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CATHOLIC CALENDAR.

THURSDAY 25.—Office of the Blessed Sacrament. St. Chrysanthus and Daria, Martyrs. FRIDAY 26.—St. Evaristus, Pope and Martyr.

TUESDAY, the 8th of November, has been appointed by the Government as a day of general thanksgiving throughout the Dominion.

The Irish people want none of Mr. Moody's squeak religion, and they are giving him plain intimations that he is not wanted in the country.

A CARL despatch says that a letter from Archbishop Lynch, of Toronto, urging the stoppage of Irish emigration to Canada, was read at a meeting of the Dublin Guardians of the Poor.

The reception to Lord Lansdowne in the Ancient Capitol was a very tame affair. Outside of the ceremony of swearing in the new member, or rather intruder, for he has come where he is not wanted,

PARONESS LOUISA has been very unfortunate in her sojourn in Canada; she has received much physical injury while in the country.

GENERAL PRYOR is satisfied that O'Donnell killed Carey only in self-defence, and is confident that he can prove enough to have been the case.

MR. PARNELL has accepted an invitation from the promoters of the Parnell Testimonial Fund to attend a banquet in his honor in December, when the National Tribute will be presented to the Irish leader.

Lord COLERIDGE has received a special commendation from the National League in London for his public profession of faith in the Radical party and their politics.

The Kingston News calls the editor of London Truth 'a professional liar,' and thinks that ought to settle the truth of the story about that little difficulty between Mary Anderson and our future king.

At the International Fisheries Exhibition in England, Canada obtained some eight gold medals, and fifty silver and bronze medals.

LEAH ROSSIGNOL, Grand Master of the Orangemen of Monaghan, publicly declares that hequesth the self-restraint of Orange-

men cannot be reckoned upon, and that 'bloodshed' and 'even civil war' may be expected. Dear, oh dear! Isn't Lord Rossignol more awfully considerate to give such fair warning? Meanwhile, what is Mr. Gladstone going to do with these sons of Orange who so threaten to drink deep of their fellow creatures' blood?

The English people are said to be jubilant over the fact that John Bright has at last consented to visit America. The visit, which is reported to be fixed for next spring, will be regarded as an international event, and there is no doubt that the veteran statesman will receive an unequalled ovation on this side of the water.

A FORWARD step in favor of the temperance movement is that taken by a large manufacturing firm in Connecticut. This firm have announced to their workmen their decision to employ no more men who drink, and to discharge all drinking men in their shops.

MICHAEL DAVITT is to deliver a lecture in London on the 30th inst. Application was made to the lessees of bill boards in the metropolis to post placards announcing the lecture. The lessees refused to comply with this business demand, and thereupon our morning contemporary the Gazette dubs them 'patriotic bill-stickers.'

The largest estate ever sold in Scotland in one lot at public auction was disposed of the other day to a Mr. John Bullough, for the neat sum of a half million dollars, aside from the value of the timber thereon, which is to be paid for at a special valuation.

At the Liberal Conference held at Leeds, a resolution was adopted in favor of a redistribution of the seats of Parliament by which a true expression of the will of the nation will be secured. It was also resolved that the question of a county franchise could be no longer delayed, and that the Government should be called upon to bring in, at the next session, a bill which would settle it.

PRINCESS VICTORIA OF HESSE, grand-daughter of the Queen of England, is about to marry Prince Louis of Battenberg; but as the Prince has no fortune and is not inclined to go to work for a living, it became a question how the royal pair were going to manage to keep house. The Queen has solved the difficulty by proposing to provide the Princess with a dowry, and the Prince with an annual allowance from the national revenue.

A NOTICEABLE, if not a significant, feature of the banquet last week in honor of Sir Hector Langevin, was a palpable want of union and a complete absence of enthusiasm in response to the usual Royal toasts. When the toast of 'The Queen' was proposed, there was some hesitation before the cheering was started, and when it was set up it was neither unanimous nor very enthusiastic.

The newspaper discussion in Great Britain regarding Miss Mary Anderson's refusal to meet the Prince of Wales is not yet at an end. Some days ago the Kingston News charged Tom Pox with reproducing 'a slander' against His Royal Highness for which there was no foundation. The Liverpool Catholic Times corroborates the story and says that the Prince did seek an interview with the distinguished American actress and that she refused the proposition point-blank. For

the benefit of our Kingston contemporary we will quote the words of Miss Anderson, who, in answer to a question by a reporter, said: 'Yes, I was asked to visit the Prince of Wales, but I perfectly understand the light in which he regards actresses as a rule, and I refused. I have always maintained my dignity and self-respect, and I would not place myself in a position where I might have been compelled to forget them.'

MISS BECKA WILLIAMS, daughter of the President of the Maryland Senate, and Mr. Herbert, an Irish landlord and the owner of the Muckress estate, the largest in the South of Ireland, upon which are located the Lakes of Killarney, were to have been married the other evening, but the evening passed and there was no wedding. Miss Williams has, it is understood, \$300,000 in her own right, and this it seems was the cause of the postponement of the wedding.

It is not so certain that the Yankee would be aristocrat and funkies would have manifested so much eagerness to do honor to Lord Chief-Justice Coleridge if his Lordship had, at the beginning instead of at the close of his tour, declared himself to be a Radical. What a source of disgust and disappointment it must be to them to find out that, in feigning the Chief-Justice, they were harboring but a common Radical.

The ranks of the Mormons are swelling to an alarming extent. Some idea of the extent which the American authorities are engaged in on the Mormon question may be had from a study of the following figures: At the late Conference in Salt Lake on Saturday the statistics of the Mormon Church were presented, and showed a membership in Utah of 127,294, Idaho about 8,000, and Arizona 2,264, or nearly 135,000 souls steeped in the sin of polygamy.

A SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST THE HOME OFFICE.

A very serious charge has been made against the Home Office authorities in Downing street in connection with the O'Donnell case. On the arrival of O'Donnell in England his friends engaged a solicitor to make arrangements for his defence. Mr. Guy, the gentleman selected, at once set to work to seek an interview with his client, and for the purpose proceeded to Millbank prison. There he was informed that he could not see O'Donnell without an order from the Home Office.

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The object of all this dark and treacherous maneuvering, it is alleged, was to produce on O'Donnell's mind the impression that he was without friends, and that the best thing he could do would be to negotiate with the Government—possibly to confess that he had been commissioned to shoot Carey by Parnell or some of the other National leaders. Can it be believed, asks the Nation, that the mild and gentle Viceroy, the amiable and liberal Chief Secretary, the noble and lofty Cabinet Ministers are capable of such wickedness?

DRATH OF MR. JOHN WHELAN.

It is our painful duty to have to record the death of Mr. John Whelan, which took place on 16th inst. at his private residence in this city. The deceased gentleman, who was a retired contractor, was a very old resident of Montreal, having lived here for the past forty-three years. He was born in the town of Naas, in the County of Kildare, Ireland, in the year 1811, and was in his 73rd year when the shadow of death fell upon him.

PUTTING UP DYNAMITE JOBS.

Halifax is uneasy once more. Two dynamite jobs, respectively named Holmes and Bracken, have turned up in that city. As usual they are put down as 'Irish American cans of the dangerous class.' They were stopping at a second class hotel. On Monday night last detectives visited the hotel, and ascertaining that the two men were out, they succeeded to the room of the 'suspects,' where two valises were found 'hidden behind the bedstead.'

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THE "PROGRESSIVE SPIRIT" OF THE CHURCH.

In the last week of September there was held in New York city a Provincial Council composed of the Cardinal, Archbishops and Bishops of the Province of New York. The object of the Council was the consideration of the growth and wants of the Catholic Church and the general welfare of the faithful in the Archdiocese of New York.

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Right here is where we have to express our surprise that even a Protestant Professor of Theology should be so woefully ignorant of the doctrines and teaching of the Catholic Church as to suppose that she is just now beginning to show 'a progressive spirit.' Now, the doctrinal part of that pastoral, which Mr. Hopkins so much admired, is as old as the beginning of Christianity and exactly coeval with the age of the Church. There is nothing new or 'progressive' in it; in so far as it is doctrinal it is identical with the teaching of the Church since its foundation.

she was eighteen centuries ago. Now, as then, she is the sole depository of God's unerring message to man, the defender of the truth, the guardian of society, the beacon-light placed upon a mountain, illuminating and 'enlightening every man that cometh into the world.' Sustained by the infallible promise of her Divine Founder, she can neither er herself nor teach error to others.

THE TORY PRESS ON THE COMING OF LANSDOWNE.

Even the Canadian Tory press are divided in their opinions of the coming successor of the Marquis of Lorne. Their sentiments of loyalty are by no means alike, and their appreciation of the usefulness of Lansdowne varies considerably. Thus we find the Toronto News, an evening edition of the ultra Tory Mail, the accepted organ of the Federal Government, giving vent to the following: 'The departure of the Marquis of Lansdowne,' says the News, 'to become a pensioner on Canada, affords the London Times and Standard an opportunity of eulogizing Canada and Canadian loyalty; Canada, presumably, because it affords an official asylum for impetuous lords, and Canadians because they are proud to be ruled by any kind of a lord of any kind of a price.'

It is some days since that article has been written, and we have not yet seen any attempt to disavow the 'disloyal' spirit that runs through it or to denounce the News as 'malicious' and 'rabid' sheet for publishing it. But listen to the gentle cooling of the smooth-tongued Gazette. It exclaims: 'Welcome! This day the new Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada is expected to set foot at Quebec. He will receive a cordial greeting both in his representative capacity and on personal grounds.

The Gazette may ask for a cordial greeting to Lansdowne in his representative capacity, but on personal grounds it has no right whatever to demand the feeblest tribute. If Lansdowne's claim to the respect of a large section of the Canadian people was based on personal grounds alone, he would have to forfeit it instantly; for his character, his public dealing, and his private relations with the Irish people are such as cannot stand the light of investigation, as the eminent statesman and lawyer, Mr. Charles Russell, Q. C., M.P. has unwillingly but abundantly proved.

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THE "DAILY WITNESS" AND THE INQUIRY.

What pious hypocrites do not like they try to revile and condemn. Now the Montreal Daily Witness, as is well and commonly known, has no special liking for the Church, in fact it entertains for her an almost cordial detestation, so that it comes very easy and natural to our pious contemporary to see the Church very grave injustice by having undue recourse to misrepresentation and scandal. Of course the shafts of the Daily Witness will do her neither extensive nor permanent harm. What it has to say against



THE DEATH OF CAREY.

Personal Narrative of O'Donnell.

GRAPHIC PICTURE OF THE SCENE.

The Central News has been allowed to transcribe from documents now in the possession of O'Donnell's friends the whole story of the tragedy on board the SS. Melrose...

I think the Kinsins people knew this before we got to the Cape. "You went ashore with him at Capetown?" "Oh, yes, and my wife and some of his children..."

tell you I never touched a pistol till I saw my life in danger from a villain that had taken many a life before." "Did Mrs. Carey come up to you?" "She did, and I was sorry for her, and I tell you I was sorry for the children. I took her hand and said, 'Mrs. Carey, I had to do it in self-defence; I didn't do it otherwise.'"

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IRISH AFFAIRS

Police Inspector French, of Dublin, sees United Ireland for damages for the publication of a statement that he absconded with money belonging to the Secret Service Fund.

At the meeting of the Dublin Guardians of the Poor, Oct. 18th, a letter from the Archbishop of Toronto was read, urging the stoppage of Irish emigration to Canada.

The threatened trouble between the Orangemen and National Leaguers, on the occasion of their rival meetings at Roselle, did not occur.

Previous to Mr. Sullivan's application for the postponement of the trial, on Oct. 19, O'Donnell was brought into court, and in response to a question of the Judge as to the charge of murder preferred against him pleaded not guilty in a careless and indifferent manner.

General Roger A. Pryor, O'Donnell's American counsel, is present in court to-day and was seated in the rear of the junior counsel's seat.

At a meeting of the Crofters' Commission, held in Glasgow on the 19th inst., Mr. Graham, emigration agent for the Dominion of Canada, stated that it was the desire of the Dominion authorities that all Government assisted emigrating crofters should be sent to the northwestern portion of the Dominion.

Lord Rossmore, Grand Master of the Order of Monaghan, writes to the London newspapers calling attention to the serious state of affairs in Ulster.

Mr. Parnell has accepted an invitation from the promoters of the Parnell Memorial Fund to attend a banquet in his honor in December.

A number of Irish League meetings, announced to be held in the county Cork have been prohibited by the authorities.

and ascertaining that the strangers were out, visited their room, where two valises were found hidden behind the bedstead.

A copy of the Irish World purchased in the city, and about twelve dollars in money. No weapon was found on Bracken, but after his arrest the keeper of the bar in which he was arrested gave the police a revolver that had been left with him.

A city watchmaker says that connected with them was machinery for causing explosions. One of the weapons found on Holmes, on being discharged at one end of a wire will ignite a fuse at the other end, and thus explode any dynamite with which it would be connected.

They are evidently Irish-Americans of the dangerous class. Neither would admit, when arrested, they knew each other.

HALIFAX, N.S., Oct. 19.—Since the arrest of Holmes and Bracken the British warships in port are more carefully guarded from any prospect of operations that might be directed on the coast.

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BANK DIVIDENDS TODAY. MONDAY, OCTOBER 23. THE BANKERS have commenced to declare their dividends, which is the proper thing for them to do at this season of the year.

COMMERCIAL. WEEKLY REVIEW—WHOLESALE MARKETS. Since our last, many dark clouds, which overshadowed the commercial horizon, have not only passed away, but there is less uneasiness apparent.

MONTEREAL CATTLE MARKET. The market for export cattle is firm at 5 to 5 1/2. Export sheep sold at slightly stronger prices at 4 to 6 for the best.

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