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Wonderful Cure At Lourdes,

Liverpool Catholic Times,

The following graphic account of a wonderful cure-in fact, a miracle—has (writes Mr. J. J. Rossiter, of 4, Starkie-street, Winkley-square, Preston) been received by the Reverend Mother of an English convent. The writer—an Irish nun in ful and graphic account of the cure of a sister nun will find its letter was, however, seen by me, and it is such a testimony to the glory of God and the fame of Our Lady of Lourdes that I have obtained permission that it might be made public, and so be one more authentic record of the shrine of Our Lady at Lour-

"My dear Mother,—You sympathise with us in our trials, and it is only right that we tell you of our joys. Our Blessed Lady has had a great consolation in store for our Mother: the complete cure of Sister M Amanda, which she so much wished for, but which she did not dare hope to receive, as two doctors at Madrid, one the Court engaged in fervent prayer. physician, had declared her to be attacked with disease of the spinal chord, and humanly speaking, there could be no the slight hope of at least prolonging a life so precious, M. M. Celestine decided to send her to see Doctor Grasut, at Montpellier. This was as a last resource. The route by Barcelo- have taken place. na, being most direct, was chosen. Sister Mary Amanda recited the Creed, and then Sister has been been been chosen. Sister Mary Amanda recited the Creed, and then Sister has been been chosen. Catholics are most serviceable in drid that she suffered much at self out so as to bathe her head the thought of leaving it; how- and neck, where she suffered workmen. Nothing promises making the Catholic standpoint she accepted the sacrifice. All helped her were more dead than its hold upon the minds of opinions in the thought of and

M. Philomena's death, and being fully awake (she had for a long time suffered from want of sleep, loss of appetite, and inability to use her limbs) Sister M. Amanda felt the presence of a dear Sister lately dead, who said to her in the depths of her soul that she should go to Lourdes and be cured by Our Lady when bathing in the piscina. Sister M. Amanda, upon whom this made a profound impression, but who was afraid that her imagination had played her a trick, did not speak of it to anyone. 'If,' thought she, 'the Blessed Virgin wishes to cure taken from the piscina. Her me she is powerful enough to joy was so great, her emotion so change the route of our journey profound, that we were obliged and make me go by Lourdes.' In to help her to dress herself. sick Sister to sleep a night at in thanksgiving she went in all happened during the preceding scarcely believe his

of the miracle that she had alway into print. A copy of the up her crutch as an ex-voto she even bought a ribbon to tie it up. It was decided that Thursday, 27th January, at nine in the morning. Sister M. Amanda would bathe in the piscina, whilst at the same time a Rev. Benedictine Father of St. Maure the wonders daily worked at said the Mass of the Apparition to obtain this much-desired cure. M. M. Enguin, who had a bad cold, could not, to her great regret, accompany her, but Sisters St. Francis and Angeles were her happy companions. At halfpast eight they went to the Grotto to finish the novena, and prayed fervently on the very spot the Blessed Virgin had appeared to Bernanette. During this time we at Paris were also had a firm conviction that Our Blessed Lady would hear our prayers.

"After having drunk at the hope of a cure. However, with miraculous spring, our three Sisters went to the piscina They chose that part where the image of Mary is sculptured in the marble, and where it is said the most wonderful miracles that Church sends its agents to

hope of recovery as well as all alive on seeing her trembling wish to live had left her. She with cold and as pale as death, believe that capitalists lose hubble the community. "During the night after Sister they commenced the Litanies, Sister M. Amanda repeating the invocations and the others ans-When they came to wering. the invocation 'Queen conceived without original sin' they repeated it three times. At that moment Sister Amanda, with a sudden movement, opened her arms, which up to this she had kept crossed on her breast, pressing the package of intentions which the Sisters at Madrid had given her. 'What is the matter?' inquired Sister M. Angeles. 'It is done,' answered she;

but we began a novena to Our without stumbling. He told the think, more rational than to say pitied by all who saw her, but of her merciful tenderness. cause of the principle of heredty; of the wonders Our Lady had amount of care can produce a wrought!"

A METHODIST TRIBUTE TO CATHOLICISM.

tribute to the Catholic Church from a Chicago Methodist paper: "The Catholic Church is growing in all lands because it constantly manifests its interest in the poor. One of the most lovely things in it is its perpetual and universal care for the poor, the sick, the deserted, the hopeless and the ten times over destitute. That Church sends to leper settlements its priests, some of whom become lepers. That is being 'all things to all men' with emphasis. That is therefore filled to the doors by Catholic congregations are well people who throng its temples supplied with many earnest and and stand up in every foot of intelligent laymen; but the men space where the pews are filled. of active mental growth, the When strikes paralyze laboring readers and the thinkers, are and manufacturing districts, comparatively few. aid in solving the conflict, and kind of Catholics. We do not "Kneeling in the piscina, they one of its strongest points at disparage aught. But educated cy and influence among discontented, striking and menacing The Sisters who more for that wise Church than respected; in diffusing Christian man tenderness in proportion as there are no educated Catholic their riches increase."

BISHOP BAGSHAWE AND DARWINISM.

Rev. Dr. Bagshawe, Bishop of school officers. Their literature Nottingham writes as follows to is ignored in the district liberary. the "Daily Express:" "I have They are either not considered, or never read Darwin; I took from else they are looked down upon. Father Cortie the statement that Darwinism admittedly requires conditions are apt to transpire. a period of at least two hundred The Catholic population, forming million years. When Sir W. the bulk of the poorer classes, 'I am Thomas limited him to one hun- is important on election day only. dred millions, Darwin wrote In the thought and literature (Life an Letters, vol. iii., p. 114): of the community, it takes no Thomson's views of the age of part. The absence of educated the world have been for some time one of my sorest troubles, satile and vigilant—denotes ab and, again, 'I should rely much sence of useful power and inthe morning came a letter from Then she almost ran to the on pre-Silurian times, but then fluence. M.M.Celestine, deciding that the Grotto to thank Our Lady and comes Sir W. Thamson like an It is easily seen what the rejourney should be made via Tar- fasten her crutch as an ex-voto. Odious spectre. Mivart says sults must be upon the rising May sanctity be its atmosphere, bes, and thus enable the poor In the hope of hearing a mass (Genesis of Species, p. 140:) It is Catholic generation, public our convent at Lourdes, thus avoiding spending a night met the Benedictine Father, amongst strangers at Barcelona who was just leaving the Basitwo thousand million years of looking upon Catholics and Catholicity. There is nothing to lift the Catholic cause above its Voiding spending a night met the Benedictine Father, amongst strangers at Barcelona. When Mère M. Rosario read this letter to Sister M. Amanda for her cure. He stopped her, this letter to Sister M. Amanda for her cure. He stopped her, the stopp er face became radiant, and, be-ing asked the reason, 'It is' re-'What of the sick Sister?' 'I am able directions.' Astronomers ted laymen can do well. Even in only son of the Lieutenant Gov-eyes phant was introduced. I answer sence of a strong Catholic lay in- miner for the University of Ma-

Lady with great confidence that Sisters that at the Elevation of that the elephant developed itour prayers would be heard. his Mass he had felt deeply self by innumerable minute for-The journey, so long and tiring, touched—so much so that he tuitous variations from an ancesdid not fatigue her overmuch. could hardly pronounce the sa- tral germ shut up in a molten positions of trust. Many of them This was metallic erolite, shot out from luxuriate in well appointed pribegan to get back her sleep and just the moment when the Sis-bowels of some distant volcanic to take some food, but her poor ter had called out 'I am cured!' sun. Since Darwinism is 'the legs still refused to be of any —the moment a thousand times best explanation af all the phenoing to be liberal in promoting use. Two Sisters were obliged blessed, when the gentle hand mena of organic life', I would to help her when she moved of the Immaculate Virgin was ask Mr. Edmondstone to say even a few steps. When she placed on the soul of her child, how it explains—(1) the origin was taken to the Grotto she was giving to us all a sensible proof of life upon this earth; (2) the of Catholic chivalry. her faith and that of Sister M. What hymns of thanksgiving (3) that the variable animals Paris who was a witness of the Angeles increased each moment were sent up to Heaven, first at always revert to one type when which have obtained successful Lourdes, then Paris, Madrid, the watchful care of man is careers in several of the larger and Montpellier, where tele- withdrawn; (4) why from the and Eastern cities seem to be the ready chosen the spot to hang grams were at once sent to tell vast majority of animals no best methods of making Catholic new variety or species; (5) why no missing link has ever been found, with organs developing, not yet developed. I would also ask Mr. Edmondstone for any one Here is an appreciative little single proof of the Darwinian hypothesis. That perfect individuals are developed from imperfect germs by God's power I do not doubt; but that one species is developed from another on its account by minute accidental variations I know to be unproved, and believe to be altogether absurd."

EDUCATED CATHOLIC. LAYMEN.

If Catholic thought is to have It aids to steady there must be a leavening of the discontented. That Church educated Catholic laymen. Our

> Not that they make a better promulgating Catholic ideas; in

In many rural sections wh laymen, and where the surrounding society is American and Protestant, the Catholics have action of the community. The local newspaper slights them. In reply to a critic the Right They are not found among the

In some of our cities the same

nities should impose upon them. We find them in all the professions, upon the press, at the bar. vate libraries. Some have wealth practical Catholic good works. But they dislike to venture forth alone and single handed in deeds

thought a force in the communi-

A review of the work performed by several of the "Brownson Institutes" and "Union Catholic Library Associations," of New York and New England, is quite gratifying. This work would be important enough if it went no further than the collection of sound and readable literature and the holding during the winter months of instructive lecture courses and entertainments. But there appears, in nearly every instance, the superadded benefit of a vigilant solicitude for Catholic interestsunobtrusive but effective, a marked progression in true Catholic principles, and growing esteem and respect in the com-Church ministers to the plague any strength in a community, munity for the good will of the Catholic population. Such associations are usually limited in numbers, for not every Catholic is fitted in education and disposition, to be a serviceable member And, necessarily, they are confined to no single parishappendices of no man's congregation-but recruited generally and generously.—ExcHANGE.

A PRAYER FOR IRELAND.

The following beautiful prayer was composed by the Archbishops and bishops for the consecration of Ireland to the Sacred Heart of Jesus:

O! most sacred and most loving Heart of Jesus, to which the Irish nation is most solemnly dedicated, preserve our nation in faith, in purity, and in chanot a "fair show" in the brain rity. Through all its trials, sorrows, its persecutions in the past, it remained faithful to the teaching of its great apostle, St. Patrick. May the former glory of its apostolic faith again appear. May it become again the seat of learning and religion. May the rising generation see its rights restored. May the zeal of its holy priesthood increase. May the purity of its daughters preserve its stainless character. May the honor of its sons remain unsullied. May the evils of intemperance cease. May the spirit of infidelity and rationalism never reach its shores. May its attachment to the See of Peter, and its obedience to ecclesiastical supe-

neght, adding her profound conviction of being cured. Though whom he had seen an hour bedieverything, she kept it secret, Grotto, not able to walk a step of the ding to their kinds,' which is, I ing a duty which their oportu-

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CURRENT COMMENT

Sister Ste. Placide, superior of the St. Boniface Orphanage, is transferred to the St. Albert vicariate. She leavea to-day accompanied by Sister Lanctot and Sister Irene.

Last week the man who ar ranged the pages of the REVIEW for the press forgot the "Prayer for Ireland," which we had carefully announced in our Current
Comment column However as mirrored walls of that historic to your daily work the poetry
hall in the Alhambra, the schoolof pure and holy motive. Comment column. However, as it appears this week in time for the beginning of the month of the Sacred Heart, we trust our intangible something hanging subscribers will forgive this oversight.

the week that is one continued thanksgiving for the blessings bestowed on the world by the Holy Ghost. Cardinal Newman stemming, says that the liturgy of this week, which beams like a ray of as seen in the missal and the golden sunlight never failing, breviary, is the most beautiful never hiding, that personality in the whole cycle of the ecclesi- full of excellence or defects has astical year. Reader, do you pray to the Holy Ghost? Have you boundless as an ocean that has of God who guides our steps ever meditated on that wonderful no limits. sequence which the priest recites every day at Mass this good, strength and firmness and work, and work, keeping nesses snap their fingers at the send down from heaven a ray of having aught else in our schools. thy light?" It contains a most Away with the weak character! complete list of petitions beauti- Away with the idle dreamer! ful expressed.

FRANKING DUNS.

We wonder if Mr. Mulock, our energetic Postmaster General, is aware that United Canada, that so-called Catholic paper, uses the franking privilege to send out dunning letters to its unfortunate subscribers. We have before us a bill addressed to a priest and franked on the envelope: "Free—compliments of F. T. written on a piece of poor paper measuring four inches by six, and contains this charge: "To 3 with gentle care the budding and contains this charge: "To 3 with gentle care the budding and contains the charge of the the Frost, M. P." The bill itself is years sub from Dec 1895 to Dec soul as it unfolds into exquisite lustrated lecture on the cities Sepoys from the canon's mouth trangement from his duties to 1898. \$4.50;" and immediately beauty, she instils purity and and valleys of Eastern Canada, in India, and set bloodhounds God to look back upon, feels the after this comes the following truth into that quickening mind the rugged shores of Lake Supe- on the negroes in Jamaica,—all faith of his youth revive and his about this acct, And I hope we rence to their Maker. She leads Woods, historic Fort William cast stones at Spain. The writer protection of the Almighty re-P.S.: "We wrote you many times." won't have to write anymore. those children into realms of and Fort Garry, the broad prai- whom I have already quoted newed. But this revival of faith, You know we can't keep up a beauty they had not known be- ries of the North-West, the state- perceives this. When speaking this natural leaning of poor hu-Paper without money. clergy, should show a good ex- among the freshest, sweetest wondrous beauty of the Pa- guerillas during the Peninsular er, is not confined to avowed ample to others." The bill and fields of Literature, she guides cific Coast. postscript, which bear no them towards nobler deeds and signature at all, are here actions by the continual influence reproduced with the charge from "we" to "I", the absence of punctuation where needed, and the excess of it where not needed, the capitalization of needed, the needed n reproduced with the chan- of her views, her appreciation, the first letter of "and" in the class-room—the

The priest who received this her by the pupils.

bill assures us that he never ordered "United Canada." paper was sent to him when three M.B.A. at Schreiber, Ont., and hold to be the essence of all and many of them were greeted murdered, the women violated after six months he paid his sub- true success in teaching; gentlecription and ordered the paper ness, truthfulness, honesty as to be stopped. But far from being stopped, "United Canada" has continued to follow him to his new home in Montreal. Though this priest has been two Canada" as an exchange more than a year after the editor thought we were defunct.

THE PERSONAL INFLUENCE OF THE TEACHER IN THE SCHOOL-ROOM,

A PAPER READ AT THE CLOSING EX ERCISES OF THE NORMAL SCHOOL,

BY MISS MARY L. MARRIN.

[As our space is so limited we have omitted a few passages amounting in all to about one fifth of the essay.]

meaning in the word! To some

room reflects on every side the brightness, or the gloom, emanating from the teacher. That about you, that character which has perhaps often been a source This is the Pentecostal week. think of its influence on your pupils?

That clear, strong personality, whose force and energy know no that personality an influence, on the school-room,

But, in order that it may be Teaching is not for them! Tis for the noble conscientions soul the Bar.' soaring ever higher, higher, in its efforts to gain its lotty ideal.

"Build thee more stately mansions O my soul!

As the swift seasons roll Leave thy low-vaulted past! Ithe last. Shut thee from Heaven with a

[dome more vast! Till thou at length art free, Leaving thine outgrow shell

by life's unresting sea."

the middle of a sentence and of must be worthy of all the respect, love and trust placed in The priest who received this her by the pupils.

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Because my heart is pure." These words of Tunnyson I depicted in the everyday life of spectators learnt more of the matter." "And then he adds the teacher are in themselves a geography and varied resources these words especially worth nopuissant and continuous pressure of Canada, and of the gigantic ting as coming from one who upon the life of the child. Their enterprise of our transcontinent- must use we and our in uttering force always tells in the end, for at railway than they could have them. "When we had a similar example.

Then let us strive to perfect our characters, to make ourselves worthy of the trust placed in us. "Let us be less careful of the mere number of our classes and more careful of their intellectual and moral culture. Let us care more for what we think of ourselves than what others think of that Spain is unfit to rule in us. Let our aims be high and Cuba because she was unable to generous and let our means of coercion be dignified in spite of the trials to which our tempers

Teaching-What realms of work without fearing us.

And let us evermore rememit opens up a long visita of pic- ber the exceeding dignity of our tures beautiful, in color, as Iris calling. It is not the holiest, but nished by the second Seminole and her many hued bow, love- it runs near and paralled to the ly in happy faces and shining holiest. We have usually to deal over all the scene is the gentle with fresh and unpolluted naspirit-Kindness. To others it tures. A noble calling but a brings into view the contrasted perilous! We are dressers in a pictures of the class-room before mental and moral vineyard. Let and after it has passed through us into our linguistic lessons their straight-jacket system, a introduce all kinds of beautiful system of honest, hard work stories; stories of the real kings (done at all cost) and nothing of earth that have reigned in secret, crownless and unsceptred; These are but two of the of the angels that have walked many phases of thought that the earth in the giuse of holy this word calls up, but do you men and women, and of the not see that your individual seraph singers whose music will conception betrays the bent of be echoing forever. Yes, throw your own personality? Like the a higher poetry than all this in-

may come days that will be "dark and dreary" when long work seems unmonths' done in a single moment, or when it suddenly dawns upon of pain to yourself, do you ever us that our ideals and hope in out pupils have not been realized, There comes to me in such a mood that beautiful prayer of Cardinal Newman beginning:

"Lead kindly Light! Amid the encircling gloom lead thou me on. The way is dark and I am far from home,"

leading us up to that sweet confidence in the will and help

With that aid we may work, week, "Come, Holy Spirit, and must be there. We cannot brook our aim in view and knowing Spanish army, or that from time all the while that the soul of the tercher, that the immortal voice upon some unprotected town or in his or her personality will be village, much in the same way perfected when we have "crossed

AN INTERESTING LECTURE BY FATHER DEVINE, S. J.

The night before last the St. Let each temple nobler than Boniface College Hall was than probable that instead of too of conflict is immediate and crowded with students and much there has not been enough most beneficial. The faith which ladies and gentlemen who came of it to secure success. Anglo- wells up in the heart under to listen to Father Devine's Saxon methods are much more such conditions is in many insmost captivating lecture, "Ocean "thorough." It ill becomes the tances a source of surprise even to Ocean." The Reverend Father nation which has exterminated to him in whom it is manifested. had come on to Winnipeg the the Red Man from the plains of In the hour of trial the Catholic and raises young hands in rever rior, the picturesque Lake of the within the present century—to confidence in the mercy and The fore; she wanders with them ly grandeur of the Rockies and of the ruthlessness of Spanish manity upon the Supreme Pow-

ing them with brief anecdote mean at Drogheda or Wexford— thoroughfare some days ago. teacher tip of his tongue ready for im- century historians like Carlyle dropped a seed in the rich soil

word-painting. No less than the French. "Spain and not three hundred excellent views England was being desolated; were thrown upon the sereen, the houses burnt, the parents with loud applause.

thus entertaining them.

THE CASKET

On Spain and Cuba

"David Creedon, in to-day's issue, deals with the contention put an end to the rebellion in three years. He throws some light on the effectiveness of may be exposed, Let us endeavor guerilla warfare fron the history to make our pupils love their of the Peninsular War. An even more striking illustration, one which will readily come home to United States readers is furwar, and this is within the memory of many men yet living in the Republic. In that contest a miserable band of Indians in Florida, which when finally rounded up was found to number about four thousand men, women and children, defied the power of the United States and baffled the ablest generals sent against them, not for three, but for seven whole years, from 1835 to 1842 and that without any base of supplies on a near-by friendly coast. Yet none of the Powers of that day proposed to serve on the United States a three-days' notice to haul down her flag in Florida.'

David Creedon quotes a writer in the April number of Blackwood's Magazine to show how the Spanish guerillas inflicted on the victorious armies of Napoleon the first check they had ever received. Then he

"If guerillas could be so formidable in the face of such a force as that with which Napoleon was over-running Spain, it is not at all surprising that a handful of banditti, natives of the island and therefore invulnerable to the disease which decimates the regular troops, should in their mountain fastto time they should swoop down as the James boys or the Dalton Cath. Standard and Times. (Phila.)

find time to get their guns.

"My strength is like the strength statistics and charming bits of terms of "gallant enemies" with were not Fuglish. For the We feel sure the audience of Spaniard it was not so simple a years in Montreal, the bill is pupils come to regard their leader learnt in weeks of crreful read provocation in the Mutiny our addressed to him at Schriber [sic]. as one who will never fail them ing. The St. Boniface people are hand was not so light. It may All which is fully in keeping in any onward movement, and extremely grateful to Father be doubted whether some of our with our receiving "United they will quickly follow her Devine for his generosity in officers and men had much to learn from any Spainish guerillero in the practice of a refined and ferocious revenge.'

"The Blackwood writer is amu-

sed at the historian of the Peninsular War " to whom shootings by a generel were the custom of war, stern but wholesome, while counter-shootings by a partisan were an outrage on good man-ners—adding, "A man may be a great writer, and a fine military critic, but none the less enslaved to the idols of his own den." Sir William Napier was a fairly representative exponent of Anglo-Saxon principles. Then how is it that we find the Anglo-Saxon world at present facing the other way, horrified at the necessary severity employed by a Spanish Captain-General of Cuba, and looking with eyes of toleration if not approval upon the blowing np of passenger trains with dynamite by Cuban insurgents? There can be only one explanation. The Spanish guerillas during the Peninsular War werenational troops; their opponents were attempting the destruction of Spain as a nation. In Cuba today the case is reversed—the regular troops are defending Spanish interests attacked by the guerillas. Hence the right about face in Britain with an eye for atrocities. Though temporary policy—the dread of Napoleon might for a moment cause her to ally herself with Spain, Britain has none the less consistently hated Spain, and now has tears of sympathy for the sufferings of Cuban banditti and smiles of approval for "the great American Ivnching-bee" because the object of her hatred is in a fair way to ${f destruction.}$

A Touching Incident.

A Non-Catholic Volunteer who wan-"A Little Man in a Metal Case, Just Like Those the Catholic Soldiers Have.

gang have entered and plund-dered towns in the Western tions devolop and make mani-States, and dashed away before fest much that is good and much the surprised inhabitants could that is bad in man. In matters spiritual the effect produced up-"As to Spanish cruelty in deal-on the individual suddenly ing with these bandits it is more summomed to face the dangers War he sets up Cromwell's but- Catholics, as was evidenced The lecturer has the knack of chery of Irish women-after by a touching incident that varying his scenes and enliven- Naseby, he says, but he must transpired on a Philadelphia

peared to draw sustenance and of England," Lect. iv, p. 94.) strength from an invisible source. Now and then he saw an exchange of confidences and CULLED FROM THE PROa mutual exhibition of valuable possessions—not intrinsically valuable, but treasures nevertheless. The time of final depar. | Cosmopolitan Irishmen-\$300, all spoken, he sees to his right the portals of a quiet conventa cross over the door. Several lads are at play on a neighbor-

"My boy, take this quarter house opposite to sell you one of those little men in a metal Bryan.

An expression of doubt appears on the lad's face, and the

man hastily adds: 'Like those they give to the Catholic soldiers; they'll know."

the convent steps the man waits on the sidewalk.

"Oh," ejaculates the boy,

To the gentle nun who answers the summons the vouthful messenger explains his mission -explains it, with a smile, in the exact words of his employer. He wishes to purchase "a little man in a metal case, just 'like those they give to Catholic soldiers." A question or two, and elapse and the boy emerges. He carries "a little man in a metal case, just like those they give to Catholic soldiers." besides, a number of blessed meman on the sidewalk.

the money," explained the lad, that halo is no longer his. handing back the quarter.

Big tears appeared in the man's eyes and coursed down APRIEST FROM AUSTRALIA his bronzed cheeks. He was deeply moved.

"Do you know any of the ladies in the house?" he inquired, in tones that betrayed his emotion.

"I know one," replied the lad mentioning the Sister superior.

"Thank you very much," said the man, and he continued his journey to the armory. F.P.G.

Ruskin on the Worship of the MADONNA.

"Mariolatry," p. 69. Ruskin, who, as far as Catholicity is concerned, has little in common with the above authors of the Southern hemisphere and -on the contrary, like Carlyle, often displays an almost frene- before the last roses of the sumtic hatred of the Church,—is mer had ceased to bloom there. compelled, all the same, to con- He came by way of the Figi Isfess: "I am persuaded that the lands, Hawaii and Vancouver on worship of the Madonna has the Canada-Australia line. been one of the noblest and most vital graces of Catholicism, and has never been otherwise than productive of true holiness of life and purity of character. . . There has probably not been an innocent cottage house throughout the length and breadth of Europe in which the imagined presence of the Madonna has not given sanctity to the humblest duties and comfort to the sorest trials of the lives of women.' this Israelite Maiden "every highest and loftiest achievement of the art of manhood." (Fors Clavigera, 41st Letter.) It not only idealized but sanctified woelsewhere maintains: "From the moment when the spirit of Christianity had been entirely interpreted to the Western races, the sanctity of womanhood worshipped in the Madonna, and the sanctity of childhood in unity with that of Christ, be-

had noticed that among those came the light of every honest What We Owe to the Catholic who were to be his comrades on heart and the joy of every pure the field were many who ap and chastened soul." ("The Art

VIDENCE VISITOR.

ture draws near, and as he 000, GIVEN TO ARCHBISHOP passes from his home to his re- CORRIGAN TO PAY OFF HIS SEMIgiment's quarters, his farewells NARY DEBT-SIR Francis DRAKE.

The cosmopolitan character of the Irishman is shown by the ing pavement. He summons fact that Mr. Theodore Roosevelt one of them, and this colloquy is a member of the American-Irish Historical Society, while Miss Lavinia Dempsey is queen and ask one of the ladies in the of the Holland Dames. The Bishop of Murcia in Spain is named

Twenty-one Catholics of New York contributed \$5000 apiece to the jubilee fund for clearing make for greatness.—L'POOL off the debt on St.Joseph's Seminary, Dunwoodie; one gave \$6000; four gave \$2500; two gave understand;" and as he mounts \$2000; and twenty-two gave \$1000. The balance of the \$300, 000 debt was raised without difficulty. If figures are taken as an index, New York is surely a great archdiocese, as is "the million dollar" seminary a great institution.

Perhaps the temper of the nation at this time demands it, but diers." A question or two, and the nun understands the exact situation. The Mother Superior is summoned. More questions as Sir Francis Drake, who in as Sir Francis Drake, who in the properties and the properties and properties are did de l'Enfance" (Kindergarten). and answers follow, and the principle and practice was nun and her superior exchange neither more nor less than a sixhappy glances. A few minutes teenth century Jesse James-a highwayman of the ocean, for whom murder and rape and robbery were every day and weland come occurrences. That he preyed on the Spaniards put a halo dals. These he surrenders to the around his head in the eyes of his contemporaries, "And Sister told me to return if he got his deserts we are sure

Rev. Father James Giblin, a secular priest of the diocese of Birmingham, stopped over at Rev. Father Cherrier's last Saturday and preached an excellent sermon on Sunday at High Mass in the Church of the Immaculate Conception. He spoke of the for the active duties of life, is obtained inestimable privileges Catholics at Winnipeg Business College and Short enjoy as compared with the adherents of all other religions. In the afternoon he visited the Catholic institutions of St. Boniface. On Monday he continued his eastward journey home to England. This is his third consecutive summer without any intervening season: he spent last summer in Texas, took steamer for New Zealand and Australia in time to catch the early summer left Australia to steam northward

Craft Guilds.

In the course of the learned arricle on "Craft Guilds in the Fifteenth Century" which he has contributed to the current issue of the "Dublin Reveiw," the Right Rev. Abbot Snow brings out a point which has perhaps been never yet sufficiently emphasised. It is this: Investigation of the influence of the craft guilds makes it tolerably certain that many of the characteristics that distinguish an Euglishman, his sturdy independence, his commercial enterprise, his dogged determination, his capacity for government, his self-dependence and love of freedom took their rise in guild life in mediæval times. The guilds were not merely instruments of national progress, but were specially valuable as a means of training the workers and implating in them habits that CATH. TIMES.

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June.

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Monday-St. Norbert, Confessor.

Tuesday-Our Lady of Grace. Wednesday-Votive Office of St

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Christi, with octave. Friday-Of the Octave. Comme-

moration of St. Marguret. 11, Saturday-Of the Octave.

BRIEFLETS.

Rev. Fr. Devine, S.J., returned east yesterday morning.

Rev. Father Jolys, parish priest of St. Pierre, is in town.

by a cold spell with wind from example we should like to see the north but no frost.

Mr. Nicholas Bawlf has been laid up for some days with a carbuncle, but is now improving.

Admiral Dewey is a convert to the Catholic faith, and a practical and consistent Catholic

Rev. Fathers George and Audemard, O. M. I., returned yesterday and are now at the palace.

The University Council meeting of Friday last was, after a short sitting, adjourned to Thursday next.

The University Examination reports are now being tabulated. Results will be made public on Thursday.

Rev. Fr. Blais, O.M.I., returned from a trip of "spying out the land" in the west yesterday. He Is making arrangements for new colonists. We are happy to state that the Reverend Father is looking quite well.

Curação, where the Spanish fleet first put into an American part, is a Dutch colony and a quaiut little island ninety miles north of Venezuela. It gives its Catholic Prayer Books in great variety. name to a celebrated liquer that was formerly manufactured from Winnipeg Stationery & Book Co. the peel of a peculiar spacies of orange growing there, but most of the fruit trees have been destroyed by the droughts and the supply now comes from other West Indian islands.

A Cuban broker, interviewed by "La Presse" of Montreal, says there are not more than four or five thousand insurgents in a population of 1,800,000, and that all those who are not scoundrels and cutthroats are now helping the Spaniards against the Americans. He says it will take 300,000 yankee troops several years fighting Spaniards and yellow fever before they can subdue the island.

A fact that will be most gratefully learned by all Catholics, is that since the gallant conduct of Chaplain Chidwick on the Maine, Catholic Chaplains have been greately in demand in both branches of the service. The Cardinal has received several requests for priests in his diocese, and the provincials of the various religious orders have been fairly besieged by similar appeals. The Jesuit Provincial, Father Purbrick, is here considering several offers to the members of his order for regular commissions as army chaplains.

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Dec. 8th. The Immaculate Conception.
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1. The forty days of Lent.

2. The Wednesdays and Fridays in Advent

3. The Ember days, at the four Seasons, heling the Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays of

a. The first week in Lent.
b. Wnitsun Week.
c. The third week in September.
d. The third week in Advent.

4. The Vigils of
a. Whitsunday.
b. The Solemnity of SS. Peter and Paul.
c. The Solemnity of the Assumption.
d. All Saints.
e. Christmas.

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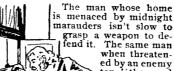
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