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lously doubt that even a small majorityof our people ascisted in lowering our
standard.
We have now to only hope and trustWe have now to only hope and trust
that the Government will not allow an
ungenerous blow to turn them from the
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## MONTREAL OENTRIE

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## THE WAR SCARE.

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gies in the names of civilization and pire call by the world the Turkish Domin-
ion. They menaced, wrote notes to the
Porte, interchanged diplomatic courtes-
ies, ordered warships to ad vance and re-
tire, and finally allowed the cloud to roll past and the sky of the East to remain red
with the fush of inhuman mussacre. The hour for the war had not yet rung out
and Peace had spread her wings again over the agitated continent.
At that very moment abombastic pro-
American Repullic sent their Eagle perch on the summit of the Capitol ; be-
yond the ocean the Lion crouched, growl-
ed, wagged and hsihed his tail ; war was
almose ce:tain, men speculated already the noneyed pl:angers in a frenzy, and
dawned upon civilization, for a first the English speaking race, on bothwish for a Happy New Year. In th
life of a people a y year is but a day; $i$the life of an individual a year is $a$ lonand important span. It would seema ns
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or will not bo for them the last ovethe expanse of the past the aged lookbut upon the fields of the ffuture the
young now gaze. The former dwellamongt the ruins of many a hope; thelatter build castles that may be as un-substantial as the air. Yet it io a
of comparative happinese for all.
old recall fuces long vanished, and'Live ofer those timee mben thes. too, re gona;pleasures, triumphs and comforts thinthey mayy, or may not, ever taste. The
glance of the older one is like the twilight at evening; that of the younger
one like the first flush of the dawn.Speaking for ourselves, we have !
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trusted to the New Year to bring, what
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Williams,
Neither have we reached that stage
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future is like the last glimmering of thedeparting day upon the Western horizon.
We behold grand prospecta, bright hopes
greater happiness in the year to come.
We know that, guided $b \mathrm{t}$ the sadder experiences of the last year, we have op.portunities of improving during the next
twelve months. Consequently, whilethe eseanon is naturally suggestive of sad
reflections, the birth of $a$ new yearreffections, the birth of a new year
bringe equally to all grand hopes. To
the Catholic, who looks bick and countsthe great number of the friends whomhe greeted on New Year's day 1895, andwho today have passed for all time fromthe ecene, there should come $\mathfrak{a}$ deter.mination of spending the year 1896 as ilbe certain that, no matter what comes,truly Happy New YearDuring 1895 some very importan
events have taken place in the greatForld. Many leading men in the spheresof the Church, of the State, nf commerce,the last and inevitable penalty. Greatcrimes have been committed-may thesnows of New Year bury the recollection
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| for the succeses of the enterprise. If eve jourrialism, it is at this moment. The press of the world has gone mad with sensationalism ; men no longer rend, no study, nor think; newapapers have be come budgeta of small news items, se of by a cortain amount of catchy head ings and exciting hollowness. If books are to be left on the shelves, if seriou reading is to be relegated to the past, a least let us have good and substantial Catholic jouraals to make up for the lack of thought in this electric age ! |
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| EDITORIAL NOTES |

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The American Federation of Labor
dor ted a resolution opposing the use of treet cars for carrying mails. What ng of the mail-cars and the men who
un them?
The Christmae numbers of the Mich.
igan Catholic, the Catholic Columbian,
and our own Canadian contemporary,
he Catholic Register, are most elegant. May hey long flourish to supply aimilar
numbers for years to come.
Particulary do we tender our greeting to all our friends, subscribers, adver
tisers, patrons, encouragers and well
wishers. We have much to be grateful
for during the year just gone; we trust or during the year just gone; we trust
thave the same thing to say when the lose of 1896 is at hand.
new opera, and has engaged the great
rish tenor, Joseph O'Mara, for the first production of the work. Irish talent is
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triumph. Father Dames's brother hat gone to
Iolokai; and Father Conrady, who has been eight years among the lepers, wi
bereved. It is said that the number of these unfortunate and stricken people
increases. Many of them flee to the
mountains so so not to be sent to the Poor John Knox is getting hard slaps was not only worse than a churl but
hat he "was a coward and a murderer." r. Horace Brown has written a biogra
hy of Knox and it will immortalize Brown. He can claim rank for all time
o come with Baron Munchausen.
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The Pittsburgh Catholic tells of a Pro-
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confession of a penitent criminal, and
then handed him over to the authorities, and the paper adds that "in the history
of the Catholic Church no such case can be cited" We might add never was
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