## C. M. B. A.

**Fraternity.**

Trenton, Oct. 1, 1895.

On Wednesday evening, Sept. 18, about thirty members of Branch 76, Belleville, paid a friendly visit to the Trenton Branch No. 71. The visiting brothers were escorted to the Branch hall by a committee appointed for that purpose, and arrived in time to attend the regular meeting of Branch 71, at which seven new members were initiated. After the usual business was transacted short addresses were delivered by Very Rev. Dean Murray and by Chancellor McCauley and President Hardy of Belleville. The Very Rev. Dean, who is a most ardent supporter of our association here, expressed his hearty approval of the aims and objects of the C. M. B. A., urged the members to be more energetic in promoting its interests, and stated that so long as its present relationship to the Church continued, no fears need be entertained regarding its future. After the meeting adjourned an hour was spent in the hall, to give the members an opportunity of becoming acquainted with their Belleville Brothers. President Fitzpatrick, of Branch 71, then invited the brothers to an adjoining room, where two large tables were loaded with the delicacies of the season. Over one hundred members sat down to the repast, and when their appetites were satisfied the usual toast list was introduced by Brothers Dr. Moher and McCauley, who occupied the chair and vice-chair respectively. Short addresses were delivered by Brothers Hardy, B. G. Connolly, Tisdale, Coleman, Dr. Dolan, Foltz, McCauley, Dr. Moher, Kinsella, Patterson, Fortune, and others. Brothers Dion and Fecto delighted the company with vocal solos. Mr. Foltz and Prof. Stainstreet rendered several instrumental pieces. It was indeed gratifying to observe the hopeful and enthusiastic ring of the several speeches delivered during the evening, and we feel sure that this pleasant social gathering will serve to increase the membership in both branches. At an early hour the Belleville brothers took their departure, apparently well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

M. T. Greaney, Rec. Sec.

**Resolutions of Condolence.**

Orillia, Oct. 2, 1895.

John Regan, Esq.:

Dear Sir and Brother — Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to call to his eternal rest your beloved and talented son, Mr. J. W. Regan, V. S., whose amiable and bright disposition ever made him popular with all who enjoyed the privilege of his acquaintance, therefore, we, your brother members of Branch 57, unanimously extend to you, also to your esteemed wife and sorrowing family, our sincere and heartfelt sympathy and condolence in this your hour of deepest sorrow.

We fully realize that words of ours are inadequate to assuage your grief and we humbly pray that the great and good Father of us all will give you strength to bear your sad loss with Christian fortitude and resignation.

James Madden, President.
A. Birchard, Rec. Sec.

At the last regular meeting of Branch No. 90, Picton, on Oct 1, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to remove by the hand of death the infant son of our much-esteemed and worthy President, John B. Davis, therefore be it

Resolved that we, the members of St. Gregory's branch, do hereby extend to Brother John B. and Mrs. Davis our heartfelt sorrow in this their hour of trouble, and pray that Almighty God will enable them to bear their great loss with Christian resignation.

Resolved that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of this branch, also one sent to Brother Davis and to our official organ the *Canadian* and the CATHOLIC RECORD for publication.

## E. B. A.

RESOLUTION OF CONDOLENCE.

At a special meeting of Sarsfield Branch No. 1, held in St. Mary's parish hall, on Sept. 30, the following resolutions of condolence were unanimously adopted:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, to call from this life, on the 30th day of September, our esteemed Brother, Pierce Grace, therefore be it

Resolved that we, the members of Sarsfield branch, while bowing in humble submission to the will of Divine Providence, keenly feel the sad loss that this branch has sustained in the death of our esteemed Brother. Therefore be it

Resolved that we tender to his widow and children our sincere sympathy in the loss that they have sustained, of a loving husband and a kind and a loving father, and pray that Almighty God will comfort them in this their bereavement. Be it further

Resolved that out of respect to our late Brother's memory that the charter of this branch be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days Be it further

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to his widow, inserted in the minutes, and a copy sent to the CATHOLIC RECORD and local papers for publication.

Signed on behalf of Branch No. 1, W. J. Sullivan, J. P. Ball, J. Keating, N. J. Curran, Thos. Cheesman and W. H. Jamieson, committee.

The funeral of our late Bro., P. Grace, took place on Tuesday, Oct. 1, from his late residence, No. 148 Duchberry street, Hamilton, to St. Mary's Cathedral, thence to Holy Sepulchre cemetery. He was consoled during his lingering illness by the frequent visits of the Sisters of St. Joseph and his spiritual adviser, the Rev. Father Mahoney, who administered the last rites of our holy religion to our Brother. He leaves a widow and seven children to mourn his loss. May his soul rest in peace!

Assesement System.

LETTER OF THANKS.

Hamilton, Oct. 7, 1895.

W. Lane, Esq., Sec. E. B. A.:

Dear Sir—I hereby acknowledge the receipt of $140, being the amount of insurance carried by my late husband in your society, and I sincerely thank the E. B. A. for so prompt and generous a settlement. Such treatment of claimants speaks well for the management of your society and should make it popular with the Catholic men of every parish.

Yours truly,
Catharine Grace, Beneficiary.

St. Cecilia's Branch No. 29,

Sept. 27, 1895.

We, the members of this branch, now assembled, wish to express our sincere sympathy with our esteemed Rec. Sec., Bro. H. T. McDonald, and the members of his family, in the sad loss they have sustained by the death of their beloved father, our late Bro., T. H. McDonald, and hereby wish to assure them that we, as Emeralds, hope that God in His mercy will give them grace to bear this their sad bereavement with Christian fortitude, knowing that their father has passed to a happy home where there will be no more pain or sorrow, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Bro. McDonald.

Resolved that a copy of the above resolution be placed in the minutes of the meeting Be it further

Resolved that a copy be also forwarded to the Grand Sec. for insertion in the official organ. Be it also

Resolved that our charter be draped for a period of two months.

The above resolution was signed by Messrs. M. Mahoney and D. Cane, committee.

W. Lane, S. T.

## ARCHDIOCESE OF TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 14, 1895.

An impressive ceremony was witnessed in St. Joseph's Church, Leslieville, on Sunday last, by a large number of the parishioners, the occasion being the reception of the Promoters of the League of the Sacred Heart. Rev. Father Ryan officiated having first prepared the young ladies by an eloquent instruction on the duties and responsibilities which would devolve upon them on their acceptance of the high honor he was about to confer upon them. He reminded them that in one particular they resembled the priesthood, as a person once enrolled as a Promoter was always a Promoter. The crosses and badges were then blessed and distributed and the ceremony concluded by the reception of a large number of associates, after which Benediction was given by Rev. Father McEntee. The choir was assisted by a number of singers from the other churches, who had kindly volunteered their services, among them being Mr. Charles Tomney and Miss Mary Curran of St. Paul's and Mr. Costello of St. Basil's. The selections deserving of special mention were the "O Salutaris" by Mr. Costello, and the "Justus ut Palma" by Messrs. Tomney and R. Howorth. Rev. Father Ryan has given the League a good start, and the parishioners of St. Joseph's will have reason to remember with pleasure the rev. gentlemen's services on this occasion.

John J. Howorth, 30 Brooklyn Ave.

SOLEMN HIGH MASS AND VESPERS AT GRIMSBY.

Grimsby is now attended from Dunnville by Rev. Father Crinion. On last Sunday he provided a rare treat for us. About thirty musicians from Hamilton, friends of Father Crinion's, came out by the morning electric railway and took the town by storm. The seating capacity of our church was tested to its utmost at both morning and afternoon services. Father Crinion preached a splendid sermon for a mixed congregation. From the gospel of the day, the eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost, he proved convincingly and eloquently that Christ gave the power of forgiving sins to the Church, that He bestowed the absolving power to the priests, whom He uses as His instruments, as His agents, to exercise it. In the afternoon at Vespers the same subject was continued by the Rev. Father, proving that the absolving power on the part of the priest embraces the obligation of confession on the part of the penitent.

The choir was a picked one, organized by Mr. F. Schelter of Hamilton, and the names of those who accompanied him are as follows:

THE ORCHESTRA.

J. Neligan, leader; A. Osler and T. Costigan, 1st violins; F. Schelter, jr., clarionette, J. McKenzie, baritone; W. Osler, 1st oboe; J. Shelter, 2nd oboe; Jas. Nelligan, flute; W. Smith, bass viol; Mrs. T. Cochran (neé Nelligan), organist.

THE CHOIR.

Sopranos: Misses K. Cleary, S. Cleary, A. Melody, A. Scorry, L. Schelter, E Hand, N. Hand and Webb. Altos: Misses M. Melody, A. Mulcahey and Hanley. Tenors: T. Murphy, J. Breheny. Bassos: F. Shelter, sr. Leader: Thos. Cochran, J. O'Neil, A. Nelligan. Altar boys: J. Joach, master of ceremonies; J. Cleary, censor bearer; H. Mullin, T. Sweeney, acolytes.

In the morning the choir rendered in excellent style Peter's Mass in D and in the afternoon Lambillotte's "Magnificat" and "Tantum Ergo." Mertram's "O Salutaris" was magnificently given. The solos were taken by Misses Cleary, Melody, Scorry, Hanley, Mulcahey, Melody, T. Murphy (tenor), F. Schulter (sr.), A. Nelligan, T. Cochran (bassos).

At the conclusion Rev. Father Crinion expressed cordial thanks on behalf of the congregation, his own behalf, and on behalf of the people of Grimsby, to Mr. Schelter and those who so kindly assisted him in giving such a rare musical treat, and then he extended a most cordial invitation to come again soon. The whole congregation accompanied the musicians to the electric car in waiting. The visitors put up at the Mansion House and were well entertained by mine host Randall. E. H.

## DIOCESE OF LONDON.

Last week St. Joseph's parish of the city of Chatham celebrated its golden jubilee with all the *eclat* becoming such a joyous festivity. The parishioners may well feel proud of their good and faithful pastor, Rev. Father Paul, O. S. F., to whom credit is due, in a great measure, for the carrying out so successfully of the different celebrations. On Tuesday His Lordship, the Right Rev. Bishop of London, consecrated the three new altars. The main altar must needs be seen to be duly appreciated: it is a gem of art, and though simply gold and white, one could not tire looking at it during the whole celebration. We understand it is the work of a firm in Chatham.

Wednesday morning at 10 a. m. Pontifical High Mass was sung, the Bishop having for assistants: Dean Wagner of Windsor as Archdeacon; Father Ryan, C. S. B., and Lorin, deacons of honor; Fathers Parent and Langlois, deacon and sub deacon respectively of the Mass. Father Beaudoin of Walkerville acted as master of ceremonies. In the sanctuary we noticed the following clergymen: the Very Rev. Superior of the Capuchin Monastery, Detroit; Fathers Doherty, S. J., and Devlin, S. J., of Montreal; Andrieux, Brennan, Tiernan, Cummins, Simande, C. S. B., Van Homisson of Detroit; Bayard, McKeon, Strathroy; Aylward, Mugan, Gnam, Wyoming; Bechard, Saint Cyr; McCabe, Hodgkinson, McGee, McKeon, London; Loiselle and the Franciscan Fathers Paul (Superior), Leopold, Theodore and Pacificus. The sermon was preached by Rev. Father Devlin, S. J., and after the Mass the Bishop congratulated the people, the Franciscans and the Jesuit Fathers who had prepared the people by a two weeks mission to so worthily commemorate their Golden Jubilee. He then imparted to all present the Papal Benediction.

The choir, assisted by noted singers of other places under the direction of Prof. Verrinder, rendered Hayden's Imperial Mass, with orchestra accompaniment.

Dinner was served to the Bishop and clergy in the school-hall by the ladies of the congregation.

In the afternoon on invitation of the ladies of the Ursuline convent, the clergy assembled at the "Pines" to assist at a reception tendered His Lordship the Bishop of London by the pupils of St. Ursula's of the "Pines," it being the Bishop's feast day, St. Denis. A short but delightful programme, lasting about an hour, was well rendered, and, at the close, in response to an address read by one of the pupils, Dr. O'Connor complimented the young ladies and thanked them sincerely, as he did not expect that St. Joseph's congregation could think of anything but their grand jubilee celebration. After kindly words of counsel, the Bishop delighted the pupils by granting them a free day. Needless to say this *conge* was received with profuse thanks from the ladies, and the annals of the "Pines" will record with satisfaction the feast of St. Dionysius, 1895.

In the evening the church was again crowded for solemn Vespers, at which Rev. Father William, O. S. F., preached. Father William was pastor when the new church was built, and the congregation was pleased to listen to their former pastor again.

Thursday the Golden Jubilee terminated by a solemn High Mass of Requiem for all the deceased members of the congregation. Father Paul did not forget those who have gone from this earth, and there could not have been a more fitting way to end these festivities than by so solemn a service.

The CATHOLIC RECORD is pleased to offer to the pastor and people of St. Joseph's, Chatham, its sincerest congratulations on this joyous occasion, and we trust that the same success may continue to crown the noble works of the good pastor, Father Paul, and may he long be left with his people in Chatham for the interests of Holy Church.

The following is the programme rendered by the pupils of the "The Pines" at the reception tendered His Lordship on the feast of St. Denis:

Chorus—"How Blessed Are They Who Rejoice." ..... Mendelssohn
Words of welcome.
Overture (trio)—"Barber of Seville,"... Rossini
Vocal solo—"Wouldn't It Be Queer,"... Beach
Recitation—"Holy Mass in Penal Times."....
Vocal solo—"Joyous Life,"..... Randegger
Piano solo—"Memories of Old,"..... Lohr
Semi-chorus—"Are Maria,"..... Mendelssohn
Vocal solo—"The Tyrolese and his Child." ..... Lange
Inst. duet—"Skylark,"..... Wyman
Vocal duet—"Skylark,"..... Bordese
Broom drill.

## REV. DR. FLANNERY HONORED.

St. Thomas Times, Oct. 8.

Rev. Dr. Flannery was "at home" to his friends at the Presbytery yesterday from 3 to 10 o'clock. There was a steady stream of people all day congratulating the doctor on his 25th anniversary. In the evening, at 9 o'clock, a happy affair took place, when a number of his Protestant friends called on him and presented him with an address and a handsome clock. Mr. James H. Coyne made the presentation and read the address, which was as follows:

THE ADDRESS.

To the Rev. William Flannery, D. D.:

Reverend Sir—Whilst your parishioners are rejoicing with you over the completion of the twenty-fifth year of your pastorate amongst them we desire, on behalf of your Protestant friends, to claim the privilege of joining our congratulations and best wishes with those of our Roman Catholic friends.

In a community such as ours, composed of people of many races and professing different creeds, it is the manifest duty of every patriotic Canadian to recognize these honest differences of opinion which must necessarily prevail under such circumstances. These are not inconsistent with a common bond of sympathy and patriotism, which ought to unite all as loyal citizens of one common country, deserving its best interests in co operation for the common good, we are glad to bear our cordial testimony to your earnest efforts, as pastor of an important position of the community, and in your social relations with those of a different faith, for the promotion of harmony and kindly feeling amongst the various sections of our people. We venture to express the hope that the Gospel work of peace on earth and good will towards men may, with the co operation of the best men of all denominations, go on with ever-increasing power in the years to come.

During your residence of a quarter of a century amongst us, you have earned, and retained, the esteem, the respect, and we may be permitted to add, the affection, of your Protestant fellow-citizens, as well as those of your own faith We join in wishing that you may live to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of your pastorate, still hale and young in heart as now, although you should then have attained the years of a nestor. We doubt not that you will still, if spared so long, be honored and respected by the third generation as you have been by those who were men when you first came to our city twenty-five years ago, and by those who since then have grown to man's estate.

The clock, of which we now ask your acceptance, may serve as a constant reminder of the regard and good will of the Protestants of this community, towards one whom they look upon as an honored friend. May it measure for many long years the minutes and hours of a life devoted, as yours has been, to the service of your fellow-men.

Signed on behalf of your Protestant friends at St. Thomas, this 7th day of October, 1895.

W. E. Idsardi, James H. Coyne, M. A. Gilbert, Dr. D. W. Gustin, A. McCrimmon, N. W. Ford, Colin Macdougall, J. Mickleborough, W. Pringle, F. P. Reynolds, E. S. Miller, E. O. Ermatinger, J. H. Wilson, F. M. Griffin, J. Stacey, Griffin & Wright, J. S. Robertson, T. & C. Duncombe, W. Sutton, Alex. Darrach, R. McLachin, A. W. Campbell, S. O. Perry, H. B. Travers, D. McLarty, John Farley, K. W. McKay, John Risdon, Wm. C. Vanbuskirk, W. F. Boughner, W. B. Jennings, Alex. A. McCrimmon, Hugh Williams, S. H. Palmer, J. M. Green, D. J. Hughes, W. R. Jackson, D. K. McKenzie, Jas. Acheson, J. M. Glenn, J. S. Brierley, J. W. McKay.

REV. DR. FLANNERY'S REPLY.

Father Flannery replied in a happy and humorous manner. He was deeply grateful to the donators, but thought he was unworthy of all the kind things said. He was prepared to maintain that whatever work he had engaged in the last twenty five years he always endeavored to do his duty, to benefit man kind and do the will of God. He had always tried, with all his heart, to throw himself into his work, and to win the affection of his fellow-citizens without regard to color or creed, and for doing so he had to thank God, to whom he gave the credit. He was not only thankful to them for the kindness shown him to-day, but for the last quarter of a century. He had never met with anything but kindness. While he had taught the doctrines of His Church, he had always refrained from saying aught that might hurt the feelings of either Catholic or Protestant. Nothing would give him greater pain than to feel that he had injured anybody by words or act, and he would be the first to apologize if he did. There was a time for preaching and a time for St. Patrick's and St. Andrew's Day. When you come to the Catholic church you expect to hear of the Pope, but outside people wanted something else. He was very grateful for the presentation and the kind words in the address, but he thought he had never done anything to merit it. Mr. Coyne and himself had always been close friends—he knew not why. Perhaps it was on account of Mrs. Coyne. He had been acquainted with the latter's father, Mr. Bowes, for whom he had a great deal of respect. He remembered when Mr. Bowes had proposed in the House the incorporation of St. Michael's College, where he was a professor, forty-five years ago. He had always appreciated the work and name of Mr. Bowes, and he thought perhaps it was on that account that he had become so much attached to Mr. Coyne. He would continue to work in the same strain as he had in the past, and he appreciated the kindness and the tolerance shown his creed. In conclusion the reverend gentleman again thanked those present, and said they might rest assured of his kindness and gratitude towards them while life lasts.

THOSE WHO WERE PRESENT.

Among those present were noticed Dr. and Mrs. Wilson, Miss C. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Coyne, Mayor Idsardi and Mrs. Idsardi, Mrs. Rich, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Travers, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hunt, Miss Morgan, Mr. W. H. Murch and Miss N. Murch, Mr. and Mrs. A. McCrimmon, Judge Hughes, Cannon Hill, D. McNish, M. P. P., J. M. Glenn, M. A. Gilbert, Col. John Stacey, F. Griffin, Jas. Acheson, Jos. Mickleborough, G. W. Babbit, Dr. Lawrence, Dr. C. Duncombe, Dr. McLarty, W. Pringle, R. McLachlin, J. T. C. Finlay, J. W. McKay, Colin Macdougall, J. W. Griffin, E. S. Miller, John Farley, Ald. McCully, Ald. Williams, Ald. Robertson, Alex. Darrah, F. P. Reynolds, E. Horton and others.

Father Corcoran, LaSalette; Father Lennon, Brantford; Father Tiernan, London; and Father Brady, of Woodstock; were also present.

Solos were rendered by Mrs. H. B. Travers, Mrs. Brady and Mr. W. P. Reynolds.

Father Flannery was in receipt of several telegrams yesterday, congratulating him on his twenty fifth anniversary.

Light refreshments, consisting of coffee, sandwiches and cake, were served, and the evening was indeed a very pleasant and enjoyable one.

Mr. H. B. Travers was the principal promoter of the affair, and a good deal of the credit of its successful outcome is due to his efforts.

## WALSH'S MAGAZINE.

The first number of *Walsh's Illustrated Magazine*, published at Toronto, has been received at this office. It has made a brave beginning and contains much which will be read with delight, especially by the Catholic people of the Dominion. In by-gone days attempts have been made to float monthlies of this character, but after a somewhat stormy voyage they had to succumb to the inevitable — want of appreciation, and, consequently, want of financial support. It must be borne in mind, however, that the Dominion was then in its infancy and all enterprises were more or less weakly in their inception as well as in their existence. *Walsh's Magazine* deserves recognition and support. Those who become subscribers will make a good investment, for we feel assured they will receive good measure flowing over, for the dollar which they pay for a year's subscription. The periodical is an illustrated volume of seventy-five pages, printed on the best book-paper, with large, clear type, and edited by Mr. J. C. Walsh of Toronto. A portrait of the late John Boyle O'Reilly adorns its frontispiece; and among the original and contributed articles are: "Hymn of the Holy Ghost; by Frank Waters; "Personal Reminiscences of Thos. D'Arcy McGee (with portrait) by W. H. Higgins; "Christian Unity," by Rev. J. P. Treacy; "Rosedale," by Rose Ferguson; "The Betrothal of Sister Berenice" (illustrated), by Jos. Nevin Doyle; "The Sweating System," by K. of L.; "Present Position of Irish Politics" (illustrated), by J. C. Walsh; "John Boyle O'Reilly," by Thos O'Hagan, M. A., Ph. D.; Encyclical Letter (translation) of His Holiness Pope Leo XIII.; "Words with Women," by "Mulier;" "Boom and Boomerang (A Sequel to the Toronto Boom), by "Sorghum Sobersides;" "The Sister of Charity (A Reminiscence of '48), "Shakespeare and Reformation (illustrated), Shakespeare's Birthplace (drawn from photo), by Thomas Swift. "The Spalpeen," by Max Wood; "Fontenoy" by Thos. Davis; and "A Devoted Reprobate."

Success to *Walsh's Illustrated Magazine!*

## THE CATHOLIC ALMANAC OF ONTARIO.

The Catholic Almanac of Ontario has entered upon the second year of its existence, dressed in a handsome new cover of appropriate design. The publishers have spared no pains to make the work so complete and accurate as well as interesting, of such decided advantage to Catholics, of Ontario especially, that none can afford to be without it. The selections facing the calendar for each month, written especially for the Almanac by the Rev. J. R. Teefy, C. S. B., Rev. L. Brennan, C. S. B., Rev. Geo. Brohman, and others, are worth the price of the book, and will make it at the end of the year a prized and familiar friend. Catholics will find in clear, concise, simple language the history of the Manitoba school question, written by F. A. Anglin, Esq., barrister, Toronto, and can form a just estimate of the claims of the people of Manitoba. Mrs. M. A. Sadlier, so well known and greatly beloved by Catholics everywhere, has contributed a story, specially written for this number. Her son, Mr. Joseph Sadlier, has a poem entitled "The House of Prayer." Mrs. Sadlier's initials, appended to many choice Morceaux, are now well known to readers of the magazines of to-day. Dr. O'Hagan, whose two volumes of poetry have been so favorably received, and whose contributions to the different American periodicals have aroused much favorable comment, contributes a poem, "In God's Temple." Mr. W. Scott of Ottawa gives a pen picture of "A New Calvary." Its perusal cannot fail but draw pilgrims to the devotion he so eloquently describes. An article on the Roman Catholic Hospitals of Ontario is made valuable by numerous illustrations; its facts and figures will prove useful as well as interesting. Biographical sketches of the late Father Stafford, the Apostle of Temperance in Canada, and of the late Rev. Æ. McD. Dawson, so well known in literary circles, are accompanied with excellent portraits. Mr. J. E. O'Meara, barrister, of Ottawa, contributes the sketch of Father Dawson. Acquaintance can be made with the Roman Catholic members of the Ontario Legislature, whose portraits illustrate the chatty sketches of each. This interesting account is written by Mr. J. D. Warde, whose long experience in the civil service and acquaintance with the members, qualifies him particularly well for the task. The genial Dean of Barrie, Very Rev. J. J. Egan, relates in an impressive style one of his very best ghost stories. J. C. Walsh, of *Walsh's Magazine*, sketches with artistic effect in "Gramma's Levite" the pathetic close of the career of one destined for the Church. A complete and accurate directory of churches, parishes, etc., with hours of service; a list of religious houses and branches in Ontario; a carefully-revised up-to date clergy list; official information regarding officers, meetings, etc., of all the Catholic societies in Ontario; and a record of events of the year of more than passing interest, complete a valuable and interesting work.

The book is published by the Sisters of the Precious Blood, 113 St. Joseph street, Toronto.

## MARRIAGES.

NEVEN-MACDONELL.

On Wednesday, 9th inst., at St. Patrick's church, Toronto, by the Rev. Andrew Wynn, C. S. R., rector, assisted by Rev. Father Brennan, of St. Basils, Peter J. Neven of the CATHOLIC RECORD staff, to Aimée Isabel, eldest daughter of John P. Macdonell.

O'CONNELL-DELANEY.

On the same day, at St. Columba's church, Irishtown, by the Very Rev. Dean Murphy, John, son of Bernard O'Connell of McKillop, to Margaret, daughter of the late John Delaney of Hibbert.

## OBITUARY.

MRS. JOHN GEARY, HAMILTON, ONT.

There was laid to rest in the grave last Tuesday, Oct. 8, one whose distinguishing characteristics during her life on earth were fervent piety, the fear of God and a love for Him which grew more ardent as life wore on—the late Mrs. John Geary. She prayed much; indeed it might be truly said that her life was one constant prayer, so devoted was she to this holy exercise, the food of our souls. She loved best to pray in the house of God, because in that holy place one's prayer ascends to heaven on golden pinions and the devout soul can best unite its prayer with the prayer and sacrifice of Jesus Christ.

The funeral took place on Tuesday morning, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. James O'Brien, Hunter St., east, to St. Patrick's church, where a Requiem High Mass was celebrated for the repose of her soul by Rev. Father Craven, after which the remains were interred in Holy Sepulchre cemetery. The Rev. Father O'Reilly read the burial service at the grave. Mrs. Geary leaves three daughters to mourn her loss—Mrs. Jas. O'Brien of Hamilton, Mrs. Philip of Matoon, Ill. and Mother Mary Dorethea of the order of St. Joseph, Oshawa. May she rest in peace!

MISS FANNIE BYRNE TORONTO.

At the early age of twenty years, Miss Fannie Byrne, eldest daughter of Mr. L. V. Byrne, Yorkville avenue, Toronto, has been called to the better world, after a long illness, which she bore with exemplary patience and resignation. This announcement will be learned with sincerest sorrow, not alone by her immediate relatives, but also by the large circle of her acquaintances, many of whom had known and loved her from her childhood. Especially will she be mourned by her teachers and fellow-pupils of Loretto Abbey, in which community she had endeared herself to all by her amiable disposition, and where her aptitude and fine intellectual qualities had marked for her a brilliant future.

A graduate of the Abbey, Miss Byrne entered upon the higher course of University matriculation; and with that singular perseverance for which she was remarkable, she mastered all its difficulties and finally achieved success. But alas, the goal was reached at the cost of broken health and the undermining of a constitution never too strong. Her ambition to excel led to the over-taxing of her physical powers, and the effort induced a nervous prostration, which ended in death, on Monday morning.

The father and the mother of the absent one had suffered keenly during the illness of their beloved child; and now that she is gone from them forever, their hearts are lone and desolate. But they will be consoled by the kind sympathy of friends; and they will not be hopeless, for they know there is a reunion beyond the grave, where loved ones meet, to part no more.

The funeral services were held in St. Basil's church on Wednesday—the Mass being celebrated by the Rev. Father O'Leane, S. J., of Guelph (uncle of the deceased), assisted by the Rev. Fathers Brennan and Carbery. At its conclusion the last prayers were said, and the body was taken to the place of interment—St. Michael's cemetery. May the soul of the departed rest in peace!

SISTER GERTRUDE, LONDON.

On Tuesday, Oct. 9, solemn High Mass of Requiem was celebrated in the chapel of the convent attached to Mount Hope Orphan Asylum for the repose of the soul of Sister Gertrude, deceased religious of the order of the Sisters of St. Joseph. Sister Gertrude had just completed the sixteenth year of her religious profession, when death came, in God's all-wise dispensations, to release her from her earthly prison, and her self imposed task of endless duties and self-sacrifice. Mary Coughlin — her name in secular life—was daughter of the late Cornelius Coughlin of Glanworth, in the parish of St. Thomas. Having received her primary education in the Catholic Separate school of her native village, she entered the Collegiate Institute at St. Thomas, where, after the usual course of preparatory studies, she obtained a diploma for teaching, and first class certificate.

With an experience of four years teaching in Lucan and other schools, she entered the order of the Sisters of St. Joseph at Mount Hope, London, and made her professional vows in 1879. Since then she conducted classes in the third and fourth form in the Catholic Separate schools of London, Ingersoll, Goderich and St. Thomas. Unflagging zeal and earnestness in her school-work, fond attachment to the children entrusted to her care, and deep devotional piety were the characteristics of her religious life. The last two years of a useful and saintly career were spent in her native parish, where dread consumption forced her in June last to relinquish her much loved classes at St. Thomas, and return to breathe her last amid the prayers and kind attentions of the Mother Superior and the Sisters, who, with no sparing hand, lavished their loving ministrations on her, night and day, to the supreme moment of her sad departure from all that life holds dear. Her brother, Mr. J. C. Coughlin, and Mrs. Coughlin, who spent the summer in Europe, and were visiting the famous shrine at Lourdes, made all haste across the ocean, as soon as they were made aware by cable of her approaching demise. Through unavailable delays, however, they but reached London in time to assist at the funeral obsequies and take one last look at the lifeless form of the Sister who a few days previous had prayed so earnestly for their arrival.

Rev. Father Noonan was celebrant of the High Mass, with Rev. Fathers Tiernan and Valentine as deacon and subdeacon. Rev. Fathers McKeon of the cathedral and Flannery of St. Thomas were also in the sanctuary. The latter, with Rev. Father Valentine, accompanied the remains to the cemetery and pronounced the last absolution.

Among those present in the chapel and at the funeral, besides Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Coughlin, were, Mr. T. Coughlin, ex-M. P., Middlesex; Mrs. Quarry, Mt. Carmel; Mr. Joseph Doyle and Mrs. Doyle, of St. Thomas (all near relatives); Mr. D. Regan (of this city) and Mr. W. P. Regan, and several others who had known Sister Gertrude from infancy, and who were always edified by her truly Christian life. R. I. P.

## MARKET REPORTS.

LONDON.

London, Oct. 17.—Wheat, 54 to 63c. per bush. Oats, 23 2-5 to 24 4-5c per bush. Peas, 51 to 51c per bush. Barley, 33½ to 36c per bush. Rye, 50 2-5 to 53 1-5c. per bush.. The meat market was glutted, and beef was dull, at $4 to $5 per cwt. Lamb 7c a pound, wholesale. Dressed hogs, $5 to $5.25 per cwt. Fowls could be bought all the way from 35 to 60c a pair. Turkeys 8 to 9c a lb. Geese 5 to 7c a pound. Ducks 50 to 70c a pair. Butter 21c a pound, for best roll by the basket; good crock, 18 to 19c a lb. Fresh eggs 15c a dozen by the basket. A large supply of potatoes were offered, at 25 to 30c a bag. Tomatoes were dull, at 40 to 50c a bush. Swede turnips were plentiful, at 20c a bush. Apples, $2 to $2.25 per barrel, and $1 a bag. Peaches, $2.25 per bush. Grapes 4 to 6c a pound.

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—Wheat, white, new, 66½ to 67½c; wheat, red, 66 to 66½c.; wheat, goose, 55½ to 56c.; peas, common, 51½c; barley, 35 to 42c; oats, 28 to 29c; ducks, spring, per pair, 40 to 75c; chickens, per pair, 45 to 60c; turkeys, per lb., 8 to 10c; geese, per lb. 5 to 6c; butter in lb. rolls, 17 to 18c; eggs, 17 to 19c; onions, per bush., 30c; potatoes, new, per bag, 25 to 30c; apples, per bbl. 75c to $1.50; hay, timothy, $15 to $17; straw, sheaf, $11; beef hinds, 5 to 8c; beef, fores, 3 to 4½c; spring lamb, carcass, per lb. 5 to 6c; veal, per lb. 5 to 7½c; mutton, carcass, per lb. 4½ to 6c; dressed hogs, $5.25 to $5.30.

Montreal, Oct. 17.—The grain market is quiet and steady, the only business doing being a sale of 1,000 bushels of No. 1 malting barley at 51c. Flour was active and firm for Manitoba grades; strong bakers' at $3.90 to $4; and patents at $4.15 to $4.25. Provisions continue quiet, with a moderate jobbing demand; pork, $16 to $16.50 for mess, and smoked meats 7 to 11c. Cheese—Firm, but motionless at 8 to 8½c. Butter—Strong, with holders demanding 21½ to 22c for late-made creamery. Eggs are in fair demand at the advance, 11 to 13½c. Potatoes are easy under large receipts at 30 to 35c per bag.

PORT HURON.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 17.—Grain—Wheat, per bushel—white, 58 to 59c; No. 2 red, 58 to 60c; oats, per bushel, white, 18 to 20c; rye, per bushel, 35 to 38c; peas, 35 to 40c per bush.; buckwheat, 25 to 28c per bush.; barley, 75c to $1 per 100 lbs. Grass seed (ceiling), timothy, $2.50 to $3 per bushel.

Produce.—Butter, 16 to 18c per lb.; eggs, 12 to 13c per doz.; lard, 8 to 9c per pound; honey, 12 to 14c per pound; cheese, 8 to 10c per pound; hay, $10.50 to $11.50 per ton; baled, $11 to $13 in car lots; straw, $4 50 to $5 00 per ton; beans, unpicked, 75c to $1.00 a bush.; picked $1.00 to $1.25 a bush.

Dressed Meats.—Beef, Michigan, $4.50 to $6.00 per cwt.; live weight, $2.50 to $3.50 per cwt.; Chicago, $5 to $7 per cwt.; pork, $5.50 to $6.00 per cwt.; live weight, $4 to $4.25 per cwt.; mutton, $5 to $5.50 per cwt; spring lamb, dressed, $5 to $6 per cwt.; live weight, $3 to $4 per cwt.; veal, $5 to $7 per cwt.; chickens, 8 to 10c per pound; fowls, 8 to 9c per pound; spring ducks, 11c per pound; turkeys, 10 to 11c per pound. No demand.

Hides.—Beef hides, No. 1, 6 to 7c per lb.; No. 2, 5 to 6c per pound for green; calf skins, No. 1, 8c per lb.; No 2, 6c per pound; sheep skins, 30 to 50 c each; tallow, 3 to 4c per pound.

**Latest Live Stock Markets.**

TORONTO.

Toronto, Oct. 17.—Receipts at this market were heavy to day, between 70 and 80 car loads coming in. The shipping trade is practically over, though a few lots were bought at from 3 to 3½c. a lb. Export sheep were in demand at from $3.50 to $3.75 as a top price. Lambs were in good demand and ample supply at 3c a lb. Over two thousand hogs were on the market at $4.25 off cars. Stores will sell at $3.75 per cwt.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Oct. 17.—Cattle—The receipts of sale cattle were very light, only a few odd head, which were sold to the city trade at weak former prices. Hogs—Receipts, 40 cars; market fairly active; Yorkers, fair to choice, $4.35 to $4.40; roughs, $3.50 to $3.90; pigs, good to choice, $4.35 to $4.40. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 40 cars; market dull and slow; lambs, choice to prime, $4 10 to $4.25; Canada lambs, fair to prime, $4.25 to $4.35; sheep, choice to selected export wethers, $3.75 to $4; culls and common sheep, $1.25 to $1.75.


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