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CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE.

A Promising Movement—Countess Explains.

The Countess of Denbigh presided, on Monday afternoon, at a meeting of the recently formed Birmingham branch of the Catholic Women's League, held at Bishop's House, Bath street, Birmingham. Those present included Miss Streeter (general secretary of the league), Mrs. Arkwright (hon. treasurer of the Central Union), Mrs. Arnold Parris, Mrs. Hopwood, and Mrs. G. Feeny (hon. secretary, pro tem. of the Birmingham branch).

The Countess of Denbigh explained the nature of some of the work done by the league, to which she had belonged for many years. Its great object, she pointed out, was organization and co-operation. Hitherto there had been no Catholic union which was in a position to count among its members, women who were either experts or willing to work with experts on practical lines primarily for the general good and incidentally for particular objects, but always as a part of a great whole. The league in no way sought to clash with or overlap any existing charitable, social, or educational work, but sought only to prevent waste of energy and secure co-operation on practical lines. An address on the aims and objects of the league was given by Miss Streeter (general secretary). She explained that each branch did the kind of work which the Bishop of the diocese might ask the members to undertake, or which was authorized, whether it was the holding of mothers' meetings, conducting schools for mothers, girls' clubs, servants' registries, libraries or other social work. Lectures and debates were held, though some people might object to debates as tending to put women unduly forward. She agreed that home duties should come first, but she urged that when it became a positive duty for a Catholic woman to speak she ought to be able to speak, as well as her non-Catholic sisters argued. The Catholic Women's League was non-political; nothing on earth would ever make it political, nothing would ever make it demand the vote for women, and nothing would ever make it go against the vote. As long as it remained the Catholic Women's League it would be absolutely neutral upon a matter on which its own members were not agreed.

The Countess of Denbigh was unanimously elected president of the Birmingham branch of the league, and the under-mentioned ladies were appointed to the Executive Committee: The Countess of Denbigh, Mrs. Arnold Parris, Miss Bacchus, Miss Maude Barker, Mrs. Hopwood, Mrs. Mackey, Madame David, Mrs. Howell, Mrs. John Hardman, Mrs. H. David Jr., Miss Earp, Mrs. Wynn, and Mrs. Gerard Feeny.

Mrs. Hopwood, (president of Catholic Girls' Society) gave an account of the work of that society in Birmingham, and welcomed the formation of the league as coming at a moment when it was required to supplement by organization the excellent work already being done in various directions in Birmingham by Catholic women.

COMMENTS FROM LONDON TRUTH

We take the following extracts from last week's Truth:—

The ultra-Protestant party at Liverpool must be looking upon Mr. Commissioner Ashton as a Daniel come to judgment. The Royal Commission was appointed in response to their outcry for an inquiry into the conduct of the police in connection with the sectarian disturbances, and into the cause of the disturbances, and now those who caused the trouble and that the charges against them have been proved, they are looking upon Mr. Ashton as a Daniel come to judgment. The ultra-Protestant party at Liverpool must be looking upon Mr. Commissioner Ashton as a Daniel come to judgment. The Royal Commission was appointed in response to their outcry for an inquiry into the conduct of the police in connection with the sectarian disturbances, and into the cause of the disturbances, and now those who caused the trouble and that the charges against them have been proved, they are looking upon Mr. Ashton as a Daniel come to judgment.

sible, owing to the manner in which he has in the past conducted his propaganda against Roman Catholicism. This will strengthen the hands of the authorities in dealing with Wise in the future, if that scoundrel has not yet learned wisdom.

WEDDING BELLS.

In the Cathedral at 9 o'clock, on Wednesday morning, April 27th, Miss Annie Gertrude Beamish, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beamish, was united in marriage to Leo McLaughlin, of the west side. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. W. Meahan. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Beamish. The groom was supported by John McIntyre. Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin will reside on the West side.

The Church of the Assumption, West Side, was the scene of an interesting wedding on Monday morning, when Rev. J. J. O'Donovan united in the holy bonds of matrimony Miss Bertha Phillips of West St. John, to Mr. Daniel J. Gillespie of Boston. The bride looked charming in a dress of cream wool taffeta with cream hat trimmed with large osprey and pale pink moss roses, and carried a white prayer book. She was attended by Miss Mary Campbell, who wore a dress of mauve silk, with large cream picture hat. The groom was supported by Mr. James Campbell. The groom's present to the bride was a substantial cheque, to the bridesmaid a monogram bracelet, and a pearl stickpin to the bridesmaid. A wedding supper was held at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. John Campbell, after which the happy couple left for their future home in Montreal. The bride's going away dress is grey with large black hat. The many presents received show the high esteem in which both bride and groom are held.

WESTMORLAND COUNTY.

Moncton, N. B., May 3.—At the May sitting of the circuit court in Dorchester this afternoon, Judge Barry presiding, there was an entire absence of a criminal docket. He was presented with a pair of white gloves by Sheriff Willett.

This being His Honor's first visit to the Westmorland court, A. B. Copp, on behalf of the barristers, delivered a brief address of welcome and congratulation on behalf of the land bar.

Judge Barry replied to the remarks of the sheriff and the Court was adjourned to tomorrow for the trial of the non-jury case of Len Wood Working Co. vs. E. A. Wallberg, who built the new L. C. R. Co. building at St. John, and of Moncton for the League of M. G. Teed and E. A. Wallberg. The plaintiff is the latter supplied Wallberg.

PROMOTION

Mr. F. B. Francis, manager of the St. John branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has been appointed inspector for the bank in the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, with headquarters at Winnipeg. He will be succeeded in St. John by Mr. C. W. Hallamore, now stationed at Kamloops, B. C. While the many friends Mr. Francis has made during the several years of his residence in St. John will be glad to hear of his promotion, evidencing as it does the regard in which he is held by the management, they will be sorry that he is about to leave the city. Both as a successful bank manager and a citizen Mr. Francis has been deservedly popular. He leaves St. John about the middle of May.

ELEGANT PICTURES.

C. W. Kelly, photographer, Sydney, took, and is now for sale, very realistic and elegant pictures of his Lordship, Bishop Cameron, as he laid in state at the Cathedral, from the 16th of April to the 19th. The decorations are very well reproduced in the photograph.

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MGR. SBARETTI.

Presents the Decrees of the Plenary Council.

Rome, April 28.—Archbishop Sbaretti Delegate Apostolic to Canada, was received in private audience by the Sovereign Pontiff today.

His Excellency presented the decrees of the First Plenary Council of Quebec.

CHATHAM, N. B.

Peter McDonald, formerly favorably and widely known as clerk of the Touraine Hotel and, previous to that, of the Adams House, took charge of the Riverview Hotel yesterday according to the terms of his lease with the McCarthy estate. A number of improvements will be made in the Riverview, including the erection of a new and roomy barn for the accommodation of the horses of guests from out of town. A quantity of new furniture will be secured, many of the rooms will be papered and painted and the house will be renovated in order that it may be as homelike and comfortable as possible, says the Commercial.

DIED IN LEWISTON, MAINE.

The Catholic Opinion, of April 29th, announces the death of Mrs. Mary Roche, who was the first Irish woman settler of the district.

The St. John Exhibition Association has issued the Prize List for the approaching Dominion Exhibition, which will unquestionably be the grandest event of its kind yet held in the East of Canada. This list of monies to be awarded in the Agricultural, Stock Breeding, Horticultural, Industrial, Dairying, Home Work, etc. etc., is complete and highly interesting. As before stated, the awards are generously increased from 50 per cent. to 125 per cent. over former appropriations. These lists can be had of the Exhibition Association for the asking if the sender is really interested. There are not enough of the lists to go around among those who are merely curious and do not intend exhibiting.

Mayor was occupied his office at City Hall for the first time, on Wednesday. He will observe the same office hours which ex-Mayor Bullock made famous.

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Those who had given their time-keepers for repairs at
the King street establishment may have the same careful
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ACKNOWLEDGMENT FROM NATIONALIST LEADER.

The Irishmen of St. John Thanked.

Mr. John E. Redmond, M. P., leader
of the nationalist party, writing
from the House of Commons, London,
under date of April 18th, to the executive
committee in St. John, which recently
forwarded a contribution to the
Irish cause, says:

"I have this day received your letter
of the 7th inst., enclosing me draft
for £220, 18s. 2d., collected in St. John,
N. B., for the Irish Parliamentary
Fund. An official receipt will be sent
to you in due course, but I desire to
take this opportunity of rendering
my sincere thanks to the members of
the Executive Committee, and to the
subscribers, for their generosity. Coming
at such a time as the present, such
practical proof of the loyalty and fidelity
of the Irishmen of St. John to the
Irish party and to the cause of
national self-government for Ireland,
which it represents, is very encouraging,
and I can assure you it is warmly
appreciated by my colleagues and myself.

"Very truly yours,

"J. E. REDMOND."

The following receipt has come from
the headquarters of the party in Dublin:
"United Irish Parliamentary and
National Fund.

"No. 6807.

"39 O'Connell Street, Upper.

"Dublin, 19th April, 1910.

"Received from Irishmen of St. John,
N. B. (Canada), per Messrs. R. O'Brien
James B. Daly and E. F. Greany, for
above fund, the sum of one hundred
and twenty pounds, eighteen shillings,
and two pence, Sterling.

"PATRICK O'DONNELL,

"Bishop of Raphoe.

JOHN E. REDMOND,

JOHN FITZGIBSON,

"Trustees."

"£220 18s. 2d."

THE HOME JOURNAL.

No doubt the easiest way to travel
along through life is to take any old
canned food that's dished out to you.
If you are pretty strong and get lots
of exercise it will probably not cost
you a tremendous lot in doctor bills,
or shorten your life more than a few
years. But just read that article in
the May number of the Canadian Home
Journal, the first of the series on
"Foods—Pure and Adulterated," and
you will begin to examine more closely
some of the stuff you are putting
in your poor "tummy." Perhaps you
would rather appreciate not having
alum and soda reacting around in your
interior, leaving residues of alumina,
and glauber salts. Probably you would
rather not have cannery refuse in
your catsup, dyes in your jams, coconut
shells in your pepper, tumeric colored
flour in your mustard, and a good
many more things out of place.

Sometimes you may wonder why it
takes so much more of the B Jones
brand of tea than of the B Smith brand.
Perhaps you wouldn't wonder if you
knew how little value there was in
broken stems and dust and how much
of this useless stuff you are paying
your good money for. Look for the
government warranty. It's a big subject
and a very important one and the
Home Journal is tackling it in the
right way.

This May number deals well with a
number of different interesting subjects:
Money allowances for wives—
gave the ladies a chance to prove their
intelligent handling of the coin. No
wonder the girls prefer to earn their
money and spend it as they please to
begging the head of the family for a
few coppers. If you've an unattractive
place get into the swing of modern
times and fix it up; get your grey
matter working and you will probably
do it at very little expense; it really
takes less money than brains. Collier
Stevenson has some suggestive ideas
and pictures that may help.

The "Mother's Day" movement has
spread rapidly in the United States,
The Home Journal is leading the movement
in Canada for the observance of
the second Sunday in May as "Mother's
Day"—a day for some special remembrance
for the person to whom each one of us owes so much. We wish
them all success.

NO DOUBT.

...of the Irish race,
...all the agencies
...combining.

FREAK FASHIONS.

In speaking of the fashions of the
moment, one feels as if one were
reading a page of 'First Conversations'
in a Foreign Language, that goes
something like this:—

"Have you seen the coat of my
brother?"

"Yes; my elder sister is wearing it
for a jumper."

"Oh, look at the fish net! Are you
going shrimping?"

"No; I'm going to put it over my
pink dress and go to the party."

"Behold the sweet little chicken. Will
he go into the soup?"

"No; he will go on Araminta's new
spring bonnet."

"Ah! here are the collars and cuffs
of Collin, the farmer."

"You mistake, kind sir. They belong
to mamma's new peasant costume."

"Will you show me the new table
cover from Roumania?"

"Tray forgive me. I used it for
skirt trimmings."

"What ho! The round plaster cast
is missing from the wall."

"Yes. Our aunt painted it green and
is using it for a Persian head dress,
hanging from a Greek fillet, just over
her left eye."

And so on.—New York 'World.'

TIME WASTED.

Teacher (after a holiday, to the superintendent)—I should like a week's
leave of absence.

Superintendent—For what purpose?

Teacher—To get married.

Superintendent—Why weren't you
married during your holiday?

Teacher—I didn't want to spoil my
holiday in that way.

SOLVING THE DIFFICULTY.

A Protestant evangelist in Little
Rock, Arkansas, treated his innocent
listeners recently to a song composed
"to the best of my ability," and "the
expression of a great heart experience
which was mine a few days ago." He
confessed, however, to having difficulty
in giving it a title; whereupon Mr.
James A. Gray, a prominent Attorney
of Little Rock, wrote a letter to the
editor of the paper, containing the
above account, suggesting a solution of
the Doctor's difficulty namely to retain
the title which Adelaide Ann Procter
herself had given the song at the time
when she composed it.

FRENCHMAN WON.

Louis Paulhan, the French aviator
won last week the \$50,000 prize donated
by Lord Northcliffe for the first
aeroplane flight from London to Manchester,
a distance of 186 miles.

LEMON CREAM LAYER CAKE.

One cup butter, two cups sugar,
three cups sifted flour, two spoonfuls
baking powder, four eggs, one cup
milk or water. Cream butter and
sugar, add yellow of eggs and mix
whites of eggs and mix thoroughly.
(Whip the whites of eggs and mix
thoroughly.) Filling: One and one-half
cups sugar, one large egg, one
cup milk, one cup cream, three cups
spoonfuls sifted flour, one double boiler,
juice of lemon. Put in a double boiler,
to a boiling point. Add sugar and water
and stir. Add to the batter cakes, the
on water and stir. When thick remove
and add lump of butter and a pinch
of walnut and a pinch of nutmeg. The
ing is spread on the cakes. Sprinkle
with white icing or powdered sugar.

Liver and Bacon.—Have the liver
cut in thin slices, cover with boiling
water for a moment or two, then
drain and dry. Cover the bottom of
the pan with thin slices of fat bacon
and set at the side of the fire, where
the fat will slowly try out, pouring
it off once or twice, then draw the
pan forward until the bacon is very
lightly colored. Transfer it to a
hot dish and keep warm. Dust each
slice of liver with salt, pepper and
flour, put the pan over the fire; the
slices should be done through, but
not hard. Place them in the dish,
arrange the bacon around them, and
serve. If a gravy is desired, sift into
the hot pan sufficient dry flour to absorb
the fat, stir until brown, and add
gradually sufficient boiling water
to make a moderately thick gravy.
Season, boil for a moment, and pour
around the liver.

Dartmouth is going to give a Greek
play, the Oedipus Tyrannus, and we
violate no confidence in saying that it will
be all Greek to most graduates of Harvard.

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SAVINGS BANKS.

The Scottish people in June next will hold a great celebration at Edinburgh to commemorate the centenary of the foundation of savings banks in Scotland. Lord Rosebery has been asked to attend a banquet which is to take place on the occasion, and to propose the toast of "The Immortal Memory of the Founder of Savings Banks," the Rev. Dr. Henry Duncan, of Ruthwell, Dumfriesshire. It would be rather fitting if Scotland could claim all the honor of having first thought of these provident institutions, for the Scotch are a thrifty people. But, as a matter of fact, the first proposal for a bank for savings was made in 1798 by the Rev. Joseph Smith, of Wendover, Bucks, who offered to receive from any inhabitant of his parish any sum from two pence upwards every Sunday during the summer months, to keep an exact account of the money deposited, and to pay at Christmas to each individual the amount of his deposit with the addition of one-third of the sum as a bounty to his or her economy. But the feeling of independence on the part of the depositors was not sufficiently provided for in Mr. Smith's scheme, and it is correct to say that the Rev. Mr. Duncan earned the title of the father of the present system. The excellence of the institution is manifest from the fact that the savings banks of the United Kingdom now have one million seven hundred and fifty thousand depositors with the funds to the amount of about sixty millions.

UNITY OF ACTION.

Since the opening of Parliament Mr. Redmond has made clear to everybody in the House of Commons and through the press, by the terms which he

course which ensures the allegiance and enthusiastic support of his own followers, and Mr. Redmond knows that it is the course certain to lead to the destruction of the power of the veto. There is unity of action, but no bargain. The nationalist forces in giving their votes for the Budget are fully satisfied that they are doing what is best for Ireland and for Great Britain. To act otherwise would be to play an unworthy part—to fire upon allies who are engaged in fighting the same battle as themselves.

THE SMOKE NUISANCE.

Inventors have been busy lately to produce a smokeless locomotive, and the first one is reported from Chicago, where committees recently saw the "Laird smokeless locomotive" draw

a train of cars 28 miles without any display of smoke or gas. It is said that a device has been found by the use of which there is nearly perfect combustion of bituminous coal and less use of fuel. This device may mark the beginning of further inventions which will ultimately allow the use of coal in a locomotive without causing a smoke nuisance.

Another method of ridding cities of the smoke nuisance is found in the electrification of railways. If this electrification covers merely approaches of the city it would be appreciated by property owners and travellers. In Boston for some time this electrification of railways has been talked of and even promised, but no progress has been made to the great displeasure of owners of real estate on all sides of the city. Pending the possible introduction of smokeless locomotives using coal, it would be wise for the legislature to insist on the use of electricity on trains entering and leaving the city, when additional favors are to be given the roads. No one can estimate the damage of property and the injury to the public health caused by the smoke nuisance in Boston, and state and city authorities should make energetic efforts to abate it, says a Boston paper.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.

Boston is entertaining the Rev. Robert H. Benson, of the Archdiocese of Westminster, England. Besides being an author of note, Father Benson enjoys the further distinction of being a convert and the fourth son of the late Protestant Archbishop of Canterbury. In over three hundred years no Anglican Metropolitan has given a son to Rome. Pore Matthew in 1606 being the only instance on record in three centuries. Eton, Trinity and Cambridge contributed to the development of the talents which have delighted the literary, social and ecclesiastical circles in which Father Benson has moved. As a curate in the Establishment he did excellent work in East London. His entrance into the Anglican community of the Resurrection was the prelude to his conversion in 1903. For six years he has been in the priesthood, devoting himself largely to letters. Those who have read "The Light Invisible," "By What Authority," "The King's Achievements," "The Religion of a Plain Man," will recognize the high sense of responsibility which pervades those volumes. Few converts have brought to the Catholic Church such absolute consecration, and the spread of the faith. This well-born Englishman is a credit to his new faith.

DRINKING.

Guided by the Board of Temperance, and for the teaching of temperance, we are glad to see for children to be taught what they eat or drink should be sufficient to tell them. It is slowly, both because it is good for them and because it is good manners.

1. To drink plenty of water, and milk, if they have a chance.
2. To avoid beer and spirits, which are bad for them, and stop their growth.
3. To eat enough clean wholesome food, but never to waste any.

CHEERFUL NEWS.

A Toronto astronomer now says the comet's tail will sweep the earth, which is cheerful news, especially as St. John's streets will get the treatment free of charge.

HER BARGAIN.

Mrs. Gray—What did she say when you told her I first met my husband in a big shop?
Mrs. White—She remarked it was wonderful what a lot of cheap articles were to be picked up in some of those places.

ESTABLISHING A RECORD.

The old physician is an enthusiastic angler in every sense of the term. While on his way home from a fishing trip he received an emergency call. The proud newly-made father was impatient to have the child weighed, but couldn't find the steelyards, so the physician had to use the pocket scales with which he weighed his fish. "Great Scott, doctor!" exclaimed the father as he saw the pointer go up "Thirty-seven and a half pounds!"

A LINGUIST.

"Do you understand any foreign languages, Fraulein?"
"O, yes—the language of flowers and of the handkerchief, and the language of the fan!"—Fliegende Blätter.

A KINGSTON, ONT., VIEW.

(Canadian Freeman.)
The Liberals of Canada last week presented the Hon. W. S. Fielding, Finance Minister, with a gift of gold, amounting to \$125,000. It is better to be born lucky than rich, but it should have been given at Christmas.

MEAN MUCH THE SAME.

"The funeral sermon was simply full of paregorics on the deceased," remarked Mrs. Malaprop.
"Panegyrics, my dear," corrected Miss Strailace.
"It doesn't matter," retorted Mrs. M. "the words are anonymous."

COMMONS PROROGUED.

On Wednesday, afternoon, at three o'clock, the House of Commons, Ottawa, was prorogued by Earl Grey, Governor General, for the last time.

WHEN TREES GO TO SLEEP.

Trees and plants have their regular times for going to sleep. They need to rest from the work of growing and to repair and oil the machinery of life. Some plants do all their sleeping in the winter while the ground is frozen and the limbs are bare of leaves. In tropical countries where the snow never falls and it is always growing weather, they repose during the rainy season or during the periods of drought. They always choose the most unfavorable working time for doing their sleep, just as the man chooses the night when he can not see to work.—The Round Table.

THE LAUGH CURE.

Laughter induces a mental exhilaration.
The habit of frequent and hearty laughter will not only save you many a doctor's bill, but will also save you years of your life.
There is good philosophy as well as good health in the maxim, "Laugh and grow fat."
Laughter is a foe to pain and disease, and a sure cure for the "blues," melancholy and worry.
Laughter is contagious. Be cheerful and you make everybody around you happy, harmonious and healthful.
Laughter and good cheer make love of life, and love of life is half of health.
Use laughter as a table sauce; it sets the organs to dancing, and thus stimulates the digestive processes.
Laughter keeps the heart and face young, and enhances physical beauty.
Laughter is nature's device for exercising the internal organs, and giving us pleasure at the same time.
It sends the blood bounding through the body, increases the respiration, and gives warmth and glow to the whole system.
It expands the chest, and forces the poisoned air from the least-used lung-cells.
Perfect health, which may be destroyed by a piece of bad news, by grief or anxiety, is often restored by a good hearty laugh.
A jolly physician is often better than all his pills.—The Magazine.

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NICKEL, May 9th

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Four Millions of men, women and children of the colored race in the United States have not yet been baptized. Not more than 200,000 of the nearly ten millions are Catholics. Sad!

Christ died for us all, and His Church's commission is to preach the Gospel to every creature.

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Send to the Rev. John E. Burke, Director General, for a copy of "Our Colored Missions," the beautifully illustrated 16 page annual publication. The two most precious things on this side of the grave are our reputation and our life. But it is to be lamented that the most contemptible weapon may deprive us of the one, and the weakest weapon of the other.

A wise man, therefore, will be more anxious to deserve a fair name than to possess it, and this will teach him so to live as not to be afraid to die.

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SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Construction of Wharf at Shediac, N. B.," will be received at this office until 5.30 P. M., on Thursday, May 26, 1910, for the construction of a wharf at Shediac, Westmorland County, N. B.

Plans, specification and form of contract can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department, at the office of E. T. P. Shewen, Esq., District Engineer, St. John, N. B., Geoffrey Stead, Esq., District Engineer, Chatham, N. B., and on application to the Postmaster at Shediac, N. B.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, with their occupations and places of residences. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation and the place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars (\$2,100). The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering declines to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned. The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By Order
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, April 26, 1910.
Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

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The Bisque Jointed Dolls have
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including May 10th, 1910, for the con-
struction of a line of railways between
Nelson and Chatham (N. B.), a dis-
tance of about 8.28 miles.

Plans and specification may be seen
at the Station Master's Office, Chatham,
(N. B.), at the Chief Engineer's Of-
fice, Moncton, (N. B.), and at the of-
fice of the Secretary of the Department
of Railways and Canals, Ottawa (Ont.)
where forms of tender may be obtained.
All the conditions of the specifica-
tion must be complied with.

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Government Railways Managing
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Ottawa, Ont., April 12th, 1910.

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AMUSEMENTS.

THE KIRK BROWN COMPANY.

There was no vacant seat in the spa-
cious auditorium of the Opera House,
Monday evening, when the Kirk Brown
Company, opened a two weeks' en-
gagement, with an excellent production
of "Brown at Harvard." As soon as
Mr. Kirk Brown made his appearance,
on the stage, he was given a royal
welcome, showing that he has become
a great favorite of St. John theatre-
goers. The interesting comedy-drama
produced that evening shows all sides
of college life. There are represented
the ambitious student, the lazy stu-
dent, the happy student, the down-
hearted student, the rich student and
the poor student. Mr. Brown in the
way, was a rich student, was
title role of Tom Brown, who by the
very pleasing, and he was
frequently greeted with enthusiastic
applause for his clever acting in a com-
edy role. Miss Lillian Seymoure, as
Evenlyn Kenyon, sister of one of the
students, gave a clever interpretation



KIRK BROWN

of the part, and was heartily applau-
ded on her first appearance before a
St. John audience. Henry Crosby,
Frank Fey and James Brown, old St.
John favorites, were excellent in their
respective roles. Good support was
also received from other mem-
bers of the cast. A very interesting
scene was the one at the club house,
at the finish of the race between the
Varsity crew and the English crew,
when Tom Brown, although only a
substitute on the crew, saved the day.
Several curtain calls were received at
the close of this scene. During the
performance, Mr. Brown delighted the
audience with a vocal selection.

The performances on Tuesday, Wed-
nesday Thursday and Friday nights
were greeted with a large attendance.
"Classmates" is on the boards for
today's matinee, and "The Man who
Dared" will be given in the evening.
A fine list of plays is arranged for
next week.

CAPACITY BUSINESS AT NICKEL.

The Nickel was packed to utmost
capacity Monday evening, and in the
afternoon the crowds were unusually
large. Now that house-cleaning and
moving activities are gradually passing
the people are again thinking of the
good old standby house of entertain-
ment. The picture show they saw on
that day was excellent. In the first
place there were two of those popular
Biograph films, touching upon widely
different subjects. One was "A Ro-
mance of the Western Hills," an Indian
Native American love affair, and the
other, "The Duke's Way," a pretty love
story of the 17th century. The Edison
Company furnished two delightful num-
bers in "The Heart of a Rose," and "It
Pays to Advertise." Mile Tessler was
encored repeatedly for her pretty ren-
dering of "The Moon Song," from the
Opera "The Gingerbread Man," and Mr.
Fragg had a good illustrated ballad.
There will be a new singer next Mon-
day at the Nickel, when Mr. Tom E.
Clifford, New England's favored son,
makes his first bow to a St. John au-
dience.

NO BETTER TIME FOR ENTERING
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St. John's summers are so cool, our
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well ventilated, that we do not find
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tion, and we have good classes during
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Also, should you desire attention
in winter, our rooms are
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NEW CANDY STORE.

A particularly attractive store is
the one opened this week at 744 Main
street, corner of Mill street. The pro-
prietor is Mr. Henry D. White, who
is well and favorably known from his
connection with the Frank White Car-
terling Company. He will carry on in
his new quarters a confectionary, ice
cream and soda water business. The
sweet things are from three first class
houses: White, St. John, Ganong, St.
Stephen, and Moir, Halifax. The ice
cream is unequalled in this city for
flavor and quality, and is made from
White's original recipe.

In many of the larger cities in Can-
ada and the United States a five cent
ice cream soda enjoys a well deserved
popularity. Mr. White intends to in-
troduce the same here, and, no doubt,
it will prove a great drawing card.

IN NEW QUARTERS.

Messrs. Hampton & Woodley, artists
and designers, are now located at 143
Princess' street. They removed from
23 King street a few weeks ago.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

Mr. John Keefe's term as school
trustee having expired, Mr. Miles E.
Agar is to be appointed in his place
by the provincial government. Mr.
Keefe did not desire re-appointment.

NO TIME FOR DUBLIN.

(The Republic, Boston.)

Former President Roosevelt will
have some time for London, as he
concludes his foreign trip; but none
for Dublin. Let us remember, wasn't
this the man that used to claim to
be the only public man who wasn't in
some fashion or another Anglo-Saxon?
Didn't he extol his Dutch and Irish
lineage at the cost of any other pos-
sible race-admixture? So it seems to
us, in recalling the distant days of
9104.

TABLE MANNERS.

Certain men appear to splendid
advantage everywhere except at the
dinner table. They are easy on the
street, neat in the office, dignified in
the pulpit, graceful on the platform,
at home in the parlor, and command-
ing in a crowd, but what a mess they
do make of it when they sit down
to dine. No man is a perfect gentle-
man who is not gentlemanly at the
table. You may be a philosopher and
a scholar and not be a gentleman—
at the table. The following para-
graph concerning Doctor Samuel
Johnson is to the point:

"It is easy for us to see him, as
he has been described to us, at
table. He was totally absorbed in
the business of the moment; his looks
seemed riveted to his plate, nor would
he, unless in very high company, say
one word, or even pay the least at-
tention to what was said by others,
till he had satisfied his appetite,
which was so fierce, and indulged in
such intemperance, that while he
acted of eating the veins of his
head swelled, and general
perspiration was visible.
and drinking he could
he could not use moder-
ation about his charac-
ters, it is stated, was
violent; there never was
a year did he refrain from
when he did eat, it was
when he did drink wine
piously. He could practice
but not temperance. He
that he had fasted two
inconvenience, and that he
been hungry but once."

BANK OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

The Charlotte street branch of the
Bank of New Brunswick was opened
for business on Monday morning and
the new building is greatly admired.
The building was erected by Hon.
Robert Maxwell, the carpenter work by
Robert J. Green, and the painting by
J. Johnston & Son.

The building is exceptionally well
fitted for banking purposes and the
work by the contractors well done.

Mr. T. M. Healy, in the House of
Commons on Monday, spoke disparag-
ingly of the action of the Irish party
in pursuing the "will of the wisp" of
the Veto and the idea of five hundred
shadowy Peers to secure a scheme of
Home Rule which would weigh down
the farmers of the country with a
load of debt and taxation, making their
whole lives miserable in order that a
few puppets should foist themselves on
a so-called Parliament in Dublin.

EPISCOPAL INSIGNIA.

Putting on his sandals, the Rev.
remembered the Incarnate Son
of God, who came to earth
with the yoke of obedience; he puts on the
tunic of the sub-deacon to tell of heav-
enly thoughts; the dalmatic, of the
deacon, telling of religion and of mor-
tification; the gloves say he will not
seek his own glory; the ring, to show
he is wedded to the diocese, that is
to the Church, as to his spouse; the
chasuble of the priest to show that he
is clothed with charity; the maniple
on his left hand to signify that what
sins he may fall into he will wipe
out with penance; the mitre on his
hand, meaning that whatever he does
he does to gain the heavenly crown;
and the pastoral staff signifies his
episcopal authority.

WHAT A BOOK SAID.

"Once upon a time," a library book
was overheard talking to a little boy
who had just borrowed it. The words
seemed worth recording, and here
they are:

"Please don't handle me with dirty
hands, I should feel ashamed to be
seen when the next little boy bor-
rowed me.

"Or leave me out in the rain.

Books catch cold as well as children.

"Or make marks on me with your
pen or pencil. It would spoil my
looks.

"Or lean on me with your elbows
when you are reading me. It hurts."

EVEN IF IT ISN'T.

A woman can forgive her husband's
neglect to provide food for her, but
not failure to notice how becoming
her gown is.—New York Press.

HE'S BALD.

What has become of the old-fashion-
ed man who wore home-made hair
cuts?—Atchinson Globe.

UNKIND.

My wife made me.—Carnegie.
The usual excuse.—New York Sun.

LONDON, ONTARIO.

The Diocese of London, Ont., of
which Rt. Rev. Dr. Fallon, is now the
presiding Bishop, is one of the rich-
est in Ontario, comprising as it does
Middlesex, Elgin, Norfolk, Oxford,
Perth, Huron, Lambton, Kent, and

Ninian's Causeway, and
day, May 13. It is expected that His
Grace the Archbishop of Halifax will
celebrate the solemn Requiem Mass.

TOO LONG A JOB.

Ostensible Head of the Family—Maria,
there was a canvasser here to-day who
wanted to sell me a work on etiquette
and good behavior. Teaches it in six
lessons. I told him I'd ask you if you
thought we wanted it.

Real Head—It's all humbug, John; it
can't be taught in six lessons. I've been
trying to teach it to you for 16 years, and
haven't succeeded yet.

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The lottery was held by a man on the

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tickets from a traveller. Needless to

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"That's right," said the man on

courteously to the boy who

was looking at the clock.

"Now, what time is it?"

"What time?"

CONSECRATED BISHOP.

With all the splendor of the Catholic
Church, the Right Rev. Joseph Rice
was consecrated Bishop of Burlington.
Thursday, April 14, in Burlington, Vt.
He is the youngest prelate in the coun-
try.

Bishop Beaven of Springfield, Mass.,
was the consecrator, Bishop Feehan of
Fall River, the preacher, Bishops Har-
kins of Providence and Walsh of Port-
land, Me., assisting.

The most impressive moment in the
ceremony was the reading of the Bene-
diction from the Pope, as follows:

"Right Rev. Bishop Rice:

"Our Most Holy Father rejoices ex-
ceedingly in the deep and filial sub-
mission so reverently manifested toward
him on the occasion of your episcopal
consecration. From the fulness of his
heart he bestows upon yourself, your
clergy and the faithful of your diocese,
the Apostolic Benediction humbly
petitioned.

"R. Cardinal Merry del Val."

Bishop Rice, now 38 years old, was
born at Leicester, educated at the
Academy there, at Holy Cross College,
at the Grand Seminary at Montreal
and after his ordination by Bishop
Beaven he studied at Rome. He has
been stationed at Pittsfield, Fitchburg,
Oxford and Northbridge, all in Mass-
achusetts, and earned a reputation as
an able administrator.

EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS STAMPS.

(Official Communication.)

Owing to the fact that many have
asked for information about the Con-
gress stamps and the dailies have taken
the matter up, we deem it our duty to
declare officially that the issue of these
stamps is a purely private undertaking,
and that the General Committee has
absolutely nothing to do with it. The
idea may be all right and the originator's
intentions excellent, but no such scheme
has had our official sanction. It may
not be amiss to mention here that sev-
eral parties have asked our authoriza-
tion to get out guides, solicit advertise-
ments and manufacture and sell various
articles such as medals, pictures, etc.,
on the occasion of the Congress. We
have given no such authorization. As
far as the committee is concerned the
Official Guide and the commemorative
medal alone have received our approval
and they will be ready in the course of
a few weeks. Other schemes may be
encouraged, such as the stamps in ques-
tion, but at the sole risk of the purchas-
er.

The General Committee.

CATHOLIC IMMIGRATION INTO
OREGON.

In view of the increasing movement
of immigration into Eastern Oregon, Rt.
Rev. C. J. O'Reilly, Bishop of Baker
City, has established a bureau of infor-
mation concerning church and school
accommodations, societies and other
phases of Catholic life. This new organ-
ism will be instrumental in causing new
comers to settle in well organized com-
munities and in sections where it is
planned to establish regular missions.
Rev. H. A. Campo, Baker City, is in-
charge of this bureau.

HOUSE CLEANING SEASON.

(By E. A. S.)

This house-cleaning season is awful!

It just seems a shame, so I say,

To turn a nice house topsy-turvy,

And float it in soapsuds each day.

To pull the insides from the cupboards,

To tear the carpets up from the

floors,

To use pictures, chairs and pianos,

To blockade the windows and doors.

Now things disappear like magic,

Unless you hold on to them tight;

And things that have been lost for

ages

Are just being brought into sight.

We missed baby's best shoes and stock-

ings,

And what do you think was their

fate?

Packed down in an old rubbish bar-

rel.

Way out by the back alley gate,

One night pa fell over the ladder,

That some one had left near the

door,

And he got so cross and disgusted

He won't come to meals any more.

But, 'tween you and me, dad's a wise

one,

He don't come home to eat

For fear, if the meal wasn't ready,

He might have a carpet to beat,

Dear mother seems all out of pa-

tience.

And grandma is all out of tune;

The maid she is crosser than any.

I hope it will end very soon.

MARK TWAIN

As The Republic goes to the
sad news of the death of
Twain (Samuel L. Clemens),
home in Stormfield, Conn. His
surviving daughter was with him.

In his passing, America has lost the
greatest humorist since Artemus Ward.
The fame of Mark Twain was cosmo-
politan. The honors he received at Ox-
ford, England, less than two years ago
are still fresh in the memories of his
countrymen.

The present writer remembers him as
one of the participants in an authors'
reading, more than twenty years ago,
for the promotion, we believe, of the
international copyright law. On that
occasion he read his famous story
about "The Collection of All the
Weather in the World Made in Boston
in Three Days for the Centennial." Nearly
all the brilliant men partici-
pating in that reading, as Oliver Wen-
dell Holmes, Colonel Richard Mal-
colm Johnston, Thomas Bailey Ald-
rich and John Boyle O'Reilly, have
passed away. We are inclined to
think that with the passing of Mark
Twain the only members of that not-
able circle left are Mrs. Julia Ward,
Howe and William Dean Howells.—
The Republic, Boston, April 23.

EUCCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE.

As a preliminary to the Eucharistic
Congress a pilgrimage will be held to
Ste. Anne De Beupre, on Saturday,
June 4th.

The annual pilgrimage to the shrine
of the Sacred Heart at Lanorale will
take place on Saturday, July 9th, by
the steamer "Three Rivers." On this
occasion the new Guard of Honor of
the Congress, composed of 100 young
men, will make their initial appear-
ance in full military uniform.

LINEN SHOWER.

A number of the friends of Miss
Alice Mahoney met Monday evening at
the home of Miss Regina Kiernan, 126
Main street, and presented her with a
linen shower. The house was prettily
decorated for the occasion with Japan-
ese umbrellas and red streamers with
hearts.

VICE-CONSUL FOR MEXICO.

Mr. E. T. Sturdee, has received the
exequatur from the Mexican govern-
ment appointing him Vice-Consul for
Mexico, and also the commission from
the British government confirming the
same. The former is signed by the
President of Mexico, and the other by
King Edward VII. All necessary pa-
pers can now be signed by the Vice-
Consul, and any information given.

IT LOOKS ALL RIGHT!

In Brooklyn, New York, a plan has
been suggested for the combination of
all the Catholic societies into one great
body. It looks all right, but how do
all the grands and supremes feel on
the subject? That is an important
point to be taken into consideration.

The Connecticut man who has left a
will giving \$10 to his son, and the rest
of his estate, about \$5000, to be expended
for a monument, may not have thought
much of his son, but he seems to have
had a pretty good opinion of himself.

In view of the fact that that Washing-
ton society girl's mother says that her
daughter has been absolutely forbidden
by her to go on the stage, perhaps it is
not surprising that the girl is there.

Right Rev. Francis Silas Chatard, D.
D., Bishop of Indianapolis, Ind., some
time ago asked the Holy See for a
coadjutor. March 21 the Apostolic Dele-
gate received a cablegram from Cardinal
Merry del Val, saying that the Pope was
pleased to grant the request. The
coadjutor will be cum jure successions.

MAMA HAD MENTIONED IT.

"There was one man whose life was
perfect," said the Sunday school
teacher. "What one of you can tell me
who he was?"
Little Mary Jane's hand went up and
the teacher nodded to her.
"He was mama's first husband," she
said.

TECHNICALLY DEFECTIVE.

"So there is to be a divorce," said the
woman who discusses everybody. "It
seems but a little while since he asked
her for her hand."

"Yes," replied the rude man. "He
got the hand all right. But it turned
out to be a misdeal."

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Synopsis of Canadian Northwest Land
Regulations.

Any person who is the sole head of
a family, or any male over 18 years
old, may homestead a quarter-section
of available Dominion land in Mani-
toba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The
applicant must appear in person at
the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-
Agency for the district. Entry by
on certain conditions, by father,
mother, son, daughter, brother or
sister of intending homesteader.

Duties.—Six months residence up-
on and cultivation of the land in
each of three years. A homesteader
may live within nine miles of his
homestead on a farm of at least 80
acres solely owned and occupied by
him or by his father, mother, son,
daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader
in good standing may pre-empt a
quarter-section alongside his home-
stead. Price, \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—
Must reside six months in each of six
years from date of homestead entry
(including the time required to earn
homestead patent) and cultivate fifty
acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted
his homestead right and cannot ob-
tain a pre-emption may take a pur-
chased homestead in certain districts.
Price, \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must
reside six months in each of three
years, cultivate fifty acres and erect
a house worth \$300.00.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of the In-
terior.

N. B.—Advertisement publication of
this advertisement will not be paid for.

ENEMIES.

By Katherine E. Conway.

No foe like the foe that was once a
friend;
No hate like what was once love.
Fearfully through the gloom I wend,
Where shall I hide me or how defend
From the poisoned shafts thereof?

Once at your name for joy I'd start,
Where now I thrill with fear;
Once we were happiest heart to heart,
Who now, the width of the world
apart,
Are still—ah, God! too near.

All the days of my life to rue
The day that I saw your face;
All my doing but to undo,
My weakness and woe—that I once
loved you—
And that once I won your grace!

Hate and horror for evermore—
Oh, was it for this, I pray—
Just to know how to wound most sore,
That we read each other's hearts to
the core,
Ere the drear dividing day?

Is hate like love? Will it cast out fear,
And memory and hope defy;
And the cross on the grave that to
both is dear,
The desolation and anguish drear,
Of the death that we both must die?

THE MONTH OF MARY.

The Catholic Church dedicates every
day of the year to some particular
saint, whose example she sets before
us for our imitation. But to the Bles-
sed Virgin Mary, Mother of God, the
Queen of all saints, she dedicates a
whole month and invites us in special
manner to honor and love our heav-
enly Mother.

The month dedicated to Mary is the
month of May, and to the devout Cath-
olic it is the most delightful
of the year. Beautiful in the order of
nature, the month of May is more
beautiful in the order of grace because
of its dedication to our Immaculate
Mother.

Though there are many books de-
voted to the pious observance of the
month of Mary still there is a demand
for one containing meditations, prac-
tices, and devotions for this purpose,
in a very brief and concise form.

This request has been met by Fred-
erick Pustet & Co., printers to the
Holy See and The Sacred Congregation
of Rites. They have sent out from
their New York establishment a small
paper covered book of short medita-
tions, applications, and prayers in
honor of the Blessed Virgin Mary for
every day of the month of May. They
are sure to prove acceptable because
their reading will occupy but a few
minutes each day.

Messrs. Pustet & Co., also have
houses in Cincinnati, Ratibon and
Rome.

NO FEAR OF THE COMET.

Rev. Frederick Olenbach, S.J., of
St. Ignatius College, Cleveland, says
that the inhabitants of this planet
need not fear a collision with Halley's
comet; nor does he anticipate any
danger from poisonous gases exhaled
by it. He said:

"There is not one chance in several
hundred millions of any actual col-
lision between the comet and the earth
taking place and for such a thing to
occur it would be necessary for them
both to materially change the orbits
in which they are travelling.

"As a matter of fact, astronomers
all over the world are earnestly hop-
ing that the path of the comet will
ultimately bring it between the earth
and the sun, for as soon as it gets
into that position we can use our
spectroscopes for making observations
and may be able to discover whether
the tail of the comet is composed of
any known gases or whether it con-
sists of some gas as yet unknown to
the scientists and chemists of today.
The absurdity of the fear of collision
with the comet should be removed,
when it becomes generally known
that the nearest the comet comes to
the earth is something like 25,000,000
miles.

The comet will be nearest the sun
on May 19th, at the turning point,
and will be at the earth some-
times in May.

The comet is still invis-
ible, but it is believed with the
aid of powerful telescopes in the early

part of May. I should say, however,
that its appearance so far has been
inferior to that of 1759, the last time
but one on which it was observable."

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, NORTH END

There was a large attendance at the
evening services at 7.30 o'clock in St.
Peter's church on Sunday evening.
After the rosary was recited, vespers
were sung by Rev. A. J. O'Neill, of Sil-
ver Falls, assisted by Rev. Joseph
Borgmann, C. SS. R. This was fol-
lowed by a procession of 175 girls,
and about as many boys, around the
church, singing hymns to the Blessed
Virgin. The following young ladies,
carried her statue: Misses Lena Har-
rington, Loretta Tracey, Nellie Bros-
nahan, Alice Kelly, Margaret O'Hara,
Mary Doherty, Katie Coughlan and
Alice Phillips. After the procession
the children were dedicated to the
Blessed Virgin by the Rector, Rev. A.
J. Duke, C. SS. R. The services clos-
ed with Benediction of the Blessed Sac-
rament by the Rev. Fr. O'Neill, assist-
ed by Rev. Fr. Borgmann.

On Monday evening in St. Peter's
Sunday school, an examination took
place, in which three of the boys of
the Sunday school and three of the
girls were examined. The teachers and
parents of the Sunday school children
were present, the place being filled.

Messrs. M. D. Coll and Joseph Har-
rington acted as judges. The six to be
examined were those who had won in
the previous examinations. Before the
trial commenced, papers relating to
questions of interest to the Sunday
school were read by Miss F. Robinson,
and Mr. C. MacDonald. Miss Julia
Cleary, and Mr. K. Higgins, Miss M.
Creary and J. Rooney, each two read-
ing a paper on the same subject. Priz-
es were awarded to Miss Julia Cre-
ary and Mr. C. MacDonald.

In the examination, the boys' 1st
prize, was won by William James, the
boys' second prize by Edmund Galla-
gher, and the boys' third prize by J.
O'Hara.

Bridget Gosnell and Veronica O'Neill,
tied for the girls' first prize, and in
drawing, the prize went to Veronica
O'Neill. Bridget Gosnell took second,
and Genevieve Marry, third.

After the awarding of the prizes,
Rev. A. J. Duke, C. SS. R., made a
short speech in which he expressed his
entire satisfaction at the excellence
of the papers and the proficiency of
those examined.

DEATHS AND BURIALS.

The death took place on April 23rd,
at Leitch's Creek, C. B., of Mrs.
Elizabeth MacDonald, widow of Mr.
Angus MacDonald. Mrs. MacDonald,
who was in the 80th year of her age,
was a native of Cape Breton. She is
survived by five sons and two daugh-
ters. The sons are: Messrs.
MacDonald, Grand Narrows;
Angus MacDonald, Red Bank;
C. B.; John MacDonald,
Mines, C. B.; Daniel
Leitch's Creek, C. B.;
Donald, St. John. The
daughters are: Mrs. Burton, Seal
Mrs. Oliver, Ball's Cove.

Mrs. John Mahan,
23rd, in Milltown, after
a few days with pain
funeral was held on
noon, Rev. E. Doyle
officiated. The par-
B. H. Kerr, John
Fairhead and William
who survive are her daugh-
Olive, Constance, Lizzie and
home. Miss Jennie Mahan, of Law-
rence, Mass., Mrs. James Armstrong,
of the Union, and Miss Annie Mahan,
of Portland, are stepdaughters.

The death of Mr. Patrick McBride
occurred at his home 112 City Road,
on Saturday evening, after a linger-
ing illness. About two years ago
he received a stroke of paralysis and
had been in failing health for the past
year. He was the eldest son of the
late Joseph and Margaret McBride,
of Golden Grove. He was employed
in the J. C. R. for about twenty years
and was well known and widely re-
spected. He is survived by his wife
and four children, also one brother,
Joseph, of West Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. James Joyce, of Basswood
Ridge, died at the home of her
daughter, Mrs. Michael Corbett, in
Milltown, April 23rd, after an illness
of several weeks. The funeral took
place Tuesday afternoon from St.
Stephen's Church. Her husband,

four sons and three daughters sur-
vive. The sons and daughters are
all married.

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Mr. Wm. Young died at his resi-
dence, 41 Spring street, on April 18th,
in the 89th year of his age. He was
a letter carrier for a quarter of a
century, and was superannuated some
years ago. He is survived by his
wife, who is well advanced in years.

Miss Mary Abigail Downing, died in
the hospital on Saturday after an
illness of only a day and a half. She
was sixty years of age, and had lived
in Kingsville for many years. For
the past eight years, she had lived
with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Maurice
Downing, Princess street. One
brother, Daniel, of Boston, and a
number of nephews and nieces sur-
vive.

Mr. John Lannen, a former resi-
dent of this city, died at Nashua,
N. H., where he had been residing
for the past two or three years. Be-
sides his mother, who resides here,
he is survived by a wife, three bro-
thers—Charles and Martin, of this
city, and Patrick, of Nelson, B. C.,
and seven sisters, three in Boston, one
in Milford, N. H., and three in this
city.

Mrs. John Flannagan, of St. Mar-
garets, died on April 23rd, quite sud-
denly. The deceased was 71 years
old. She leaves a husband and ten
children—five boys and five girls.
Martin, in West Virginia; John, of
Chatham; George, Roger and James,
of St. Margarets; Mrs. James McDon-
ald, of Black River; Mrs. Wm. Mc-
Donald, of Bay du Vin; Mrs. Mary
Comeau, of Portland, Me., and Effie
and Annie at home.

Mr. James W. Manson, cashier of
Custom House, died on Sunday.
He had been ill for about eight weeks
with a rheumatic affection, which
latterly developed into blood poison-
ing. He was a son of the late Mr.
James Manson was 48 years of age,
and is survived by his wife, who was
a daughter of Mr. W. H. Livingstone,
Adelaide street, and an infant daugh-
ter. Mr. Manson also leaves his
mother and three brothers. The
brothers are John B. Manson and G.
C. Manson, of this city, and W. W.
Manson, of New York.

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on no consideration put soap on the
soiled article itself. Have the water
as hot as the hands can bear com-
fortably and allow one level teaspoon-
ful of borax for every gallon of water.
Immerse the clothes and allow them
to stand ten or fifteen minutes before
washing them, then work them up and
down, squeeze, and if necessary, rub
with hands, but never on a wash-
board.

The water must be squeezed, not
twisted out, consequently a wringer
is better than the hands. Rinse through
two waters, using a little less borax
and soap, but allowing the clothes to
lie ten minutes in each, working them
up and down and squeezing. After
wringing, put into shape and dry as
quickly as possible, rolling out at least
two inches from the process of drying.
Woolen goods must be hung in a hot
sun-dry out of doors in freezing wen-
ther, or winter-dry on clothes bar,
standing over a furnace
register, or near the kitchen range.

