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### CLERICAL.

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### THE ROME OF AUGUSTUS CESAR.

Lecture by His Lordship Bishop Walsh.

A large and appreciative audience greeted the Right Reverend Bishop Walsh in his appearance at the Grand Opera House on the occasion of the lecture delivered there on the 23rd. The chair was taken by Mr. Benj. Cronyn, the President of the Irish Benevolent Society. On the platform appeared the Rev. Father Tiernan, rector of St. Peter's, Mr. H. D. Long, ex-President of the Irish Benevolent Society, Mr. J. M. Keary, 1st Vice-President, and Mr. Thos. Coffey, executive officer. The chairman after a few preparatory and appropriate remarks introduced the lecturer, announcing the subject of the lecture for the evening, "The Rome of Augustus Casar." The Bishop was warmly applauded on taking the platform.

He said the subject of the lecture was the "Rome of Augustus Casar," not the Eternal City itself, but the vast empire which it was the head and heart. He dwelt for a few moments on Rome's illustrious past; its long and brilliant record of military triumph and literary achievement, and philosophic and scientific attainments. He said at the point of Roman history which he selected for his consideration the empire embraced the confines of the known world; its power was physical, moral, and political; its territorial greatness, the high order of domestic morality which prevailed, its culture, its art, its literature, its general political consolidation and recognition of local rights and usages. He alluded to the decay of Athens and Alexandria, and the rise of Rome as a purely political character.

The lecturer passed on to portray the splendor and magnificence of the Roman Empire, and the material and intellectual had reached a perfection which was the envy of all that it refined, elevated, and perfected in art and literature. He alluded to the causes of the stability of the empire to justness, its power, its moral, and political character. He said that the Roman Empire, as we know it, was a result of the consolidation of local rights and usages. He alluded to the decay of Athens and Alexandria, and the rise of Rome as a purely political character.

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outlaw in his own creation. But I must hurry to close. I have discovered to give you a glimpse of the greatness of the power, the splendor of the empire, its grand political unity, and the majesty of its peace, in the days of Augustus Casar. I have sketched the cause of its unrivaled grandeur, and the power and brilliant civilization and I have then called your attention to some of the causes which led to the decline and fall of the greatest political structure, the mightiest empire that ever was raised on earth by the capacity, genius and bravery—the light of a most brilliant civilization, and the shadow of an intense moral corruption.

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have these old forms adapted as far as possible. Sir John Macdonald replied that under the Canadian Constitution it would be impossible, as an assent had to be given in both English and French. Mr. H. Languevin in reply to Mr. Irvine, said that the subject of the Bill was not to be considered by the House of Commons, but by the House of Lords.

Mr. Robertson (Sheburne) in moving for correspondence between the Government and the Maritime Provinces, said that the Government had been largely through the good offices of the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Bowden. The importance of the work could not be estimated, and in transmitting weather reports. He hoped the system would still be maintained, and that the cable line referred to in the motion.

Mr. Cameron (Huron) moved for return of the number of cases, and a statement of the cases, in which the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Bowden had acted as a referee. He said that the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Bowden had acted as a referee in a number of cases, and that the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Bowden had acted as a referee in a number of cases.

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claims presented for drawbacks on goods manufactured for export since January 22nd, 1882. The honorable gentleman dwelt at length on the question of the export trade, and the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Bowden, who admitted a long list of the export trade which, however, he alleged was made up by the increase of the home demand. Mr. Charlton rose to speak on the subject of the Bill, and the Hon. Mr. Mackenzie Bowden, who admitted a long list of the export trade which, however, he alleged was made up by the increase of the home demand.

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In reply to Sir R. Cartwright, Sir John Macdonald announced that the redistribution of seats bill would be shortly introduced.

### CATHOLIC PRESS.

**Catholic Columbian.**  
The ghastly spectacle of two human beings lowering themselves to the level of the brute creation in the prize ring, and of a multitude of their fellows encouraging them in their act, was witnessed in Mississippi, this week. We blush to acknowledge that the participants and their fellow-bullies, the seconds, were Irishmen, though we are sure that few of their countrymen were spectators of their brutal performance. The secular press of the country is indeed a bonded slave when it must pander to the vitiated tastes and corruptions of the age to the extent of giving notoriety to such human brutes.

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Another preacher has gone the way of Bob Ingersoll. His name is George B. Miln, formerly pastor of Unity Church, Chicago. He publicly announced from the pulpit last Sunday that he had "abandoned his belief in a Deity and in the immortality of man."

Wonderful! One of the London daily newspapers has, during the week, distinguished itself by having recourse to an Irish newspaper for Irish news, instead of depending entirely on the professional gentlemen who manufacture such news for sensational and money making purposes.

**LUTHERANISM** in Sweden is in Queer Street. It is getting more and more disreputable. The Established Church of the kingdom is divided in five sections, which keep hurling imprecations and maledictions at one another.

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which in Bismarck's case is rather the better part of absolutism than of valour. The new bill leaves the May laws, iniquitous and accursed as they are, intact. It only provides that, in certain contingencies, the Government may, if they think proper, in their paramount magnanimity, relieve the Catholic clergy of some of the worst effects of the May legislation. It says that a bishop who has been superseded by the secular arm may be reinstated if the Government think fit—that foreigners may, in some instances, be admitted to officiate in Prussian churches—that just a little more liberty shall be left to bishops in the appointment of priests—and that sometimes, and in some places, a few otherwise unqualified priests may be allowed to minister. All this is a merely permissive, or, in other words, arbitrary, and all the many ways clearly show that the Government have no idea of doing away with the May laws, and refuse the Catholic Church even the merest title of justice.

**Catholic Review.**  
In St. Louis, Mo., they have held an anti-Mormon meeting. Bishop Ryan was not able to be present, as a congregation-alist critic says, "in robes of official dignity, and august bodily presence." But he sent a brief letter, with two or three pungent and practical sentences. In the first of these he declared that he was "heart and soul in favor of the movement for the abolition of the white slavery of Mormon polygamy."

"One of the most regular attendants and communicants at the humble Church of St. Joseph (Washington) is a fine looking, elderly gentleman, always so devotionally intent as to attract attention, even though he were not a stranger. This is General William S. Rosecrans, brother of good Bishop Rosecrans, of Ohio, and now a member of Congress from California."

**GRATTAN AND THE VOLUNTEERS**  
OF 1842.  
The centennial anniversary of Grattan and the volunteer victory was celebrated in Quebec on the 20th Feb., by a soiree given in the St. Patrick's Hall, rear of the Church, under the auspices of the Local Branch of the Land League, the proceeds to supplement the amount already collected and remitted to assist in the Chicago Convention.

The entertainment opened with an eloquent and brilliant address by the President. It was rich in historical facts, beautiful in diction and moderate in language, and eminently useful as including a wise and truly patriotic, practical lesson of union and unity of action amongst Irishmen of every denomination.

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A Beautiful Poem.

Many years ago Mr. Whittier wrote a poem on the massacre of the French in Palermo...

Silence o'er sea and earth / With the veil of evening fell / Till the convent tower sent deeply forth / The chime of its vesper-bell...

From the Catholic World.

A WOMAN OF CULTURE.

CHAPTER XI.

"TRIFLES LIGHT AS AIR."

It was the hour for late breakfast in the Fullerton household, and Olivia, fresh and sweet as a morning-glory, stood looking into her jewel of a dining-room with a very mixed expression of countenance...

longer. Whose photograph have you there, love-lorn doctor, right up against the hottest part of your anatomy? The gentleman threw out a card carelessly, then took his seat at the table and made a politely vigorous attack on the steak and its accessories...

broken lances with some of them in the literary lists, and you can fancy who took second place in the combat. "It does not require a great stretch of the imagination, if you were judge."

Yankee shrewdness and cleverness and dishonesty. "Olivia, Olivia, you are forgetting yourself." "Nano's voice came from behind in low and gentle reproach."

for those sad moments to send for the priest when the soul is hardly conscious. When you go to confession, time is set apart for due preparation. This is done and considered necessary when health gives you the best use of your mental faculties...

WHEN YOU SEND FOR A PRIEST, there are some things to be done by way of preparation for, and reception of him. Think what he is: the minister of Jesus Christ, who brings peace to your saddened home when he visits it...







Lines for Ash Wednesday.

"Follow Me: I am the Way, the Truth, and the Life." Without the way there is no going; without the truth there is no living; without the life there is no living. — Thomas Kempis.

A Wonderful Substance.

The Chicago Western Catholic says: "It is indorsed by Bishop Gilmour, of Cleveland, Ohio, and by some of our most honored and respected priests throughout the country who have used it for rheumatism with success where all other remedies failed. We refer here to St. Jacobs Oil.

A Remarkable Family Gathering.

A remarkable family gathering took place on Dec. 28 at Courtfield, England, the ancestral seat of the old Roman Catholic Vaughn family, to bless a domestic chapel.

CHEAP BOOKS.

Alba's Dream and other stories. 25c
Crucifix of Baden and other stories. 25c
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OFFICIAL LONDON POST OFFICE.

Table with columns for Winter, Arrangement, and various postal services and rates.

A HORRIBLE SACRILEGE IN THE DIOCESE OF GRENOBLE, FRANCE.

Noble Protest of the Bishop. On the subject of the recent attack of which he has been the object, the Bishop of Grenoble writes to the Univers:

Maine News.

Hop Bitters, which are advertised in our columns, are a sure cure for ague, biliousness and kidney complaints. Those who use them say they cannot be too highly recommended.

A Movement Against Womanly Life.

The woman suffrage folk are not likely to be pleased with what Professor Goldwin Smith says about them in the Nineteenth Century. He thinks their object is not so much to vote as to upset the natural order of things generally.

Local Notices.

R. S. MURRAY & Co. are prepared to fit up churches, public buildings, hotels and private residences with Brussels, Whittan, velvet, tapestry, three-ply Kidderminster and Dutch carpets, Lido and China matting, English oil cloth, cut to fit rooms: American and Canadian oil cloth.

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Are you troubled by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? A mother who has used WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, will tell you that it will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately.

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A Beautiful Example.

The most Catholic monarch in Christendom, Alfonso, of Spain, and his noble Queen recently gave a beautiful mark of true Catholicity. A "Herald" correspondent from Madrid, dated Jan. 23rd, says: In common with many of the people who belong to the King's household, the King and Queen were taking a drive, when just at the entrance to the park they met a parish priest carrying the Vicar's mitre.

A Real Necessity.

No house should be without a bottle of Hagar's Yellow Oil, in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or relieved so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Cure-all, and by the afflicted an Angel of Mercy.

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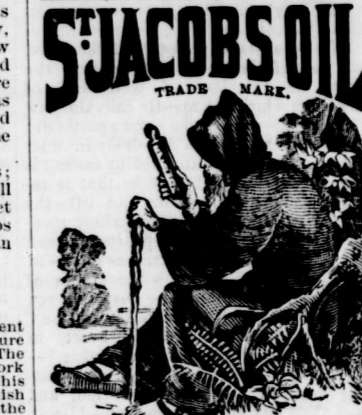
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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. This is the oldest and most extensive establishments in Ontario. The business will be carried on in the same manner as formerly, and customers may rest assured that the quality of goods and prices will be such as to retain for the House that popularity which it attained under the former ownership.

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Advertisement for THE STARR DAD KIDNEY PILLS, featuring an illustration of a man and text describing its benefits for kidney issues.

JOHN SCANDRETT, 175 DUNDAS STREET, THE POPULAR GROCERY. THE WHOLESALE TRADE a specialty. Country storekeepers will bear in mind that it will pay them to call at this store and compare prices before leaving orders elsewhere.

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Advertisement for REMEMBER! EATON'S FOR FIRST-CLASS BOOTS & SHOES, featuring an illustration of a shoe and text about quality and pricing.

J. P. THOMPSON. SPECIAL NOTICE.—J. McKenzie has removed to the city hall building. This is the Sewing Machine repair part and attachment emporium of the city.

Advertisement for RUPTURE, Cure without an operation or the injury of the system, featuring an illustration of a person and text about medical treatment.

SOLD BY FRANK S. BIRCH & CO., 25 Bay St., Toronto. A notice regarding a sale or business transaction.

Advertisement for OPIUM STAMMERING, featuring an illustration of a man and text about a cure for speech impediments.

TESTIMONIAL. I have been troubled for a number of years with a very disagreeable impediment in speech. I heard of the London Institute, and after considerable investigation I concluded to try it.



