### Calendar for Dec., 1896.

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Archbishop Langevin Speaks.

day of my episcopal career, it is ingly rendered to religious instructherefore with a broken heart that I tions. appear before you. The negotiations which have taken place between the local authorities of Winpation are promptly cured by nipeg and the Federal anthorities of Ottawa, have resulted in an understanding which is spoken of as a settlement of the school question. At the outset, I protest against this word settlement. A disputed ques. after a resolution of the school trustion cannot be settled without the tees, or upon a petition of the parconsent and agreement of both par- ents or guardians of ten children ties. We are, without doubt, the for rural schools, and of 15 children

parties the most interested in the for those of towns and villages. Manitoba school question. It is for conscience, a matter of life or death. 4 The majority which enjoys the

kinds from children or adults settlement was shown, but to our there will be no religious instruc-Dr. Low's Worm Syrup is a worst euemies, to know if it was tion and no Catholic teacher. agreeable to them. And when the 5.-Finally, if there are in men whose programme has been school both Protestant and Catholic the abolition of separate schools in children, and there is not accomodagone out that the question is settled, nomination; and so instead of a half

cept this pretended settlement. Al- a more extended signification low me to tell you, my friends, that "They take away with one hand I have cherished the hope that we what they give with the other. would receive the full and complete justice which was solemnly promised for these miserable crumbs they to us. We would have gladly ac- have thrown derisively at us. They cepted any fair arrangement; we are truly cynical. That alone rendwould even have accepted any sub- ers the "fetilement" unacceptable. stantial concessions; although we The hot blood rises to the head, ined the right to claim all our rights. when one reads these details. These But what is the position that they are not concessions, but odious rewould impose upon us. There are strictions. Formerly we'had comitems in the document, of which the plete right to teach in French. To first provides for a provincial law, day this is reduced to a moiety, and eight others have reference to the we, who were the first to come to of the eight articles concerning re- whose rights are guaranteed by conligious instruction is the official stitution are put on the same foot-Gents,—I was in very poor health for proclamation of the principle of ing as those who came from Iceland icle eight is well framed :- "No not better treated than the Chinese such cash I got three bottles of B. B. B. separation of the pupils by religious or the Japanese. More than that, it will be necessary that in the English. Yes we wish to know mixed centres of population, like English. It is necessary from every

Winnipeg, and elsewhere, the chil- point of view. But there is nothing dren be united in the same public new in that for only to speak of St. instruction, but only after half-past lish and speak it very correctly. three o'clock; and then a formal request of the parents or guardians of this house an important place; one the children is necessary. Allow cultivates it the same as French; me to say to you at once, my friends, mathematics are taught in English. that the common and neutral schools We are auxious then to learn Enghave been condemned by the Church lish; but we do not wish to sacri-We have the encyclicals of the fice our rights. This pretended dressed to France by the Pope Leo, us our French books; we are to

XIII. "Nolisima Gallorum Gens;" have mixed books, half French, half and the directions of the sacred con- English, some Protestant, some athgregation of the Propaganda to the bishops of Canada, of the 16th Paul Bert, which they will translate March, 1895. No Catholic can apin in part for us. What would permit prove of these schools unless he us to hold that they would not do and Clocks of all kinds and patterns selling low. Repairing of Clocks, Watches and Jewelry a specialty.

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The spirit of the child ought to be penetrated by the Christian seed. The catechism operation the amendments which the Greenway cabinet has consented to make would commit a criminal operation. wishes to separate himself from the it. Do we not know them and are ard d'Argentan, Franciscan Guar church. What do we understand we not in their hands. They say dian of the Convent of the Rue de by religious instruction? Is it in. that the French language is safe-struction in the catechism? Yes, guarded, and a public man has ment to obtain from Pope Lee XIII. and more than that. The spirit of dared to write the following words the title of Doctor of the Church the child ought to be penetrated by in a Montreal journal; "Those and Father of the Poor for Saint does not suffice for that. If, during operation the amendments which the larger part of the day, the child the Greenway cabinet has consented the rank of Doctor are indianutable.

you think that the poor half hour will suffice to counterbalance the disastrous effect of the moral lessons. Our separated brethren in

His Grace Archbishop Langevin England believe in religious instrucdelivered the following from the tion during the classes, and, in cathedral in St. Boniface, on Sun-order to avoid the divorce between day 22ud ult. It is his official pro- religious and secular instruction, the nunciamento on the so-called settle. Anglicans and others have establishment of the school question. It ed voluntary schools in the same was delivered in the cathedral at manner as the Catholics. Thoucaused by undue use of tea, coffee or the high mass. Taking for his text sands of schools in France and the act." Such words make my blood for the Feast of Doctor to be chanttobacco; palpitation, nervousness, irri- the words: "That keep which is United States have been established run cold as bishop and as French ed in his honor, and in the Franciscommitted to thy trust," I Timothy, in order to safeguard the same prin- Canadian. I protest that they can Order it is the Mass of a Doc-6:20. His Grace said: "Such is, ciple,, and we, who have a right to make game of nationality. Are we, tor In Medio Ecclesiae which is said dearly beloved brethren, the motto separate schools by the constitution yes or no, Catholies before all and on the Feast of Sain Anthony, that I choose on the day of my —shall we accept common and neu-our faith is the test safeguard of June 13th, so the Faith Leonard consecration, and in selecting these tral schools? The Catholic con- our national liberties. We ought is only seeking for the extension of words, I meant to indicate that I in- science forbids it. For the rest, the to be Catholics first and Canadians this privilege to the entire Church. tended to devote my life to the prc- details of the pretended settlement after. Now our faith is outraged, servation in its full integrity, of the betrays the real meaning of its our religious rights sacrificed, and Saint Francis to be the first master sacred deposit which was entrusted authors. There are minute, petty, while in fact French, we are not ac- of theology is in the Franciscan to me, and, as you are aware, Catho- odious provisions brought in under corded anything but that which is Order, and his tongue miraculously lic education occupies the first the pernicious pretext of respecting given to any new comer. We will

> 1-One half-hour only after halfpast three, and then only, can religious instruction be given by the priest, some authorized by him, or

2.—This can take place, too, only

3. -And this religious 'nstruction

us a most vital matter, a matter of may not be given every day. (sec. 4.-Moreover, in order to have schools established in 1890 are satis- Catholic teacher, it is necessary in fied, and we do wish to take from the schools in towns and cities that them snything of their rights and there shall be at least 40 Catholic privileges; we ask simply to enjoy children in attendance, which supour legitimate rights as they do poses 55 on the roll; and in the viltheirs; the possession of which has lage schools a minimum of 25 Cathgiven us nearly twenty years of olic children in attendance, which peace, after the Manitoba act of means 40 on the roll. So that in 1870. The minority has, moreover, Winnipeg and several other places jects we have appealed to Her guay, the Argentine obtained a favorable judgment from we will not have Catholic teachers the Privy Council upon which they because the children, divided up may found their claims for a restor- among the different schools will not ation of the rights of which they be sufficiently numerous, and I do Caesaris sto," we stand on this have been deprived. But what has not wish to abandon these Catholics been the result? Instead of treat- who have always been faithful to ing with us, negotiations have been their duty. This is not all. It is

the time came to finish the matter, dians of at least 10, 25 or 40 chil-To REMOVE WORMS of all it was not to us that the so-called dren, according to the school, or

Manitoba, and afterwards in Ontario tion sufficient to separate them for reis satisfactory to us," the news has to be divided botween each deand the text of the settlement is hour on each day, it will be a halfhour on every second day. So may I would like to know whether the I not repeat the words of an emin-Catholic minority has authorized ent member of an English church any man, or any set of men, to ac- in Winnipeg, giving them, perhaps,

And are we not to thank them might at the same time have retain- dignation makes the heart burst have taken for my motto: "Deposi-THE BEST COUGH CURE is Hag- religious instruction, and two others this country, who discovered it by hast betrayed thy mandate, you have that dogma was defined, and belief in yard's Pectoral Balsam. It deal with instructions in languages our ancestors, we have not more forfeited honor and duty." If I it is as old as Christianity itself. over four years; the doctor said it was common and neutral schools. Art- or from the wilds of Russia; we are with the help of God, I shall remain Church was recently received into Coughs, Colds, and all Throat schools, and it is forbidden to speak and Lung Troubles. Price of God during the hours of secular of the Tache Academy learn Eng-Popes, and particularly that one ad- compromise does not guarantee to selves in presence of our eternity we had acted when the hour of death arrives. I bless you all.

The claims of Saint Anthony for

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place in the trust committed to pas the liberty of the parents, but at obtain more afterwards, perhaps of his teaching. bottom, they practically reduce to you will say; moreover, the circum-"To-day is the saddest, gloomiest nothing the derisive homage seem- stances are changed. This is true, Aix, Bayonne, Digne, Mans, Leincircumstances change, but principles do not, and who is there that Sainte Claude, Sicz, Pance, and the promises you that you will obtain Abbot of Mellary, as well as six more in the future? No, do not in- other Bishops, have given their apsult our misfortume. Let no one

seek to play with conscience, and ject. the sacred sentiment of nationality. I protest against this abuse of sacred things. Our poverty is not a ture" ceremony took place in the reason for insulting our misery, for Church of Our Lady Help of Chrisit will never force u to accept a tians at Turin, the Salesian Fathers' shameful compromise. We wish field of action in foreign lands has in the first place, the control of our become so extensive as to render a reschools; secondly Catholic school petition of that ceremony necessary districts everywhere; thirdly, our every year. As a consequence there Catholic histories and reading books took place also this year that beautiful at the least; fourthly, our Catholic and impressive ceremony. In the inspectors; fifthly, competent Cath- afternoon of the 31st ult., eve of All olic teachers instructed by us; Saints, twenty nuns and thirty young six hly, our taxes and exemption missionary priests, clerics and catefrom taxes from other schools. The remedial bill gave us all that Our Lady Help of Christians to imin principle. Opposition was made plore God's blessing or their underto it because it bid not give enough; takings and recite the customary but what has been given us in its prayers before the setting out for place? Not one of our sacred rights, foreign parts. Their respective destinot a single one. As British sub- nations are Patagonia, Uruguay, Parafavorable judgment. As the Apostle North and South Africa. Paul says to us. " Ad tribunam

the Pope and the Episcopate to di- new century, the plan of a vast pilthey say to us that we are in distress and his idea is that in the presence and that already 51 schools are of a concourse of people from all closed. It is true that 51 school parts of the world, met together in districts are without schools, out of the noblest temple of Christianity, these 51, fifteen are not able to have the twentieth century be solemnly one because they have never been consecrated to our Lord. This puropened, or because there are not pose of consecration has already reenough children to open one. Out ceived the blessing and encouragehave said, "It is well the settlement ligious instruction, then the days are of the 36 schools which remain 10 ment of the Holy Father in a brief will be opened in a few days, and addressed by him to Cardinal Svamas for the 26 others they will all be ps, Archbishop of Bologna. opened if we can get the necessary assistance. Up to the present I have made no strenous efforts because I expected from time to time the charge brought by the Anglican an equitable settlement of this bishop of St. Asaph. in Wales, against matter. Now that is over, and I the Holy See, which that dignitary take control of the schools. I am accused of having condemned vernot a man of one party. I am free nacular versions of the Bible. The of all attachment. I am Arch-clergyman in question answered this bishop in order to safeguard the accusation by saying that it was not interests of souls, and do not think I vernacular versions, but vernacular shall compromise a sacred cause for perversions, of Holy Writ that Rome

miserable party interests. God condemned. keep me from such misfortune! I tum custodi" and I ought to suffer Bishop of Albany, showed himself everything rather than abandon it. lamentably behind the time and anti-It I yielded the spirit of Mgr. Pro- quated in speaking in his annual advencher and that of Mgr. Tache dress last week of Papal infallibility would have the right to appear be- as a "new dogma." More than a tore me, and say: "Bishop, thou quarter of a century has elapsed since yielded, I would not any longer have the right to have carried before me the Arch-Episcopal Cross, this sym- who had hitherto belonged to the bol of suffering and justice. But no, firm before the tempest and you re- the Catholic Church at St. Joseph's, call the words of Judas Macchabeus, "Potius mori quam teodari" rather to die than be dishonored Be faithful to your flag. Do not separate from the clergy. To-day no one has has a right to be neutral It is necessary by your conduct, by and he who is not with us is against us. Allow me to hope my brethren that it not in vain that you have so often assured me of your filial to remember your promises. Moreover life is too short to forget our most sacred duties. Let us put our

The Very Reverend Father Leon-

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judgment. As Catholics we have religious way the opening of the

by an English Catholic clergyman to

From Paris comes word that a lady Ritualistic section of the Anglican No. 50, Avenue Hoche, by one of

Mr. John Rains, a well-known Mauchester physician and formelry a leading light among Freemasons, has been received into the Church by Father Bernard Vaughan, S. J.

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sudden sound; why they do not sleep naturally; why they have frequent headaches, indigestion and nervous

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SEVERELY WOUNDED. On Thursday last, the Morning ced that on the following day it would reply to the temporary anent the matter of bringing St. Joseph's Convent School under the direction of the City School board. Having giv- the department of marine and thing worth noticing would be forthcoming; but the result was most disappointing. The Organ published a screed, over a column in length which made no attempt to grapple with the facts of the grapple with the facts of the reviews and streams on the Sand-rivers and streams on the case, as presented by us, reiterated its stale and untenable arguments, and contained a large amount of personal abuse of the editor of the HERALD. As to its correspondent after a visit to Glouremarks regarding the secrecy cester writes on the 1st inst., as fol-ter the change of government bewith which the proposal in ques- lows: "Boston's fishing firms alwith which the proposal in question had been advanced, we may say that, as we understand the matter, no proposal of the kind had been considered by the school board at the time the Morning Organ commenced its diatribes.

Use they did the Organ "scent" How then did the Organ "scent' it in the breeze? It has not thought proper to vouchsafe any information on this point. His entire American deep sea fishing Laurier's party have preserved grievances? It grants two things—half Lordship the Bishop has never interests would become a mere been afraid of any publicity this reminiscence, while the markets proposition should receive, when the proper time came for publishwith fish by Canadians! This ining it. So far as we are concerned we could have no object in desiring that the matter should be kept secret whenever it became a kept secret whenever it became a to congress on the part of the legitimate subject of public dis-legitimate subject of public dis-legitimate subject of public discussion. But we repeat, that at resolutions and memorial severely of last June. Lord Aberdeen did gotiations conducted at Winnipeg in cry, it was not a public question; consequently it must have acquired its information by dishon orable means. No stronger proof of this is needed than the fact that it has not made known its whipped cur under the flagella late, for the government and partion we administered to him, and, liament to consider whether the like a beaten school boy, he blubbers out "you're another."
Would it be believed that the Organ would like to be considered decent, and the creature that

in proclaiming that this is a Protestant country;" that takes a hension. The editor of the Morning Organ has thought fit to devote about half his contemptible man gets mad and begins to call might retaliate, were we so disposed, by referring to a few things concerning the editor of the Morning Organ.

A FIRM of coal dealers in Que- errors at times, such errors are the minority claimed with what they A FIRM of coal dealers in Quebec write to the press pointing out that a contract for coal for the military school at St. Johns, Quebec, has been given out to pair them. They have a common interest along with the people, and it can never be to their inter-

APPLICATION has been made to away." en twenty-four hours notice, one fisheries, Ottawa, for a supply of would naturally expect that something worth noticing would be lulu, Hawaiian islands. The de-

THE Montreal Star's Boston

Dominion has received the atten-

with the courtesy due to the entropy of a respectable journal? to do for Canada?" Again the Could assurance and monumental cheek go further? This is carrying the joke a little too far. For a miserable sheet, whose only reason for existence is, as we said son for existence is, as we said to do for Canada? Again the St. James Gazette points out Canada? In the arrangement likely to give offence in the arrangement likely to give offence to Protestant or English sentiment in the Dominion. Of that Mr. Sifton has son for existence is, as we said the Dominion of that Mr. Sifton has taken good care. Mr. McCarthy, two months ago, in informing his supporters before, "to stir up the cesspools union until Canada joins the Uni-of bigotry;" a sheet that delights ted States.

ADVICES from British Columspecial pleasure in misrepresenting everything Catholic; that has the bear evidence of the promptions of the promptions of the promption of th tude with which the wheels of divomited forth vile insinuations against the Nuns; that scruples not to insult the Bishop, and Catholics generally, to look for the treatment and courtesy due to respectability, passes all compressions. ult, Mr. Bell Irving, of Vancouver City, sent a telegram to Predict Turner, at Victoria, that his ing the Province absolutely free as to to Hon. Mr. Vernon, Agent-General of the Province in London; case; that the ground is completethe latter communicated with the quiry and protection for the pris-oners. Mean time Lieut-Govern-

dents in Cuba.

parties who were not the lowest and it can never be to their intertenderers. This is probably an- est to injure or offend a single siness is busi- member of the community. The truthful, fair, conservative paper WE trust that those of our and is there welcomed as a friend friends who have not yet sent in their subscriptions will not delay much longer. The month of De- into the family the advertise- into the family the advertisecember is slipping away, and no ments of the business people, of Roman Catholics who could select the subscriber should let the new which are there read at leisure, books to be used and determine the year dawn upon him without and bring forth fruit. Such re- character of the religious teaching. article in our last issue regarding thaving discharged this light oblither attitude assumed by our congation. A word to the wise is temporary anent the matter of sufficient.

year dawn upon him without and bring forth fruit. Such the character of the received, in the twenty nature of things, from the paper which is bought to be for school purposes out of the general paper which is bought to be for school purposes out of the general paper which is bought to be paper which is bought to be for school purposes out of the general glanced at and then thrown taxation of the Province, and the money

cause all possible payments were deferred, is sweeping up to and will go beyond the normal figure. It is now almost certain that the of maintaining schools which they rebalance between revenue and expenditure will be a million or tion of Catholic children than if they more worse than last year. The were distinctively Protestant in their adoption of any such policy would attempt to throw the blame on character,"

for the Laurier government the an hour at the conclusion of each school condemning the Elgin treaty and not after that permit the retiring March last. Messrs. Sifton and Camall attempts at a renewal of reciprocity."

The London St. James Gazette of the 1st. inst., devotes its leadoffice before the middle of the later that permit the retiring march later. In the retiring ministry to make provision for any part of the future. The current fiscal year began with the first of July, and Mr. Laurier took office before the middle of the Laurier which, if compared with the first part of the Laurier settlement, will be found

The School Settlement

have at last been given to the public. It months ago, in informing his supporters in Brandon, Man., that he felt it unneessary that he should stay in Parliament as their representative, wrote :-"Coercion is dead, and the victory

for the opponents of interference with Manitoba is complete and decisive, and moreover, it is announced that negotiations are pending between the Government of the Province and the new administration here for a settlement of the

by referring to a few oncerning the editor cabled the Secretary of State, as to their position and the course they had begun) Mr. McCarthy was well informed to do. The arrangement takes no cogardate asking him to intervene at the Foreign Office. Immediate replies were received to both mesfact that when the coterie of olgots who control that delectable
sages, and, within eighteen hours,
of anyone else, as no man of honor or independence would submit
to their arbitary dictation, this
spinless pharisee, who had been
spinless were received to both messages, and, within eighteen hours,
he found the ment became a part of Confederation,
he found them perfectly satisfactory.
They were also submitted by Mr. Sifton
to Liberals and McCarthytes of Brandon, who returned Mr. McCarthy to
part and parcel of our political, national
and religious patrimony. Whether or
not that system is granted by the Manito their arbitary dictation, this
would assure the safety of Messrs.
Beattie and all other British resithey also found the settlement at the general election, and
on, who returned Mr. McCarthy says,
of its own free will, and the power which
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be entitled to enjoy the fruits of a well-spent life, being obliged to obey the behests of such pigmies as control the Organ in question. All these facts we might enumerate and many more, but, for the present, enough.

ANOTHER graduate of the Royal Military college has won distinction. Lieutenant Girouard, son of Mr. Justice Girouard of the supreme court of Canada, was a member of the recent Nile expendition and has been created by Her Majesty a member of the majesty a member of the Distinguished Service Order for his eminent services.

Author of the advancement of time and timeded who could find anything to complain of.

But will the Catholics be satisfied? That this estimate. Mr. That is a sit should be satisfied on the matter. Mr. McCarthy, but Archbishop Langevin, the qualities which weak men prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and then throw them away. They do not regard them are sufficient matter. Mr. McCarthy, but Archbishop Langevin, the Qualities which weak men prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and hastily read the sensational prevail. The people may buy and

very clearly set forth in the last Judgment of the Judicial Committee of the Imperial Privy Council, as follows:—I

"Contrast the position of the Roma Catholics prior and subsequent to the raised for these purposes by local assess ment was, so far as it fell upon Catho THE government organs are al- lics, applied only towards the support of ready preparing the public mind Catholic schools. What is the position for a deficit. Authorized des- of the Roman Catholic minority under venue. This is true. The monthly revenue is falling off as compared with last year. The expenditure, which was low for the first two on three months. testants. Moreover, while the Catholic inhabitants remain liable to local assessment for school purposes, the proceed of that assessment are no longer des

full responsibility of this year's day for religious instruction, and the business. The late government employment, under certain circummight have been held partly re- stances, of a Catholic teacher. As to the timates last spring and prevented to the Dominion Commissioners, Sin

administration, which are certainly ne essary for a final and peaceable solution of existing difficulties.'

So far as this goes, therefore, a Lib eral government has accepted what a Conservative government declined but in dealing with Mr. Laurier, the droom-way Government yielded a little more than they were willing to grant to a Conmay be said at once that there is nothing school with 25 Catholic children in attendance, and in town or city schools with 40, a Catholic teacher will be employed if requested by the parents, but he will not be allowed to give religious instruction except in the half hour appointed, and in all other respects he will be subject to the regulations of the Manitoba Government, which retains control of the text books, inspection, examination of teachers and the like.

screed to nasty personal allusions to the editor of the Herald. This shows to what desperate straits he was reduced. When a mier Turner at once telegraphed able to ascertain by the terms of the of, and the application will be in the Mr. Laurier promised his hearers at St negotiations now on foot, the Province hands of the Greenway Government, Rochs to do more for the minority than is not called up in to yield anything who have not treated the minority very the Conservative Government; Mr. which does not leave the principle of generously in the past. Certainly the Geoffrion gave a similar pledge to his national schools undisturbed."

Geoffrion gave a similar pledge to his minority may be excused if they hesiconstituent at Belœil. Mr. Tarte, who It is evident that thus early in the tate to trust themselves to the tender seems to have taken a leading part in history of the negotiations (the above is dated August 25th, just after they had what, by this settlement, they are asked notice, wrote over his own signature in removed from the editorial chair of more than one paper in New Brunswick, placed himself at their disposal. We might call attention to the rather lamentable incident of a man, past the meridian of life, apparently with one foot in the grave, when he should be entitled to enjoy the fruits of a well-spent life, being obliged to obey the behests of such pigmies

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plore the Northwest, and when the Red River Settlement became part of Confederation they formed more than half of the population, At that time Sir Donald Smith, as representative of the that if they entered the Dominion all the rights and privileges they then enjoyed should be respected. That pledge school speak the French language (or have been unfairly dealt with. It is a John Cleary, aged 43 years. two brothers-in-law, Messrs. Beat- the management of its own school sys. (or such other language) and English erately rejected a government which

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS THE new Pictou Academy will be for lly opened on Tuesday, January 12th.

THE Halifax Club building, at Halifax vas damaged by fire on Thursday nigh ast on the extent of \$500.

MANNIE SIMMS, of Montreal, was shot a er home last Sunday, by Honet Howell. a

ARCHBISHOP FABRE, of Montreal, who is seriously ill, received the last rites of the Church on Saturday last. Ir is reported that Judge Tascherea

has quashed the indictment against Capt. Delisle of the steamer Tiber, and he been set at liberty. Foster, died at Moncton, on Dec. 7th, from

njuries received by falling down stairs at he Brunswick Hotel. THREE colored people were found des in a house at Roxbury, Mass., Saturday morning last. Their deaths were cause by a leaking gaspipe.

MESSES, W. A. WEEKS & Co., have purchased from the asignee the stock of dry goeds in the store lately occupied by made clothing and boots and shoes has been purchased by Mr. George F. Robort-

ent gales have occurred along the coasts with several casualities at Brighton. The chain pier there has been destroyed, and the shore is strewn with wreckage. There were exciting times at Dover in connection with the storm. The Osten packet found itself unable to make the harbor and notified those on shore by the firing of rockets. Another vessel is supposed to have go ashore east oi Dover.

MISS WINTER, the English governe who has been for many years in charge of Wilhelmina, the young Queen of Holland, sioned for life to the tune of \$2,500 Ulsters worth \$5.50 for per annum, her salary having been \$4,000 \$3.95, Ulsters \$7.50 for \$5.00, a year. Moreover, she has been loaded Ulsters worth \$0.00 for \$6.75, and hundreds of other barthe education of a youthful sovereign being at all times a most difficult and respon sible piece of work.

Tun smelt fishermen on the Buctouch blame Prowse Bros., for they and Cocagne Rivers, N. B., are in great luck. Fishing commenced Monday night that it has not made known its sources of information. We know that the editor of the Morning Organ, wincing under the merited castigation to which we subjected him, did not feel well; but he should have taken his medicine like a little man, instead of liaving recourse to abuse and but he should have taken and South Africa. Continuing of liaving recourse to abuse and white well; but he white like a little man, instead of liaving recourse to abuse and white he first two months was provided by more important than Guiana and South Africa. Continuing the St. James Gazette says; "It would be well, before it is too late, for the government and partition we administered to him, and in the source of information. We know that the addition in the success of information. We know that the addition in the source of information. We know that the editor of the Morning of Canadian interests, as affected by the prospects of tariff revision in governor-general's warrants procured by Mr. Laurier. Parliament was:

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DIED.

At Rustico, on the 15th ult., after a hort illness, Janet, widgw of the late Wm

At Sea View, Lot 40, on November 23rd Colin, son of Annie and Benjamin Adams, n his 16th year.

At Newton Cross, on Nov. 11th, after a short illness of inflammation of the rungs, Mary Violetta, aged three years and five months, dearly beloved child of James Coady and Mary J. Williams. At Garfield, Belfast, on the 26th of November, Hugh McKay, in the 52nd year of his age.

At the Provincial Building, on Saturday, Dec. 5th, Joseph Kennedy, in the 100th year of his age.

FOR THE CHRISTMAS BANQUET

21st and 22nd December. THE Ladies of the different So-

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The Canadian Gazette inst' asserts that inquiries highest quarters failed to intention on the part of th Duchess of York to pay Canada in 1897, as has and widely published that

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Dr. Leauder S. Jameson was re- LOJAL AND OTHER ITEMS The Canadian Gazette of the 2nd o'clock from Holloway jail, London, inst' asserts that inquiries made in the highest quarters failed to disclose any intention on the part of the Duke and Duchess of York to pay a visit to Canada in 1897, as has been stated and widely published that they would and widely published that they would are considered in the prison of the Bru. Jameson has been to compliance with the order of the home secretary, Sir Matthew White Ridley. Dr. Jameson underwent a serious operation in the jail on Nov. 10, and the release was ordered on medical grounds. He was sentenced to fine the prison on the grounds of ill health.

Rev. John A. Modonald eturned home on Friday last from a trip to the United States.

At the department of trade and commerce, Ottawa, a large number of replies have been received from boards of trade to the departmental communication asking for special properties. He was sentenced to fifteen months imprisonment on July 28 last on a charge of violating railway station at Tignish on Thursday last. The fire was caused by a defective of trade to the departmental communication asking for special properties. I was finally induced to give South American railway station at Tignish on Thursday last. The fire was caused by a defective sufferings and states. Two Gloucester fishermen were Tignish, with Mr. J. A. Brennan, as capbrought to New York by the S. S tain, Rev. D. M. McDonald, treasurer, and

Dresden, who were picked up in mid- Mr. A. J. McFadyen, Secretary. ocean, after being adrift in an open boat through bitterly cold weather, without food and drink for five days

Broyle, Nfid., gold claims show them to and four nights. They are Patrick J. Foley and Joshua E. Foye, of the little fishing schooner Florence of Gloucester. They lost sight of their vessel last Saturday morning while

atternoon, were in a pitiable condition Their hands, feet and faces were frost and in every way a first-class serial. ever gave me any remanent relief until I Their hands, feet and faces were frost obtained your great South American Rheumatic Cure. It has done so much for me from haunger and thirst. They lost that I gladly give my testimony, that other sufferers from the agonies of rheumatism may take my stylee and try this great remedy. I am satisfied it will cure them as it has me." Sold by

It is confidently asserted in Toronto and their oars in a storm and were beaten bck by the wind after having rowed half way to Nova Scotia.

Last week a freight train of Kirkpatrick's term expires in May. Last week a freight train of Kirkpatrick's term expires in May.

Advices from St. John's, Nfld, of the 2nd inst. say that negotiations have been concluded whereby the colony buys out the Newfoundland colony buys out the Newfoundland railway company which operates fiftyseven miles of road from St. John's, ty-six cars were scattered along a meeting the transiasular road at distance of eight miles, where the Whitborne, which latter road is 460 miles and is virtually controlled at Jarbeau, head brakeman, was present by the smaller ore. The thrown down an embankment Co., was totally destroyed, besides heavy ing Macgowan attended a meeting deal ends a series of costly law suits with several cars and was killed. damages to other firms. Loss about \$400,- of the Good Templars Lodge, where between the colony and the railroad Fireman Young jumped and escaped with a broken collar-bone, The United States and Hayti Tele- severe scalp wounds and other the "School Settlement," from the Mon- Subsequently he began to talk in-

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Dreadful Tragedy at Dundas

A horrible murder occurred Dundas on Saturday last of which the Examiner gives the following

WE commence to-day the publication of Mugaret Mackenzie, about fifty ngaged in trawling, and when taken an excellent story entitled "Philomena or five years of age, was brutally hackon board the Dresden last Wednesday a Daughter's Holocaust." We feel sure ed with an axe at Dundas on Saturday last, and died from her injuries Sunday aftern on. Her slayer, a our readers will find it most interesting, young man named Archibal 1 Macgowan, is insane, and was Monday evening brought to the city an placed in the Hospital for the Insane, Miss Mackenzie was housekeepe for Duncan and Johnathan Mathe son, living at Dundas. Macgowan is a son of the late John Macgowan Owing to thick vapor, the Princess was of Dundas. Last rummer young detained at Pictou on Wednesday night Macgowan was sunstruck, but there last. She returned Thursday forenoon, did not seem to be anything very and afterwards made the round trip to noti eable in his demeanor except Pictou and back, returning about 9 o'clock ing that when in the house he

> A VERY disastrous fire occurred at Ot- But this feeling seemed to wear off It is stated that on Friday even be acted in the capacity of sentinel. On Saturday morning he complain-Wz publish in this issue an article on ed of a severe pain in the head. A JACKMAN, ME., correspondent reports at Albion Cross, about a mile distant. Mr McLean noticed that

seemed melancholy and morose.

ately. John K. McLean and James Morrison left the store shortly after For the first time in the history of Mon- Macgowan, and followed in the treal, every man employed on the police direction he had taken as they did rouse the liver, cure headache, dizzines force has been given notice to quit at the not think he was in a fit state to be The only Fills to take with Hood's Sarsa end of the year. Naturally a great many at large. Hugh McLean, a neigh-

will be re-engaged, but the move portends important changes in the force.

It is understood that the Boston and Marine Railway Company has ordered before Ra tween 200,000 and 250,000 tons of coal were not close enough after Macfrom the Dominion Coal Company this gowan to see him enter the house, year, and it has been sufficiently satisfac. which is near the road, but they tory to warrant the continuation of its saw him when he reappeared. Hugh McLean arrived at the place about the same time.

THE Government has purchased all the Macgowan, who was swinging an rights and property of the Newfoundland axe which he had procured at Ma-Railway Co., for \$1,776,000. Payment will be made in Government debentures bearing interest of 3 per cent. The road is to come under government control after their own business and leave him alone. Hugh McLern said they

MR. Hogan, M. P., of the Imperial House of Commons, representing the Huddart steamship interests, was in Ottawa the other day, and had an interview with the Premier, with the object of ascertaining the intention of the Government remaining the intention of the Government remaining the first hold it of the first hold it. to strike him. This hostile act had the effect of frightening Macgowan, and he returned quietly to his own

\$20.00 treme severity is prevailing throughout home with McLean.

School England, and several deaths of tramps and others from arrows a result wave of exhaust a contract wave of exhau John K. McLean and Morriser others from exposure to the weather are then called at Mathesons'. They reported. Many of the streams, lakes, did not know the Matheson men \$7.00

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in their power for the sufferer.
The cut on the right side of the gers, tormerly Minister of Agriculture. DR. MoPhail, professor of bacteriology at Bishop's College, has been authorized by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to proceed to England to complete his researches in the famous pathological laboratories of London into the matter of the blackening of lobsters. The Minister is satisfied with Dr. MoPhail's discovery of the causes of the blackening and the remedy therefor, but before announcing it to the public he had thought it well to enfollowed Macgowan when he left the the public he had thought it well to enfollowed Macgowan when he left the courage Dr. McPhail to proceed his re- h use and did not return untill eleven o'clock that night. On Sunday afternoon, when the wounds wer

Macgowan remained at home or

The aged widow of Angus McLean, who lived with her little granddaughter in a small house at Melville, was burned to death a few days ago. It seems that the little girl went for some water, and upon her return dispovered smoke issuing from the door of the house. She alarmed the neighbors, and the fire was extinguished But the poor old woman perished in the flames, most of her clothing having been burned to cinders. It is supposed that in the absence of the little girl, Mrs. McLean, who was blind, went too near the stove who was blind, went too near the stove the dog upon him to protect herself and her clothing teck fire,—Ex.

But of course this is all supposition But of course this is all supposition

garding the fast Atlantic service.

A MIDDLE-AGED man named Michael DeCourcey was brought to the city Thursday from Mount Stewart and placed in the Hospital for the Insane. DeCourcey's case is a very sad one. His wife and three of his children died some time ago, and two of his children are very ill of consumer. A MIDDLE-AGED man named Michael

they heard some loud talking, and also noticed the furious barking of a dog. But they did not suspect any ing wrong, and thought of the circumstance until they heard of the terrible butchery.

The body of Miss Mackenzie was

to be interred at Dundas to-day. An inquest is being held.

Word comes from the Hospital for the Insane that Macgowan is very quiet to-day.

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I was a martyr to catarrh for twe years—tried every known remedy, but got little or no relief. Was troubled with got little or no relief. Was troubled with constant dropping in the throat, terrible pains in my head, and my breath was very offensive. I was induced to give Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder a trial, and the result was magical, The first application cleared my head instantly. I persisted in its use, and to-day I am a cured man, and it affords me pleasure to lend my testimony. SOLD BY

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CAPTAIN DELISLE , of the steam Tiber, was committed by Judge Desnoyer in the police court, Montreal, on Wednes-day, to be taken back to Newfoundland to stand trial for manslaughter. Captain De-Lisle is charged under the Fugitive Offenders act at the instance of Sir William Whiteway, attorney-general of Newfoundland, for causing the death of thirteen persons on the schooner Maggie. His Honor, after reviewing the evidence of the case a considerable length, said he felt obliged to surrender Captain DeLisle to the authorities at Newfoundland. Had the unfortunate accident happened within his juris diction it would have been his duty to commit the accused for trial. A writ of habeas corpus will be applied for.

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What They Fought for.

(Halifax Herald 2nd. inst.)

The grit writer in a leading organ of the Laurierite government, appears to have expressed the all-pervading thought of his party when he asked the question: "If me are the question: "If we are not sued by the grit ministers and their to get offices, what did we fight helpers are worse than would have for?" And he and other grit writ- been thought possible in any British ers have shown the predominance of this idea in their minds to the extreat efficient and faithful public sertent of declaring that this party alle-giance was based merely on the hope of getting office. Thus one of these treated; they condemn them without WEEKS & CO. are selling New Dry Goods at smaller profits than any house in Charlottetown. Weeks & Co. is the oldest Dry Goods house in Charlottetown. Weeks & Co. do a large wholesale business, which enables them to buy large quantities of Dry Goods, and which places Weeks & Co. in a position to offer their ratail enstempers Dry Goods. have, through us, reached the height of their ambition. They rule the country and handle its resources. We also demand a share of the results, emoluments, and perquisites, comforts and gains, of this victory." which they then proceed to twist and There is a widespread, intense feel- misrepresent to accomplish, and aping of discontent amongst the liber- parently justify his condemnation and als of the country over the matter dismissal. Such are the detestable and unless soon allayed in some way and damnable methods to which these many will be loosened from their allegiance." When Mr. Beaugrand are resorting. Under these circumspoke of the "voracious appetites" of Quebec, and the "soup ladles," he might have extended the description to the members of his party in tion to the members of his party in the other provinces as well. As defence. They may not be able to their spokesman aptly put it, "If we save themselves from dismissal; but are not to get offices, what did we fight for?"

accusers and judges shall themselves Commenting on, and as it were prove them guilty, or else condemn answering this question, the Mail and them without any appearance of such

Commenting on, and as it were asswering this question, the Mail and Empire appropriately says:

"A good many of as supposed that they had been fighting for the country—to get as free trade and protection, reciprocity perity. Such at levents, was the debilind. What the time. But this was all abilind. What they were after was, each for himself, an income derived from the taxes of the people. The argument of the moving spirit was frankly accepted by one of the Ministers—Mr. Blair. That gentleman promptly laid it down as a rule of his administration that if a Liberal acandidate came to him and said that an employe was a partisan, that official should be dismissed without further ado. It was a convenient rule. The candidates or members, looking after jobs for their friends, had merely to select the offices, enter a general charge of partisanship, and the thing was done. A case occurred the other day on the Interactional Somebody wanted the position of storekeeper for that railway. Mr. Rasel, one of the members for Halifax, thereupon reported that the present atore-keeper, who had worked well in the service of the country for twenty-five years, was partisans, and the official was a concell under ordinary circumstances; but because there is not a shadow of a doubt that any admissions that the present atore-keeper for that railway. Mr. Rasel, one of the members for Halifax, thereupon reported that the present atore-keeper, who had worked well in the service of the country for twenty-five years, was a partisan, and the official was a nonce given notice to quit."

And he is but one of many. A fresh batch of notices of dismissal ging from the public service much better men than themselves and their fresh batch of notices of dismissal were distributed along the line yesterday, and the prospect is that the wholesale dismissal of experienced dismiss without proof of any wrong dismiss without proof of any wrong

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### baby growth

the signal of perfect health, less comfort, good nature, baby

Scott's Emulsion, with time, in watching the progress of the child's development. Debarred from action by the troubled state of journey; though she had be the country, and closely watched by little of his care, had seen him rarely, in the easiest form. It supplies just what he cannot get in his ordinary food, or object than the care of his belief moments; yet she time, his life seemed to have no other by with him was a consolation.

Judge then with what ardor she set and helps him over the loved invalid wife and infant daugh- about her studies for his sake when growth.

"MOTHER DOES THE ANGEL HEAR?"

PHINE, IN CATHOLIC REGISTER "I know I have heard them speak child,

And I know that they spoke to me With my mother's arms around me, While I sat on my mother's knee.' "Their voice was low and sweet child

Its tone was full of love : I did not think then t'was the angels, But only some children above,' " And I was happy then dear,

No care, no sorrow I knew And my mother loved and taught me My simple lessons then so few.' "But the years rolled on apace child, And the angel voices ceased,

I had grown up in years dear, God, and His angels, I tried to please "Then, child, life's bright -days grew fewer,

Life's sunny smile seemed to fade, Life was not what I had thought it Sunshine always, never the shade. "Ah, child, my life was lonely,

Sorrow's school was now my home

Day by day, I learned its lessons, Day by day, I grew sad and lone." "You were my life's sole joy child, You helped me bear my grief; Your merry chatter cheered me,

And gave my sad heart relief." "Then I was carred back to childhoo To those sweet days of vore. For I seemed to hear again dear.

Loving voices I had heard before." "Yes, child t'was the voice of the angels They had watched me all these years I could hear them whisper softly,

And they bade me dry my tears." "I had always loved the angels, They had been my dearest friends And now they came as messengers

Bringing the grace, and strength God "All seemed changed to me then dear, The bright happy days had fled And I'd think of my merry childho

Till bitter tears were shed." "For my loved one was taken from me You remember your father dear.

And the voice we no longer hear."

"I sank 'neath that heavy sorrow, It was almost too hard to bear; But I called on the God of love child, He my sorrow seemed to share."

"He taught me the lesson of patie That lesson so hard to learn; He bade me bow to His will child, And He soothed my anguish pain.

And I meekly knelt before Him. And I said "Thy will be done"; His love and pity I craved child, Human sympathy, I wished for none

"They cheered my lonely heart child With their messages of love; They comforted and counselled,

They bade me look above." "And so, child, life seemed brighter, My sad heart happier grew ; I cared for nothing now dear,

But to bear well my sorrows few " Have I made you weep? my darling Ah! dry those foolish tears,

For I only told my story, To show you that "angel hears." "To show you how vain are life'

How vain is its fleeting show: To help you trust God and His angels And yield to life's pleasures slow." "God loveth those best whom He trieth With sorrows and griefs unstayed,

And He ne'er forsakes those darling Who have striven, suffered and prayed." Halifax, N. S., Nov. 6.

# PHILOMENA, sake, though she mourned for this for her father was to be sorely tried proof of degeneracy in one so well-born and richly endowed in mind be made known, and all its details

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sne asked herself? How one engrossing evil passion had corrupted and then killed all God's good gifts in him, she could not know.

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In an old castle in the loveliest after the death of the Countess, and part of Poland, there was festivity on the eleventh of August in the year 18—, for on that day, had been given to the noble owners a little daughter, and they were rejoicing at the gift of God. The castle was the possession of the Counts to her music, and other accomplish.

They had no society at the castle to be "his best friend," it was for his sake; for love of him. But even new she could not, would not, admit even to herself, that in anything he could be wrong. If his fortune was gone, she would have to study two years in France, to receive the finishing touches to her music, and other accomplish. the was the possession of the Counts to her music, and other accomplishof Pavlewski, and though the family
had suffered much from Russian in. hoped that, when her pupil should justice and oppression, the last soion have reached the age of eighteen or of that noble and ancient race had bineteen, her father would seek her of that noble and ancient race had still a goodly heritage. Before the birth of her little daughter the companionship, and by that means, perhaps, be withdrawn from company, which, she vaguely feared, was doing which, she vaguely feared, was doing him harm. But when Philomena was only fifteen, the Count suddenly decided that the time had come for sending her to France to finish her education.

Mile de Jancourt would of course her saving accompany her, and remain with her one should be given the sweet name of "Philomena."

In the place she, herself, chose to selec:

Word of imperial command.

How could she spare him future care? One way only remained, and that was to give up to him freely and absolutely, all that was hers. She was to be called "Mary."

In the word of imperial command.

How could she spare him future care? One way only remained, and that was to give up to him freely and absolutely, all that was hers. She was of age, she could do as she liked. To decide was to act.

Kneeling at his feet, she besought him to take all that was hers, saying "that she could live on his bounty, but that he must never be dependent in the place she, herself, chose to selec."

Alas, with what a gleam of joy did

"May she have the faith and courage of that child-martyr," said the pious mother.

This decision was received by the the unhappy gambler gloat over the documents she laid in his hands. Wished his daughter to complete her Hardly taking time to thank her he the pious mother.

"We need not fear that any tyrant will wish to espouse her,
laughed the Count, "at least for a
good many years to come; and by
that time we may have our own
again."

wished his daughter to complete her
studies at even an earlier age than that
usually fixed on, or than she herself
had dared to hope for, and she set out
with all hopefulness.

Now the one passion of Philomena's
young life was adoration for her father.

When all was done he sent for her
young life was adoration for her father.

"We must dedicate her to the Her mother's memory she tenderly Blessed Virgir," said the Countess. cherished, but her father was the light "She will be her first protection." of her eyes. To see him smile, she The baby's mission is growth. To that little bungrowth. To that little bundle of love half trick half dle of love, half trick, half dream, every added ounce of flesh means added happiness and comfort! Fat is little one so soon to be left mother-

their wine and card-parties.

any chance companion or passer-by to the grand-duke on the steps of

Little Philomena was only five

care and guardianship of her father, never suspecting the fatal passion

movements. He went out oftener,

at his own undoing. A French lady, who had been his late wife's

for all her studies was so

great, that it had to be moderated,

No one interfered with the rule

court engaged teachers and profes

sors for the sciences that she felt

herself incapable of teaching per-fectly, that nothing should be want-

best. Philomena's favorite study

was music, and she became a great

been, in his daughter's progress.

She saw him rarely, and had no

means of kno ving how or where he

high favor with the Russian officers

she knew; but not being a pole she did not resent that fact for her own

While Mile. de Jouncourt was

proficient in that art.

for the sake of her health.

gaming table.

If she bore this separation calmly, or without outburst before him, it was The Count himself was sourcely only to spare his feelings. In her less interested than his wife, at that own room, or with Mile. de Joncourt

Judge then with what ardor she set weak places to perfect ter. For their sakes he became, once established in France. She gave unhappily for them and for himself, less patriotic than he should have been. To preserve his fortune for best.

them was his primary object, and for this purpose he allowed himself four, giving Philomena ample time to perfect herself in other things as well certain degree of intimacy and familiarity with the ruling authorias music, before she was recalled. ties. Though he did not pay court to the despoilers, and remained as practical a Catholic as his prudence, then, not because her father longed or or his fears, permitted, yet he accepted the invitations of the invader her, or rather her signature, to certain her, or rather her signature, to certain ers of his country, and was seen at documents, whereby he might obtain more money for the gaming table.

The means he took to avert one No, she could not know this, and danger drew down another, infinite- Mlle. de Joncourt, who had aged ten ly worse and sadder. A passion for years in these four, through anxiety for cards grew insensibly upon him. It is well-known what inveterate the beautiful patient child she had learned to adore, knew nothing either gamblers the Russian officers are, of the ruin ahead.

from the humblest rank to the very The Count's reason for not recalling They play for high his daughter had been plausible stakes when they can, and for low enough. It was "illness," or "the nes when they must; ready money house was full of unbidden guests to failing, they wager lands and goods, whose society he could not introduce the possible reversion of estates. his daughter," or "he had to go to the Baths," and at the last it was "distheir rights and claims, actual and prospective. But why do I say agreeable business," the only veritable plea of the long lost. The "disagree-able business" had been no less than the Russian tlood, from the porter or "dvornik" at the gate, who gambles on the draught-board, painted, or rudely cut, in the bench where he sits in leisure hours, with the relinquishing of his ancestral home for a gambling debt.

Philomena was to see the home of er ancestors no more. Never more was she to enter the room, so sacredly has won and lost not only lands and guarded, wherein her mother had died gold, but wife and children, at the the death of a saint; never more to the throne. Many a proud noble kneel by the grave wherein her mor-tal remains lay "waiting for the resur-rection." She was never again to hear the birds sing there in the early years of age when her devoted mother died, leaving her to the sole morning or quiet evening; never sgain would she kneel in the twilight hour beside that loved tomb, to pray for the mother she had lost and the father that was taking such hold upon him, least in a measure insersible, to other things. A great deal had been lost even then, that she knew nothing of. But so facilities and more insersible, to chapel, long since closed for worship by the General who had played for been lost even then, that she knew nothing of. But so far it was the Ah, how Philomena loved that Count's own private fortune that suffered. After his wife's death grand old park; its stately firs; its there was no restraint upon his graceful poplars; its ancient oaks and

the murmur of the breeze in the wavremained days and nights in War-saw, with feverish haste working Alas, it was hers no longer. She came back to a far distant estate that had belonged to her mother governess, was engaged to take charge of little Philomena. A noful estate, too. There was a fine old mansion, extensive park, luxurious ble and conscientious woman she mansion, extensive park, luxurious surrounding within and without system berself to the motherless child.

Philomena was very lovely. Her hair was wavy and soft as silk; her of her mother's girlhood, thinking it to be all kindness on her father's part eyes dark blue, large and limpid; that she should go there to meet and her features regular; and her exreceive him "in her own home." pression exceedingly sweet and gen-With what alacrity she set about pre-Her baby training at her mothparing it for him. With what zeal did poor Mile. de Joncourt work to er's knee, had made her a prodigy of infantile sweetness and grace.

Her natural intelligence was great, even remarkable, and to de-

guages, and wrote fairly well died. The In due time the Count arrived, and to her amazement not young, not other two, Italian and German, she handsome, not proudly erect as she had left him, only four years before. would perfect later. Indeed her A changed man, indeed, outwardly, but inwardly devoured by the same had not the wherewithal to live, and evil power. He came not alone. A the brilliant education would have to of her governess. Mile. de Jon- gentleman of distinguished bearing,

"He is my best friend," whispered the Count to his daughter, "try ing to fit her pupil for the very highest station in life, as her birth like him a little, for my sake, What would not Philomena done for his sake ! entitled her to take rank with the

of voice and air, came with him.

Weeks passed. Were they happy or the reverse? In after years Philomena could never say. In them the poor child thus bringing to perfection this had had one wish, one prayer; to rerare flower, she was not and could new her father's youth, to restore his not be ignorant, that the Count was health, to bring a smile to his eyes not as interested as he should have and his lips, a smile from the heart, instead of the cold and cynical smile

that so often wrung her soul, She partially succeeded-at what a passed his time. That he was in price-by yielding to his entreaties to receive the addresses of "his best friend," and to become his wife. There came an hour when her love

and person. She knew that the settled, before the betrothal should A DAUGHTER'S HOLOCAUST,

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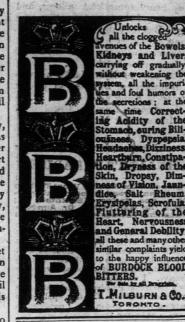
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What caused the grievous change, she asked herself? How one engages are it provided to be a secondary and solutely. Now it was that her father found courage to tell her that his own fortune was wholly gone; that he was henceforth to be

dependent on her, Philomena had suffered herself to be wooed, and promised to please him. If she had given any part of her heart to the suitor he bad declared before the invader's march. tates changing owners in a few hours,

and by the stroke of a pen, or one word of imperial command.

Alas, with what a gleam of joy did



embraced him, and with full hear thanked her God for the change she thought she saw in him.

alas, have done nothing for you.' and peaceful. "To whom do I owe these so many and so brilliant accom-

She knelt beside him, her eyes dewy with sweet tears, thinking nothing of herself at all the while, as she gaily repeated the praises (that were, in her case, no flatteries ), that she was accustomed to hear daily.

covered his face with his Lands. He was pondering in what words he should tell her that " his best friend ' had withdrawn his suit for her hand and taken his departure.

asked, a slight quiver in her voice. "Yes; he wished that everything should be settled absolutely upon you. That I should be excluded from all interest in it. Would you have wished this, my child?"

that had been her mother's and put away, as well as she could, by force of prayer, the cup that she had begun to assurance that she had done right in securing her father's happiness and welfare.

to him and the joy of being beside him compensated richly for all else. This joy was to be of short duration The count could not resign himself to home life, and even her devotion and attention began to weary himcraved the excitement th stroying him, and under ti

A few brief months of quiet passed; Mlle. de Joncourt. "The Court de the Hotel de l'Europe at Warsaw."

installed in fine apartments and wait ing their arrival impatiently. Philomena had been instructed to bring all velop it was an easy task. At the age of fourteen she spoke five lanfirst she had known since her mother castle. Her father had met with an her jewels and her wardrobe with her other "misfortune." What boots it to tell of the miserable days that followed.

> enter a convent, as she was advised music. These friends would some diplomatic appointment, or won fortune in some other way, when les-sons would no longer be needed. How Philomena pitied and admired

him for bearing such terrible reverses so bravely! It was for her sake, she

(To be continued.)

Certainly he was looking a little more like his former self. His eyes were brighter, clearer, his air less depressed, and his whole manner reminded her of the noble are be used to wear before "misfortune" had

"Philomena," he said, "you have been a good daughter to me, and I, "To whom do I owe this muchlauded education?" laughed Phi.omena, whose spirits overflowed at the thought of making his old age happy

The Count bowed his head and

"May I know why, papa?" she

Philomena went away to the room hope might contain happiness for her. Its pain was quite swallowed up in the

then a hasty message was brought to Pavlewski is ill; bring his daughter to

They found the Count convalescent,

Life was now to be begun again, and under what changed circumstances. Philomena and her father had not the wherewithal to live, and be put to profitable use. As for Mlle. courtly manners and exceeding suavity de Joncourt she would have to seek

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another situation. courage. For herself she willingly gave up all, and her joy would have been to retire from the world and to do by a relative who would give only advice to the gambler and his daughter; but she felt that she must work for her unfortunate father. Where was he to find a home? He showed no desire to settle down in any quiet spot, and try to live for her as she would fain live for him. He spoke of old friends in foreign cities whom he could visit indefinitely. The money for the journey might be obtained by the sale of Philomena's jewels and her rich wardrobe which would be henceforth useless. Mlle. de Joncourt rebelled a little at this suggestion, but was overruled, and the proceeds of the sale of these articles was handed over dutifully by Philomena to her father. Soon after he announced that he was going to visit a relative who would, no doubt, come to their assistance; in the meantime he would leave her in the care of friends who were soon going to St.

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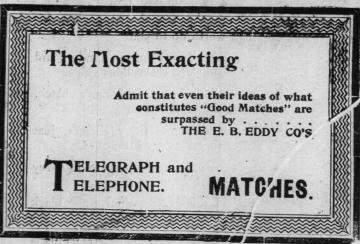
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