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The Motherland

Latest Mails from ENGLAND IRELAND and SCOTLAND

At the Carrickcolumbkille Petty Sessions a case which created widespread interest...

Cork has taken the right course in connection with the forthcoming Centenary celebrations...

The death took place at midday, Nov. 20th, of Mr. John Hooper, the editor of The Evening Telegraph...

On November 25th the Edmund Burke Centenary Commemoration took place in the Royal University Buildings...

On the motion of Mr. Samuel O. O. the chair was taken by the Marquis of Dufferin and Ava...

day but not only so, but the study of Park had been one of his best occupations...

At the meeting of the Swinford Board of Guardians the following report was received from Dr. M. J. Burke...

A meeting in furtherance of the policy of the Independent Party was held at Ballyhannis and proved to be a failure...

A Birr correspondent says a series of interesting finds have been discovered in the historic Leap Castle...

In the presence of a large congregation and accompanied by all the pomp of the Church a solemn ritual, presided over by His Grace the Most Rev. Dr. Crooke...

A very generous gift has been made to Athlone by Mr. William Smith, J.P., Mont Rose, one of the proprietors

of the Shannon Woollen Mills Company Limited. The hall, which is erected of red stone is a very handsome structure...

At the Dunmore Petty Sessions an enormous crowd of people assembled to hear the charges preferred against M. Harvey...

ENGLAND. Lecture on the Monastic Life. Recently at the Town Hall, Gateshead, the Rev. Canon Savage delivered a series of four lectures on "Monastic Life in England before the Reformation..."

Catholics Who Have No Distinction. A considerable number of Catholics have of late been winning distinction. Lieutenant A. B. Macintyre, of the Northamptonshire Regiment...

SCOTLAND. Archdiocese of Glasgow. A Synod, attended by all the clergy of the Archdiocese of Glasgow, was held in St. Andrew's Pro-Cathedral, Great Clyde street, on the 18th inst.

The Castle of Sanguhar. The Marquis of Bute is to restore the Castle of Sanguhar, in Dumfriesshire. Lord Bute's oldest title is Lord Orlinton of Sanguhar.

COLIC AND KIDNEY DIFFICULTY.—Mr. J. W. Wilder, J.P., Larkspur, N.Y., writes: "I am subject to severe attacks of Colic and Kidney Difficulty, and find Farnell's Pills afford me great relief..."

Countess Kathleen O'Shea.

A very long time ago, there suddenly appeared in old Ireland two unknown merchants of whom nobody had ever heard...

Both seemed of like age they appeared to be men of fifty, for their foreheads were wrinkled and their beards sagged with grey.

The following day, when the rumor spread that two rich strangers had come, ready to lavish their gold...

The two chapmen traded in souls for the demon. The soul of the aged was worth twenty pieces of gold, not a penny more...

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Two days afterwards the orders of the pious Kathleen were executed, and the treasure was distributed to the poor in proportion to their wants.

Then the poor called for aid to the plundered Kathleen, alas! to no good; she was able to succor their misery no longer...

Meanwhile, but eight days had to pass before the grain and provender would arrive in abundance from the western lands.

She passed twelve hours in tears and mourning, rending her sun-faded hair, and bruising her breast, of the whiteness of the lily; afterwards she stood up, resolute, animated by a vivid sentiment of despair.

"What do you want?" they said. "You buy souls?" "Yes, a few still, in spite of you. Isn't that so, saint, with the eyes of serpents?"

Farm and Garden

Are the pullets laying? If not what is the trouble? If early hatched and now five months old, they should be shelling out eggs worth two cents each in the market...

No one need hesitate about going into the business of raising poultry, for any farm that there will be an over supply.

Electric traction, as at present successfully applied to the plowing in France and Germany, is described in The Electricist, July 17 and 31.

The general principle is practically the same as that of the other power propelled plows, a gang-plow being hauled back and forth across the field.

A. W. Chever, in New England Farmer: One of the burdens that weigh down many a farmer is an unnecessary amount of fencing to be kept in repair.

Why is it that the value of all the live animals in the country requiring fences to restrain them, including swine, was \$1,942,800,000. The value of all the farm and garden crops...

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What course should a lawyer pursue when called on to defend a man whom he knows to be guilty? asked the examiner of the New Lexington applicant. The examined scratched his head a moment and answered: "Charge him double, of course."



The Catholic Register.

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1897.

Calendar for the Week.

- 8 - S. Lucia. 10 - S. Malchida. 11 - S. Danasus. 12 - S. Ursula. 13 - S. Lucy. 14 - St. Andrew Bohola. 15 - S. Florence.

It is proposed to erect for the Paris exhibition of 1900 a huge statue of President McKinley of solid gold. If the Americans do that there is danger of the nation falling into idolatry.

While Canadian politicians are looking to England for trade, the Canadian people may well take an English lesson in public decency. An American couple, Slatery and wife, have lectured in every large city in Canada...

The papers are full of rumors to the effect that a secret conference had last week at Quebec between Lieutenant Governors, Chapleau and Patterson and Messrs Tarte and Drolet...

There are probably many Irishmen in Canada who will learn with regret of the death of Mr. John Hooper, ex-M.P., editor of The Evening Telegraph, Dublin. Mr. Hooper was editor of The Cork Herald before he entered Parliament.

The Catholic Truth Society of Ottawa has always been a model for Catholics in other cities desiring to take up the work that has proved so successful in England.

of less than a dozen agitators. Both for the information of public-spirited Catholics and the instruction of the Catholics who have not yet been properly instructed in their duties. We are proud that at the annual meeting of the Ottawa Society on Sunday last the President Mr. Joseph Pope declared that the work was not meeting with all the support it deserved...

The result of the recent London School Board elections called forth a peculiar comment in the press of Ontario. The editors in their haste declared that the triumph of the Progressive element on the new Board can only be regarded as a damaging blow to religion in the schools. But the facts do not bear out any such opinion.

Nothing could be more natural than that Canadians should desire to see a steady improvement in the trade of this colony with Great Britain, and if such a thing is possible, the securing of preferential trade terms in the British market.

We had occasion last week to express regret that the Manitoba School question was dragged into the Centre Toronto contest. Just then an endeavor was also being made to revive an active sectarian feeling in the political field in Manitoba.

In face of the efforts of Attorney-General Cameron to arouse once more the anti-Catholic spirit, we must confess to a feeling of real pleasure at his defeat. We do not wish to wrong or misrepresent Mr. Cameron. The seat contested was Turtie Mountain, a stronghold of the local Liberal party.

defeating the Government by such a large majority. It is sincerely to be hoped that the idea expressed by the 'West' is right, that the election of Manitoba has found its way and Cameron at last and that the overture in Turtie Mountain is only the beginning of the end of their reign of rank demagoguism.

The speech or article, as the case may be with which we have so often renewed our acquaintance from the eloquent lips or the prolific pen of the English Imperial Federationist or the Canadian Conservative was repeated on Saturday evening by Hon. George W. Ross before a crowded house in St. George's Hall.

What! Are the objections of 'no coercion' of the Manitoba government not going to allow Marchand to follow in the footsteps of Greenway, Martin, Sifton & Co.?

Fair Play Should be Observed Where Human Life is at Stake. The number of murder trials in Ontario of late cannot fail to have attracted very general attention. It is earnestly to be hoped that in none of these cases has there been any undue wish either in the public or the official mind to secure a conviction.

What is to prevent either Canadian party from taking up a similar stand. The public stomach is apt to revolt against this incessant dosing with party loyalty by one party after another.

Mr Blake and the Parliamentary Fund.

Subscribers and intending subscribers to the Irish Parliamentary Fund will see from Hon. Edward Blake's letter published in The Register to-day that he expects to sail on the 20th December. Parliament will meet for the despatch of business on the 8th February, which probably accounts for the fact that Mr. Blake has been summoned back sooner than he expected.

A Needless Alarm.

Some news that comes up from Montreal in the sanctified columns of The Witness is distressing in the extreme. Every one knows that The Witness is the self-constituted guardian of the religious and civil liberties of the Protestant minority in the neighboring province.

An eminent jurist of this city, speaking to The Witness with regard to the proposal of the Quebec government to establish a government department of education, with a responsible minister at its head, took the ground that there is danger in it to Protestant education.

It is also to be observed that after the jury had brought in the verdict of 'guilty,' the judge told them that although they might possibly have come to a different conclusion he could not say that it was not a right one based on the evidence.

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Fullalo lawyer has actually made such a charge in the case of Mrs. Cronman convicted of poisoning her husband. While a failure of the jury to agree in finding this woman guilty of the most atrocious of all crimes, slow poisoning, would not have greatly surprised anyone, still the evidence was certainly strong enough to fully protect the tribunal of justice from the criticism of the American lawyer.

How Smart Canadians Work the Yankees.

That blind bigotry retains its place in American public opinion, notwithstanding the collapse of the A.P.A. and the exposure of its leaders as base adventurers, was made plain enough on Thanksgiving Day in the capital of the Republic.

I have a word to say in regard to some evidence that has been adduced here; that which the prisoner stated to Trevoyan and the police officer when he was confined in the lock-up. I have expressed my opinion of the propriety of castrating the accused even after he had been warned.

A Pitiful Cry from Cape Breton.

Both The Presbyterian Witness, of Halifax, and The Oakeset, of Antigonish, have strong and patriotic articles upon the threatened closing of the Cape Breton coal mines.

It is to be hoped that detectives and newspaper reporters may not succeed in bowdlerizing or upsetting in a British colony that the highest principle of British law.

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rights in sealing up the Cap... supply, and there is not a...

The Presbyterian Witness says the... are sealed off those districts...

That the politicians of Nova Scotia... were found loyal when the fatal lease...

When the ecorot history of that leg... is written, if it ever is, it will...

The party press is still as silent as... dare be about this shameful coand.

On every hand their Excellencies... the Governor-General and his amiable...

Lord and Lady Aberdeen. The Archbishop of Toronto on Catholic Art.

A large and enthusiastic audience... attended the opening entertainment of...

Division No. 5, Ancient Order of... Hibernians, situated in the east end of...

Emigration to Canada. A Belgian-Canadian Commission... composed of gentlemen of position and...

Knights of St. John. At the last regular meeting of St. Paul's...

Resolved that the members of Com... mandery 122, who submitting with...

That in the death of Father Reddin... our Commandery has lost a faithful and...

St. Patrick's Day Lecture by Lady... Aberdeen. OTTAWA, Dec. 1.—Lady Aberdeen...

Irish Catholics of Montreal Protest. MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—At a meeting...

BOOK REVIEWS. "BUZZER'S CHRISTMAS," by Mary T. Waggaman. Price 25 cents.

"Tom's Luck Pot," by Mary T. Waggaman. Price 50 cents. New York, Bonziger Bros.

November School Testimonials. ST. MARY'S SCHOOL (BOYS).

Hayti has been forced to yield to the German demands. The Govern...

Meeting of the Separate School Board. At a special meeting of the Separate School Board...

The following were appointed re... turning officers for the forthcoming...

The report of the Sites and Build... ing Committee recommended that the...

It was also decided that the school... close on December 22 for the Christ...

Notice is hereby given that an ap... plication will be made at the ensuing...

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Murt O'Moriarty's Reformation

Murtagh O'Moriarty was almost as much of a man as he was of a man. Along a pretty straight swift path to a region where the climate was more sultry than moist. There were small escapes from that and on...

And a solid cheque he could write, for he had prepared in the world. His first thought—made at the suggestion of his boy Murtagh. I imagine was to adopt the prefix to his name...

It was a big dinner that evening at the club and something of an occasion. John Peel and A Southern Wind and a cloudy sky, and there were potatoes more than potes de...

room to the right of the vestibule, where the gas was alight and a table spread. "Sit down, you must be hungry by this I suppose there was more drinking than eating where you were..."

"No, I suppose you think your duty is done, Murtagh, when you leave others to mop sorrow alone." "Now, dad, bar that, you know I never had any intention of...

"Well then I ask you to think seriously of reforming your mode of life and becoming my own Murtagh that was your mother's pet and that should be your father's pride, and prop and comfort of his old age..."

School Rolls for November.

- ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL. Form IV, Excellent.—J. Costello, N. Schreiner, G. Lavery, P. Flanagan, G. O'Donoghue, W. Tobin, M. Dampney, G. J. Adams, J. McCandless, Good.—J. Dillon, J. O'Reilly, P. Bradley. Form III, Senior Third—Excellent.—J. O'Hearn, E. Cosgrove, E. Meehan, G. Ghonna, Good.—J. Ryan, G. Ryan, J. Dalton, F. Gionne. Junior Third, Excellent.—J. Bender, McKays, A. Schreiner, W. Warren, E. Malone, C. Smith, Good.—J. O'Keefe, F. Ryan, Jas Tobin, B. Bulger. Form II, Excellent.—J. Mohan, H. O'Donoghue, J. O'Neill, J. Croddy, J. Tobin, Good.—E. Halloran, F. Corrigan, F. Boehler, J. O'Keefe, F. Lynch, J. Bradley, J. Gilmour, M. Walsh. ST. PAUL'S SCHOOL. Senior Second, Excellent.—L. Brady, J. Reynolds, J. Cosgrove, Good.—L. J. Dickson, L. Sheehan, W. Mitchell. Junior III, Excellent.—E. Hallinan, M. Power, J. Sheehan, W. Carter, T. Smith, Good.—G. Trohan, E. Croke, E. Shields, J. Curtan, A. H. Kering. Senior III, Excellent.—E. Mitchell, F. Sylvan, J. Haffey, McAvoy, Good.—T. Kearney, T. Glover, J. Hurley, T. Buckley. Junior IV, Excellent.—N. Brady, Good.—L. Johnston, C. O'Connor, J. Boylan, J. Coleman, J. O'Grady. Senior IV, Excellent.—A. Walsh, J. Joseph, Good.—J. Brady, F. O'Connor, F. Johnston. ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL. Fourth Form, Excellent.—O. Callen, F. Annett, G. O'Leary, F. Grane, J. Thomson, E. Thomson, F. O'Leary, Good.—F. O'Neill, J. Archer, Leo St. Denis, W. Kennedy, W. O'Connor. Third Form, Excellent.—J. Murphy, M. Ryan, E. McMillan, J. Brazil, G. Murphy, Good.—T. Wheeler, A. Grant, O. Burns, R. Glenn, Jas. Murphy, W. Blaney, R. Creagh, B. Sheridan. Second Form, Excellent.—F. Murphy, C. Bassman, M. McGrath, Good.—J. Finemery, R. Clancy, J. O'Neill, W. Hennessy, W. O'Reilly, C. Flannery, Jas. Kenny. Sad Death of a Montreal Lady. MONTREAL, Nov. 28.—After only a few days sickness, the death of Mr. Patrick Shea occurred on Tuesday from blood poisoning, resulting from a cut on the finger. Deceased was a brother of Mr. M. J. S. Shea, of the City and District Savings Bank, and of the Rev. M. L. Shea, of St. Mary's, and until lately had enjoyed comparatively good health. It Don't Pay To buy drinks for the boys—it don't pay to buy drinks for yourself. It will pay to quit, but the trouble has been absolutely removed all desire for liquor in a couple of days. So you can quit without any self-denial, and nobody need know you are taking the medicine, which is perfectly harmless, pleasant to the taste and from the start produces good appetite, refreshing sleep, steady nerves and does not interfere with business duties. Full particulars in plain envelope. Mr. A. Hutton Dixon, No. 40 Park Avenue, Montreal. A child is not a toy to please, a servant to do our bidding, nor a necessary evil, but an immortal soul, to be influenced for good or evil.



FRATERNAL CHARITY.

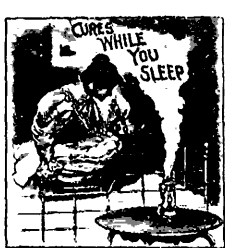
Some instructive thoughts from a sermon by the Rev. Father Corbett

CORBETT, Dec. 8. At St. Columban's Church last Sunday, Rev. Father Corbett drew some instructive thoughts from the epistle of the day, on the subject of Fraternal Charity. Referring to the familiar parable he pointed out how the Samaritan was at the same time for our Blessed Lord a model of brotherly love and for His chosen people an object of scorn. "Salvation is of the Jews," according to the Divine Master, yet he to whom the Jews refused to speak was kindly looked upon by the same Divine Teacher. Hence, said Father Corbett, without compromising a single iota of truth we can, like Him, be at once kind and true.

stirring and effective his delivery is excellent and his language superb. The C.M.B.A. may be proud to have Mr. Killackey as their organizer and instructor. This gentleman's address and visit to Stratford will do good and although the local branch here is one of the strongest in the association Branch No. 13 will yet reach the top of the ladder in membership.

Brother Arnold Cures One of His Pupils.

Brother Arnold, who will be remembered in Toronto, Kingston and Montreal, is reported in The Philadelphia Standard to have been the instrument of a remarkable cure by the use of Lourdes water. A St. Louis boy named James Murphy was stricken with what had been looked upon as a fatal illness. Murphy is 15 years old, son of a wealthy pork packer. The boy is a devoted and religious scholar at the College of the Christian Brothers, of whom Brother Arnold is one. Three weeks ago young Murphy fell from one of his father's waggons and struck on his head, and was carried unconscious to his home, 2884 Morgan street. Two physicians were called and both said unhesitatingly that the boy had suffered violent concussion of the brain, and, more guardedly, that there was every symptom of fracture of the base of the skull. These skilled physicians treated young Murphy promptly and heroically, but his condition became more and more critical. Finally his state was so precarious that the doctors ordered that no one be admitted to his sick room. His mother, literally obeying for days refused admittance to the Christian Brothers and the priest who came to offer consolation to the youth, who, they heard, was dying. But on Sunday she permitted the venerable Brother Arnold to approach James' bedside. This good old man has long been the boy's friend and teacher, and Mrs. Murphy declares that the moment he took James' almost pulseless hand the boy recognized him by a faint pressure of his fingers.



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most pathetic sketches we have ever read entitled "Father Salvatoris Christmas." For such a young author, Miss Kenna betrays a depth of sympathy, and a power that will quickly lead her to the front.

Knights of St John.

A large and enthusiastic audience attended the successful open meeting given by St. Helen's Commandery No. 810 Knights of St. John, in Mallon's Hall, corner Dundas street and Sheridan avenue, on Thursday evening, December 2nd. The speakers on the occasion were: Provincial President Wm. Ray, D. J. O'Donoghue, Wm. Moynan, D. A. Carey, T. K. Halley, Obs. March. The following contributed to the entertainment: J. Brennan, song; Louis Reeh, club swinging; J. Foley, song; B. M. McCormack, instrumental; James and Will Burns, sketch artists; J. Fannon, accompanist.

ST. PAUL'S COMMANDERY.

The Hustle started some weeks back by the members of St. Paul's Commandery of the Knights of St. John still continues in full force in fact the lower the mercury the greater the hustle. Our last meeting was the most successful for years. The hall was crowded by our own and visiting members. Everything went off with a rush. Three new members were received and eight propositions were handed over to the investigating committee. In spite of our omission of officers for 1898—running four and five for each office—we found time to work our second degree, Knights Hospitallars of Jerusalem, to all that were entitled to the same to a successful issue. M. K. McQUINN, Rec. Sec.

A Nun Dies from Smallpox.

MONTREAL, Dec. 2.—Sister Flora McDonald, of the Congregation of Notre Dame, died last evening at the Civil Hospital of smallpox. She was administered the last sacraments of the church by the Rev. Father Roux, of the Redemptionist Order, who, by special dispensation of the administrator, also received her last vows. She was attended in her last moments by Sister Lebel. The remains were placed in a coffin hermetically sealed, and were this morning conveyed to the Cote des Neiges Cemetery and interred. The deceased sister hailed from New Brunswick, and had only been in the city for a short time. R. I. P.

Legal.

Mr. John T. C. Thompson, eldest son of the late Sir John Thompson, has been received into the legal firm of Macdonell and Boland, whose offices are at 2 Toronto street, Toronto. The title of the new firm will be Macdonell, Boland and Thompson. This change should further strengthen an already strong and popular legal combination.

LATEST MARKETS.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—On the curb in Chicago at the opening to-day May wheat was quoted at 89c, at the close May wheat was quoted at 87c bid; puts on May wheat, 89c; calls 89c; calls on May corn, 29c.

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