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Items of Interest to Catholic Readers

In the Magazines.

The Spanish Character.

(From the Sacred Heart Review)

Spain and the Spaniards continue favorite topics with magazine writers. The two most noteworthy contributions on these subjects to appear recently are the paper which Mr. Sylvester Baxter has in the latest issue of the Review of Reviews and Mr. Irving Babbitt's article in the Atlantic Monthly. Mr. Baxter writes upon "Spanish Traits and the New World," and while he discloses not a few dark traits in the Spanish character, he is not blind to its good qualities. He accuses the Spanish crown, the Iberian nobility and official class, and the traders as well, of exorbitant greed, and he levels the same charge against the Spanish Church. Yet it was but a few days ago that Monsignor Calvo, the bishop of Cadiz, who died last month, since his translation to that see from Santander, fourteen years ago, had devoted all his private means to alleviating poverty and wretchedness in Cadiz, and was himself so poor at the time of his death that he did not possess a single piece of money, even of the smallest value. He certainly was not an avaricious prelate, and there is very little risk run in asserting that in his apostolical freedom from pecuniary greed he had many counterparts in the Spanish hierarchy. The Spanish rulers and officials, the Iberian nobility and traders may not be wholly free from inordinate love of "the almighty dollar"; but there are rulers and officials and nobles and traders in other lands who possess that love in a far greater measure than they do; and if Mr. Baxter is desirous of beholding a greedy church, he would do well to turn his gaze from Spain to England and examine the Anglican establishment of which the prime-minister in Hall Caine's "Christian" says: "We are a nation of money-lenders, my boy, and the church is the worst insurer of them all, with its learned divines in scarlet hoods, who hold shares in music halls, and its fathers in God living at ease and letting out public houses."

The Other Side of the Spaniard.

Mr. Baxter, however, sees good traits in the Spaniard, and Spanish rule is not altogether bad in his estimation. To the credit of that rule he enumerates the magnificent monuments of its beneficence that are yet to be seen in those portions of America where Spain once held sway, such as institutions of learning and of the fine arts, churches, hospitals and other charitable establishments, splendid public buildings, aqueducts, roads, bridges, etc. He might also have included the preservation of the aboriginal races, their conversion to Christianity and their civilization, three things which Anglo-Saxon methods proved utterly incapable of effecting. Mr. Baxter, moreover, finds the average Spanish-American singularly vigorous, energetic and commercially enterprising, especially in Mexico; and in this he agrees with that other competent writer upon Spanish-American subjects, Mr. F. R. Guernsey, who has repeatedly borne testimony to the many good qualities of the Spanish-Americans. Of the Spaniards in their own land, Mr. Baxter says that they are far from being the decadent people certain prejudiced writers would make them appear. "The valiant spirit, heroic and self-sacrificing, that enabled Spain to turn Napoleon's path from the heights of victorious renown down to the depths of defeat," he tells us, "is by no means dead. The peasantry of Spain is marked by admirable traits. These poor and sturdy people are frugal, industrious, temperate, patient under heavy burdens." And he predicts that Spain will recover from her recent losses, and become "the mother country for the nations of ultra-mar that speak her tongue, in the same regard that England is mother to the lands in the seven seas, and will stand second only to England in the number of her sons."

From Another Point of View.

Unlike Mr. Baxter, who places the blame of most of the defects which he sees in the Spanish character upon the curse of gold which he thinks the peninsula affected Mr. Babbitt, in his Atlantic Monthly paper, holds the national religion responsible for Spain's shortcomings. Apart, though, from this wholly unwarrantable assumption, Mr. Babbitt's article is hardly worth any consideration. It is, in fact, very sophomoric and unworthy of place in a magazine of the Atlantic's reputation. Indeed, it is difficult to understand what its author, driving at in certain pas-

sages. It is plainly to be seen, of course, that he wants to get a whack at the Church and the Jesuits, but he goes about his work in a blind and blundering fashion. In one passage he asserts that the Spaniards are very cruel to animals—yet Spain, as far as we know, never found it necessary, like our own land, to organize a society for the prevention of cruelty to animals—and then he adds, the cause of that trait in their character is due to that medieval religion, which, he says, so exalted man above other creatures as to cause him to refuse recognition of his relations with the rest of nature. It would be interesting to know where Mr. Babbitt got this notion regarding the teaching of medieval religion. Such assurance was not what it taught St. Francis of Assisi, who may be taken as a very good representative of medieval religion, for, in his great love for all created things, he constantly inculcated the lesson, learned by him, that the nearer man becomes to nature the closer he gets to God. The following passage from Mr. Babbitt's paper gives one the idea that he was writing to fill space, and the sense of what he says is far from being clear: "More than any other land Spain came under the control of that Jesuitical Catholicism issued from the Council of Trent, which has poisoned the very life-blood of the Latin races; which rather than lose its hold upon the minds of men, has consented, through its emissaries, to sanction self-indulgence; which has retarded by every means in its power the development of those virtues of self-reliance and self-control, which more than any others aim at the advancement of the modern spirit; and now that the Spaniards are escaping from the artificial restraint of their religion, they are left, passionate and impulsive children, to meet the requirements of nineteenth century life." Truly the poor dons are to be commiserated if they be in such a pitiable plight as that, though just what Mr. Babbitt means by all these words is not all apparent to the average mind. To his way of thinking there is no hope for Spain till she expels "The Jesuit poison" from her veins and asks the help of the modern man in preference to invoking the assistance of God's mother.

Mr. Babbitt seems to labor under the idea that what he calls "Jesuitical Catholicism" is prejudicial to the prosperity and progress of any country and demoralizing in its influence upon man's mind. He ought to read what Ledy says on the work and influence of the sons of St. Ignatius. "They saw," says that writer of the Jesuits in his "Rationalism in Europe," "that a great future was in store for the people, and they labored, with a zeal that will secure them everlasting honor, to hasten and direct the emancipation. By a system of the boldest casuistry, by fearless use of their private judgment in all matters which the Church had not strictly defined, and by a skillful employment and expansion of the maxims of the schoolmen they succeeded in disentangling themselves from the traditions of the past and in giving an impulse to liberalism wherever their influence extended." If he would learn more about that "Jesuitical Catholicism" of which he writes with evidently little or no acquaintance with its character, he might take Fisher's "History of the Reformation," and there he will see it stated that "it is curious to observe the widest speculations of Locke, Rousseau and Jefferson as to the origin of government and the rights of revolution were anticipated by the Jesuit scholars of the sixteenth century; it is remarkable that in opposition to these novel dogmas there appeared on the Protestant side a theory of the divine right of kings and the related doctrine of passive obedience." And, finally, Mr. Babbitt ought to remember that Spain did once "expel the Jesuit poison" from her veins when, under pressure from the Bourbon, whose methods the society opposed—and Mr. Babbitt will hardly commend them—she expelled from her realm and colonies six thousand members of the order.

Medieval Convents.

There is a very readable paper in the latest issue of the Revue de Paris, to whose pages Madame Arvede Barine contributes an article descriptive of the convents of the Middle Ages. This article deals chiefly with the medieval convents of Great Britain, in which country conventual establishments were very numerous at the time of which Madame Barine writes. The madame contends that the British eighth century convent was for its age what Girtos and Newham colleges are to the British girls of this century, institutions of higher learning. The abbess of a medieval convent was a woman of great influ-

ence, and we must not think of the Pope, in the early part of the eighth century, granted certain privileges to monastic and conventual houses in Kent, the document which attested that grant was signed by five abbesses, whose names follow the signatures of the Archbishop of Canterbury and the bishop of Rochester. Special mention is made of the abbey which St. Hilda founded in Yorkshire, and around which grew the town that is now called Whitby. This saint, it may be stated, also founded at Whi by a monastery for men, and so great was the number of monks sheltered there, the place once bore the name of Eborac. It was in this monastery that the great number of distinguished divines who attended the synod, which Madame Barine tells us was held at Whitby nine years after St. Hilda founded her convent there, were entertained during their stay in the place. To St. Boniface, the apostle of Germany, is given the credit of introducing the conventual system into that land. One of the most prominent German medieval convents was, so this article says, the Gandersheim Convent, which had the right to issue coins, to secure one of which at the present day is a great joy to numismatic collectors.

Italy and Naples.

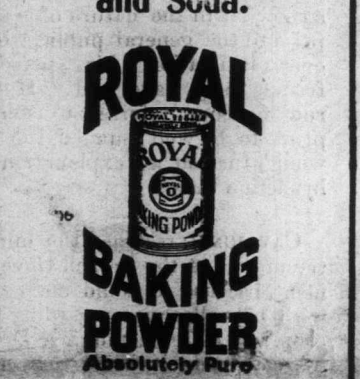
The editor of the New England Magazine, in the latest issue of that monthly, says that the present government of Italy is much akin to, if not worse than, the cruel and tyrannical despotism which prevailed in the Neapolitan kingdom half a century ago, and against which the lamented Mr. Gladstone uttered his famous condemnations. He recalls that great Englishman's warning to the Neapolitans, to whom Gladstone pointed out the disasters which would inevitably follow from the continued maintenance by the government of an impoverishing militarism, in lieu of a system of thrift, economy, industry and freedom; and then he goes on to say that no Gladstone is needed to prophesy that similar disasters will befall Italy if its rulers persist in the present policy. Mr. Mead, however, has no hope that "United Italy will heed any warning that may be given to it. He thinks that the time may come when America, which is largely indebted to Italy because of that fact the Columbus, Vesputio, Ferrasano, the Cabots and other early explorers were Italians, will deem it a duty to aid that unfortunate land "through the influence of the public opinion which from now on rules mankind, to the knowledge and exorcise of those political principles which are our blessing and security, the knowledge of the truth which maketh free." That sort of aid would be very good in its way; but by who would advise "United Italy most pertinently and sagely at the present time would counsel its rulers to make their peace with the Holy See by restoring the Pope his liberty and rights of independent action. Until Italy does that, it can not hope to evade the fate which is plainly in store for it if its present policy towards the Papacy be persisted in.

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The general of the Dominican order has empowered the English provincial to relax the law of perpetual abstinence for the members of the order in that country. In future most is to be allowed on five days each week to all the members of the order, and often, of course, by dispensation to those who need it either by reason of health or work. The reason of this concession is explained by the Most Rev. Father General in a letter written from Rome to the members of the order in England. It became evident to him, he says, in his recent visitation, that, considering the work done by the fathers, the needs of the students, the custom of the country and the rudeness of the climate, perpetual abstinence was an impossibility and incompatible with the regular observances

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of the order and the apostolic labors of the fathers, and that consequently since work for souls is the end of the order, nothing must be allowed to stand in the way of the apostolate.

The Anglican Bishop of Liverpool has issued a pastoral letter to the clergy in the diocese on the subject of lawlessness in the Church of England. Among the practices condemned as illegal are the use of incense and sacrificial vestments, the use of the word "Mass" in giving notice of the Holy Communion, and the requirement of habitual arduous confession from communicants.

There are some lucky priests. A telegram from Kalgoorlie, Western Australia, says: "In consequence of the recently reported discovery of a nugget weighing 95 pounds at Kanowna, 5,000 persons assembled there today. Father Long, a priest, who reported the discovery, stated that the nugget had been in his possession and that it had been found at Lake Gyne, close to Kanowna. Thousands of persons are now rushing to the vicinity.

It is rumored that Sir Thomas Lipton, who, on behalf of Ireland recently challenged for the America cup, is to contribute a princely donation to the fund being collected for the Catholic Cathedral now being erected at Westminster, London.

The Rome correspondent of the Figaro says: "I have it from a high personage in the Vatican that the Pope, while taking a walk in the palace gardens the other day, said to one of the nobles who accompanied him: 'Yet once again they dare, so to speak, give me up for dead, but it appears that God has not will'd it so.' Then, as his mind had become illuminated by a vision of the future, His Holiness added: 'It is true that the hour can not be far off now. The new Pope will be able to accomplish many things, but to me, however, there rests something still to do.'

Among a number of gifts recently received at the Jesuit novitiate, Frederick, M. I., was a chalice made of watch cases. It is not the custom for the Jesuits to wear gold or jewelry of any kind, hence for years past the college gave their gold watches to form part of a chalice towards which it was their ambition to contribute. Several months ago the required amount of gold had been collected and the accumulated watch cases were melted and formed a chalice valued at \$1,000. It is a beautiful and massive piece of work. The bowl is of solid gold, cast in an original mold, and the base is of solid silver very highly plated.

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STELLARTON, N.S.—James R. Murray, a well known violinist, of this place, who has traveled extensively throughout the Provinces, makes this statement: "I was running down in health and my weight fell off from 175 to 150 pounds. Prescriptions did me but little good. My trouble was called nervous dyspepsia. I resorted to Hood's Sarsaparilla and after taking five bottles I was greatly benefited. I feel as well now as ever in my life, and have increased in flesh so that I now weigh 177 pounds. I am well known in this part of the country, having followed my profession, that of a violin musician for the last 20 years. I gladly tell my friends what Hood's Sarsaparilla has done for me. Before I began taking the medicine I did not have any ambition, but now all is changed and my dyspeptic trouble perfectly cured." JAMES R. MURRAY. N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, do not be induced to buy any substitute. Be sure to get Hood's. Hood's Pills are the only pills to take Hood's Pills with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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The Moncton Times has the following: "An interesting rumor comes from British Columbia to the effect that Hon. Mr. Peters, Sir Herbert Tupper's law partner, is about to ally himself with the conservative party. Mr. Peters' relinquishment of the P. E. Island membership and his professional alliance with Sir Herbert were somewhat in the nature of a surprise to the general public, who were under the impression that his personal friends may have had. If the rumor above referred to should prove to be well founded, the act would furnish an explanation of his action then."

CAVAIGNAC resigned the ministry of war in the French Government, because he could not agree with his colleagues regarding the propriety of re-opening the Dreyfus case. He believed that, notwithstanding the recent revelations, Dreyfus was guilty, consequently, not entitled to a trial. All his colleagues in the ministry favored re-opening the case, consequently no course was open to him but to resign. General Zurlingen has been appointed minister of war, in succession to Cavaignac, and General Betina has been appointed military governor of Paris in succession to Zurlingen. It is now considered certain that the Dreyfus case will be re-opened.

DURING the past week Candia Island of Crete, has been in a state bordering on anarchy. The trouble arose between Mussulmans demonstrating against European control and the British authorities who have been installing Christians as revenue officers. A quarrel culminated in bloody fighting between the Mussulmans and the British troops. Riots took place in various parts of the island and many men were killed. When the outbreak was fercest the warship stationed in the harbor began firing shells, with the result that a portion of the city was soon in flames. A crowd of Mussulmans, who had been demonstrating against Christians, attempted to force an entrance into the revenue office. The British soldiers fired on them, wounding several. Thereupon the Mussulmans ran for their arms, and returning attacked the soldiers. Following this up, the Mussulmans poured rapidly into the windows and setting many houses and shops on fire. Several additional warships started for Candia during the week. Several Christian families sought refuge on the warships, and many corpses were lying in the streets. It is estimated that 200 persons were killed during the rioting. The Athens correspondent of the London Mail says that the refugees from Candia report horrible atrocities. They say the British soldiers open the bodies of their Christian victims the first day of the outbreak, and throw the entrails into the flames, shouting, "Now let the English come and help them." The latest advices from Candia say another bombardment was imminent. Fires were still raging, and four hundred deaths had already been proclaimed.

JUDGING from the unfounded declarations of the Toronto Globe and lesser Grit organs, it is difficult to see how the Manitoba school question is causing our friends, the enemy, some little uneasiness. Regarding the latest of these rumors, the Antigonish Casket has this to say: "It would appear that the enemies of the Manitoba school are in a state of some excitement, unfortunately, some of those of their own household, who are ever the 'worst enemies'—are re-opening the campaign of preparation which was waged with special vigor a few years ago. Some days ago a Montreal despatch to the Toronto Globe declared that 'it was stated there on good authority' that the 'Hierarchy' had received 'a letter from the Pope,' which may be read in the churches before long, ordering them to cease their efforts to obtain justice in the matter. The utter falsehood of the assertion is evident from the fact that in his Encyclical on the subject, after condemning the so-called settlement, the Holy Father says: 'In a word, the rights of Catholics, and the education of their children have not been sufficiently provided for in Manitoba. Everything in this question demands—and it is conformable to justice—that they should be thoroughly provided for, that is, by placing in security and surrounding with due safeguards those unchangeable and sacred principles of which we have spoken above. This should be the aim of the end to be zealously and prudently sought for.' It is a likely thing, is it not, that the Pope should forbid the Bishops of Canada to do what he here tells them ought to be done. But apart from this, we have the declaration of Archbishop Langevin, fresh from numerous consultations with the Holy Father, that the agitation will not cease until the rights of Catholics are fully restored. The Globe's preparation makes too great a demand upon the credulity, if not of its readers, at least of sensible people."

THOSE anarchists, judged by their actions, seem to be possessed of the very devil. As their name implies, their aim is to overturn all properly constituted authority, and in the hope of accomplishing this they bind themselves to put to death all crowned heads, and those likely to become such, as well as the executive heads of all other forms of properly constituted government. Without going back beyond two or three years, see what dastardly deeds they have perpetrated. President Carnot, of France, fell by the hand of one of them; then, about a year ago, Senor Canovas, Premier of Spain, was done to death by one of their number. Within the past week or ten days they have been in evidence to an extraordinary extent. No less than three assassinations, or attempted assassinations, have been laid to their charge. There was the attempt to shoot the young Queen of the Netherlands; then the attempt to kill the Czar of Russia by an explosion, and finally there was the Finnish murder of the Empress of Austria. By the assassin's own confession this latter was the most unmitigated wanton murder that could be imagined. He admitted he had no other object than the murder of the Empress to death, except that he could not find the Duke of Orleans, for whom he was looking with murderous intent. Not finding the first object of his brutal hate, he must guard his Finnish malice on some one high in authority, so he plunges his stiletto into the heart of an inoffensive and defenceless woman. After accomplishing the assassin's work this demon in human shape manifests the most complete cynicism and laughs at the thought of his success. The ordinary methods of capital punishment seem to possess no terrors for these wretched beings. Can some special method of execution be adopted which will strike terror in these wretched beings from whose stiletto no law-abiding citizen would appear to be safe!

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The Colonial Government of Newfoundland has appointed Mr. Maurice Minister of Finance, to prepare the colony's case for presentation before the Royal Commission with reference to the French shore rights. Mr. Maurice is also instructed to accompany the commissioners during their tour along the French coast, and to point out the results of French interference with the work of our fishermen. The feeling is general throughout the colony that good results will follow from the visit of the Royal Commission.

Care Town advices of the 9th say: The Government victory at the polls in Utah practically ends the election, which have resulted in the return to the Assembly of forty members of the Afrikanderbond and thirty-seven Progressives, the party with which Cecil Rhodes belongs. Sir John de Villiers, Chief Justice of the Cape of Good Hope, will probably accept the Premiership of the Cape Colony. He is of Afrikander descent and is 66 years old, and a member of the Imperial Privy Council. He has been Chief Justice of the Cape of Good Hope and President of the Legislative Council of the Colony, as well as Attorney-General from 1892 to 1894. He was a member of the Ottawa International Conference.

The conference of West Indian representatives at the Island of Barbadoes, has passed a resolution formally demanding aid from the British Home Government, as a matter of right, and as being the only available remedy for the industrial crisis, and has also demanded the adoption of measures other than the exclusion of bounty-fed sugar from the English market or the enforcement of countervailing duties. No ultimatum looking to American annexation was adopted, although the question was incidentally discussed as a possible future contingency to offset the Cuban and Porto Rican competition in the American markets, should Great Britain conclusively refuse the relief demanded.

A young man named Livio Cellario, belonging to one of the most aristocratic families of Turin, Italy, while attempting to climb the peak of Roccamelone, in the Maritime Alps, lost his way, and on the following morning a search party found his body, terribly crushed and bruised, at the bottom of a deep crevice. Count Cellario, the unfortunate young man's father, who was at Turin, and knew nothing of his son's expedition to the Roccamelone, on the night of the accident, was informed of the tragedy, and he had seen him distinctly, he said, blood flowing from his battered head, and heard these words spoken in a voice of terrible anguish: "Father I slipped down a precipice and broke my head, and I am dead, quite dead." The other members of the family tried in vain to persuade the poor count that the ghostly apparition was nothing but a nightmare, and the bereaved father continued in a state of anxiety bordering upon distraction till the morning, when the official confirmation of the terrible accident reached him.

On the 10th inst. the Alaska boundary matter at Quebec last week went to show that the countries are as far apart as the two poles, both as to facts and in conclusion on this matter of the Alaska boundary. This news comes from two different sources, either one of which is perfectly reliable. The Montreal Witness correspondent was informed that all the Quebec conference will do in the matter is to provide for its final adjustment by the appointment of an independent tribunal. There is an abundance of material available in the survey reports of both the American and British surveyors to serve for guidance in the regulation of this question. This, then, is one of the differences upon which the commissioners at Quebec are in a position to treat. Concerning the question of the inshore fisheries and the reported desire of the United States to be allowed to share therein, it can be stated positively on the authority of one of the commissioners that the subject was not so much as mentioned before the conference, and indeed, as is learned from a reliable quarter, it is a matter of very grave question whether the Americans want any part or parcel in our inshore fisheries.

The victory rests with America's Great Medicine, Hood's Sarsaparilla, which enters the battle against impure blood. READ the ad. in this day's issue regarding "one energetic man in every country etc."

WANTED—By a single gentleman, board and lodgings in a respectable private Catholic family. Terms must be moderate. Apply at this office. 21 pd.

THE PATRONAGE of Industry, that have for some years masqueraded as a species of annex to the Grits of Ontario have disappeared. They died from inanition.

WE are pleased to observe that Mr. Louis McDonald, of Montague Bridge, who won the gold medal for dancing the Highland Fling at the Scottish gathering, at St. Peter's on the 17th ult., was first prize for the same at the Highland games held at Antigonish, N. S., on the 9th inst. Mr. McDonald is a student at St. Francis Xavier College, Antigonish, and the second prize for dancing the Highland Fling was also won by a student of the College.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

On Sunday last, a steamer named William Dillon, belonging to the packet West Wind was knocked overboard and drowned at Digby, N. S.

A DEAL laden barge went ashore on Riffman Reef, Belle Creek, on Monday morning. It is said that one of the sailors was stunned by a fall on her deck, and was washed overboard.

YESTERDAY was declaration day for the first district of Quebec. After summing up the votes, the Sheriff declared Wm. Campbell elected. His majority is 69. Good!

JUDGE DUGAS, of Montreal, has been appointed Judge of the Yukon district, in succession to McGuire who is coming out. It is said Beauclerc disgraced M. P. will get Dugas' position in Montreal. Next!

Excavations for the sewerage pipes commenced on Queen Street, on Wednesday last, and are rapidly progressing. There is a large force of men employed and the sidewalks along where the works are in progress are pretty well barricaded.

At Oak Park, Hartford, Conn., on the 9th, Star Pointer made a mile in 2 minutes and half a second. It was hoped that he would have broken his own record of 1:59; but the first quarter was too slow for that.

HERE, the Paris cyclist, won the 24 hour cycling race which ended at Berlin on the 9th covering 829 kilometres (about 515 miles, 903 yards). The of Marsailles, was second, C. W. Miller, the American gave the race after several laps.

REV. DONALD J. MORINON of the diocese of San Francisco, who has been spending his vacation in his native province since his return from the Catholic school in Washington, left for his home at the golden gate yesterday morning. Bon voyage.

The crew of the British brig Lutzburg were brought to Liverpool, N. S., the other day by the Annapolis schooner, Henry G. French. The vessel was in collision and the brig was abandoned. She was on her way from Bay Chaleur to Boston with railway ties.

The loss caused by the fire at New Westminster, B. C., on Monday last, is estimated at \$2,500,000. Not a butcher's baker's or provision shop was left. All the churches, the hotels, business blocks and 200 residences were wiped out. The people are destitute and need assistance.

LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

MISS A. McCABE, housekeeper for her brother, Michael McCabe, who is a carpenter employed at the Hartmouth Ferry was burned to death at Halifax, on Saturday night last, while her blind sister was sleeping in another part of the house. The explosion of a lamp was the cause.

A NEW days ago, a large shark that had been sporting about Bedford Basin, Halifax, was successfully captured. He got into shallow water, and several men from a mill race, by procuring several ropes and a net, then hauled him on to the beach despite his protests. He was over 10 feet long and weighed several hundred pounds.

A MAN named Neil McNeil, well known about Halifax, disappeared last spring, and it was thought he had perished in the woods. On Monday last his skeleton was found after lying for months in the Beach Hill woods, four miles west of Halifax. He is supposed to have been lost and to have perished while on a fishing excursion last May.

The Turkish legation at Washington issues the following statement: "The entrance into Palestine is formally prohibited to foreign consulates and consuls, and the Imperial Ottoman authorities have received orders to prevent the landing of immigrant Jews in the province."

On Sunday last, Rev. A. P. McLellan, recently appointed Rector of St. Dunstan's College, took leave of his parishioners at St. Margaret's. After Mass he was promoted to the League of the Sacred Heart of whom he had been director, and with Mr. McNeil and presented him with an address and a beautiful drawing case and pipe, a token of their esteem and good will.

The Dominion Government's surplus of last year has been whittled down to a million and a quarter. This is very small in comparison with the surplus shown by Mr. Foster for years in which less trade was done. There is evidently no prospect of the reduction of taxation promised by the Liberals while they were in opposition. Indeed, it is more likely that with continually increasing expenditures there will be additional taxation.

The Laying of Corner Stone
—OF—
New Church at Tracadie
—AND—
GRAND PICNIC,
—ON—
September 20th.

Will be held on the new church grounds, only a couple of minutes walk from Tracadie Station. To see the church, to be amused and charmed by games, oratory and music, and to be entertained in a most royal manner, will be the enviable delight of all so far as it is to attend. Without further details, suffice it to say that we guarantee a big time. The sermon on the occasion will be preached by a distinguished pulpit orator.

Besides regular trains on regular routes between Charlottetown, Miramichi and Georgetown, special trains will leave Charlottetown at 9.30 o'clock, local, and Souris at 8 o'clock, local. Returning will leave Tracadie at 6 o'clock. Should the weather prove unfavorable it will be held on the following day.

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That you enrich and purify your blood in the Fall as the Spring. At this time, owing to decaying vegetation, a low water level, and other causes, there are disease germs all about us, and a weak and debilitated system yields to attacks of malaria, fevers, etc. By purifying and enriching your blood with Hood's Sarsaparilla you may build up your system to resist these dangers, as well as coughs, colds, pneumonia, and the grip which comes with colder weather. To be on the safe side, take Hood's Sarsaparilla now, and always be sure it is Hood's, and nothing else represented to be "just as good."

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Hundreds of Ladies New Fall and Winter Jackets direct from the manufacturers in Berlin, Germany.

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Nothing like it to drive away care. If you think you cannot afford it, why come in and see us, and it will be a GREAT SURPRISE to you to learn HOW CHEAP and on what EASY TERMS you can have a good ORGAN or a PIANO. We often have good second hand goods at less than HALF PRICE. Everything we sell fully guaranteed.

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The Old Reliable Music House of P. E. Island,
CONNOLLY'S BUILDING, QUEEN STREET.

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Does it start while you are getting a very

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Does it startle you to learn that while you may have been paying a very high price for

Dry Goods

In other stores, hundreds of your neighbors have been taking advantage of the

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Great Opening Sale.

If upon learning your mistake you will just follow the crowd to

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We feel sure you will make this your store for all time to come.

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Will help us attain that end, then we will certainly do it, for never before in the history of P. E. I. has

the same

HIGH-CLASS GOODS

Been offered at such ridiculously low prices.

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LOCAL AND OTHER ITEMS.

The Grand Trunk has made a contract with the English line to provide a service during the winter months to Portland in place of the Dominion Line.

All that's Best and New in Ladies' Jackets now open at Stanley Bros.—our Leaders \$3.75, \$5.35 and \$6.50, see advertisement. 21

J. B. Houghton, Conservative, was elected for the North Division of the County Down, Ireland on the 8th inst., in succession to Col. Warren, Conservative.

\$3.75 for a good quality, ladies jacket at Stanley Bros. 3 colours and every colour good; two styles and both right up to date; one quality, and that the best—See them, only \$3.75. 21

The passenger steamer Landana and Klavaler collided near Dartmouth, England, on the 9th, and the Landana was sunk. Despite the fact that the ship carried some hundreds of passengers and crew, no lives were lost.

Pekin advises announce that Li Hung Chang has been dismissed from power in accordance with the demand which the British Minister there, Sir Claude McDonald, was instructed to make on account of the alleged general mortality of the great Chinaman to Russia.

As will be seen by reference to advertisement in this issue, the ceremony of laying the corner-stone of the new church of the Sacred Heart will take place on Tuesday next, the 20th inst. Extensive preparations are making for the successful carrying out of the programme, and an immense gathering is expected.

OTTAWA EXHIBITION.—Return tickets Ottawa to Montreal will be sold, September 15th, to 19th inclusive, at \$12.00 each and on September 20th only, at \$15.45 each, all will be good for return passage until September 27th. Ask for tickets via St. John, N. B., and the Canadian Pacific Railway.

INTELLIGENCE recently received from Bristol reports the oat market quiet owing to the fine home prospects of the continent; crop, with indications of lower prices later on. At the time of writing, Russian blacks, Sept. and Oct., sold at 12s 3d for 304 lb. Canadian and American oats sell at 12s 6d.

FALL EXCURSION TO MONTREAL.—Arrangements have been made to sell return tickets Charlottetown to Montreal at \$16.85 September 15th to 19th inclusive, at \$18.35 on September 20th only; all these tickets to be good for return until Sept. 27th, 1898. Be sure to ask for and get your tickets via St. John, N. B., and the Canadian Pacific Short Line.

ARE YOU GOING WEST? The Canadian Pacific Railway are now running tourists sleeping cars on express trains from Windsor street station, Montreal, to Pacific coast, at 2.00 p. m., daily, except Sunday. For rates and all other information enquire at your nearest ticket agent, or write to A. H. Notman, asst. gen. pass. agent, C. P. Ry St. John, N. B.

The corner stone of the new church at St. Ann's, Lot 65 was laid on Sunday last, by his Lordship Bishop McDonald. Solemn Pontifical Mass was celebrated by his Lordship, and the sermon at the epistle service was preached by Rev. R. B. McDonald of Rustico. There was a large congregation in attendance and a collection amounting to \$220 was taken up.

The Halifax Chronicle says that the schooner reported sunk off East Point, P. E. I., last week was the E. J. Smith, of Sambro. She was bound home from North Bay with a good load and was running for "Cape" on August 28. When off East Point she sprang a leak. The water gained so rapidly that the crew were obliged to take to a dory and the schooner going down shortly after being abandoned. The men were picked up by the schooner Belaka the same day and were landed here by that vessel. The E. J. Smith was a schooner of 11 tons and was built at Sambro in 1882. Wm. McC. Boak, of Halifax, is her registered owner.

A BOAT RACE took place in this harbor on Saturday last. There were two classes of boats, those under 18 feet and 24 feet. The race was three rounds over a six mile course. Captain Lovell's boat, to half the lead until the last round, when she was passed by Robinson's boat. When within about five miles of the finish a heavy north-west squall struck the boat and they were all obliged to leave their sails. Robinson's boat after reading kept onward, and was the only one of her class to finish within the time limit. The others either dropped out of the race during the squall or lost the limit. Of the smaller class Judson's and Mill's boat got through the squall within the time limit. Mill's took the prize for her class.

The mission by the Pallists Fathers, opened in St. Dunstan's Cathedral at the high Mass on Sunday last. The opening sermon was preached by Father Elliott. A platform had been erected in front of the chancel rail, and this is surmounted by a tall black cross over the arms of which is thrown a linen cloth, in the form of a winding sheet. From this platform the sermons are preached and all the exercises of the mission are given. There was an immense congregation in attendance at the opening, and as the solemn form of Father Elliott, with his crucifix in his breast appeared on the platform, the scene was impressive. The text of his sermon was from the Gospel of St. John, "I am the voice of one crying in the wilderness." The eloquent missionary applied these words to himself and pointed out that he and his fellow missionaries had come to announce the word of God to all the members of this congregation and in a special manner to all sinners. All the Catholics of the parish were expected to come to the mission and those who were not Catholics, should they come, would be welcome, and would be benefited, what they would hear would do them good. The exercises of the mission commence at five o'clock each morning. There is Mass at that hour followed by an instruction. There is another Mass, followed by an instruction at 9 o'clock. At half-past seven o'clock in the evening, the principal sermon of the day is delivered. This is preceded by a short instruction and the rosary, and followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. The first week of the mission, commencing Sunday evening, is devoted to the women of the congregation. The men's mission will commence next Sunday evening. The morning and evening services this week have been very largely attended. Father Elliott's assistants are Fathers Hughes and Clark.

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Like Biliousness, dyspepsia, headache, constipation, sour stomach, indigestion are promptly cured by Hood's Pills. They do their work easily and thoroughly. Best after dinner pills. 25 cents. All druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. The cure fills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER CURED.

Mrs. Lydia A. Fowler, Electric Street, Amherst, N.S., testifies to the good effects of the new specific for all heart and nerve troubles: "For some time past I have been troubled with a fluttering sensation in the region of my heart, followed by some pains which gave me great distress and weakened me at times so that I could scarcely breathe. I was very much run down and felt nervous and irritable. I had taken a great many remedies without receiving any benefit, a friend induced me to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. I had only taken them a short time when I felt that they were doing me great good; so I continued their use and now feel all right. I can heartily recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for nervous prostration."

Mrs. Fowler adds: "My daughter, now fifteen years of age, was pale, weak and run down, and she also took Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills for some time, and is now strong, healthy and vigorous."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills cure palpitation, smothering sensation, dizzy and faint spells, nervousness, weakness, female troubles, etc. Price 50c a box or three boxes for \$1.25. Sold by all druggists. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.

Mr. Melville Miller, Banford, Ontario, says: "Lance-Liver Pills made a new man of me. I was troubled with indigestion and pains in the small of my back, and fast taking Lance-Liver Pills for about three weeks they completely cured me." Price 25c, all druggists.

Fruit-Growers' Meeting! A MEETING of the Prince Edward Island Fruit-Growers' Association will be held in B. I. S. Hall (next to Revolver House), Kent Street, Charlottetown, on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of arranging to make a shipment of Island apples to the British market for the promotion of other business.

Members of the Association and all who wish to become enrolled as such will please attend. By order, PETER McCOURT, Secretary. Sept. 14, 1898—11

Notice to Householders. Along streets where Sewer Pipe is being laid, householders would greatly oblige by informing the Engineer or Inspector of the Commissioners in charge, by pointing out the place verbally or by a mark where they would prefer the connecting pipe to enter premises, should they afterwards decide to make application therefor.

By order, D. McLEAN, Secretary. Office of Commissioner of Sewers and Water Supply, Sept. 7, 1898. Sept. 14—11

Wanted Immediately, One energetic man in every county of Prince Edward Island to travel for a first-class paying line. For terms and full particulars apply at once to P. O. B. x 217, St. John, N. B. Sept. 14—11

Queen Street Grocery

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We keep constantly on hand a large stock of choice

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Flour, Tea, Coffee, Fruit, Tobacco, Kerosene Oil, Confectionery,

And everything pertaining to a first-class Grocery Store in abundance, at the lowest possible prices.

Catering for Tea Parties and Picnics a specialty. Orders by mail promptly attended to.

We invite inspection of our goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.

Peter Kelly & Co. Queen St., Charlottetown, July 13, 1898.

One of the largest cargoes of smuggled liquor ever seized on the Cape Breton coast was landed at North Sydney, on the 7th from the schooner Jesse M. The vessel was captured by Collector Macaulay, of St. Ann's, on Saturday night, seven miles outside of St. Ann's Light. The cargo valued at \$6000, consists of 50 casks of rum, 150 cases of brandy and gin, besides a quantity of tobacco.

A daring plot to assassinate the Czar of Russia the other day was almost successful. The plan of the conspirators was to allow gas to escape into a house on the route of Czar's procession until every room was saturated. One of their number was to remain in the house and strike a light when the Czar was passing, in the expectation that the house would be blown to pieces and the Czar killed by the flying debris. The conspirator would perish himself as a sacrifice to the cause. The lot fell to Alexander Kolonoff. In his agitation, Kolonoff mistimed the explosion. When it occurred a staff officer and his wife were passing and were killed. Thirty others were injured. Kolonoff's mangled body was found among the ruins.

ALL NERVES. "Many people say they are 'all nerves,' easily started or upset, easily worried and fretted. Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are just the remedy such people require. They restore perfect harmony of the nerve centres and give new nerve force to shattered nervous systems."

WHAT DOES IT MEAN? It means rich blood, strong nerves and sound digestion. It means prosperity and growth to the young. It means good oil and mental vigor. That's what Scott's Emulsion means.

HOOD'S PILLS cure all liver ills. Easy to take, easy to operate; reliable, sure. 25c.

DEED. August 5th, at Chelsea, Mass., U. S. A., Julia, the widow of the late Joseph McGilvey, Esq., and sister of Lieutenant Governor Howland, R. I. P.

In Charlottetown, on the 8th inst., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Michael Carragher, James McGillivray, R. I. P.

In this city, on the 8th inst., of hemorrhoids of the lungs, Richard Duffy, father of the late John Quinn, aged sixty years, R. I. P.

FOLLOWED HUSBAND'S ADVICE. "I was troubled for a long time with sick headaches. At last my husband bought me two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla telling me this medicine would cure me, as it had cured him of salt rheum. I began taking it and it made me feel like a new woman."—Mrs. Robert McAffee, Deerpark, Ontario.

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THIS IS WHAT WASHINGTON INTELLIGENCE OF THE 10th says: The fact that British imports into the United States have fallen off greatly in the last year while American exports to Great Britain have been increased has been announced from time to time during the year, but the full year's figures, just presented by the Treasury Bureau of Statistics, bring to the surface some interesting details not heretofore published. These show that while the exports from the United States to the United Kingdom have increased 12 per cent, the imports from the United Kingdom have fallen off 35 per cent. The exports from the United States to the United Kingdom during the past year were in round numbers five times as much as the imports from the United Kingdom, the figures of the Bureau of Statistics being: Imports from the United Kingdom, \$109,138,365; exports to the United Kingdom, \$549,860,152.

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It is beautiful. Everything to be desired in the way of pretty hats, pretty flowers, ribbons, laces, gofferings, crepe and jetted goods. Just what is wanted with the help of our artistic milliner, MISS MURPHY, who has given unbounded satisfaction to her many customers for the past six years.

New Spring Capes, New Dress Goods

Of every description will be on our counters. At present we have two very special lines at 45c a yard. Pretty silk and wool fancy dress goods in all shades and pretty silk stripe plaids. Should sell at 65c. We have a big stock. Out they go for 45c a yard.

New Silks, Black and Colored, just received. New Blouses, new Kid Gloves, new Corsets, new Belt Buckles, new Ribbons. Everything the very latest, and dozens of cases of New Goods arriving and opening every day. We invite all ladies to visit our store and examine our New Goods.

A large purchase of one thousand pairs of Corsets, bought them cheap. We are selling them cheap. Come and see for yourself. 30 and 35c Corsets 25c, 45c Corsets for 42c, 65c Corsets for 50c, 85c Corsets for 75c, \$1.15 Corsets for \$1.00, \$1.35 Corsets for \$1.15. They are grand value and perfect fitting.

New Kid Gloves.

Every lady wants a pair of new Kid Gloves in the spring, and we have some rare values. We are selling a genuine 90c Kid Glove for 69c, 120 undressed Kid, black and colored, with 4 pretty pearl buttons to match, 89 cents. Also all the newest shades in red, ox blood, velvet and green, in 2 button Glove for \$1.10.

W. A. WEEKS & CO., WHOLESALE DEPARTMENT.

Our Spring Stock for jobbers is now about complete. Come or send in your orders for your spring wants. Millinery, Flowers, Dress Goods, Gingham, Prints, Cottons, etc.

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THIS WAY FOR Clothing!

We have opened another lot NEW CLOTHING.

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