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The Parent and the State.
In his address on religion in education at the convention of
the National Educational Association, held at Milwarkee,
Dr. Lyman Abbot said: "The basis of self-government is self
education. This is the foundation of our public school system. vidual parent or to the children, By government we suppose in this Republic the people, who vern themselves. Now if the people, that is, parents, are competent
to direct the destinies of the nation, why are they not equally competent to direct the education of their own children? Inour sys-
tem of government theadministration or law-making and executive power is the mere agent of the
people and is legitimate only by reason of its commission from the people. It cannot go beyond the
limit of its commission. Any step beyond that limit is usur pation, treason against the con-
stitution. The American people have never ceded to the State Christians can they ever make such a surrender. The right is divine parent orer the child tions inseparable from that right. By what authority does Dr.Abbott say," we will not trust the educa
tion of the child to the individual parents?"
himself an individual pappose, Would he for a moment, consent to have the direction of the education of his children taken from
him and given to those in whose him and given to those in whose
judgment and rectitude he may judgment and rectitude he may
have no confidence? We think not, because we do not believe
that he is an unnatural parent, or unwittingly a pagan. The Greek state once required young
people of both sexes to appear at people of both sexes to appear a
certain times naked in the mar certain times naked in the mar education. Should the Brookly educational solons make such
requirement, on what principle could Dr. Abbott protest against family indece while holding he does that the individual parent hedoes that the individual parent his own children.
He may say they would not
issue such an order. Very well possibly they would not. But, But
that is not the question. The question is, does he recognize in them, or concede to them the
right to do so? When vou grant right to do so? When you grant
that the State has the right in it that the State has the right in it-
self, and independently of individual parents, to educate, yo grant that it has the right to de
termine the kind of education to termine the kind of education to
be given, and the method of be given, and the method o
giving it. Should the Stat therefore, adopt the naked exhi bition of youth as a part of its
educational method what would Dr. Abbott do? He has given to protest, for a protest against the ex place.
There is a fallacy in the Doctor's statement that "the basis o
self-government is self-educa self-government is self-educa
tion," if by self-education he means education by the governthis Repablic, either in principle or in fact. The revolutionary leaders who established the Republic were more or less men o education, but they were not
State educated. They prored that State education was not necessary to establish the governadopt, and they were too wise to
adory that State edu
cation was necessary to run it.
That is a modern theory that has not an iota of reason or experien ce to confirm it
than the elements the better it. If these elements, the parents cannot be trusted in the matter of education. the State cannot Almighty God has, and does, the child to honor and obey him Any government that intervenes atween parent and child and wisdom by interfering with that command, is at the beginning of hobby to is not wise to permil mon sense.- N. Y. Freeman's


## The Lambeth Conference.

The great conference of the Anhas come to Bishops so loudly heralded the transaction of any real busi-
ness is concerned it has been of far less importance than an ordinary meeting of Convocation. We do not
often assume the role of the prophet, but in this instance we must
take credit to ourselves for having asserted beforehand that the grood Bishops would dine comfortably what they have done. The grand
schemes for aggrandizng the Archhishopric of Cantorbury have pracwriter in "The Daily
cen giving some personal imprestells us that the project of raising the Archbishopric to a Patriarch-
ate was once for all knocked on the head. "It was as distinctly laid Archbishop of Canterbury has no power, save the moral strength his the doctrines or discipline of the American and Colonial Churches. These communions must be al-
owed to maintain their native au onomy, even thongh it should sometimes lead to developments
distasteful to other branches of the Church. Both Colonial and Ameri can Bishops feel that if this was
the only thing accomplished, the while. They are willing to porth it the descendant of St. Augustine (1) reverence and respect, but the
will suffer no diminution of th ight to govern themselves in the This is all just as we foretold. Th Archbishop of Canterbury has been
taught what his place is the"board taught what his place is s. the"board
of reference" is to have no hinding power ; and the Bishops wish it known that the "Encyclical Le er" embracing the findings of th authority, and that "no Church in he Anct on it communion is boun way." Truly a mountain has been not even a mouse.-Catholic times.

REV. FATHER CHERRIER
Pays a Tribute to Labor.
Speaking at the church of the Imm Rev. Father Cherrier paid a high tr showed to what an extent the and showed to what an extent the priest
hood of the church was recruited from for their daily bread. Referring to the deplorable evils which now exist in th social order and the conflict between
capital and labor he said the cause was easily seen in the widespread disregard
of the teachings of religion, of God and His gospel. He referred to the stupen society in the first days of Christen dom and eloquently outlined the se vices rendered by the old monastic

| orders. He shewed how the churc dually brought about the improv of the condition of the laboring and argued that the present deplo condition was one of the results so-called Reformation. inasmu since then men had refused to to the true teachings of religion the church had lost the power she formerly used in a material for the good of all her children. gion no longer exercises a ben sway over the people and so lo the world refused to turn to re for guidance so long wount the pr disorders continue an? become sified. In conclusion h pressed his heartfelt hope that minds of men might soon te turn the right direction and tha by a versal acceptance of the true teac of the gospel men should recognize duty one towards the other. For a consummation they should a voutly pray. |
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## The Catholic Foresters

Mr. L.N.Betournay of Tache Conrt Foresters, and Mr. F. W. Russell, of S Mary's Court No 276, Winnipeg, have re Curned home from the Minnesota State Stillwater, Minnesota, an the city of and 26 th August. They state that thie and the reports presented by the state officers shew that the society is in diction. During the past year the membership has more than doubled and there are now nearly twice as many
courts in existence as there were twelye months ago, with a large number in pro-
cess of formation. There were upwards cess of formation. There were upwards
of eighty delegates in attendance as compared with twenty at the first State The financial statement sbo years ago itmost economy is practised by the delegates assembled on the morning of Tuesday the $24 t h$, and accompanied by
the local court and the uniformed Minthe local court and the uniformed Min
neapolis Court with two brass band and a number of banners proceeded in body to the German Catholic Churcb appearance. The sermon was imposing by one of the most eloquent preackers A Minneapolis, Rev- Father Christie
Atter the service the delegates assem for business, Mr. Rusgell being appoint ed one of the State Conductors for the
convention. The usual committees were appointed, Mr. Russell being the various reports were read and referred. An adjournment then look place to
enable tine committees to get to work In the evening the delegates were
entertained at a musical soiree and social. On Wesnesday morning the convention settled down to hard work
and by three o'clock in the afternoon had got through most of the business A few amend ments of minor importance
were made to the constitution and reso tions passed, the most important being in faqor of the establis!ment of a reserve taken through the State Penetentiary and were mach interested in what they saw The convention re-assembled at 7 o'clock
in the evening and sat until 12 o'clock completing the business, and selecting the next convention. Nine o'clock on Maursday morning saw the delegates
again at work and by one o'clock the business of the conventon was brought
to a close by the olection of the followng off cers:-

V.C.R.:-A. Richard, of Stillwater;Trea-



W. Russell was nominated for trustee
but just fell short of election. At the close aken on a carriage drive around the ity and in the evening a five hours
on the Mississipi.
The local dele
were much pleased at the way in which


#### Abstract

 courage all to extra efforts to add names


 their roll.Awful Parricide and Switt Con-

## trition.

The murder perpetrated on the 22nd ult., in the Hungarian co lony near Whitehood, Assa., and ter the terrible deed furnish a re markable instance of unbridled passion followed by soul-stirring sorrow and repentance.
Andrew Grega aged Andrew Grega, aged 66, had aged 28, but on the 19th of A ust the father went over to h daughter's house. On the 21s he returned to get his belong ings and stayed all night. The Adam's wife came to him in tea complaining that the old man was taking away not only his others that belonged to his so Adam remonstrated with his fath er, a very strong, stern and ove,
bearing man. The latter insiste on taking the chickens an slapped his son's face. Adam
thereupon said., "Hit me again." Thereupon said., "Hit me again."
The old man did so, and th son repeated, "Hit me a third time, " and a third time the fath Adam, beside himseli
ry, saw an axe close by with fuand with it felled his seized it the ground, raining blow to blow till his father was upon Then and then only did he realiz what he had done. Turning t hilled him ; I must atone for th crime, I must give myself up. So, bidding adieu to his wife and child, he walked 24 m iles to
Whitewond, where he gave himWhitewood, where he gave himself up to Constable Quinn, say
ing, "Do with me what vou will hang me; I deserve the wors punishment."
Then he asked for Rev. Father Page, O.M.I.,made his confession and next morning received Holy Communion, remaining so long for his thanksgiving that his
friends had to interrupt his bro-ken-hearted prayer.
Adam now remembered tha A had had a quarrel with his sis through with her the Her, he went ceremony of kissing hands in token of reconciliation. The next moment all the pent-up agouy o found vent in a wild, uncontrollable fit of sobbing and wailing His great franne shook as the sobs burst from his heaving chest
Not only did his sister weep with Not only did his sister weep with
her erring brother, but th her erring brother, but the
constable himself, after showing Adam into another room where to his deep grief, was heard to say, as he wiped the tears from his own face, that he could not warm-hearted man.

Gold is cropping up every where. One
of the latest inds is on the shore of Lake
Wawa, five miles from the Michipicote
river. Would Fr. .ejeune of the Kamoloope
Wawa kindly inform us it there is any
philological connection between the two
names.
1897.


Architectural Sterility.
A staff writer in Reynodls nothip (London) remarks tha dence of the want of faith in the present churchmen (in England) than the fact that, with the exception of St. Paal's, built to take the place of the old st. Paul's, burned they have built Fire of London they have built no magnificen This is God.
This is a noteworthy and sug gestive fact. Who built the
rreat temples. then great temples, then, for there are
several of them in England? The several of them in England? The the English cathedrals," says he Catholics; yges ago by Roman lation has increased thirtyfold since their erection. no single new building of equal importan tawdry, jerry-built The ugly, which hare been 'run up' remind us more of rough nursery toys are to judge the depth of their religion by their style of eccle siastical architecture then, indeed, it is one of the most gilt ginger-
bread faiths that the world has known
It need hardly be added that in the matter at least of the
erection of great church fabrics he same may be said of the State Church and its disestablisad successor in Ireland. All the nowest ecclesiastical structures
of that country are the work ither of Catholics "ages ago" or The grand old cathedrals now ine grand old cathedrals now
in Protestant hands were built in the dyas when all Lurope was Catholic. That Irish Catholics now have a like spirit of zeal for the beauty of God's house new cathedrals which hare prung up in Ireland within the past half century.


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## TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 71897.

The Monthly Intention. The intention to which the associates of the Apostleship of Prayer are ex-
horted to direct all their prayers and good works during the month of Sep
tember is "Priests and Communities in tember is "Priests and Connunuities in
Retreat." Though this announcement comes rather late for America, where
such retreats take place generally in such retreats take place penerally in
July and August. we should remember that the League of the Sacred Heart is
worrd-wide and that in Europe and
other parts of Christendom September other parts of Christendom Soptember
it the asual month for retreats to the clergy and reigious. Moreover, we
cannot do better than pray that those
priests and religious who have olvead priests and religious who have alread
made their annual retreat may re made their annual retreat may re
main, as the American Messenger puts it, "charged with the influence of
divine grace, and endued with new strength and a holy courage to live
always and in all things united to stways and in all things united
God, acting in His presence, strictly accord with His will for the welfare of our souls and His glory." Thus will
their purified lives and more perfect their puritied lives and more perfect
conformity to their high calling reconformity to their hige that, while praying for them, we stuall be actua ly praying for our own welfare an
for the interests of the Churci at large.

## Catholic pure and simple,

## The contributel article on the word "Ronauist" puts the case very well

 but it omits the reasons whyy our ene mies anu slanderers prefer "Romanistto "Catholic" pure and simple. Proba barred our contributor from attackin that aspect of the case. Let us give
one or two. Protestants of a certin imperfectly educated or perfectily fanatical class, call us "Romanists" be-
cause the word has a restricted, specialized, circumscribed, limited look licity of the Church, and thus it casts a slur on our boasted universality. We are made to look as if we were merely citizens of an Italian city; and any thing that belittles us delights Protes-
tants of that class. On the other hand. "Catholic" is a beautiful word, so beau iful indeed that they try to steal this our distinctive titele, trim us. Some of
hem call themselves Anglo.Catholics, others Apostolic Catholics.others again East style themselves Orthodox Cath olics ; but none of these pretenders. none of these counterffit Catholics have ever suceeeded in getting, other people to call them "Catholics" pure
and simple, "Catholics" without any modifier. This is still our inalienable and universally recognizeel prerogative.
It is true to-day as it was in the days It is true tollay as it was isk hays
of Augustine that, if you ask any man you meet in the street whero "the you to the Ritualist or the Irvingite
or any other half-Catholic church but or any other half-Catholic church but
to the church that is in communion to the church that is in
with the Roman Pontiff. ith the Roman Pontiff.

## the foregoing remarks. A Catholi should at all times use this distinctiv

 name iu ordinary conversation. Onwhen theological precision requires
should he call himself a "."Roman Cath olic." The man that habitually speaks
of $h$." nearer Protestantism than Catholicism

## Chop-Logic.

The Reverend Doctor Lambert, editor of the N. Y. Freeman's. Journal, We print this week his leader on "The Parent and the State, "an article whic
is full of startling truths so simple tha they are immediately recognized as
truths and yet never before so expressed truths and yet never
as he expresses them Unfortunately Dr. Lambert's love of logic sometimes carries him into exag
geration. Recently, when criticizing Dr. Lyman Abbott sassertion, "Ther
is some truth in all creeds and som virtue in all communions," he main-
tained that this was a very doubtul compliment, because " no proposition even a false one, can be formulated
withouthaving sometruth in it. What is more false than to say, 'God is not? And yet the first two words of the pro
position express a truth, namely. (Ho , Thus even the atheist cannot de anthe existance of God without firs there anything trae in that? Yes. the
affirmation that I am is true. The re affirmation that I am is true. The re
mainder is mere trimmiugs incorrectly ocated.
We have no quarrel with the general proposition which Dr. Lamberts articite
is intended to prove, i. e., that it is no
cond contains some truth; but we cannot
help thinking very strongly that the passages quoted above are mere sopisis-
try, and that Dr. Lambert's proof iu his instance rests upon a quibble. He plays upon the verb "to No doubt ' 'God is' may, given a certain
context, mean 'God exists,' and 'God s not' here does mean 'God exists not; ne this is far from being the ordinar sentence Take, for instance, the second
example we quote from Dr. Lambert You are a liar.' 'The word 'are 'l
nothing to do with existence ; it Yothing to do with existence;
nerely a connecting-link between 'y and liar ', it is nothing but a conveni-
ent gobetween expressing the agree-
mint between the subject'rou' and the

In proof of our view, let us frame a sentence in which both predicate and himeras." Surely, the 'are' does no imply that Centaurs ever existed; it
merely stands for the assertion that merely stands for the assertion that
centaurs (imaginary beings) are conbeings called chimerass. It is ridiculous to say that by the time we have proence, we have affirmed the existence o centaurs, and that, when we pronounce
the third word, we merely add a few the third w
rimmings.
It thus appears that, even in the first
sentence, 'God is not sentence, 'God is not', the word 'is,
stand for 'is existent'; so that 'God is
st' not' 'i equivalent to 'God is not exist
ent', and the word 'is' merely aftit ent, and the word is merely affirms
that the idea Gold is contained in
the vast ideal atenory of non existent the vast ideal category of non-existent
things. This will appear still more clearly if we pive to this proposition its,
more usual form, "(ood does not exist.' more usual form, "Good does not exist.
Stop at 'loes': 'God does'; have you at.
to firmed or denied anything? No, ti sentence as well as the thought is inwords, because truth and falsity sup pose an affirmation or a negation, and here can be no afirmation or neg
unless the predicate is expressed.
Hence Dr. Lambert is, we think quite wrong when he says: "Error pure and simple cannot exist or stand a-
lone." The greatest of all errors, the wost disastrous of all falsehoods, the ary acine of absurdity stands severel. There is no God.' That sentencoce con.
Then Prot a shrel, not an atom of truth Probaty, what Dr.Lambert means, he very denial of God's existence sup Doses the idea of God and that this idea
a true one corresponding to the only is a true one corresponding to the only
independent Reality. But his reasoning has no value except in a loose,me taphorical sense,and looseness and me taphorical language in a question o
logic are the last thiugs he has accus tomed us to expect at his hands.
However,his main contention is prac alse propositions owe their currency to the element of truth which they con. tain, and therefore to say that there is some truth in one particular proposition or doctrine is merely to range it
in the common herd of human thought
the word "romanist" Its Origin - Those who Use It.

Among non-Catholics of certain class the word "Romanist" is still held in some esteem. Eren such a fair-minded and
enlightened one as Mr. James enlightened one as Mr. James
Fisher, M.P.P., does not hesitate Fisher, M.P.P., does not hesitate
to use it occasionally. It found to use it occasionally. It found
place. more than once, in his speeches on the school question uring the 1896 session of the legislature; he apparently seemed
utterly oblivious of the fact utterly oblivious of the fact
that the use of the offensive epithet was especially distaste-
fulto the very he was then pleading with such marked ability
The word had its origin du ing the sanguinary times that has beenen called revolution which he reformation. At that perio he extirpation of the Catholi farth in England was the domi nating object of the laws of tha country as its statute books
abundantly prove. To aid in iving some color of justification or or pretext for, the merciles persecution that followed, every epithet calculated to excite de testation and abhorrence against
Catholics, whose crime consisted atholics, whose crime consisted
in their adhesion to the faith of their tathers, was lavishly heaped upon them. It followed that among the first words the
reformation added to our langrormation added to our lan
gas the one I have ind cated with its kindred ones, "Ro "Popery", "P ist," "Papistical,
It is therefore little wonde that Catholics resent and condem the use of hese opprobriou
terms; indeed the wonder that among non-Catholics any intelligence craim to ordinar decency can be found who will make use of them.
Not many years ago the New York Independent, one of the ablest non-Cathonc journais in
the English language, adopted standing rule that it would no publish any articie in which
these offensire words occurred In his "Glossary of Litur ical and Ecclesiastical Terms the Rev. Dr. Frederick George Lee, Anglican Vicar of all Saints Lambeth, England, thus defines gar word "Romanist"- a val
gared chiefly by the un gar word used chiefly by the un of the ancient and venerable
Church of Rome." Church of Rome.
Many who use
Many who use these terms do that in doing so they are not that in doing so they are not
only wounding the tenderest feelings of Catholics but are of fending against good taste
Christian courtesy as well.
Happily, however, the use of them is becoming more and more
restricted. They are rapidly becoming the exclusive property of backwoods preachers and peripatetic Evangelicals of the in turn will discard them as they gradually find that the remuneration derived from their use
is, sadly but surely, "growing is, sadly but surely, "growing y less."
The time is not far distant When, apart from their being cited as literary curiosities, the
opprobrious terms referred to hall have passed away as fully and finally as the dungeon, the nessed their ignominous birth.

## Warman on the Voice-

## As Professor Warman is about

 le moment to review his wavk The Voice-how to train it-how us some time ago.It is a thin, broad, royal octavo vo me of 168 pages, admirably printed on
xcellent paper, with 28 practical grams and illuatrations. Every line the book is interesting. There is padding; if anything, the
The first part treats of the Use and
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fessor will recognize the true ring of the
Baltimore: for, though the Island belongs
honest man who is not going to lure bonest man who is not going to lure to the Dominion, the diocese. founded "The first golden
cellence is practice; and this can be
purchased only by lsbor-unremitting When eonmunications took place
through the United States alone, belonys
to the ecclesiastical province of Ure purchased only by lisbor-unremitting
pabor-and perseverance." There are $\begin{gathered}\text { In July of } 1888 \text { Fratier of Lemogen. } \\ \text { received the Papal }\end{gathered}$ abor-and perseverance." There are received the Papal briel appointing him oo many valuable hints everywhere ap and down the book that one could fill columns with them. We have been
particularly impressed by what the author writes of the importance of a sweet-toned voice for the teacber, who
should "cultivate the moral quality of voiee; that is, the heart or emotional
element, $-a$ tone too often foreign to element,-a tone too often foreign to
the school-room." In his chapter on Nostrums be writes: By all means, avoid coughing..for here is nothing more irritating to
ough than to cough. Constant oug is precisely like scratching a wound o long as it is done the wound will not heal. Wien tompted to cough, draw a long breath and hold it until it warme
and soothes every cell, and much beneand soothes every cell, and much benenilar advise is given at page 122 about clearing the throat." Mr. Warman says hroat by a slight rasping sound, "avoid it by moistening the throat by the doglatition of saliva then," having drawn a ong breath through the nose, never position suited to the utterance of the word "Ha!" and emit breath slowly as long as you can do so easily, and repe
the operation half a dozen times. Part Second, from pare 41 to page 8 physiology of the wathy, hygiene and nthor is confident that enlargement of the tonsils can be cured by proper vocal
reatment without recourse to the treatment without recourse to the
surgeon's knife. This section of the surgeon's knife. This section of th
work is replete with counsels of the lighest practical value, among th man calls "the active wbest" and "diaphragmatic" as opposed to clavicula eathing.
most Chird-from page 87 to the endBreathing the book, is taken up with culture and development of the voice" hese exercises will be familiar to all who have heard the great Professor give hi
lectures on Voice Culture but no printed words can fully supply the place of so admirable a teacher as Mr. Warman These instructions are just enough to whet one's appetite for more. They are especially valuable as reminders
of the author's viva voce teaching. N. of the author's viva voce teaching. Not
a few of his Winnipeg pupils last autumn a few of his Winnipeg pupils last autumn
have since kept up some at least of these ingenious vocal exercises and can wit
ness to the benefit they have derive ness to the
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theory and practice are blended with the
most satisfactory results. The publisbers

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## OBITUARY.

## Death of the Bishop of Vancou

## ver's 1sland.

On the last day of last month the sad news reached Victoria, B.C., that His
Lordship Bishop Lemmens Lad died of yollow fever in Guatemala.
John Nicholas Lemmens was borni
June 3rd, 1850, at Schimmert in Holland. From 3rd, 1850, at Schimmert in Holland facility for acquiring languages, speaking no less than four-Dutch, Flemish, German and French-as a mere boy. Having studied theology at Louvain, he was ordained priest in March 1875 at Brussels. The next year he came to Vancouver's Island and became a missionary among
the Indians tribes. He soor mastered the Indians tribes. He soon mastered a
dozen different Indian languages, and being a man of great ability, straightforthe coast tribes.
In 1882 he was appointed by Bishop Brondel rector of the cathedral of Victoria and in 1884 he represented Vancouver's
Island at the third plenary council of

Bishop of Vancouver's Island in succes sion to Archbishop-Bishop Seghers, wh had been murdered in Alaska some $t_{\text {wenty }}$ months before. At first the
huwble missionary couid not make up howble missionary couid not make up
his mind to aecept the responsibility of
the the episcopal charge; he protested that he was good for nothing but work among the Indians. However, when Father Lory and Drummond, who had just aranited with the clergy of the cathedral advising Father Lemmens to consent the Papal nomination, he did so with mits to Godis holy will. He who sub crated August 5th, 1888.
Others will tell in due time all that ouls Lemmens did for the good we can only dwell on the tast pontifate his great and good man. On this visit to Mexico some two years ago he picked up Whanish with the sareatest of the ease, and America suggested to him of Spanish expedition in those countrim a in begging help pay off debt on his cathedral. With this object in view, and also for the
benefit of bis health winter in Guatemala, and there, as the telegraph hus informed us, he met his
end. The same despatch general regret is felt in Victoria, as the Bishop was highly esteemed by all was a of people. And no wonder: for he Lord's vineyard, winning his way by he sheer force of his natural and supernatural gifts.


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$\frac{\text { NOTICE }}{\text { Some of our exchanges have }}$ not yet noticed our change of
address. Papers marked "Winnipeg" reach us a day late. Our present address is

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$\overline{\text { CALENDAR FOR NEXT WEEK }}$


## brieflets.

It was $94^{\circ}$ in the shade last Friday,
Sept. the third.

A very successful meeting of Branc
No. 52 of the C.M.B.A. was held last week.
Rev. Father Woodcutter was in town last week and
Wednesday.

Rev. Fr. Lemieax returned from the Oak Lake, his parisb.
St.Mary's court No. 276 of the Catholi Order of Foresters hold a meeting in
Unity Hall this evening.

The general retreat of the Oblate the feast of our Lady's Nativity.
His Grace the Archbishop of St. Boniface hospital at the end of last week now somewhat better.

The night between the 2nd and 3rd
September was so warm that the thinnest of blankets was de trop.
Rev. Father Teefy, Rector of St. Michael's College, Toronto, passed through:
Winnipeg last week and was the guest of Mr. H. Bridges of the C.P.R.
Weather prophets in this region predict a warm September with no severe nigh frosts till the end of the month. Meanripening beautifully.

Judge Routhier's son-in-law, Lieut Clifford Sutton, of the Royal Canadian Dragoons, Winnipeg, has passed, at At dershot, the examination in subjects

Before the consecration of Mgr. DonCburch of Uar Lady of the Rosary Vancouver, presented the Bishop-elect with a chalice and a crosier. The chal ice is of silver
The Catholic Citizen estimates the ehildren of Irish parentage, the worl
over, to be at the present time, $13,000,000$ distributed as follows: In Ireland, 4 500,000 ; in the United States, $5,000,000$ in England, 1,000,000; in Scotland, 500 000 ; in Australia, 700,000 ; in Canada 800,000 ; elsewhere, 500,000

At a meeting of the University Counit held last Thursday, Judge Dubuc wa sentatives of St. Boniface College in the Council are the same as last year, viz, Reverend Fathers Cherrier, Cloutier and Drummond, Judges Dubuc and Prendergast, Dr. J. K. Barrett and Mr F. W Russell; Fatbers Cherrier and Drum-
mond are re-appointed representatives

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 Chevalier Custave Drolet passed
hrough Winnipeg, the third $\begin{aligned} & \text { inst. }\end{aligned}$ on his way to his lately acquired
ing territory on the Saskatchewan. Mr. Rosario Germain, of Rohinson and
Co. was married to Miss Flora Henry at
eight o'clock yesterdy morning in St.
Mary's Church, Wimnipsg. Best wishes.


Winnipeg says this is the best season for
his business he has ever seen in Manito his business he has ever seen in Manito
ba. In fact prosperity is already within our gates.
Stovel's Directory for September conRailways, Steamboats, Post offices, Stage Routes, Societies, in Manitoba, N. W .T. and British Columbia.
Rev. Father Corbeil arrived from the east last Thursday; so did Rev. Father
Morin; the former went on tha same day Morin; the former went on the same da
to his parish of St.Adolphe; the latter Mr. Arthur Briere, a B.A. graduate of
Laval University (Montreal College),
went west yesterday to take charge of a went west yesterday to take charge of
school in the neigborhood of Willow
Bunch, Assa.
 applied to Reme to be relieved of his
duties as Prefect-A postlic of Alaska duties as Prefect-A postlic of Alaska on
account of ill-healti. He will be succeeded by Rev. J. B. Rene,S.J., who has been
for many years past a missionary among the Indians of Idaho and Montana.
The English Churchman declares
In the Protestant church of All Saints,
Lambeth, there hangs a portrait of the
Pope, a framed picture of the Holy Face and a list of the indulgences granted by included the hymn "Mother of Mercy."
Binop Messmer, of the diocese of Green Bay, has issued a pastoral letter enjoin-
ing Catholic societies from conducting Sunday picnics and excursions. Tbe letter also disapproves of Saturday night and
Sunday dances and announces that Catholies who persisist in attending such festivities will be denied the sacraments.

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& \text { Mr and Mrs T.J. Corwin returned from } \\
& \text { the east on Sunday of last week and }
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have taken up their residence at the Henderson Block. Whilst in Toronto Mr. Corwin purchased one of the last impro-
ved ore crushers and separators which he will operate on one of the best mining ral region.
Mr. Joseph Dery with his bride, bot of Rat Portage, married last Thursday stopped over to visit St. Boniface the by the bridegroom's mother and also by a younger brother going to enter St.Boni face College, where Mr Joseph Dery was at one time a student. The happy couple continued their wedding trip to St. Paul. A curions phenomenon was observed
yesterday evening after suaset yesterday evening after sunset. Three
broad bands of steady; rose colored light, all diverying from one point on the a height not the western. ho central band poiuted toward the zenith, the two out-
side bands diverged at an angle of some

## Brigadier-General William A. Olm-

 ed, who entered the congregation of tue years aro, will be ordained priest in the three years old neat Christmas Day. He served through the entire civil war studied and has since practised medicine When the war broke ont, Olmsted and railway office in Troy,N.Y ; the former went to the front, the latter stayed at his desk "to protect the New England coast." Result: Depew is a popular aillionaire with no special bank account in the next World; Olmsted is a soldier sans peur et sans reproche, a devoted physician, aWhole-souled religious, waiting calmly Whole-souled religious, waiting calmly
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