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After-the-War News

COPENHAGEN, Nov. 24. — The Vatican has officially recognised the republic of Austria, according to a dispatch from Vienna today.

ATHENS, Nov. 24. — Plotters arrested following the discovery of a conspiracy to assassinate Premier Venizelos, overthrow the present regime and re-establish King Constantine on the throne, have made full confessions, according to the authorities. They were formerly officers under King Constantine, and will be tried before courtmartial.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24. — Bolshevik shell fire and explosions wrought havoc in Omsk, Siberia, which has just been evacuated by Kolchak forces. Street fighting occurred after the bombardment and many of the wealthier citizens fled to nearby villages, but about 8000 people, families of officers, who were on trains leaving Omsk, were reported taken prisoners by the Bolsheviks. As thousands are without food or homes and winter has set in, great suffering is predicted.

LONDON, Nov. 24. — Continued advances against General Denikine and Admiral Kolchak's forces are claimed in a Russian soviet communique received by wireless today. The Bolsheviks are fast approaching Tsaritzyn, on the lower Volga.

LONDON, Nov. 24. — Lettish forces succeeded in capturing Mitau from Russo-German forces, Nov. 21, after desperate fighting.

REVAL, Nov. 25. — The Baltic states alliance is a fact, and will be publicly declared when the governments which participated in the negotiations at Dorpat have ratified the preliminary agreement.

VIENNA, Nov. 25. — The armistice between General Denikine and the Galician-Ukrainian army has been annulled in consequence of the discovery that General Tarnowsky had treacherously negotiated behind Petlura's back. Tarnowsky and his associates have been arrested and will be courtmartialled.

LONDON, Nov. 25. — The British government expects the trial of former Emperor William of Germany to begin in London early in the new year, and is completing the necessary arrangements, says the Mail. As soon as the allies have ratified the peace treaty, a united request for the surrender of the erstwhile emperor will be presented to Holland.

LONDON, Nov. 26. — Immediate admission of Germany to the league of nations was forecast semi-officially today, when the league's secretariat indicated a motion to that effect would be introduced at the initial session in Paris next week.

REVAL, Nov. 26. — The Russian northwestern army under General Yudenitch, which attempted to capture Petrograd, has virtually gone out of existence, was the statement of Col. Rink of the Estonian army, who returned from the Narva front. General Yudenitch and his staff lost all

connection with the army, which was left to its fate, unable to resist the Bolshevik attacks. The troops retired in disorder and sought protection on Estonian territory. Part of the Russian troops with 10,000 refugees have settled south of Narva. Four of the Russian divisions which retreated from Yamburg to Narva are now organized under General Tonison, the Estonian chief, and are protecting the positions below Narva. The critical position of the Russian troops was caused by the incompetence of the Russian chief command.

LONDON, Nov. 26. — A wireless message from Berlin gives the text of a stern note sent by M. Clemenceau, president of the peace conference, to the chairman of the German delegation to Versailles, refusing to defiate from the terms of the peace treaty in favor of German prisoners who are employed in the work of reconstruction in devastated northern France. Referring to the treatment meted out to the populations of this district under the German occupation, M. Clemenceau is quoted as saying: "The deepest sentiments of the human heart have been so cruelly injured that French public opinion can not agree to grant the favor you request." The note sets forth that Germany delayed the performance of the armistice terms, and instances the sinking of the German warships in Scapa Flow, the delay in the delivery of German vessels, Germany's Baltic policy and the anti-Entente propaganda in Alsace and the world at large, and declares: "We owe nothing to Germany except the precise fulfilment of the provisions of the peace treaty accepted by Germany."

LONDON, Nov. 27. — Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria has been placarded as candidate for the presidency of Bavaria in the elections to be held in February or March, according to a Berlin dispatch.

ROME, Nov. 27. — The Socialist organ Avanti warns the government that Gabrielle d'Annunzio is preparing a surprise descent on Trieste, saying that he abandoned his original intention of effecting a landing at Ancona, but recently sent emissaries to sound local officers at Trieste, giving ground for the belief that the poet is attempting the establishment there of a militarist government.

LONDON, Nov. 27. — Italian advices today indicated that Premier Nitti and Gabrielle d'Annunzio have reached a tentative compromise which may result in settlement of the situation created by the poet's occupation of Fiume and Zara. The proposition includes a "dignified withdrawal" of the poet's forces.

PARIS, Nov. 27. — The Jugoslav delegation has sent a note to the supreme council calling attention to the serious troubles all around the Adriatic and saying that the situation may so develop as to oblige Jugo-Slavia to take military measures to prevent further encroachments.

PARIS, Nov. 27. — Forces of the West Russian government, under

command of Colonel Avaloff-Bermond, have been completely defeated by the Lithuanians, according to advices received from Kovno.

PARIS, Nov. 28. — The Supreme Council today adopted the British suggestion for partition of the German war fleet. Under the arrangement Great Britain will receive 70 per cent. of the total tonnage, France ten per cent, Italy ten per cent, Japan eight, and the United States two per cent.

BERLIN, Nov. 28. — The Lettish government has recalled its diplomatic representative from Berlin, and in view of the attack of Col. Bermond's troops, Lettvia regards herself in a state of war with Germany, according to semi-official sources here.

BERLIN, Nov. 28. — It is stated in authoritative quarters here that Germany will not comply with the demand for 400,000 tons of docks, dredges and tugs as an offset to the German warships sunk at Scapa Flow. It was indicated that Germany would stand pat on her proposition to refer the dispute to the Hague tribunal. It is claimed that Germany should not be held responsible for the acts of the marine forces at Scapa Flow.

PARIS, Nov. 28. — The German delegation today delivered two notes to Paul Dutasta, secretary of the peace conference. One relates to the replacement of German warships sunk by their crews in Scapa Flow and the other to the repatriation of German prisoners.

LONDON, Nov. 28. — An official statement from the Soviet government indicates that most severe fighting is in progress on the Volga front, where the Bolsheviks have captured Dubovka, 180 miles south-southwest of Saratov, with eight hundred prisoners. The statement claims that the Bolsheviks have annihilated three regiments of the forces of General Denikine. The advance of the Bolsheviks continues rapidly in the Omsk region where they are approaching the western shores of Lake Chany, capturing Tatarskaya, 100 miles east of Omsk, with 1,500 prisoners. General Denikine's statement today admits that the Bolshevik advance in the direction of Astrakhan has caused him to retire considerably.

LONDON, Nov. 29. — The Estonian government has announced that peace negotiations with Soviet Russia will be begun at Dorpat on Tuesday, Dec. 2, according to a wireless despatch from Moscow today. The soviet delegates, it is stated, will cross the frontier in the neighborhood of Pskov.

PARIS, Nov. 28. — A movement looking to the establishment of a republic in Roumania, which is under the direction of Gen. Fioza Aversco, former minister of war, and Take Jonescu, former minister without portfolio, has spread to Bessarabia, Transylvania and Bukowina, according to a Bucharest despatch to the Oeuve. The situation is said to be alarming for the dynasty.

Canadian News

Saskatchewan

REGINA.—The third session of the fourth legislature of the province of Saskatchewan was opened Nov. 27, by Lt.-Governor Sir Richard Lake before crowded galleries. Geo. A. Scott, member for Arm River since 1905; was elected speaker. Mrs. M. O. Ramsland, Pelly; C. M. Hamilton, Weyburn, and W. H. Harvey, Kindersley, 3 new members, were introduced, and took their seats, having been elected at recent bye-elections. The speech from the throne indicated that new measures would be introduced in connection with the temperance question; education, providing among other things for night classes and teachers' residences; proportional representation in urban municipalities; enlargement of powers of rural municipal councils. Reference was also made to ways and means for the province reaping a share of the benefit of renewed industrial activity, the speech saying that the government felt steps should be taken to acquire greater knowledge of the extent and value of the natural resources of the province, and towards securing their development. Promise was also given in the speech from the throne that a measure dealing with the water supply plan for the people in the area between the South Saskatchewan River and the cities of Moose Jaw and Regina would be submitted, and that the situation existing between the provincial and Dominion governments in connection with tariff reform, natural resources and other matters would be taken up.

—On his journey across Canada the Admiral of the British Fleet, Viscount and Lady Jellicoe were the distinguished guests at the government buildings on Nov. 22.

—The city medical health officer is strongly urging upon all citizens the advisability of protecting themselves and their families from the risk of small-pox by the use of vaccination, in view of the fact that the disease is prevalent in some sections of the country.

SASKATOON.—Moose Jaw was selected as the scene of next year's convention of the School Trustees Association of Saskatchewan, according to the decision reached at the meeting of the executive at Saskatoon. Feb. 25, 26, and 27th was fixed as the date of the conference.

VEREGIN.—There was a fire on Nov. 26, at the Doukhobor community settlement. The store and community houses were destroyed and a loss of over \$25,000 suffered. The block was a brick and concrete structure, and the blaze started through stove pipes from the kitchen becoming overheated. Lost in the cellar were two cars of apples, two of potatoes, one of cabbage and one of jam. Some of the stock from the store and some of the contents of the houses were saved.

Alberta

CALGARY.—The first fatal case of sleeping sickness was reported here Nov. 25, when Dr. Rae, a local dentist, who fell ill five days ago, and has been unconscious ever since, succumbed to the mysterious malady. Four cases in all have been reported.

Manitoba

WINNIPEG.—No new cases of sleeping sickness were reported in Winnipeg of late, and physicians declare that a pronounced spreading of the disease is not anticipated. Dr. Gordon Bell said that the report from Toronto that sleeping sickness had been carried there from Winnipeg was probably correct. He said that it was an infectious disease. Dr. Bell said the disease was pretty well stamped out in Winnipeg, but several cases had occurred recently in the province.

—The wholesale price of potatoes here is \$1.90 per bushel. Wholesalers predict that before Christmas the \$2 mark will be reached. A year ago the price was 85c per bushel. The early frost in Manitoba and the west caught millions of bushels in the ground and to this is attributed the jump in prices.

—A serious outbreak of hemorrhagic septicemia is reported among cattle, horses, and sheep along the western border of the province, and so acute and general has the disease become that it is causing considerable anxiety among the livestock men in the parts affected. Owing to it being confused with blackleg, the malady has had an opportunity of gaining much headway. It is thought it may be a sort of offshoot of hog cholera which has been virulent in the United States, or a form of disease which first broke out among the buffalo in the National park and which caused the wholesale vaccination of the buffalo.

LE PAS.—Reports indicating that wolves are growing both numerous and bold are coming in from various localities. In the Grand Rapids country, Jos. Sinclair shot a moose and was about to cut up the animal, when a pack of 50 wolves, attracted by the smell of the blood, interrupted operations. Sinclair climbed a tree and used up his remaining few bullets. The wolves scattered in a circle and sitting on their haunches at a short distance and waited events. Another pack, numbering about 30 animals, arrived on the scene and in the general fight between the two factions which followed, Sinclair made his escape. A dog train from Nelson House was pursued by a wolf-pack for days, forcing the dog driver to spend sleepless nights to protect his life and property. At Herb Lake a pack of thirty-five was seen on the trail of moose and trappers gave chase and got seven of them. At Spirit Lake the Indians report they have killed sixty on the outskirts of The Pas, small packs of eight to sixteen have been seen. The Indians and old-time trappers

believe that the presence of so many wolves, close to the settlements, indicates a long and bitter cold winter in the north. For the first time since 1915, ptarmigan are seen about, and this is accepted as a sign of extremely cold weather. In 1915, the thermometer went down to 54 below zero, and the weather throughout that winter was severe.

Ontario

OTTAWA.—Unless severe weather upsets the present expectations the Canadian government merchant marine fleet will number 23 vessels before the end of the present year, according to Alex Johnson, deputy minister of marine. It is hoped that sufficient vessels to bring the total to the above number will have been delivered before the end of next month.

—During the present year legislators drew in salaries for their sessional duties at Ottawa nearly \$1,800,000, exclusive of the yearly salaries drawn by the 20 odd ministers of the crown, which, at \$7,000 each would increase the total by about \$140,000. Nor does it include the \$10,000 a year salary of the prime minister and the two sessional allowances of the leader of the opposition, D. D. McKenzie, of \$7,000. Private members are entitled to sessional indemnities of \$2,500 a session, when such session goes the full 30 days. They are doctored for absence excepting for illness or beyond the number of days' absence permitted, but most of them drew the full amount. Each member and senator therefore drew \$5,000 for his services during the year. Ministers are also entitled to \$2,500 a session as representative of their constituencies. This year, therefore, each minister drew a total of \$12,500 for his services to the country. The prime minister drew \$15,000.

TORONTO.—One of the patients whose illness is positively attributed to "sleeping sickness," is well on the way to recovery. The other, Miss Laura Dale, was reported as showing signs of consciousness. Both of these latter have been vaccinated, but the fact that neither of those who succumbed to the malady had been subjected to vaccination is regarded that vaccine virus is not at the root of the trouble.

FORT WILLIAM.—Two cases suspected of sleeping sickness are under observation here, one in the hospital and the other in a private home.

STRATFORD.—The first death from sleeping sickness in this district occurred at Shakespeare when Hiram Gabel, aged 28, passed away after sleeping for nineteen days.

Nova Scotia

HALIFAX.—H. M. S. Renown, with H.R.H., the Prince of Wales, on board, sailed for England at 3.15 Nov. 25th.

\$12,000,000 was paid to Victory Bond holders on Dec. 1st. Why not buy War Savings Stamps with your coupons?

A Matter of Dollars and Cents

BY GEORGE BARTON
IN BENZIGER'S MAGAZINE

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While these things were going on, Francis Bassett contrived to make a number of calls upon Helen Gaskill. Ostensibly it was to consult her about the progress of the campaign for increasing the circulation of the *Clarion*. As a matter of fact, he was showing a growing tenderness that caused Helen to become unaccountably shy.

"I'm a Protestant of the Protestants," he told her one evening, "but I would be false to myself if I did not tell you how much I admire your courage and boldness in this business. I know that you are inspired by your love of the faith, and I'm sure there must be something in a religion which is capable of inspiring such devotion."

"Yes," she added mischievously, "and of adding so materially to the circulation of the *Clarion*."

He became grave at that allusion. "Miss Gaskill," he said softly, "I wanted very much to make the *Clarion* the one big newspaper of Burlington, but I would feel that my work had been an utter failure if you thought I was prompted by merely mercenary motives—that I was in for dollars and cents."

"I never had such a thought," she retorted quickly. "I believe that you have been sincere, and I am sure you will give me credit for equal honesty—that I have made my fight against Stoneman according to the rules."

Two months more passed, and then Helen felt that it was time to play her final card. Department store advertising is a big factor in modern journalism. The largest establishment in Burlington was conducted with conspicuous success by Adam Hemingway. He had a page "ad" in the *Banner* every day in the week. It was the backbone of the advertising patronage of that newspaper. It meant not only revenue but circulation, because the "ad" attracted a certain number of women readers who looked upon it as real news—quite as important in its way as the other happenings of city life. Hemingway had never advertised in the *Clarion*. It was his rule to use only one paper, and although he felt that the *Banner* had lost much circulation, he imagined that it was still the leading paper in town. It was for Helen Gaskill to bring disillusionment.

One Monday morning Hemingway received letters from three of his charge customers instructing him to close their accounts. The next day four similar letters reached his store. Before the week ended twenty customers had quit in the same manner. This was too much for the shrewd business man. He started an investigation, and the reports he received opened his eyes. In almost every case he was told that his old customers would no longer read the bigoted *Banner*, and as that was the only newspaper in which his advertisement was printed they should have to quit dealing with him. He did not act immediately. He was the kind of man who wants to be sure that he is right and then proceeds to carry out his plans. He had no religion of his own and had only casually noticed the articles in the *Banner*. They had not affected him in the least in one way or the other. But now he realized that they had been highly objectionable to hundreds of his customers. That affected him very deeply. Next he made a quiet inquiry into the circulation of the *Banner*, and that convinced him that it was time to desert the sinking journalistic ship. Two weeks later his page "ad" appeared in the *Clarion* and disappeared from the columns of the *Banner*. Stone-

man called on him in a state of distress.

"I don't mind your advertising in the *Clarion*, but can't you give half of your business to the *Banner*—at least for the sake of old times?"

Hemingway fixed his cold, gray eyes on Carson Stoneman.

"You know very well that it is my fixed and unalterable policy to advertise in only one paper in Burlington, and that the paper with the larger circulation."

"But," pleaded the other, "you've been with us for so many years—I thought possibly as a matter of friendship..."

"Stoneman," interrupted the other harshly, "there's no sentiment about business. It's a matter of dollars and cents with me."

The editor and publisher of the *Banner* shivered as he listened to the very phrase he had employed in his talk with Helen Gaskill. It was as though Hemingway had doused him with a bucket of ice-cold water.

"Then—then there is nothing more to be said?"

"Nothing," exclaimed the other, with an abrupt gesture of dismissal. "You've made a bally fool of yourself, and I have a constitutional objection to doing business with fools."

This was the last straw that broke down the already overburdened back of the *Banner*. The expected happened. It lost more circulation and advertising, too. The gain of the Hemingway page "ad" placed the *Clarion* on the top wave of prosperity. All of the lesser advertisers hurried to follow the lead of Hemingway and to place their notices in the *Clarion*. Francis Bassett increased his rates, and the circulation of the *Clarion* increased to such an extent that he was compelled to put in new presses. It was a repetition of the old adage that "nothing succeeds like success."

No politician suddenly hurled from office feels any more lonely and friendless than the editor and publisher of an influential daily newspaper who has lost his power and importance. Carson Stoneman was a bad loser, and that did not help the declining fortunes of the *Banner*. He became surly and disagreeable, and even the handful of fanatics who had egged him on in his suicidal policy, now deserted him in his hour of need. A more courageous man would have made a better fight for life. The *Banner* continued, it is true, but it lacked gumption and no one cared what it said. Six months after the loss of the Hemingway "ad" the familiar official yellow poster on the front of the building announced that the *Banner* was in the hands of the sheriff. In two years it had passed from prosperity to bankruptcy, and it gave up the ghost without a struggle. It did not actually die—newspapers hardly ever do—and it was re-incarnated under a new title and became an evening appendage of the morning *Clarion*.

Early one morning Carson Stoneman left Burlington—unhonored, unmourned and unsung. The beckoning finger of Opportunity had called him to the editorship of a slimy weekly, whose chief writer had committed suicide. That same night Francis Bassett called at the home of Helen Gaskill. He was strangely quiet for a time and then he took her hand tenderly.

"Helen," he whispered, "you have been the best circulation manager and the wisest editorial advisor the *Clarion* has ever known. I—I want you to manage me—and the paper always."

She flushed and turned her face away.

"Don't you think," she murmured, "that you would be happy with some one of your own faith?"

"I am sure of it," he retorted, "that's why I want you."

She stared at him with wide open eyes.

He laughed jovially.

"Don't look so incredulous. Father Skelly has had me under instruction for three months, and I'm to be received into the Church to-morrow. You can thank Carson Stoneman. His attacks started me investigating and I've discovered the truth. That's all!"

The tears were glistening in her eyes, but there was a teasing smile on her lips.

"Then it's not a matter of dollars and cents with you?"

"Far from it," he cried heartily, "I want you for yourself alone, and some day in the future we'll sit down and collaborate in writing the story of 'The Bigot and the Boomerang!'"

Light In The Darkness.

Dennis Scott sat in the shadow of the wings awaiting his call. It was his last rehearsal, and to-morrow night he was to make his debut. He sat straight up, with his hands resting on the violin which lay across his knees, his lips slightly parted and his cheeks flushed with excitement. A woman with a deep contralto voice was singing on the stage, but he, instead of listening to her, was building castles in the air and dreaming dreams of future fame and glory. Then the voice on the stage grew fainter and softer, leaving the last sweet note still quivering in the air. Scott heard the deep breath from the little audience in the wings, thinking with pride that his applause would be still more enthusiastic.

It was his turn at length, and he slowly walked to the stage with his violin under his arm, and the flush still on his cheek and brow, for, after all, this little audience of artists were better critics than a whole houseful of fashionably-dressed people to whom he would play in a few hours.

Dennis Scott was of medium stature and slight, with fair hair, combed straight back from the high forehead. His eyes were dreamy and his mouth tender, his hands long and thin. His shoulders drooped slightly as he bent his head caressingly over his violin. Then the strains of music trembled over the shadowy, empty theatre, and the musician closed his eyes and swayed slightly as he lost himself in a land of music. After a while his eyes slowly opened, and in them there was a look of great wonder and—was it?—pain. His frame stiffened and he played on and on, regardless of time and auditors, only striving with all his power and might to put a soul, a heart into the wonderful playing—but in vain. At last his muscles relaxed, the hand holding the violin dropped to his side, and he stood, the flush gone from his face, cold and white as marble. Something hard clutched at his heart and then rose to his throat, and he staggered slightly as he crossed the stage. The congratulations of his fellow-musicians sounded far-off to him, and he knew that in them was missing the true ring of praise which they had given to the contralto. He was still staggering slightly as he went to his dressing-room. Light had dawned on him, and he knew that in his playing there was one thing lacking, and that thing was true genius.

As he picked up the violin to return it to its case, he hesitated a moment whether to break it into a thousand pieces—but no, after all, it had been his lifelong companion and friend, and he would never, never play it again. He had dreamed wonderful dreams. The last hour had seen them come to naught, and now he must go home and fight out the battle and

the terrible disappointment by himself.

He opened the stage door and walked slowly out into the street, still staggering with the weight of his new cross. He had been walking almost in a dream, but suddenly he realized that the streets were empty and that it was very dark even for late afternoon. The air was heavy and humid, but there was no rain; and soon crash after crash of thunder followed streak after streak of lightning. He hurried along; sometimes running, sometimes walking swiftly, and looking up and down the empty streets in vain hope of seeing a cab. Then he started for a stand a few doors distant, when suddenly a blazing, glaring bar of light crossed right in front of his eyes, it seemed, and then he felt as though burning torches had been thrust into them. A terrible deafening crash sounded in his ears, and it still seemed as though the awful fire was in his eyes. Afar off he heard a low, intense voice, full of terrible pain, say "God!" and he wondered vaguely if it were his own—then darkness.

Dennis Scott came to consciousness in his own room, and all around was intense darkness, although he heard voices in the room—lowered voices. He felt a peculiar sensation in his eyes, and he put his hand to them, only to feel a heavy bandage. He half sat up in bed. "Where am I, and what is the matter with my eyes?" he demanded of the unknown voices. Someone swiftly crossed the room and knelt by his bedside, gently pushing him back among the pillows. "Please be quiet for a while, Mr. Scott, and I will try to tell you everything," said a sweet voice, and he looked surprised, for he knew few women, and none who would come to him there.

"I am a Sister of Charity," the voice went on, checking his surprised exclamation, "and the doctors have asked me to tell you of—what has—happened. Mr. Scott, you were coming home from the theatre and you were struck by lightning. Do you remember anything?" He nodded grimly. "You may thank God that He has spared your life and—"

The voice faltered and almost broke, and then went on bravely: "Mr. Scott, do you think you can bear a great, a very, very great shock?"

Something like a prayer surged through Dennis Scott's soul, and he nodded again.

"Your life is spared, but you are"—her voice choked and blinding tears came to her eyes, but she clasped her crucifix tightly and her lips moved in prayer. It was so hard. "You are—blind for—life."

Again she pressed the crucifix to her lips and prayed for strength for him to bear it, and for her to keep from breaking down altogether and sobbing.

His knuckles grew white as he grasped the coverlet, and there were hard white lines around his mouth, but he managed to say: "Thank you Sister. You must not mind so much, and may I be alone for a while?"

She slowly left the room, looking back at him sadly as she went through the door. He was still in the same position, every nerve strained, until he heard the door close softly. Then he lay quite still and tried to realize the terrible truth. Never, never to see light again, to be helpless and dependent until his death. Ah, God! he wished that he could die now. It was too much, too much to bear. What had he done to deserve this terrible punishment? Then he tossed restlessly and moaned softly, and at last flung

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his arms up over his face, and the great, racking sobs of a man shook his whole frame, coming from his very soul. It was a relief, and soon he was still again, lying like one dead, cold and white. A light had come to him and down in the deep recesses of his heart he heard a voice say, "Take up thy cross and follow Me."

At midnight Dennis Scott awoke from a long sleep. Carefully he crawled out of his bed and felt around until he found his dressing gown and slippers. Then he groped his way slowly over to the window. He knew every place in the room instinctively. This perpetual darkness was fearful. He could not bear it. Why had not God in his goodness permitted him to die, instead of forcing upon him a life of helplessness and uselessness?

"My God, what have I done," his soul cried out, "that at one stroke Thou shouldst take away my genius and my sight? It is too much."

And then again that voice in sweet command: "Take up thy cross and follow Me."

He opened the window to let the night air cool his throbbing, burning brow. Above him, he knew, were myriads of stars, and below and beyond there was the ceaseless hum of the great city even at that midnight hour. Afar off he heard a clock strike twelve. A great heavy sigh came from his heart, for he knew not whether it was night or day. He threw out his arms in helpless misery and swayed, and his hand fell upon the violin-case, which had lain on the broad window-sill ever since that eventful day. He opened the case and drew out the instrument, and almost by mere force of habit laid it caressingly under his chin. A strain of music, like a low wail from a human soul trembled and quivered out into the night. He played on and on, oblivious of his sorrow, of everything, only seeking this expression, now softly and sweetly, now passionately, his soul rising higher and higher on wings of music and finding infinite peace. His very soul, his heart, his whole being was absorbed in the marvelous playing. Oblivious of all things, he played on, never stopping until physical weakness overcame him and checked the flight of his soul, bringing him back to earth and realities. The playing ceased, the violin dropped from his hand, and he grasped the edge of the window-sill to steady his swaying form. A great, beautiful light had broken upon him, and he knew that at last he had awakened; that his playing was that of a genius, and that beyond there, where he heard the mighty murmur of the city, there were worlds which he could conquer even now, and thousands of lives which he could make happy by causing them to forget their cares and troubles in musics divine language.

And sinking to his knees, he raised his sightless eyes to heaven and begged God from his heart to forgive him for his unjust thoughts, and thanked Him for lightening the heavy load of his cross by giving him this wonderful gift, and showing him that true genius was not meant to bring fame and glory, which he had wanted at first, but to help other souls on their life journeys. It had been a hard, hard lesson, but at last he was ready to take up his lightened cross with willing hands, and to climb the rocky path of life which his Master had laid out for him.

—The mind which does not wholly sink under misfortune, rises above it more lofty than before.

God takes especial delight in the humility of a man who believes that he has not yet begun to do any good. —ST. PHILIP NERI.

Canadian News

Alberta
—That the Alberta mines were losing the Manitoba market through poor railway service, was the statement made by operators of the Drumheller field to the coal commission. Shortage of cars, long delays in delivery, and other reasons were given for the fact that the Manitoba market, gained during the last year of the war, was slipping away. Evidence was concentrated on the car question, which was stated by operation to be very serious and causing the mines a good deal of loss in production.

Manitoba
WINNIPEG.—One more death from sleeping sickness reported on Nov. 19th brings the total of fatal terminations of this malady in Winnipeg to five. A man 19 years old died the day previous as a result of an attack of the malady. Twenty-one cases of the disease have developed since it was first discovered in the city. W. T. J. Watt, of the civic health department, said today that the disease is not spreading so as to cause alarm.

—According to official figures recently made public by the department of agriculture, about 2,000,000 bushels of potatoes have been frozen in the ground, meaning the loss of about \$1,000,000. The estimated yield this year was only 5,000,000 bushels, or 2,000,000 less than last year.

Ontario
OTTAWA.—The deportation, or as it is euphemistically termed by the authorities the "repatriation" of the enemy aliens held prisoner of war in Canadian camps during the past few years is now almost complete. Over 2000 Germans and Austrians have already been sent home via Holland or other neutral countries. A small batch of about 250 still remain to be sent to their fatherlands. These are mostly at Kapuskasing. Most of them take away a comfortable pittance since they have been receiving 25 cents a day while employed in the camps. They will leave behind several well cleared and highly cultivated areas of land in New Ontario and elsewhere, which will be used for experimental farm purposes and a nucleus for further settlement in these regions.

TORONTO.—The grand total of the Victory loan of the Dominion of Canada is \$673,199,170, made up as follows: Ontario \$354,624,500; Quebec \$161,102,200; British Columbia \$35,000,000; Alberta \$16,181,090; Saskatchewan \$20,000,000; Manitoba \$40,452,000; New Brunswick \$14,750,000; Nova Scotia \$28,000,000; Prince Edward Island \$3,000,000.

—Premier Drury expressed himself in favor of the Ontario government making application to the Dominion government for a referendum on the question of importation of liquor into the province of Ontario.

—Toronto's Chinese colony was invaded on Nov. 17th at night by a howling mob of 600 young hoodlums, who set out to wreck all of the Chinese stores and restaurants. There were only a few in the crowd wearing returned soldiers buttons. The good work of the police saved the situation, and although it was necessary for the policemen to draw their batons, no person was seriously injured. (If Mr. Hocken were as zealous in teaching the young folks of Toronto civilization, justice and good manners as he is ready to attack the schools of Saskatchewan of which he knows nothing, he might be of some use for his district, but the old saying still remains true: It is easier to criticize than to do. —Ed.)

Fifteen Years Ago

From No. 42 of St. Peters Bote
A correspondent from Muenster under date of Nov. 26, describes a trip on the new railroad as far as Clark's Crossing. Of Humboldt he says that the principal side track is 4,800 ft. long. There are also a number of shorter side-tracks filled with freight cars, loaded with material to be used in the construction of the road further west. The round house, which is nearly completed, will have room for about six locomotives. No depot has as yet been erected, an old car serving as such, for the present. The agent climbs up on a ladder to get to the office. In Humboldt there are two lumber yards, and two hardware stores; one general store, erected by Mr. Haskamp, and a restaurant conducted by Mr. Rath. These buildings are not large; for the exact site of the town has not yet been surveyed. A water tank has been erected about a mile east of the place. It took about an hour to fill a locomotive. A ditch eight feet deep has been dug for the pipes which are to bring the water from a small lake 1½ miles from town. The correspondent remarks that all railroaders seem to be in the habit of cursing and swearing. —At St. Bruno a fine depot is being built. A store, put up during the summer by the Smith Bros. is occasionally used for holding religious services. St. Bruno promises to become quite a town. The rails are laid 25 miles west of the Regina-Prince Albert line, up to the North Saskatchewan river.

Father Prior Alfred announces to the readers of the paper that it will not be possible to publish the paper at Muenster after New Year as planned, because the new railroad does not intend to carry any mail until next spring or summer. A Benedictine priest however will take up his residence in Winnipeg after New Year and take over the management of the paper.

Rostern reports on the third of Dec., that on the last day of Nov., it was 20 below zero and that it has been just as cold the past few days. To-day it is warmer, but snow is falling. The river is frozen over so that last week the mail could be taken out to the Colony.

ADDENDA:
There is only one copy of this issue of the paper on file in the office. If you should have No. 42 of the year 1904 among your old papers, and should not intend to bind them, we would be pleased to have you send it to us.

HELSINGFORS, Finland.—The Finnish Government has nominated Father Christirson, a Catholic priest, to be Finnish Ambassador to the Holy See. Very shortly after Finland had declared its independence the new government begged the Pope to open diplomatic relations and to extend his recognition to the new Republic, which the Pope very willingly did. The result is that owing to this understanding Catholic interests in Finland are well protected. The number of Catholics in Finland is not very great. The center of Catholic activity is at Helsingfors, where there is a very fine church. The new Ambassador comes from the city of Helsingfors. When the Bolshevik regime came into power in Russia, it laid hands on a great deal of Catholic Church property in Finland, which it conveyed to Petrograd, where it still remains. Ecclesiastically Finland comes under the jurisdiction of the Apostolic Vicariate of Sweden. Msgr. Ratti, the Nuncio in Warsaw, has received a mission to visit all the Catholic parishes in Finland.

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Table with 2 columns: FASTS OF OBLIGATION and ECLIPSES. Lists dates for Ember Days, Lent, and astronomical events like the sun and moon eclipses.

Religious News

WINNIPEG, Man.—On Oct. 1, the pupils of St. Mary's school planned a Self-Denial Fund to pay for the throne of His Grace the Archbishop in the new cathedral. The object was to be \$400.00 and the campaign lasted until Nov. 13, during which time three drives were conducted.

BISMARCK, N. Dak.—Four Benedictine Sisters pronounced their perpetual vows in St. Mary's Church, Elbowoods. Bishop Wehrle, O.S.B., officiated, and Fathers Paul Lotter, Fehrenbach, and Robert Wewers were present.

MILWAUKEE, Wis.—The Rev. Christopher F. Brooks, C. S. C., sailed Nov. 27 from Vancouver, B. C., for Bengal, India, where he will be engaged in missionary work.

CARROLL, Iowa.—Rev. Joseph Kuemper, pastor of St. Peter and Pauls parish in Carroll, and Rev. Mathew Reumlele of Arcadia, are seriously ill in the hospital here.

TECHNY, Ill.—A belated message from Steyl, Holland, to St. Mary's Mission's House, tells of the death on Oct. 28 of Rev. Nicholas Blum, Father General of the Society of the Divine Word.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—On the authority of the Chaplain's Aid Bulletin for July, 1919, the list of names and the homes or dioceses of the American priests who met death in the service is given as follows: Revs. Justin Butler, O.M.C., Patrick P. Carey, New York; Eugene B. Carroll, Scranton, Pa.; Thomas A. Coffey, Providence, R. I.; Wm. F. Davitt, Springfield, Mass.; Herbert P. Doyle, O. F. M.; Edward H. Fitzgerald, St. Joseph; Patrick J. Gallagher, O. S. A.; Daniel T. Kilroy, Wilmington, Del.; Francis A. Lederle, El Paso, Tex.; John F. McCarthy, Pittsburg, Pa.; Anselm Mayotte, Hartford, Conn.; Joseph P. Munday, Alton, Ill.; Timothy A. Murphy, O. S. B.; Colman O'Flaherty, Sioux Falls, S. D.; Simon A. O'Rourke, Fall River, Mass.; Edward J. Tierney, New York.

BEURON, Germany.—Duke Carl Alexander, the youngest son of Duke Albrecht of Wuerttemberg, entered the Benedictine Order at Beuron in October. He is 23 years of age.

ROME.—Pope Benedict will hold Consistories on Dec. 15 and 18. The following prelates will be raised to the cardinalate: Msgr. Filippo Camassei, Patriarch of Jerusalem; Msgr. Augusto Silj, Archbishop of Caesarea and Vice-Chamberlain of the Holy Roman Church; Msgr. Giovanni Soldevilla y Romero, Archbishop of Saragossa; Msgr. Teodoro Valfré Di Bonzo, Archbishop of Trebizond and Apostolic Nuncio at Vienna; Msgr. Alexander Kakowski, Archbishop of Warsaw; Msgr. Edmund Dalbor, Archbishop of Gnesen-Posen; and Adolf Bertram, Prince-Bishop of

Breslau. The last named is understood to have been one of the two reserved in pectore at the last cardinalial Consistory. It is understood that the Pope intends to hold another Consistory in April.

The Catholic committee here has lodged a complaint with the crown prosecutor against the newspaper "Popolo Italia," edited by Prof. Benito Mussolini, Socialist. The committee complains against an article insulting Pope Benedict.

Rev. John G. Murray, Chancellor of the diocese of Hartford, and secretary to Bishop Nilan, has been appointed auxiliary to Msgr. Nilan.

A successor to Rt. Rev. Henry Joulain, O.M.I., who died last February, has been appointed. The new Bishop of Jafna is the Very Rev. Jules Brault, O.M.I., present Vicar General of Colombo. He was born in the diocese of Angers, France, in 1867, came to Ceylon in 1891 and has served in various capacities.

It has been officially announced that an Apostolic Delegation has been established in Japan to further the progress of the faith, which is now making great strides in that country. The delegate appointed is Msgr. Fumasoni Biondo Pietro, at present occupying a similar office in the East Indies.

The Holy See has officially recognized the new Yugoslav State, Cardinal Gasparri having given a letter to that effect to Bakotic, the unofficial Serbian representative here. The Serbian Government, in its reply, expressed the most sincere pleasure, and stated that it hoped for the establishment of regular diplomatic relations.

Jugoslav diplomatic circles are exceedingly pleased, attaching the greatest importance to this recognition by Rome. The concordat with Serbia, arranged in 1914 and ratified in 1915, gives eminently satisfactory treatment to Catholic rights and interests, thus affording the best hopes for the future. The establishment of regular relations will help the Holy See in the matter of organization for its one object, the care of souls. One of the most remarkable features of this after-the-war period in Europe is the number of new States hastening to establish relations with the Holy See, and the number of old States renewing and strengthening their relations with Rome. This is a striking refutation of the anti-clerical prophecy that one of the results of the war would be the disappearance of the Papacy as an effective world influence.

Cardinal Vico, upon his return from Paris, has made a full report to the Sovereign Pontiff regarding his mission as legate at the consecration of the votive basilica on Montmartre, at which the depth of religious feeling, the popular enthusiasm and the ovation given His Eminence himself, as the representative of the Pope, by all from the highest to the lowest, surpassed all expectation. The greatest pleasure is felt in Rome over the notable outburst of religious feeling at Paris; and it is hoped that it is not merely a passing emotion, but that it will have a lasting effect upon the life of the nation.

JERUSALEM.—The biblical district of Palestine (the Holy Land) now comprises Jerusalem, Lebanon, Acre and Nablus. It stretches from the frontiers of Egypt and Arabia in the south to Syria in the north, and from the shores of the Mediterranean in the west to the Syrian desert in the east, and covers an area of 11,000 square miles. Its population is calculated to amount to 700,000 souls, i.e., 475,000 Mohammedans, 150,000 Jews and 75,000 Christians. The latter are divided into 25,000 Catholics, i.e., 14,000 Latins, and 11,000 Uniates, and into 50,000 non-Catholics, i.e., 35,000 Greek Orthodox and 5,000

Eastern Schismatics and Protestants. SOUTH AMERICA.—The Archbishop of Quito, Ecuador, Most Rev. Manuel Polit Laso, has recently established an ecclesiastical tribunal to begin the process of the Ordinary, previous to the beatification and canonization of the Most Rev. Jose Maria Yerovi, Titular Bishop of Sidon and Archbishop-elect of Quito, illustrious for his virtues and learning and the imperishable memory of his admirable life.

St. Peter's Colony

LEOFELD.—The nuptials of Miss Rose Fry, daughter of Georg Fry of Leofeld and Mr. William Ganie, son of Henry Ganie of Scott, Sask., were solemnized at St. Boniface's Church at Leofeld on Tuesday, Nov. 25, the pastor, Father Mathias, officiating.

BRUNO.—Two weddings were solemnized here last week. Joseph Weyman having been joined to Rosa Roth on Monday, Nov. 24, and Henry Greuel to Theresa Goffing on Tuesday, Nov. 25.

Dr. Saucier moved into his new residence on Nov. 29. Mr. Frank Wirtz lately installed a new electrical plant which not only supplies the owner with light, but also John and Anthony Fischer.

The new bells which were blessed Nov. 9, are now mounted on a wooden scaffolding. They pealed forth their joyous invitations, calling the people to church for the first time last Sunday morning, Nov. 30.

CARMEL.—The Rev. Father Fridolin, O.S.B., of Münster, has been appointed pastor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church. The appointment was made about one month ago, and last Sunday he formally took charge of the congregation. At the meeting after services the following were elected trustees of the congregation: Math. Konner, Eugen Hammerer and Clement Verlage.

HUMBOLDT.—One of the new buildings that will be erected in Humboldt early next spring will be a new home for the local telephone exchange, to be constructed by the Provincial Government. A most valuable site has just recently been secured, being the corner property on the west side of Main street and north side of Cabot avenue. The plans have already been prepared for the building, which will be of solid brick construction, with full size basement. With four rural lines now having Humboldt as their central, the work of the local exchange has increased to such an extent that the present quarters have become inadequate. The new building was proposed for this year, but delay in securing a suitable site made it impossible to proceed with its erection, but it is understood that its immediate construction in the spring is assured.

The Rev. Father Benedict, O.S.B., went to the hospital on Nov. 26, the doctor advising him to take a rest.

The following parties entered the matrimonial state before the approach of Advent: On Nov. 24 Joseph Suchan and Mary Kubelsky; on Nov. 25, Ferdinand Mugglich and Angela Jaeb; on Nov. 26, Peter Langhammer and Theresa Poltreis. At the latter two weddings the Rev. Father Fridolin, O.S.B., of Münster, officiated in place of Father Benedict.

ANNAHEIM.—Although for the past week the weather has been rather severe yet the attendance in our school was fairly good. For several weeks a bad cold has been around the district and many children suffered from it. Fortunately it is taking its departure without any fatal results.

Some of our people were not-oring under difficulties on Nov. 23, and discovered that a team of horses and a sleigh can make much better speed in snowbanks than a car.

Mr. Aschenbrenner has moved his old store building some distance from the Main street and contemplates utilizing it as a garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lachmuth, and a few friends returned from a trip to Saskatoon last week. Mr. BEAUCHAMP.—On Sunday of last week Father Chrysostom held services in St. Martin's Church. Quite a number of people approached the Sacraments. The Rev. Father was the guest of the Koenders family. After dinner Andrew Fohse brought the Father back to Münster in his car.

WATSON.—A pretty wedding was solemnized at Watson, on Nov. 17, when Miss Josephine Jestin, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jestin of Kermaria, was married to Mr. H. Archibald, also of Kermaria. The marriage ceremony was performed by Father Dominic.

Mr. J. J. Felix is building a residence in connection with the store. Mr. and Mrs. D. Gourley left on Tuesday for a trip to California where they will visit relatives and spend the winter. They also intend to visit Pennsylvania before they return to Watson. Their son Alva B. Gourley will look after the farm for 1920.

ST. GREGOR.—Miss M. G. Her-riges, graduate nurse, of Saskatoon, and Mr. W. F. Meyers of Spalding, were united in the bonds of matrimony on Tuesday, Nov. 25. The bride's mother is residing at Engel-feld.—At the same time there were married Mr. Louis Moormann and Mrs. Justina Hohmann, both of St. Gregor. Father Joseph performed the ceremony.

MÜNSTER.—Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Tembrock of Ogema, Minn., were visitors in Münster last week arriving on Saturday, Nov. 22, and leaving for their home again on Friday, Nov. 28. Though much of Mr. Tembrock's time was taken up with adjusting business relations which he had contracted while a resident at Münster some six years ago, he greatly enjoyed his visit and expressed his intention of visiting Münster more frequently in the future. Both showed great delight on seeing the beautifully decorated St. Peter's Abbey Church.

Mr. Arnold W. Loehr had the misfortune of having the first finger of his right hand crushed on Nov. 29, a pump pipe falling on the finger and almost severing it from the hand. He hastened to the hospital at Humboldt where medical aid was administered; and there is some hope that the finger may not be amputated.

The following donations for the orphanage at Prince Albert were received during the past week: From two readers at Carmel \$25.00 and \$15.00 resp. from two subscribers at Münster \$5.00 each. A kind reader at Pilger sent in \$5.00 for Father Brabender, O.M.I. God bless these kind benefactors!

The weather of the past week was very cold, the temperature being mostly below Zero. On Sunday morning, Nov. 30, the thermometer registered 30 below Zero.

Last Friday Mass was celebrated for Dr. Barry by the pastor of the parish. This able physician, whom God called to his eternal reward last year, is still held in loving remembrance.

CORRESPONDENCES. CUDWORTH, Sask., Nov. 22, 1919. Dear St. Peter's Bote:—

Wednesday evening the Cudworth "Lady's Aid" Society of the Cath. Church held a Basket Social and card party for the benefit of our new church.

The party was a great success. \$548.70 were the net proceeds.

A prize was given to the highest bidder, and another for the best basket. It was not easy to judge the baskets, because most of them were deserving of a prize.

The ladies certainly showed great zeal in making the evening a pleasant one, and the gentlemen did not stay behind either. They bought the baskets by brisk bidding.

The church stands now finished so far that one can see that it will be an ornament to our town. The severe weather prevented further work.

Here follows a list of those who contributed so generously in order to get the building well ahead.

- Ansem, Louis 50.— Blair, W. A. 10.— Bonatti, Joseph 40.— Casper, A. M. 200.— Carpenter, C. A. 10.— Duerr, John 500.— Eull, Jacob 200.— Graham, James 50.— Kastellan, Frank 200.— Kindraczuk, Demetro 10.— Poturick, Mich. 10.— Schmidt, Louis 200.— Spitzig, Bernard 25.— Schwarz, Hilda 100.— Schmidt, Joseph 25.— Schwijntag, Wasyl 10.— Spani, John sr. 25.— Wunderlich, Frank 100.— Wunderlich, John jr. 200.— Zwack, Andrew 50.— Altrogge, Herman 5.— Barnetzi, John 5.— Frey, Ig. 100.— Kastellan, (Mrs.) Jos. 25.— Kotetko, Ig. 10.— Kastellan, John 20.— Kindraczuk, Henry 5.— Reinhard, Bernard 5.— Verbitzkij, Steve 10.— Wasyluk, John 10.— Wunderlich, John sr. 100.— Jungwirth, Herman 25.— Hoffman, Mich. 20.— Burnett, Tom 5.— Mr. C. E. Reid gave a furnace for \$325.00.

The people of Cudworth are certainly to be congratulated for showing such zeal for the house of God. Though they are the youngest congregation in St. Peter's Colony, they may become the most fervent.

WATSON, Nov. 29th, 1919.

Dear St. Peter's Bote:—

The Ladies' Aid of the Sacred Heart Church intend holding a grand bazaar on Dec. 8th. Services will be held in Watson on that day. Immediately after services a sumptuous dinner will be served by the "Ladies Aid," in the Town Hall. After dinner the bazaar will proceed in the usual way.

The Ladies Aid are doing everything in their power to make this bazaar a success and we hope everyone will pleasantly and courteously co-operate.

Apart from the appetizing meals that are to be served, there is a grand display of needle work, not only in the fancy line, but plain practical articles, all marked at a very reasonable figure.

Mr. Sheedy of Saskatoon and Miss Cecilia Kiefer of Watson were united in the holy bonds of matrimony by Rev. Father Dominic on

Monday, Nov. 24th. On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. Sheedy returned to Saskatoon, where they intend to reside. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Sheedy a pleasant journey through life.

Miss Ida Vossen of Dundurn is a visitor in town.

PRINCE ALBERT, Nov. 30, 1919.

The last two weeks have been weeks of severe trials for the Sisters of the Holy Family Hospital. All on a sudden the water connections gave way and the city had to leave the hospital practically without water supply for several days.

Some time after she had left the room, the coal-boy, a young lad of 16, whose only office was to shovel coal in the furnace, first flooded the boilers and seeing the water rise got afraid and opened the waste outlet.

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Now is the time for Sales. In the next few weeks you will receive so many "catchy" "ads" that you hardly know where to buy. We will have no Sale, but we cordially invite you to compare our prices with all so-called "Sale" prices.

On Saturday, the 6th of December there will be a SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING in the G. G. Hall for the purpose of amending our by-laws.

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Our souls 'gainst all evil secure!
As Children of Mary, our hearts, dearest Queen,
To thee in thy youth have been given;
Oh, keep them e'er pure like the snowflakes that fall,
Till we join in thy praise up in heaven! -H.H.N.

The Immaculate Conception

We were reading the other day the statement made by a convert to the Catholic Church wherein he told of his former difficulties in regard to the acceptance of Catholic dogma. One of the stumbling blocks to him for a long time was the dogma of the Immaculate Conception. As he explained, his opposition to the dogma was a kind of subconscious feeling that such an honor was not necessary for the Blessed Virgin. In other words it was the subconscious feeling of opposition which Protestantism has toward the Mother of God.

That has always been a hard thing to understand: why there is such an effort on the part of non-Catholics to minimize the Blessed Virgin. One would think that it was a special tribute to the Son to degrade His Mother. And in nothing is that seen so well as in the attitude toward the Immaculate conception. Now of all our doctrines there is nothing simpler, nothing more easily understood than this same dogma.

There is no dogma of course that sets so many misinterpretations as this one. But he who runs may read. The meaning of the dogma is very simple. It is this: Mary because she was chosen to be the Mother of God was never for one instant suffered to be under the bondage of Satan. From the very instant in which her soul was united to her body she was preserved free from the stain of sin. Original sin makes the soul an enemy of God. Now no one will deny that God could preserve a soul free from the stain of original sin. That he did so in the case of Mary because she was to be His Mother is the simple statement of the dogma of the Immaculate Conception.

The eternal fitness of things demands the Immaculate Conception. It is what we call the argument of theological reason. It is the argument that is expressed so beautifully in Wordsworth's "our tainted nature's solitary boast." There is something so repugnant in the very thought that Mary was ever under the bond of sin and therefore an enemy of her Son. That is why we find so many non-Catholic writers whose traditional beliefs are against any honoring of the Blessed Virgin rising above themselves and paying to her a tribute which their very nature knows ought to be hers.

But with us Catholics at any rate the dogma of the Immaculate Conception, wondrous as it is, is not surprising. How little it seems in comparison with that great fact of all in the life of Mary, that she was the Mother of God. When you say that Mary is the Mother of God, all these other privileges are but corollaries.

And the practical result of that to us? It is that she is also our Mother, our friend at court. If God has so honored her what a love He must bear her; and if she loves us what an intercessory power she must have with Him. That is why the First Council of Baltimore in 1846 chose Mary as the Patron of America.

Advent.

With the first Sunday of Advent the Church begins a new ecclesiastical year. Advent means "a coming." It is a time of preparation for Christmas by mortification, penance, prayer and good works. For this reason the Church reads to us on the first Sunday of Advent the gospel which treats of the second coming of Christ to judge us, that we may prepare for the coming of the Redeemer of mankind and profit by the graces and fruits of his passion. Although the Messiah has come whom the Saints of the old law longed to see, and the work of our redemption has been made perfect, we are still not all free from sin and really children of God. Many are wandering in the paths of ungodliness; they live carelessly and indifferently in their sins, and would be lost forever if they had to appear suddenly before the judgement seat of Christ. To prevent this and to encourage her children, by a sincere repentance, to prepare themselves worthily for the holy feast of Christmas, the Church reminds us of the awful day of the last judgement.

Let us comply with the wish and the admonition of the Church, anticipating the last judgement by a sincere confession and repentance. Let us weep over our sins now, that we may not have to do so then for all eternity. Let us beseech our Lord that he may mercifully spare us at the day of judgement and turn away His punishments from us.

When we are about to celebrate a great festival we clean the house thoroughly, polish the furniture, and make everything neat and tidy, so that the house looks in good order. We even make preparations for ourselves, getting dresses made for the occasion, and so on. Thus should you also clean and adorn your soul in preparation for the birth of the Savior on Christmas day. If, when we look into the glass, we notice we have a black spot on our face, we do not go out till we have washed it off. The same must we do with our soul. Let us look into the mirror of the commandments and see if there are any black spots of sin on the soul: If there are, then hasten to the confessional and have them removed by a sincere confession of your sins to God's representative, the priest, and then approach the altar to receive Holy Communion. Thus you will be prepared not only for a worthy celebration of Christmas, but you will be ready if God should call you to give an account of your stewardship.

Pope Benedict on the Press

"It seems to us that nothing is more desirable than that the number of those who can use their pen in a way rich in blessings should increase, and that good papers should have a large circulation, so that everyone may have every day good reading, which instructs and warns, and strengthens and promotes the Christian virtues."

POPE BENEDICT XV.

SPARKS FROM THE ANVIL

The man who says he is kept away from the Church by hypocrites is not influenced by them anywhere else. Business is full of them; but if he sees a chance to make money, he doesn't stop for that. Society is crowded with them and yet he never thinks of becoming a hermit. Married life is full of them, but that doesn't make him remain a bachelor. Hell is full of hypocrites, and yet he isn't doing a thing to keep from going there. He wants you to think that he is trying to avoid the society of the hypocrites, and yet he takes not a single step towards Heaven, the only place where no hypocrites can go.

There are many things which the aeroplane will do. But one paramount work will be done by it. It will be the last and crowning agency of travel to abbreviate the distances of the world. When men can move and see by aeroplane and aeroplane telescopes, when they speak over mountains and seas by wireless telephone and telegraph, there are no unexplored or inaccessible wildernesses left. Every jungle where an aeroplane descends, equipped with wireless, is a center of civilization, its naked natives linked with London, its chieftains capable of communicating with Washington.

Whosoever permits the occupations whereby he gains a livelihood to absorb his whole thoughts and energy is necessarily an incomplete man. He lacks openness of mind, breadth of view, the sense of beauty and the disinterested love of knowledge. His perception of spiritual truth is dimmed, and he is made incapable of the purest and most generous emotions. To give him something of this, leisure, if rightly used, may serve; and hence I say the man is worth what his leisure is worth.

The battles we fight with others are nothing to the battles we should fight with ourselves.

Senator Watson, in reply to a question put in the Senate, said that "fundamentally there is no difference between Socialism and Bolshevism."

Dr. Leo Alex. Stone, Regional Consultant of the United States Public Health service, in speaking before the Rotary Club at the Hotel Sinton recently, stated that "Immorality is one of the chief causes of insanity; every insane asylum is a monument to the double standard of morals." It is a long time since the Apostle St. Paul said "The wages of sin is death."

Honesty is a self-righting life-boat that cannot be swamped.

"Write it on your hearts," says Emerson, "that every day is the last day in the year. No man has learned anything rightly until he knows that every day is doomsday."

Affliction is a kind of moral gymnasium in which the disciples of Christ are trained, to robust exercise, hardy exertion, and severe conflict.

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If George Washington had been living in these days, the boatmen would have struck for higher pay just as he was crossing the Delaware.

The Springs Of Life

are all from within. This being true, it would be well for us to give more time to the inner life than we are accustomed to give to it. There is nothing that will bring us such abundant returns as to take a little time, say fifteen minutes, in the quiet of each day, to seriously meditate. Meditation to the soul is what food is to the body.

Religious News

FORD CITY, Ont.—The Tracey McGregor estate on the river front a mile above Ford City, Ontario, has just been purchased by Mrs. Josephine Gaulker, of Grosse Pointe for \$125,000, and presented as a gift to her daughter, Rev. Mother Clare, superior-general of the Ursuline religious. The fine estate comprises, in addition to a handsome modern mansion, seventy acres of land extending from the channel bank back to the Tecumseh Road, also live stock and farming implements. The estate is to be known henceforth as Glengarda Ursuline Academy of Our Lady of Prompt Succour. The site will be used for school purposes and as soon as possible will be adorned with a group of buildings.

ST. PAUL, Minn.—An unknown benefactor promised St. Mary's parish in White Bear Lake \$10,000 on condition that the parish raise \$6,500 this fall. Within one month the sum of \$8,000 was collected.

In St. Cyrinus Church at Rugby, of which Rev. J. Thier is pastor, a week's mission was conducted by Father Bour, O.M.L., of Albertville, Minn.

SEATTLE, Wash.—Death recently claimed Mother M. Amadeus at the Ursuline convent in Seattle. She had labored very successfully among the Indians of Montana, and had established twelve missions in that State before she went to Alaska, where she founded three missions among the Indians and the Esquimaux. She was injured in a railroad accident about ten years ago, and never fully recovered from her injuries. When a fire destroyed the Ursuline convent at Valdez, Alaska, on Dec. 8th, 1918, she and her companions were sheltered in a U.S. Government blockhouse until the breaking up of the ice in spring when she was taken to Seattle. Mother Amadeus' name in the world was Miss Sarah T. Dunne.

CHICAGO, Ill.—Mother Mary of the Compassion of Angers, France the mother visitor to the United States, died recently in Chicago at the House of the Good Shepherd. Mother Mary was 81 years of age, and was given the office of visitor to this country twenty-seven years ago. Mother Mary was born in Ireland and made her novitiate in Angers, France. She was made mother superior of the House of the Good Shepherd at New Ross, Ireland; later she became mother provincial at Limerick, Ireland, and still later mother visitor to the U. S. The body of the Sister was shipped to Albany, N. Y., for burial.

ARCADIA, Mo.—Ven. Mother Benedict observed the golden jubilee of admission to the Ursuline Sisterhood on Nov. 4th at Arcadia College. Rt. Rev. J. J. Hennessy, Bishop of Wichita, celebrated Pontifical High Mass and delivered the festive sermon, praising the religious life and paying tribute to the many merits of the jubilarian. In the evening the students gave a reception in her honor. Mother Benedict is one of the six Sisters who came to Arcadia in 1877.

BEATY, Pa.—Rev. Engelbert Leist, O.S.B., passed to his reward in St. Vincent's Archabbey. He was born in 1845 at Bethlehem, Ohio, and entered the order in the seventies of the last century. (Rev. Father Engelbert was one of the founders of the Benedictine Priory at Wetang, Ill., which in 1903 moved to Saskatchewan, Canada, and founded St. Peter's Monastery and St. Peter's Colony. —Ed.)

WOODSTOCK, Md.—Woodstock College celebrated its 50th anniversary on Nov. 17. When the college was opened in 1869, it was the scholasticate for all the American provinces of the Society of Jesu, now it is too small to meet the demands of the Maryland-New York Province.

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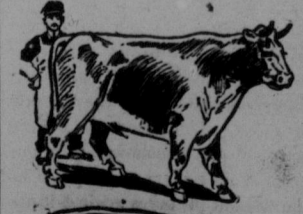
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GERMANY.—The German episcopate, when assembled in conference in Fulda, has issued a joint pastoral letter to the German Catholic population. In this, they say that the peace of 1919 is a peace of shame, which can only be borne with resignation by an increase in piety and trust in the will of God. They continue: "The peace has been called a peace of impotence, and it cannot be doubted that it will really bring us lasting enfeeblement, diminished liberty and a decrease in our world position." The Bishops protest against many anti-religious movements and efforts to eliminate religious instruction from the schools, and to begin a fresh battle against Christendom and the Church, "for thereby the fate of the Fatherland would be sealed, and not only the war, but the peace, would be lost for good."

—Owing to the unsettled conditions prevailing in Germany, the Catholics of that country have postponed the General Congress, which was to have been held during October. Conferences are being held, however, in the various provinces. The Catholics of Saxony recently met at Dresden, and those of Baden at Konstanz. A successful conference has also been held at Aachen. Just lately diocesan conferences were held at Muenchen, Wuerzburg, Ravensburg, Rottweil, Heilbronn and Mergentheim. The Catholic Volksverein has experienced a marked growth in membership during the past year, women especially having enrolled in large numbers.

FRIBOURG, Switzerland.—The Pope has sent to the dean of the Swiss Episcopate, Msgr. Jakobus Stammeler, Bishop of Basel and Lugano, a letter thanking the Bishops for their letter of allegiance sent to him at the conclusion of the recent conference of the Bishops of Switzerland at Sitten. His Holiness expresses great satisfaction at the celebration of a day of thanksgiving that God had preserved Switzerland, hemmed in by belligerent nations. "We ourselves," says the Holy Father, "hold a special love for Switzerland, and we rejoice with our whole heart in this special cause for thanksgiving." The Pope calls to mind the special significance of peace to Switzerland. No longer is Switzerland obliged to watch its frontiers with such minute and vigilant attention. Within all the other countries peace has been assured, because the Christian feeling of all peoples concerned has cried loudly for peace. In a very large measure, the Pope's letter continues, the Encyclical Rerum Novarum would contribute to assure these blessed results, and its teachings have a very close and particular application to the needs of the present day.

VIENNA, Austria.—Dr. Friedrich, founder and publisher of the Vienna Catholic daily "Reichspost", is the new Austrian envoy to the Holy See.

PRAGUE, Bohemia.—Msgr. Kordac, the new Archbishop of Prague, has returned from Rome to take possession of his See. He was met on his arrival by a large gathering of the clergy and laity. Among the official personages who greeted the new archbishop on the occasion was the British Ambassador, Mr. Cecil Gosling. The appointment of Msgr. Kordac is extremely popular, but the press organs of the Radicals and the Socialists persist in circulating a rumor that the appointment was engineered by certain circles in Vienna through the Papal nunciature. The nomination was made with the completest understanding with the Minister, M. Tusar. Through his representative in Prague the Pope sounded the government, which heartily approved of the Papal choice for the See of Prague. It is characteristic of the anti-clerical set that they

have tried to stir up an opposition to a man who has devoted the whole of his life's work to the welfare of the Czech people.

—At Prague recently for the first time in centuries a High Mass was celebrated in the Czech language. This inaugurated once more the custom of the Slavonic Liturgy, permitted by the Pope after he had received the deputation of Slovak priests, and confirmed that Msgr. Kordac, the new primate.

ROME.—An official note published about a month ago announces that the Holy See has recognized officially the Czechoslovak Republic. Consequently the Holy See is expected to enter into diplomatic relations very soon with the new republic.

—Msgr. Martolomasi, formerly chaplain to the Italian army, has been appointed Bishop of Trieste.

—The Very Rev. William F. X. O'Hare, S.J., has been raised to the episcopal dignity, succeeding the Rt. Rev. J. J. Collins, S. J., as Missionary Bishop and Vicar Apostolic in the Island of Jamaica.

—Pope Benedict has conferred the cross of the Order of St. Gregory on the Japanese marine officer Capt. Yamamoto, who is the diplomatic representative of Japan at the Vatican. Capt. Yamamoto negotiated with the Holy See concerning the Catholic missions in the Caroline, Marianne, and Marshall Islands, where German missionaries were in charge before the war.

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Latest News

REGINA, Sask. — Sleeping sickness has made its first appearance in Regina, a married woman being isolated with a mild type of the disease.

OTTAWA, Dec. 1. — The lesson which every person within the British Empire should have learned from the war is that, however remote may be the danger of future wars, the empire must be ready for them and must maintain a balance of sea power which will enable her to meet and conquer any enemy. That was the message of Admiral Jellicoe, delivered on Saturday luncheon of the Canadian Club to an audience which included the governor-general, Sir Robert Borden, and members of the cabinet who were in the capital, and a host of other notables. Canada's future prosperity depends on the insurance of safety to the ships which carry Canadian goods to the overseas ports of the world. With exports of seventy million pounds sterling, Canada's prosperity must be guarded, and those vessels carrying her goods must have protection.

HALIFAX, Nov. 30. — The first German vessel to enter Halifax harbor since the war is the barque Paul, owned in Hamburg and commanded by Kapitän Wulf Krueger, who during the war was pilot of a German seaplane operating in the North Sea. She arrived today, bringing an interesting story of battles with the sea.

TORONTO, Dec. 1. — One man was killed and several people were more or less injured in a terrific gale which swept Ontario on Saturday night, and many thousands of dollars was entailed in the wreckage that followed in the wake of the wind. It was one of the worst storms of the kind ever experienced by the citizens of Toronto, yet the material damage was comparatively light, in view of the severity of the gale.

DETROIT, Mich., Dec. 1. — Twentyfour hours after the most severe windstorm experienced in Michigan since 1913, the demoralised conditions of telegraph and telephone wires throughout the state were such that no accurate or complete reports of damage caused could be ascertained. Many were injured.

CHICAGO, Dec. 1. — Mines in many states were ready last night to reopen on the basis of the 14 percent wage advance fixed by Fuel Administrator Garfield, but they anticipated refusal of many union miners to break their strike, now one month old, which left the prospect for increased production an unanswered question.

Bulgarian Treaty Signed

PARIS, Nov. 27. — M. Stambulisky, Premier of Bulgaria, signed the treaty of peace between his country and the Allied Powers at the Neuilly town hall today. The simple staging of the ceremony, combined with the probable inadvertent but complete isolation of Bulgaria's delegate at the peace table spread a sort of gloom over the proceedings.

By the conditions of the treaty Bulgaria is called upon to surrender all articles of art and valuables taken from Allied countries during the war and to pay an indemnity of approximately \$445,000,000. Bulgaria is deprived of Thrace, and also loses Strumnitza, a small triangular section of territory, the latter being assigned to Serbia. Proposals which would give Bulgaria a corridor through Thrace to the Aegean are left to the future disposition of the Allied governments. The boundary between Rumania and Bulgaria is changed in only minor details. Compulsory military service in Bulgaria is abolished by the treaty terms, the Bulgarian army being limited to 20,000 men

with a gendarmerie or police force not exceeding 10,000. All arms and ammunition exceeding the amounts laid down by the treaty shall be turned over to the Allies. A commission composed of Allied representatives is given power to punish crimes committed by Bulgarians during the war, and also deal with the repatriation of prisoners.

The First International Labor Conference Concluded

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29. — The first international labor conference called under the league of nations will conclude its work today. Already its main conventions and recommendations have received the final two-thirds vote. There remains, indeed, but one convention to receive the final vote—the convention in regard to the employment of women before and after childbirth. Many of the delegates are sailing for Europe during the week-end. There was fear a quorum might not be present for the formal votes should the usual speeches be allowed and guillotine time schedules topped off discussion with monotonous regularity. Final votes taken were:

(1) Convention on the eight-hour day and 48-hour week in industrial establishments, adopted 82 to 2. The two votes against were those of S. R. Parsons, Canadian employers' delegate, and G. Paus, Norwegian employers' delegate.

(2) Convention on employment. Adopted by 87 to 5.

(3) Children's charter, adopted by 91 to 3.

(4) Convention to forbid employment of women in industrial establishments during the night, by 94 to 1.

(5) Convention to forbid employment of young persons in industrial establishments during the night, 97 to 0.

(6) Recommendations favoring reciprocity of workers' rights, by 80 to 9.

(7) Recommendation that states, with a view to their abolition, should license private employment agencies charging fees, by 76 to 9.

(8) Recommendation that recruiting of bodies of workers in one country for employment in another should not be permitted, except by mutual agreement between countries concerned and after consultation with employers and workers of industries concerned, by 60 to 24.

(9) Recommendation that each state shall take steps to establish an effective system of unemployment insurance, by 73 to 11.

In connection with unemployment a further recommendation was adopted by 83 to 4 votes, that, as far as possible, public work should be reserved for periods of unemployment and for districts most affected by unemployment.

Foreign News

BERLIN, Germany. — No less than 70,000 church and other bells were seized in Germany by the military authorities during the war and melted down for war material.

—Germany's assistance to Austria in the shape of flour supplies, decided upon by the government on request of all parties in the national assembly will amount to about 4,400,900 pounds weekly.

VIENNA, Austria. — After the signing of the peace pact by Austria a coalition cabinet was formed in Vienna. According to the "Allgemeine Rundschau" of Munich, the premier (Renner) and five ministers are Socialists, and the vice-chancellor and two ministers are members of the Christian Social party, mostly Catholic. "After the failure of the Social Democrats in the science of government in all branches," reports the "Rundschau",

"the red tide has begun to ebb. Even the Red press complains of this. Socialist mismanagement and the corruption connected with the regime of the councils daily hasten the defection from Socialism." The Swiss Catholic daily, "Neue Zuercher Nachrichten", reports that the parliament of the Republic of Austria is made up of 72 Socialists, 69 Christian Socials, 26 members of the German bloc, and a few Independents. In the Landtag of Lower Austria there are 48 Christian Socials, 7 German Nationals, 4 Czech and Jewish Nationals, and 60 Socialists. But in the Landtag of Upper Austria the Christian Socials predominate with 39 delegates as opposed to 19 Socialists and 12 German Liberals.

LONDON.—Representatives of Finland, Esthonia, Letvia, Lithuania, White Russia, Poland and Ukraine have voted for a formation of a political and military alliance to defend the independence of those nations.

—A new home rule bill setting up two parliaments in Ireland, with a council or senate of forty to be chosen by the two, will probably be introduced in parliament within the next two weeks. Daily sessions are being held by the cabinet committee in charge of the measure, the subject under discussion at present being finance. Control of customs has always been a point of sharpest difference when other home rule schemes have been debated and was one of the rocks upon which the Irish convention was shipwrecked.

PLYMOUTH, Engl.—Lady Astor was elected to parliament from the Sutton division of Plymouth in the balloting of Nov. 15. The campaign attracted wide attention. Mrs. Lloyd George, wife of the Premier, and other prominent political personages spoke in Lady Astor's behalf. Labor legislation was the chief issue during the campaign, which at times assumed quite bitter aspects. Lady Astor became a candidate for the Plymouth seat after the death of Viscount Astor, of Hever Hall, had left her husband heir to the title and necessitated his retirement from parliament. Lady Astor, who becomes the first woman member in the House of Commons, was formerly Miss Nanie Langhorne, of Virginia. She is the mother of six children.

ROME.—Latest reports indicate the Constitutionalists secured 300 seats in the Italian Chamber of Deputies in the recent election, the Socialists 120 and the Catholics 90. In this city there were elected 4 Catholics, 4 Ministerialists, 4 Socialists and one each by the Nationalist, Republican and Independent Liberal parties.

—A royal decree is imminent entirely reforming the army and extending conscription to all citizens, according to the Giornale d'Italia. The decree will reduce the standing army to a minimum peace time strength. The infantry, artillery and engineering corps will be increased and the cavalry decreased. Under the new plan the army will be considered a sort of great military school for the whole nation, each citizen receiving personal instructions.

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