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of his necessity in sustaining society; because it exalts our nature; because it sends the family within the fortress of purity and of honesty; because it fights the battles of the State by teaching obedience to temporal power for God's sake; because, good Samaritan-like, it bends over the naked and bleeding forms of the sufferers of our race and pours the oil and wine upon their open wounds.

RELIGIOUS FAITH.

ITS IMPORTANCE AND PHILOSOPHY

A Brilliant Lecture by Bishop Ryan, of St. Louis, before the Legislature of Missouri.

(From the Western Watchman.) I propose to speak to you this evening on the subject of the importance and philosophy of religious faith. It is not without a sense of grave responsibility that I presume to address you on this important subject.

THE GREAT CHRISTIAN FAITH.

foreshadowed and symbolized in Judaism and realized for these nineteen centuries in the Christian dispensation. I only fear that I shall prove an unworthy representative and exponent of this philosophy.

CRITERION OF ORTHODOXY.

But if it were of you to determine whose life were in the right it would be very easy to determine the right creed. The rectitude of life is made manifest.

THE SUPREME COURT.

But in this theory it is said we can have no doubts. Properly speaking, there can be no doubts in the mind of the man who has the true philosophy of Christian faith.

THE STRUGGLE WITH MISFORTUNE.

And so, my brethren, in the struggle with passion. You see the young man in the hour of trial with passion struggling against the doctrine of his faith.

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THOS. COFFEY, Publisher and Proprietor. LETTER FROM HIS LORDSHIP BISHOP WALSH.

LONDON, ONT., May 23, 1878. DEAR MR. COFFEY, By your becoming proprietor and publisher of the CATHOLIC RECORD, I deem it my duty to announce to its subscribers and patrons that the change of proprietorship will work no change in its policy.

JOHN WALSH, Bishop of London. MR. THOMAS COFFEY, Office of the "Catholic Record."

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LONDON, FRIDAY, MAR. 18, 1881.

LENTEN REGULATIONS FOR THE DIOCESE OF LONDON FOR 1881.

- 1st. All the week days of Lent, from Ash Wednesday till Easter Sunday, are fast days of precept on one meal, with the allowance of a moderate collation in the evening. 2nd. General usage has made it lawful to take in the morning some tea or coffee, with a morsel of bread.

THE ASSASSINATION OF THE CZAR.

The most startling occurrence which has taken place for many years was flashed across the Atlantic last Monday morning. The Czar of all the Russias has at last met his death at the hands of an assassin.

upon itself. The mills of God, as the old saying has it, grind slowly, but they grind surely. Could not the government of England also learn a lesson from this crime?

MR. SAVAGE RAISES A TEMPEST.

SOME years ago in Ireland a Protestant clergyman happened to be going along the road, when he came in contact with a man engaged in breaking stones.

ONE OF THE MEN OF '48.

SPEAKING of the crisis which occurred on the imprisonment of O'Connell, and the stand which Smith O'Brien took on that occasion, Daily's "Young Ireland" has the following, which we do not remember to have seen in print before.

A white-haired missionary. A Zulu's thoughts to vary. Gave him about a peck of traps, remarking: "This is a business."

A SCHOOL-MAM'S IGNORANCE.

THE following circumstance is related as having occurred in Philadelphia a few weeks since. It exhibits in a marked degree the lamentable ignorance displayed by a class of persons from whom we would naturally expect a tolerably correct acquaintance with the fundamental doctrines of the Catholic Church.

"PROFESSOR" FRANKLIN-POET.

THE PROFESSOR called upon us. "Do you want to buy original poetry," he asked, in a sweet, poetical tone of voice.

A WORD OF CAUTION.

WE HAVE frequently drawn attention to the urgent necessity of Catholic parents using every endeavor to guard their children against the contamination of the Boy's and Girl's story papers.

reach of any child. They are stories of criminal life. The leading characters are youthful criminals, who revel in the haunts of iniquity. Many of these stories are written with a vein of licentiousness throughout, debasing the mind of youth as totally as the baser sort of books and pictures.

WHERE THE MONEY WENT.

THE DOMINION GOVERNMENT last year devoted \$100,000 to the relief of the Irish people. A request was made that the amount should be spent in buying food for the needy.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

MRS. PARNELL said at a Newport land league meeting that when she was in Ireland recently all her letters were opened at Dublin. She was warned by a friendly official to be cautious about what she wrote.

transmitted by honorable men who are above party prejudices, and who will not consent to transmit fabrications even at the behest of a government.

MR. GLADSTONE has declared he will introduce the Land Bill on the earliest possible opportunity. This is a very safe pronouncement.

MR. MAURICE EGAN, of the N. Y. Freeman's Journal, sends us the following gem:—

THE OLD VIOLIN. Though toneless, stringless, it lies there in dust. Like some great thought on a forgotten page.

It is reported the Boers will be offered almost complete independence and virtually independent legislatures, a la Canada. Query: Why not offer Ireland the same?

Well, simply because Ireland, you know, is quite convenient. The mother country can send her army across the channel in a few hours.

WE HOPE the Land League will rapidly extend their operations into England and Scotland. The peasantry of these two countries must be made fully aware of the grievous wrongs committed because of the placing in power the landed proprietors.

O'SHEA, New York, has now in press a choice volume of poems consisting of selections from our modern American Catholic poets. It is the first of its kind, and we hope that the efforts of the compiler, Mr. George F. Phelan, will meet with its careful research, will give to it a deserved welcome from our readers and the Catholic reading public at large.

THE daily papers have gone crazy over the death of the Czar. This is the case in nearly every matter of great moment which transpires. It is surely enough to give the public full details of the occurrence, without bogging us with the opinions expressed by every somebody and nobody in the universe.

MR. REDPATH writes from Ireland to the Chicago Inter-Ocean: The history of Catholicity in Ireland has made the Catholics the most tolerant church of modern Europe, and if there is any more intolerant race than the Irish Orangemen and Presbyterians I never met it—outside of Scotland—which is in Spain.

persistent advocates of every national scheme for national advancement.

THE Boston Traveller deals in the following pointed style with the readers of sensation stories:—It is all very well to talk of the duty of the parents "supervising the children's reading," but who shall supervise the parents?

THOMAS CARLYLE has been vastly written about during the last fortnight, says the Philadelphia Standard, and written about with an extravagance of eulogy which has called forth a timely "Counterblast" from a correspondent of the Times.

"RARELY," says the Dublin Nation, "has the hierarchy of Ireland done a nobler or more splendid service to the cause of their country than in sending to Pope Leo the letter which break down an infamous system of land tenure, such a pronouncement, so uncompromising in its tone, will bring joy and comfort to the Irish heart."

The total number of persons confirmed by Bishop Watterson in the Diocese of Columbus since his consecration amounts to 2,011. Among this number were 104 adults, and 63 converts.

Kitty Nell.
JOHN FRANCIS WALLER, L.L.D.
"Ah, sweet Kitty Nell! rise up from your
womb!
Your neat little foot will weary from
spinning.
Come trip down with me to the sycamore
tree.
Hark! the parish is there, and the dance is
beginning.
The sun is gone down, but the full harvest
moon
Shines sweetly and cool on the dew-wet
valley.
While all the air is rife with the soft lovely
things
Each bird sings in his green shaded
wing.
With a blush and a smile Kitty rose up the
while,
Her eyes in the glass, as she bound her hair,
glancing,
The hard to refuse when a young lover sees,
So she couldn't but choose to go off to the
dancing.
And now on the green the glad couples are
seen,
Each gay-hearted lad with the lass of his
choosing.
And Pat without fail, leads out sweet Kitty
Nell.
Somehow when he asked, she ne'er
thought of refusing.
Now Felix Metree, put his pipe to his knee,
And with flourish so free sets each couple
in motion;
With a whoop and a bound, the lads patter
the ground,
The girls move around just like swans on
the ocean.
Checks bright as the rose—feet light as the
moon—
Now easily retiring, now toadyly advanc-
ing,
Search the world all around, from the sky
to the ground,
No such sight can be found as an Irish lass
dancing.
Sweet Kate! who could view your bright
eyes of deep blue,
Beaming humbly through their dark
lashes so nautily—
Your turned arm, heaving breast, rounded
form—
Nor feel his heart warm, and his pulses
throb wildly?
Poor Pat feels his heart, as he gazes, depart
Subdued by the smart of such painful yet
sweet love.
The sight leaves his eye as he cries with a
sigh,
"Dad! light, for my heart it lies under
your feet, love."

THE IRISH CAUSE IN AMERICA.

Great Meeting in Rochester.

An immense mass meeting of the citizens of Rochester, N. Y., was recently held for the purpose of entering a protest against the persecution of the Irish people by the British Government, and condemning the Coercion Bill. Representatives of every class of the community were present, and below we give a synopsis of the addresses delivered by Right Rev. B. J. McQuaid, Bishop of Rochester, and two Protestant clergymen.

His Lordship on being introduced to the meeting, said:—It is a large meeting which gathers here this evening, and were it the only one in the world for the same cause, it would not be without great results. But as one of many held in the world by men of strong minds, clear of intellect, brave hearts, free speech, meetings like this possess in this nineteenth century power that cannons and bayonets cannot break down. It is a power to be found in the courage and generosity of multitudes feeling deeply the sufferings of men in a land dear to us by all those associations that gather around the land of our ancestors. The power that is in words, in sentiments, in opinions, reaches beyond the ocean and has its effect. What is this meeting and still the gathering here? You have heard the names read of men of different nationalities, religions and ranks of life. The chief magistrate of the great city of Rochester, representatives of the bench, bar, and pulpit; men differing widely on many questions, but on this one of raising the voice of angry indignation on one of the greatest wrongs done in this day on a poor people, they come to give expressions to what is in the mind and heart, and those expressions, gathered up and sent across the ocean, would have an effect on haughty, strong-headed England. There were two purposes in the meeting—one for those of the Irish race to reach out their hands to their fellow-citizens of other blood, and in the name of a common humanity, ask them in the name of the rights we have, to stretch out their hands to those who in another land are making an effort to achieve their liberty. What they were doing in Rochester must be done in all the cities of the union. It must be put before the American people in the right way, and it can be put before them on its merits.

Educate the American to the truth of the subject, and ask him would he here tolerate for a moment the wrongs we suffer in Ireland? He spoke as an Irishman, although born in America, and addressed Irishmen as an American, asking them to be calm, composed, reasonable. The American people have no correct understanding of the condition of things in Ireland. The Land League should, by constant labor, bring the facts before the American people, and when they see that right is on the side of the League they will stand by it to a man. The facts must be driven into their hearts, and then the American people would be found more Irish than the Irish themselves. [Great applause.] The second object of the meeting was to get sympathy with the Land League and to protest justly and strongly against that most tyrannous measure, the coercion bill. The question is asked by some, why does Ireland ask for a change in her land laws? Why does not the Irish tenant give up his land if he and the landowner cannot agree on its rent? But the condition of things is wholly different in Ireland from those prevailing here. Tenants have rights there that they have not in this country. The tenants of the Patrons estate along the Hudson formerly had similar experience to the Irish tenant. There is no way in Ireland of people in numbers making a living by any method but that of tilling the soil. There are but few manufactures in Ireland, few large towns full of mechanics, no commerce; but few trades; they are simply an agricultural people. They are accused of neglecting the opportunities God has placed before them in Ireland. But go back a hundred years or so and the Irish land that looks Ireland in its grip will be seen to hold Irish manufactures in its grasp and suppressed them, because they would have competed with English manufactures. All the world would today be pouring its wealth into the lap of England if a century or two ago America had been

submissive to the laws England tried to enforce on the Colonies as she is enforcing in Ireland. Comparisons are drawn between the condition of people in Scotland and Ireland, and the inference is made that it is the fault of the people of Ireland that the country is not as prosperous as Scotland. But Scotland has had vast tracts of its territory depopulated to make forest, and where wild animals now roam at will, thousands of human beings once had happy homes. Scotland's industries have had the fostering care of the government, but Ireland was alien to England in race, language and religion, and she was a conquered country, crushed and defeated, and the conqueror always hates his victim. England today hates Ireland, and the Irish know it. But Irishmen with American and other help must persevere and coerce England into yielding justice. The explanation of why the Irish remain a people of the land is that they believe they have a right to the land their ancestors owned, and we cannot but feel, on examination, that they have a right to the land that was in their families for generations. The tenant farmers of Ireland hold small pieces of land; in England the tenants are rich farmers and when the competition with America reduces the profit of farming, they compel the landlord to reduce rent by throwing up their farms in such numbers that the owners are glad to ask them to take them back at the lower price.

He saw nothing in the action of the Land League in the United States of Ireland that he felt justified in condemning and could not give hearty approval to, except perhaps the intemperate language of some lawless members. The Land League should go on in its mission of instructing men on the affairs of Ireland and raise its voice to cheer those who in the old land are contending for the rights of man. Let it so work and the blessing of God would be on it in every quarter of the globe.

The Bishop then gave an exposition of the coercion bill, showing that it gave power to one class of men to arrest others on suspicion that they intend to intimidate them, and this is liberty in the 19th century. The bill could have one effect that could not hurt Ireland, it would show America that free speech is no longer possible in Ireland. He hoped the men in Ireland would continue to speak until the jails are full, and when no more men can be found to speak, let the women begin. [Applause.] And when there is no longer free speech, and the mighty army of England attacks women, then will go forth from America a shout of indignation that would enter Windsor Castle till she who is Queen of England would blush for shame.

Rev. Dr. Shaw appeared amid a storm of applause, and said: "That's what a good hearty Irish welcome. But there is some mistake about my speaking here to-night. The first I heard of it was the morning paper announced the fact. Last night when I read that article in the *Unionist* about Robert Emmet how it thrilled my soul. How many memories arose. I felt it all deeply, because I was a student at law in the office of Thomas Addis Emmet in New York and knew the family suffering on the announcement of the martyr's death. I attended the funeral of Thomas Addis Emmet, and the last time I saw DeWitt Clinton, one of the noblest men God ever made, it was at that funeral of his dearest friend. I have Irish blood in my veins and Irish love in my heart, and to deprive me of that you must open my veins and still the beating of my heart. May God bless and prosper the Irish nation and its cause."

Rev. N. W. Mann, pastor of the Unitarian Church, declared that the system of land tenure in Ireland is iniquitous at the core (applause) and it becomes the Irish people in America who have freed themselves from its oppressions, it becomes them to sympathize with and help their countrymen who cannot help themselves. If any one deserves sympathy, it is he who is at the bottom of the world's cares and toils. The Land League rests on solid principles of political economy, we understand it, and will so operate on the English mind—if it can be gotten at—as to result in just laws. England's mind is not quick of perception on Ireland's needs, not of a Dutchman's either. Great injustice is done the Boers by the present administration of England. It seems incredible that Gladstone and Bright should be waging war on the Boers in Africa and the Irish at home. He felt confident that England must see that it will not do to run too strong against public sentiment. The voice of such meetings will be heard across the Atlantic and will have its influence.

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Mr. O'Kelly, M. P., for Roscommon, has left Paris for Holland, ostensibly to organize ambulances for the Boers, but really, no doubt, bent on objects less sentimental and more bellicose.

The first arrest under the Coercion Act was Joseph B. Walsh, of Castlebar, a merchant with a large business and prominently identified with the Land League movement.

Up to 3.30 p. m. on Tuesday upwards of twenty persons were arrested in the county districts under the Coercion Act. No arrests had then been made in the city.

At a quiet meeting of the Land League on Tuesday Dillon was present. The speeches were very moderate.

The Gazette proclaims the county of Westmeath under the Coercion Act.

At a meeting of the Land League on Tuesday, Brennan stated that Parnell would not visit Cork until he knew the provisions of the Land Bill.

The charge against Boyton is that he is suspected of having, since the 30th September, incited persons to murder.

Boyton on being arrested declared that he was an American citizen, and claimed the protection of the United States. It is understood that Harrington and Power, of Galway, have also been arrested.

The World's cable says that John W. Nally, of Balla, one of the traversers arrested under the Coercion Act, is half-witted.

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A relief party of Seventeen Orange laborers, engaged by the Emergency Committee, left Broadstone terminus on Thursday evening for Ballynakill, Conemaara.

Parnell has been invited to preside over a dinner to be given by the Irish Colony at Paris on St. Patrick's Day.

Lowell has made no representations to the Foreign Office in regard to Boyton's nationality.

Only three additional prisoners have been lodged in Kilmahinham jail, owing to the want of sufficient escort to bring the persons arrested from the remote places.

It is understood that the Privy Council have discussed the land meetings which will be held on Sunday.

The Gazette offers \$500 reward for information of the murderers of Farrelly.

Macaulay, a farmer arrested on Thursday, is the first prisoner charged with treasonable practices.

ASSASSINATION OF THE CZAR OF RUSSIA.

Washington, March 13.—The State Department has information from St. Petersburg that a bomb was thrown under the Czar's carriage this morning and the explosion resulted in his death.

St. Petersburg, March 13.—As the Emperor was returning from parade in the Michel Manege, about two o'clock this afternoon a bomb was thrown, which was considerably damaged.

The Czar alighted unharmed, but a second bomb exploded at his feet, shattering each leg below the knees, and inflicting other terrible injuries.

Official despatches agree as to facts. The Czar was returning in a covered carriage from Michael Palace about 11 a. m. with his brother, the Grand Duke Michael.

The escort consisted of a quarter troop of Cossacks, and several officers of the household accompanied him in sleighs.

The Czar was passing along the banks of the Ekaterinsky Canal, immediately opposite the imperial stables, when a bomb was thrown by a man standing behind a knot of pedestrians, who had stopped to see the Emperor.

The bomb exploded right under the body of the carriage, the splinters flying across the street, doing no injury beyond tearing away the back of the carriage.

The driver descended from the box, and the Cossack escort, which was a few paces in rear, at once galloped up.

The Czar was standing by his back beside the wreck, which was badly injured, his legs shattered, and blood pouring from ghastly wounds in the thighs.

The Czar was carried up stairs on a litter. Besides the surgeons-in-ordinary the most skilled men in the city were present.

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THE FEAST OF SAINT THOMAS AQUINAS.

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COMMERCIAL.

London Markets.

London, Ont., March 14.

Let me set on foot an inquiry that has frequently presented itself to my mind, and that is, Why are Catholic Societies so slow to propagate and so difficult to maintain? I have asked myself since I became a member of Branch No. 3, why did the C. M. B. A. take such root in and around Buffalo, but has not extended farther East than Cleveland, Chicago, New York City with fifty or more parishes not embraced this association? Why has not Philadelphia with her thousands of Catholics and numerous parishes organized a single Branch? The same question may be asked of Cincinnati, Boston, Albany, Cleveland, Chicago, St. Louis, Milwaukee, Toronto, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, and a hundred other places East and West of Buffalo? I am not prepared to answer the question satisfactorily at present, but there must be some reason, or those great centers of Catholicity would be as eager to accept the benefits as the four thousand members who already belong to it in the United States and Canada.

It is necessary for the success of the undertaking to discover what obstacles prevent its extension, if any. If there are no obstacles, then what is necessary to be done? Some line of conduct has to be pursued different from that pursued in the past; it will require action of some kind; it should be decided upon, and tried.

It would seem that what is good for the Catholic families of Buffalo, ought to be just as good for those of other cities with large Catholic populations.

While I give my views in answer to the above queries in some future communication, I would most respectfully invite any one who can throw any light or give any information bearing on this subject to give their views freely in this column.

Truly and fraternally,
H. W. DEARE.

SOUTH AFRICA.

\$10,000 has been sent by the members of St. Nicholas' Society, of New York, to the Transvaal Committee in Holland.

A correspondent at Mount Prospect has had an interview with Joubert. The English might be hoisted once a year, and an English resident officer be placed within the Transvaal to legislate on all native questions to be referred to the Colonial Government. The Boers would also agree to confederation if it was desired by the other South Africa colonies.

Joubert said he would consider no claims which included annexation of a portion of the Transvaal on this side of the Orange river, and giving the Boers a Republic on the other side, the British being indemnified for war expenses by this additional territory.

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