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Hush! such a glory was not for thee; But that care may still be thine; For are there no little ones still to aid, For no wandering pilgrims now, To thy heart and thy home to take?

O, to have followed the mournful way. Of those faithful few forlorn! And grace beyond even an angel's hope The cross for our sins to bear, To have shared in His tender Mother's grief, To have wept at Mary's side.

O, to have seen what we now adore, And through their broken hearts to see, The Lord of life and light! Hush! for His name is still, And a grace can yet be thine.

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A happy Christmas to you! For the Prince of Peace is born, And His light is the sunshine Of the dark and wintry morn.

A happy Christmas to you! For the Prince of Peace is come, And His reign is full of blessings.

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THE DIVINE PHILOSOPHY OF THE INCARNATION.

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And the word was made flesh, and dwelt among us; and we saw His glory, the glory as it were of the only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

He began by stating that this was a most appropriate time for reflection on the mystery of the Incarnation, to the worthy celebration of which Holy Church would soon invite them in the great festival of Christmas.

counting the works of God in the beginning, clearly indicates that while the creative word was in all cases sufficient to confer life and being, there was a marked difference between the creation of man and the creation of all other creatures.

And it was in the designs of God that this reconciliation should take place. He had created man to His own image and likeness, had placed him in the garden of pleasure, had made him for Himself.

—We shall feel indebted to any of our readers who can send us a copy of the constitution of the Knights of Labor.

And He made two great lights, a greater to rule the day, a lesser to rule the night. And He made the fishes of the sea and the beasts of the earth.

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—His Lordship, the Most Rev. Dr. Cleary, Bishop of Kingston, resumed on Sunday last his correction of Principal Grant's errors, in powerful discussions both at High Mass and Vespers.

—The reverend gentleman boasts of his 30,000 converts in Lower Canada; but if he uses no better arguments than this and kindred ones to induce them to change their religion, I cannot see that either the Presbyterian or Roman Catholic Church is a gainer on one hand or a loser on the other.

—We have already candidly, and we flatter ourselves, forcibly and plainly, expressed our views on the subject of imperial federation.

DECEMBER ORDINATIONS.

We have been favored with lists of the gentlemen who received Holy Orders at the December ordinations at the Montreal Seminary, and at the Seminary of Our Lady of Angels, Suspension Bridge, N. Y.

Grand Seminary, Montreal. Stanislas FrancheMontagne, Montreal. Felix Plouffe, Montreal.

Seminary of Our Lady of Angels. On Saturday, Dec. 20, Right Rev. S. V. Ryan, Bishop of Buffalo, officiated at the ordinations in the chapel of the Seminary of Our Lady of Angels, Suspension Bridge, N. Y., and conferred the following Orders:

Diocese of Brooklyn: Rev. John F. O'Hara. Diocese of Buffalo: Revs. William S. Wilber, James M. Burtin, Michael J. Keane, Francis J. Naughton, Thomas Haire, Thomas B. Wilde.

On Friday last the Rev. Father Molphy, in a visit to the Separate School of Ingersoll, took occasion to compliment the teachers and scholars on the good work done since the opening of the school in September.

FROM DUNDAS.

The Month's Mind for the repose of the soul of the late Ven. Dean O'Reilly took place at Dundas, on Tuesday, 16th inst.

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RECEPTION connection with eaders of Charity, e Iowa, was beau- Wednesday last, on ection of nineteen e Order, Miss A. e Mrs. and Mr. P. e one of them. e lady who received e possessed rare e was noted for her eber piety and zeal e was held in high ehop, the priests of e friends, who e of her aspirations e name in religion e familion Times. e writer of several eications to the eilton. Her letters e ment, and a refined e of her poetic com- e-wise appeared in e and much well- e. We congratulate e gela on her choice. e men the better part.

—A meeting of the e held in the village e evening, the 16th inst. e P., wants help to get in the Dominion; so e go as a deputation to e of Public Works. e of John Bryson, e, Esq., M. P. e, Esq., and Walter e Advance.

The Galway Mare.

(AIR—"Nora O'Neale.") In the course of my wanderings from Cong to Kanturk...

NEWS FROM IRELAND.

Dublin. The Castle's chief organ in Dublin got a disagreeable fall from a Dublin jury on November 24th.

The new Chief Secretary, Mr. Campbell-Bannerman, seems to have some very singular notions on the subject of National Education.

Queen's County. An incident, interesting to the supporters and opponents of hunting in Kilkenny and elsewhere, occurred in Queen's County on November 22nd.

Orange audacity has reached the sublime in Omagh. At a recent meeting of the Omagh Board of Guardians the spokesman of that faction came before the Board with a demand that the local Orange Hall be exempted as a public institution.

Cork. The Cork Nationalists have issued from the fight with flying colors. They smote the wretched Combination Company as heavily as Sanson smote the Philistines.

An Alarming Disease Afflicting a Numerous Class.

The disease commences with slight derangement of the stomach, but, if neglected, it in time involves the whole frame, embracing the kidneys, liver, pancreas, and, in fact, the entire glandular system.

On November 23rd, the Bishop of Killala, from the pulpit of the Ballina Cathedral, uttered a striking denunciation of the system of management which had prevailed in the past.

The county Limerick foxhounds met at Croom station, on November 24. The gathering was one of the largest seen in the county for a considerable time.

Tipperary. One Higgins is master of the Connell Harriers, and he has been served with notice by G1 farmers of the Fethard district that they would not allow hunting over their lands this year.

Fermanagh. Fermanagh has contributed another striking instance of the "law-abiding" Orange spirit. It appears that about Lisbellaw there lives an unfortunate "rebel," named Patrick Kelly—a Catholic, and, perhaps, a "leaguer."

Galway. On Sunday, November 23d, a meeting was held at Achill Island for the purpose of establishing a branch of the Irish National League in the Achill Sound and Curran districts.

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Let every Branch in Canada take up these questions, especially "incorporation," "separate beneficiary," and "use if we cannot make our association in Canada, not only a progressive, but an enviable one to belong to."

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proposes the disestablishment of the Queen in the coming elections. The British Government has issued instructions to the Board of Admiralty to prepare plans for concerted operations for the defence of British Colonies in the event of war.

The Paris Gaulois Berlin despatch, in relation to the Socialist excitement, says the police assert they have found proof of an extensive plot to enroll soldiers in Socialist society, and that pamphlets preaching revolt have been circulated privately among soldiers.

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He is currently rumored here that the division of the diocese of Three Rivers has been finally determined upon by His Holiness, but nothing positive can be ascertained as yet.

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On Tuesday, the 16th inst., a Solemn Requiem High Mass of month's memory was celebrated in the Catholic Church, Thornhill, for the repose of the soul of Mr. Francis Egan.

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