good wishes on behalf of all

the Irish Catholic laity to Rev. Fa-ther Rioux and Rev. Father Flym, in this parish, which, especially in the presence of Father McShane, he would not call the mother Irish parish, but the most typically Irish parish in the city. The ex-judge maintained that Mr. Justice Curran was right in referring to St. Ann's as the best part of Ireland, and he proceeded to prove it. We are told that in old Ireland those who came to live among the Irish became more Irish than the Irish themselves. The Irish than the Irish themselves. The same thing happens in St. Ann's, as is illustrated by the case of Rev. Father Rioux. Father Flynn, on coming to St. (Ann's, renewed his Irish spirit, which had been born of his Irish blood. Mr. Doherty applied to Father Flynn the words of that eloquent departed Irishman, Dr. Drummond, on Father O'Flynn, of Donegal, and concluded: "I do not know whether Father Flynn, or his whether Father Flynn, or his ancestors, came from Donegal, but he is worthy of it, and that is the highest praise which a Doherty can

give to any man."
Dr. J. J. Guerin added his gratulations. Father Rioux was well worthy of all the honor done him, for his highest ambition was to serve the best interests of the people confided to his care. He and Fanle confided to his care. He and Father Flynn, his worthy coadjutor. had passed the silver milestone of their priestly journey of life, and the rector must feel happy surrounded as he was by such a concourse of the people of the parish. Might the mutual love and good feeling manifested on this occasion

one continue.

Mr. J. C. Walsh remarked that the nrevious sneeders represented that the nrevious sneeders represented the clerey, the Perch and the learned professions. He would sneed, therefore, on behalf of the learner class the sinners. He had come celebrating the notable event.

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Prof. Shea whether good his boasts of the ability of the combined choirs to present a pro-gramme of the highest class of mu-sic. He must admit that what they had heard so far. heard so far was even better than they had been led to expect. He hoped that when they were called upon next year to celebrate Father Donnelly's silver jubilee they would have three to four hundred singers of the different choirs of the

Rev. Father Rioux was next called upon and received the heartiest marks of devotion by the large at-tendance. In the addresses read on behalf of St. Ann's parish, as well as in the spoken addresses delivered with such bursts of eloquence with such bursts of eloquence he found with pleasure the expression of gratitude not only to himself and his absent colleague, but also to the Redemptorist Order—to those who had, in the past, contributed so much to the welfare of the parish. He could not but feel honored at such spontaneous expression their true Irish hearts. God k that he would wish that all contributed to the progress of contributed to the progress of St. Ann's were here to witness the happy results of their efforts. He was rather confused to be alone to receive their expressions of good will. If the humble efforts of himself and his colleagues had been blessed with such fruits as to call the attention even of those outside the parish it was largely due to the intelligent co-operation of the people of St. Ann's. The concert which so delighted all present on this occasion was another sample of this occasion was another sample of what was being one by the record themselves for their own advance-ment in the higher arts. For him-self, he could claim but-little credit, he had stepped into authority when self, he could claim but little creative he had stepned into authority when all had been organized, and he had more reason than any one to be proud and thankini or what had been done with charity and kindness hy those who preceded him and by those under his charge.

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gramme that there was still much harmony to be enjoyed, and he would no longer detain them from the feast provided. In conclusion the reverend rector said: "I will therefore close by saying a heartfelt thank you and when it pleases 3od to call me to another field, the mory of this occasion will be ever present with me, and will help to lift up my heart when troubles arise." lift up my heart when troubles arise."

Rev. Father Flynn returned from his mission in the United State on Monday of this week. On Tue day evening the members of the Leagu of the Sacred Heart met at the presbytery, and presented their spi-ritual director with a splendid car and collar of fur, as a souvenir his silver jubilee, and expressed gret that he had been unable to tend the concert prepared in honor and that of Rev. Father Rioux.

itev. Father Flynn, in replying to the address of congratulation which accompanied the gift, declared that he had been unavoidably detained or ne had been unavoidably detained on the mission. While he regret, d his inability to be with them on the occasion of the celebration, he felt that he had been doing the Master's work, and the success which had crowned his mission had been a crowned his mission had been a great consolation. He knew that they would feel as he did when he informed them that as a result of the mission in which he had been engaged, unfortunate souls who had not approached the sacraments for over thirty years had been brought to repentance and pardon.

The entertainment was a credit to St. Ann's parish, and not only from an artistic point of view was it an object lesson that is worthy of imitation.

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We do not forget that twenty-five years ago the Irish clerry were removed from old St. Ann's and the perish hand dover to Belgian clerry. Later on these disappeared, to give place to French-Canadian. Priests, still no word of complaint, was ever heard. True Irish faith thinks more of the Soggarth Aroon, than where he came from er the language the uses.



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