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CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK.

FEBRUARY.

9 Sexagesima Sunday—St. Apollonia, Virgin and Martyr.
10 Monday—St. Scholastica, Virgin.
11 Tuesday—Commemoration of Our Lord's Passion. The Seven Founders of the Order of Servites.
12 Wednesday—Transferred feast of St. Raymond of Pennafort, Confessor.
13 Thursday—Finding of the Child Jesus in the Temple.
14 Friday—St. Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop, Doctor. St. Valentine, Martyr.
15 Saturday—Votive office of the Immaculate Conception.

CITY AND ELSEWHERE.

The number of patients treated at the St. Boniface Hospital last week was 85, of whom 49 were males and 36 females.

Mrs. Dr. F. X. Demers, Miss D. Richer and Miss R. Richer, of St. Anne, are staying in the city the guest of their uncle, Mr. Geo. Germain.

Mr. Alberic Dupas, of Letellier, who is at the present time staying a few days with his friends at Morris, is expected in the city at the end of the week.

Mr. J. J. Bann, of Portage la Prairie, was in town last week. All his friends will be sorry to hear that he is leaving the Portage and will probably go to the States.

The many friends of Mr. Hormisdas Dupas and Mrs. Pierre Dupas will be gratified to learn that their treatment at St. Boniface Hospital has been quite successful. They are convalescing rapidly.

Messrs. Kelly Bros. & Co. have secured the contract for the erection of the new Bell Telephone Company building on Thistle street. It will be a substantial structure and work will begin early in the spring.

Mr. R. Brennan, an old resident of the City, died after a lengthy illness at St. Boniface Hospital on Saturday last. The funeral took place at Fort Rouge cemetery on Tuesday, Hughes & Son being the undertakers.

Mr. R. J. McKenna, a well known member of the Immaculate Conception, has gone to Portage la Prairie to live, having been appointed foreman at the M. N. W. Ry. shops. His family will go in a few weeks.

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A meeting of Branch No. 38 of the C. M. B. A. Relief Association will be held at the Hall over the Academy of the Immaculate Conception on Friday evening, as much business of importance is to be transacted the officers hope for a large attendance.

The first drawing in connection with the collection made for the Immaculate Conception organ fund will take place in the class room of the academy adjoining the church on Friday evening. The two books in charge of Mrs. A. Bernhart and Mrs. F. W. Russell having been filled, the drawing will be for all those holding tickets class A, class D. All those holding classes are invited to be present

Mr. Joseph Landry, Sr., with his son Mr. Joseph Landry, Jr., and his daughter, Miss Rose Landry, came to St. Boniface last Saturday to see Mrs. Landry at the hospital and were pleased to find her improving. They returned to their Morris home at the beginning of this week. The father and daughter were guests of Mr. Joseph Roy, while the son stopped with his intimate friends, Messrs. Berthiaume.

ST. BONIFACE COLLEGE,

Midwinter Examinations.

The half-yearly examinations of St. Boniface College took place, not before Christmas, but at the end of January and the beginning of February, this being considered a more exact division into halves of the scholastic year. Results were proclaimed on Monday last. Prizes, to obtain which the student must have at least 90 per cent. in every subject, were bestowed upon Noel Bernier, Achille Rousseau, Elzear Beaupre and Albert Dubuc. The "Optime" certificate for at least 80 par cent. in every subject was awarded to Josaphat Magnan, Jas. L. Kavanagh and Henri Painchaud. The "Bene" certificate, representing at least 70 per cent. in every subject, was given to Ernest Golden, Jean Arpin, Alfred Bernier, Rodrigue Lagimodiere, Joseph Prud'homme, Raoul Benoit, Wilfrid Tucker, Joseph Ayotte and Gustave Mager.

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THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR

Visits St. Boniface Indian Industrial School and Orphanage.

His Honor Lieutenant Governor Patterson visited the St. Boniface Industrial School and the Orphanage Thursday afternoon. The exercises of the inmates in both of these institutions were most interesting, and showed in an unmistakable manner how efficiently each is being conducted, and what great agencies for good they are. His Honor was much pleased with everything he saw, and himself and party enjoyed the afternoon to the fullest extent. With him were Mr. Chas. Patterson and Capt. Gardiner, and His Grace the Archbishop. Senator Bernier, Supt. McColl, and other gentlemen and some ladies joined the party at St. Boniface, and remained with them during the visit to the various buildings.

Punctually at three o'clock His Honor arrived at the Industrial school, the grounds of which were gay with flags and other manifestations of a hearty welcome. After passing through the main building the party proceeded to the recreation hall. This building, in which the ceremonies took place, was most tastefully decorated, the centre table on which there were some beautiful flowers, was in front of the chairs where the gubernatorial party sat. The north end of the hall was handsomely decorated with flags and buntings. The Indian words, "Nibwaka Mawatjihituwin Gete," with the English translation, "Welcome to the old man, wise in council" were wound in and out through the flags. It was with this greeting that the Indian tribes in Ontario hailed the then minister of militia and now lieutenant-governor. A picture of the Queen and one of Senator Bernier, Hon. Mr. Daly and Supt. McColl were surrounded by Union Jacks. The other walls were also beautifully decorated, and a pretty dais was above the guests' chairs. The boys and girls dressed in black and red, standing in tiers at the end and two sides of the room, completed a picturesque scene, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. The Tache band was assembled in one part of the hall. This organization is composed of the pupils of the school, and has been in existence only three months. This statement is hardly credible when the excellence of the music played by the band is considered. Under the able leadership of Prof. Salle, the Indian boys have proved most apt pupils, and have already reached a high state of efficiency. In vocal music also both boys and girls excel, rendering choruses, part songs and solos in a very sweet manner. There are some splendid voices among the natives, and when properly cultivated, would undoubtedly be considered as such in musical circles.

As His Honor and party entered, the band rendered the National Anthem. Then three little boys stepped forward and presented the Lieutenant-Governor with as many bouquets of flowers, making as they did so, three neat speeches. One little gallant gave his flowers to Mr. Chas. Patterson with strict instructions to take them home to Mrs. Patterson. The band rendered another selection in a splendid manner, after which three girls, whose costumes showed they were emblematic of England, Ireland and Scotland, stepped forward and sang a trio of solos, the choruses of which were heartily sung by the pupils. Following them came a procession of girls bearing flags, and "The Maple Leaf Forever" was commenced amid applause. Calisthenic exercises to this tune were indulged in. Boys' and girls' voices were next beautifully blended in "Joyful," which was very favorably received by the large number of people present. A score of little lads supplied the next feature of the programme, singing with remarkable sweetness and considerable humor, "Johnny Smoker," which was followed by another selection by the band.

His Honor was then given the history of the institution in a most interesting manner, it being told as a dialogue by the girl pupils. Some thirty-eight years ago a little four-year-old baby was found on the prairie where it had been left by some members of its tribe. It was given to the sisters at the St. Boniface convent and was thus the first pupil under their care. Since then over 200 children have been brought up by the kind and active Sisters. The late Archbishop Tache used his influence to have the government establish an Industrial school, and in 1890 the work on the foundation of the present handsome structure commenced. On January 2nd, 1891 the school was opened and in 1895 it was enlarged and improved, until now it is complete in every respect About one hundred Indian boys and girls are taught all sorts of useful trades, besides being well educated. The boys elect a chief from among their number, and pay the homage to him that their forefathers did to the heads of the several tribes. The present chief, Edwin Capling, is a fine specimen of Indian boyhood, and in the eyes of his fellow pupils must be a very worthy lad to follow. The boys in a dialogue contributed their share of the chat about the institution, after which the chief advanced, looking well in the regalia of his office, and read an address of welcome to the Lieutenant-Governor. The band then played "God Save the Queen," after which His Honor replied to the address, thanking the pupils most heartily for the kind words they expressed, and giving them valuable advice for their future lives. He referred to the admirable manner in which the Indians were now being treated, and hoped that they would always be loyal to the country in which they were so well looked after and brought up. While His Honor's remark were attentively listened to and appreciated by the girls, that part of his speech which asked for a holiday for the pupils gave the most momentary pleasure, and was received with unmistakable manifestations of approval on the part of his hearers.

"Vive le Canadienne" was then played by the band. The music for this selection arrived only on Tuesday night, but in the short time the boys had to practsie it, they reached a perfection which was truly astonishing. The proceedings then closed and the party returned to their carriages and were driven to the Orphanage.

Here also was the pleasure of the little ones in receiving their prominent visitors manifest by a display of flags and bunting. As His Honor entered the main hall in the building the children arose and sang a song of welcome. That the musical education of the forty orphans had not been neglected by the efficient Sisters was demonstrated by the excellence of the vocal selections of the class. Three little misses, looking very sweet in their light blue frocks, stepped forward and persented His Honor with flowers. This time one little girl told Mr. Chas, Patterson, in very good French, that she had kept a few flowers for Mrs. Patterson, and she confided them to his care to take them home. A dialogue in French was then given, and was followed by calisthenics, during which the children kept time by singing. The exercises were very pretty, and given with a precision which showed great aptitude to learn on the part of the little ones.

A bright lass read an address of welcome in English to His Honor, and after an appropriate reply had been given, the proceedings were at an end. The Sisters had arranged and they carried out a most interesting afternoon's programme, which was received with expressionn of great approval by all those present.—Free Press.

THE C. M. B. A.

Changes in the List of Deputies.

The current number of "The Canadian" contains the official announcement that the list of Grand and District Deputies has been revised and some changes made. The following is the official list for Manitoba and the Northwest:

PROVINCE OF MANITOBA.

GRAND DEPUTIES.

Rev. A. A. Cherrier and Dr. John K. Barrett, both of Winnipeg.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES.

F. W. Russell, of Winnipeg, and E. Trudel, of St. Boniface.

NORTHWEST TERRITORIES.

GRAND DEPUTY.

Hon. Chas. P. Rouleau, J. S. C., of Calgary.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES.

Hon. T. H. McGuire, J. S. C., of Prince Albert; L. O. P. Noel, of Battleford, and N. D. Beck, of Edmonton.

Huxley and Spencer Refute Ingersoll.

Father Malone, of Denver, has acquired a reputation as a lecturer which gives him an honorable place on the list of the lecture bureaus, and his assignments are increasing. He has prepared a lecture on Robert Green Ingersoll, which we have had an opportunity of reading. Its plan is entirely new and original. Instead of replying to the loquacious infidel directly himself, he by selections from their writings, makes the agnostics, Darwin, Spencer, Huxley and others, whom Ingersoll lauds to the skies, refute and rebuke him. This plan of utilizing the sources from which Ingersoll draws much of his ammunition makes an exceedingly interesting lecture, and the result is a surprising revelation. The replies are so pat and so pertinent to Ingersoll that one would imagine Huxley, Spencer and the rest had their intellectual eye on the philosopher of laughter and applause when they wrote. Needless to say that when the lecture brings Ingersoll into immediate comparison with Spencer and Huxley, he shrinks and shrivels amazingly.—N. Y. Freeman's Journal.

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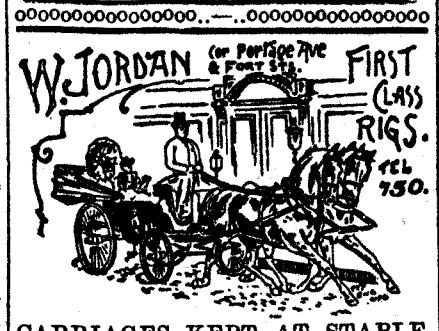

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