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MR. EVERYBODY BY THE OBSERVER

A public man in France the other day named the culprit responsible for the high cost of living. "Mr. Tout le Monde," he said,-in English, "Mr. all the world, or Mr. Everybody." The truth of this is only too obvious. The blame for the high cost of living is not to the profiteers alone. Oh, there is no thought of defending them, or apologizing for them; let them take their full share of the blame; and a big share it is. But we shall never understand a social problem by looking at it from only one point of view.

Profiteering is a mean, sordid offence; and one that is very widespread; and one that must be dealt fiteering; everyone, they say, is out with by stronger measures than have for all they can get; let us take our yet been taken. The proceedings of share. Without some stirring of conthe Board of Commerce, so far, are Ecience in the individual, profiteering no more than a good start; and a will never be done away with. The good precedent. The bogey of the good of the country is not a suffilaw of supply and demand, and the ciently powerful motive to induce bogey of non-interference between buyer and seller, are gone the way answer is not to be found in legislathat all bogies must eventually go; and if we have not yet, in Canada, gone as far as we ought to go we the set of the se gone as far as we ought to go, we have at least established a precedent which will be valuable in the future.

But let us not make the mistake of supposing that a problem like the cost of living can be solved by approaching it from one angle only. Like all problems which exercise the minds of men, the problem of the cost of living involves various considerations; and is complicated in many ways by the vagaries and weaknesses of human nature.

Every man is a potential profiteer. "Lo, the poor Indian, whose untutored mind" conceived the idea that when money is so plentiful he could get a dollar a gallon for his blueberries. He got it. No middleman there; the goods came direct from the bush to the consumer, by the sole intermediary of one Indian. No overhead charges; no deterioration of plant; no capital investments; no pay roll; no bank charges; no trade losses; none of the usually alleged reasons, real or exaggerated, or imaginary, which are made to account for high prices, entered into this transaction. Nature provided the blueberries without the assistance or intervention of man : one Indian picked them; and the consumer paid the highest price ever paid in that part of Canada.

This is a clear case of profiteering ; and the profiteer was just one poor Indian; not a Socialist or even a Social economist; a very obscure individual indeed; but one who had have inspiring according to the fervor of the individual soul. But Mary as the heard tell that money was plentiful ; who knew that it is human nature has grasped the human instinct of to buy what you want if you have the price, whether you can afford the price or not; and who simply saw to buy what you want if you have many outside the Fold, and has in-

term; but it is not so much too broad. To the very large class of unfair charges, add, if you please, the still larger class of unthrifty spenders. Next in the line to the poor Indian profiteer, put the man who gave him a dollar a gallon for the very unnecessary blueberries. That's his place, is it not ? Next to every profiteer put the men whose carefree, thriftless manner of spending their wages or income, made the

into the calculation.

moral problem.

bagan.

But we must never forget that

of the deadly sin of covetousness;

and that will never be completely

checked by merely human means.

moral appeal; and if it gets no re-

noble ideal.-The Guardian. OUR IRISH LETTER path of profiteering so attractive and so easy. If we are going to really IRELAND SEEN THROUGH study the causes of the high cost of IR!SH EYES living, let us not begin by ignoring a

NOT A HUNDRED YEARS AGO

full half of the factors that enter Since the opening of Lord French's At the same time let us not suppose new imprisonment crusade, the first batch of forty Sinn Fein prisoners, that by distributing the blame we wipe out the blame; that, where so after hunger striking and prison rebelling, have won out, and have had to be released. They hunger struck many are involved, there is no blame to anybody. That is the easy-going egainst being treated as criminals philosophy that leads many into proclaiming to be treated as political prisoners. They broke out in rebellion also. By calling in the military the prisoners were overcome. They were beaten. They had their hands manacled behind their backs and they were cast into solitary confine. ment, each in his own little dungeon —in order to tame their spirits. Twelve days of this solitary con men to pass up easy gains. The inement with hands locked in irons theirs. It broke the health, however. of several of them. And while some were in danger of dying without any the solution of what is, at its root, a

one of them weakening in spirit-and that the Lord Mayor of Dublin profiteering is merely a manifestation telegraphed to the Irish Chief Secretary that the death of these men would be upon his head, --forty men checked by merely human means. were suddenly unloced from their The appeal against profiteering is a tarrible tortures and turned out. side the jail gates, just gasping for life. This is not a prison picture from Siberia-nor from Armeniasponse on moral grounds; if it cannot touch and awaken conscience; the solved. Attempts to solve it in its

many such jail pictures that are being flashed on the screen every mere material aspects may help ; but they can never bring the solution. day of these days in Ireland. Even the end of war made conditions SINN FEIN ANNUAL CONVENTION will not end profiteering; it was very much on the increase before the War

Sinn Fein has just successfully held its annual Convent on. More than three hundred delegates from every corner of Ireland had assembled in Dublin, for purpose of hold ing a great Convention in the Man-sion House the next day. Suddenly came forth Lord French's Proclama-tion, forbidding the holding of the Convention as unlawful. And regi-ments of soldiers were ringed around the Mansion House on the eve of the Convention date—and held the Mansion House secure till the Convention House secure till the Convention Day was past. Mean-time Sinn Feir, which is always prepared with its alternative plans, and which is now grown quite adept in outwitting every fresh Government

move, passed the word to the delegates on the Convention Eve to meet at midnight in a cap cious cellar in a certain large Dublin hotel While the regiments of unsleeping

soldiers were, that night, holding the Mansion House secure, the Convention in its underground rendez was going earnestly forward with its nation-building work schemes for extending the effective ness of the organization were debated and formulated, and plans for pushing to success the frish Victory Loan were agreed upon. The delean advertisement of the Sinn Fein gates were instructed how best to Loap. meet and beat the new repressive thed a tled and taken away. Mejor Brian Cooper, who succeeded Lord Decien measures of the Government. And the Headquarters commands were as press censor in Ireland, wrote an given the delegates for coaveying to alarmous letter to the London Times, all the Sinn Feiners in the remotest corner of the Island—showing them informing England that this whole-

"Mr. Everybody" is a pretty broad erm; but it is not so much too road. To the very large class of mfair charges, add, if you please, he still larger class of unthrifty penders. Next in the line to the moor Indian profiteer, put the man hood, which for a cause, in which the son believes, has been ready and it is typical of how the British Govwilling that the son should give up his life, his fortune and his sacred honor to the accomplishment of his ernment is, by every new repressive move, upbuilding the cause that it

LORD BEAVERBROOK AND THE METHODISTS

The humor of the Briton on Irish politics is ever fresh and never end-ing. The latest threat with which he threatens Ireland is, strange to say, the Methodist Church of America. Lord Beaverbrock, who has returned home after travelling in Canada and the United States, has been confiding to his countrymen the great and powerful ally which they may call to their aid, in case Lord French finds himself defeated in trying to stamp out the fires of Irish freedom. Lord Beaverbrook has just told the English

nation that the Methodist Church of America only waits to be appealed to in loud enough accent." He informs hem that the Methodist Church, etretching out its influence over millions in every corner of the vast Continent, is perhaps the most powerful political body the new world has

ever seen." The Irish Municipal bosses, he says, locked horns with the Methodist Church over the Prohibi-tion Question — and bit the dust. The Methodist Church regards a political religious crusade, preached political religious crusade, preached by the Irish, with small favor. Should it begin to act, it will crush the American Sinn Feiners as easy as the cart wheel crushes the toad." Lord Beaverbrook regretation was a stated of Cathelic Women of Massachusetts Dame, is by far the one which gives to the world an inside view of an bistorical episode, intimately associ-Beaverbrook regretfully remarks that the Ulstermen so far have made no national hero, with an impressive real effort to stir this slumbering giant. And he encouragingly predicts affairs of the church world of to all his fellow Britons, who are inclined to be down hearted with the

of American opinion, is a weapon which may yet be turned against Sinn Fein itself."

deavor-a very futile endeavor one may guess-to manipulate the great dethodist Church, in the interests of Hence the intimate rave British rule over subjugated peoples, and to make the good Methodist Elders of America, in a crisis, as Britain's Cossacks. It will probably be a surprise to Americans in general. and to many thousands of good Presbyterian Americans in particular, to learn that at a recent general assembly of the Presbyterian Church of America an anti Irish, pro British resolution was somehow or other manipulated and slipped through, and sent over the water for use in encouraging Britain not to relax in her victim. And her tens of thom sands of freedom loving Presby terians,

laymen and clergymen alike in America, would indeed be grievously pained to know that their Church was thus made use of by the Briton in his hour of need.

THE "FREEDOM OF THE PRESS " IN IRELAND

The Sligo Nationalist is the fortythird paper in Ireland to be suppress-ed. Its crime was that it published

SEUMAS MACMANUS

Of Donegal.

the concoction contains : 'The first translation (of the Bible into Czech) was made in 1475, nine years after Luther's Bible was published.' Now,"

remarks Father Drum, "Luther's first edition was completed in 1534. So the arithmetic of the Literary Digest is a bit awry. Moreover, by the tenth century was the Gospel of John done into Bohemian; and the Czech translation of the Bible was complet. ed by the fourteenth century." Few. of course, who read the Literary Digest, will be likely to read the Ec-clesiastical Review. Not a few more, we fear, would not set much store by the refutation, even though they were to come across it. Along some lines of knowledge they would pre'er not to be set aright — Catholic Transcript.

AN HISTORIC MOMENT CARDINAL O'CONNELL TELLS

INTERESTING STORY OF 1914 CONCLAVE

From out the columns of press ports detailing the warmth and enthusiasm of America's reception of Cardinal Mercier of Bilgium, the report of his reception by the League and critical moment in the great nations.

We may all remember how en-British non success in Ireland, that grossed was the world in war news the Methodist Church, "this big stick and European sffairs in the Septemt American opinion, is a weapon bich may yet be turned against inn Fein itself." One wonders what the good Metho-ists of America will think of ford dists of America will think of Lord Beaverbrook's estimate of them—and of the noble Briton's opinion that the of very minor importance to the Methodist Church of America, can, as a body, be turned a profitable use by a body, be turned a prontable use by then and caring country out to the England in stamping out for her the gium and northern France. But to sparks of freedom that are kindling that assemblage of Catholic electors, amongst her subject peoples. We to the School of Cardinals and in amongst her subject peoples. We may expect the next move of British propaganda in America to be an enand coronation was momentous, was

Hence the intimate revelation by Cardinal O'Connell never before pre-sented for public reading adds new interest and estimation of the Belgium Primate.

CARDINAL O'CONNELL'S NARRATIVE

'As I look over the scene before me-the Primate of Belgium receiv-ing in this hall the welcome of the League of Catholic Women-my memory carries me back swiftly to another scene far different but not less historic. "It was the morning of Sept. 6,

awaiting the entrance of the new Para on bit may to the contained serve in the sords if serve in your decora-tions. Please publish this telegram." "As you see," said the Mayor in commenting on the trouble, "those Pope on his way to the coronation in the Sistine Chanel

military authorities refusing him safe conduct back to Belgium. "We listened with mingled senti-

ments of surprise and consternation. All the Governments had guaranteed safe conduct to all Cardinals to and from the conclave-friend or enemy. INVITED TO ENGLAND

"Cardinal Mercier had just been informed that for him that privilege was revoked. 'Come with me to London,' said Cardinal Bourne to him; 'we have room and a hearty welcome for you at Westminster. Come and rest awhile in England."

"With a look of tenderest yearning in his eyes, which seemed to gaza afar, out through the great palace beyond the Alps to his own little country, in a voice quivering with an overpowering emotion, Cardinal Mercier said: 'You are very, very kind, Your Eminence, but I want to go home at once, as soop as my duty here is done-I must go back to Belgium, back to my people who are suffering, and I must go and suffer with them. I must go back to my flock, my Belgium, my people.'

POPE'S FIRST APPEARANCE

"A door opened quietly; the Pontiff had instantiy entered. We all arose and went silently to the Sistine Chapel for the coronation.

"But all through the day I could see the tall figure of Belgium's Primate, with the yearning look in his eyes, saying in a voice which moved to tears, 'I must go back to Belginn to my suffering people, to my little flock.

WENT BACK AND SAVED BELGIUM "And he went back to Belgium, and he saved Belgium. How, all the world knows. He stood for justice and right; he stood for principle, for

his country, for his people, for his flock-and that is why today Boston, Mass., America, stands by him. Long live the Primate of Belgium-Car-dinal Mercier."-The Guardian.

"ICH DIEN"

SOLEMN PROTEST OF IMPERIAL SONS OF EMPIRE

The preparations for the reception of the Prince of Wales seem to have ruffled the nerves of the loyal citizens of Montreal. Mayor Martin took a special trip to Vancouver to submit the program to his Royal Highness, and everything was supposed to have been settled satisfactorily, but since his return a new trouble has arisen. The Imperial Order of the Sons of the Empire made a solemn pro'est against the words "Ich Dien " in the device containing the arms of the Prince used in the decorations. They alleged that these words were Germar, and Mayor Martin, who happens to be French, and was unable to say CARDINAL O'CONNELL'S NARRATIVE Addressing the Cardinal guest, His minence said: "As I look over the scene before "As I look over the scene before

"His Worship the Mayor of Mon-eal: Your letter dated the 18th. treal : The idea that the Prince of Wales' motto, 'Ich Diep,' is not English is totally unfounded. Since, however, it has been misunderstood in Montreal, you have his Royal Highness' permission, if you wish, to substitute "As you see," said the Mayor in commenting on the trouble, "those who are scandalized by the use of the words 'Ich Dien' in the decora-

WOUNDED BY CRUCIFIX

There were electors from all parts tions were wrongly informed. This There were electors from all parts of Europe, then entirely aflams with war. The look upon the face of each was one of keen anxiety. Christian courtesy to each and all of that great made against its usage, and I wish to resolution. Officials of the National shipping This is the attend the launching of the shin company was the most conspicuous say that, although his Royal High-"Casey." 'he was the sixteenth vessel to be launched at the Hog Island yard. The "Casey" was named ness consents that these words he placed by the words 'I serve,' I think for the Knights of Columbus, and in another and each wondered in his take advantage of this permission. heart what would be the conditions I am not of the opinion that one it is an elementary duty for us not to commemoration of their splendid War record. Miss Mirlam Rits Flaherty, daughter of must be, according to the popular ex James A. Flaherty, supreme knight of the pression, more Catholic than the Pope and more Royalist than the Knights of Columbus, christened the ship, which is an oil burner with a slightest aloofness towards others, King." The Mayor has written to the Cardinals of the Allied Nations the Prince acknowledging his cour cruising radius of 10,000 miles and freight capacity of 5,000 tons. tesy, and the Imperial Order of the

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CATHOLIC NOTES

The Aurora University at Shanghai is the only Catholic University at Shanghai is the only Catholic University in China. It has faculties of law, a school of Engineering and Academic Course, and an aggregation of three Catholic Gall Catholic Colleges.

On the western shore of Lake Victoria, in Stanleys' darkest Africa, is now a church in which on every Sunday are said three Masses at-tended by about 850 men and 900 women, and coming from distances of from three to trarte mile of from three to twenty miles.

The Academy of Moral and Political The Academy of Moral and Political Sciences in Paris has awarded to Cardinal Lucon, Archbishop of Rheims, its 15,000 francs prize for "the most beautiful and grandest devotion to national need." This is in recognition of his devotion to his diocese

The Lithuanian government has addressed a petition to the Holy See, through the Apostolic Nuncio at Warsaw, asking that the episcopal see of Riga may be raised to the rack of a metropolitan see, with jurisdiction over the whole Lithuanian territory.

Rome, October 12 .-- Immediately upon receiving news of President Wilson's illness, the Pope telegraphed to the White House, expressing his ardent hopes of the President's speedy re overy and requesting that he be kept informed of the progress of the case. A procession of thanksgiving took place through the streets of London

to Our Lady of Victory, Kensington, on September 14, and the organizers, the Guild of Ransom, remind Catholics that it was just after the proces-sion of intercession to the same shrine last year that the tide began to turn.

Rome, Octobsr 12 .- By decree of the Congregation of Rites, the Holy Father has given Bishops throughout the world special faculties to allow the celebration of one Requiem Mass, which may be either a Low Mass or "Missa Cantata," for the souls of the faithful departed, on All Souls' Day, Sunday, November 2.

London, September 18.-Father Fletcher, master of the guild and pioneer of all the outdoor procesions, which now grace the streets here in the summer months, has just been decorated by the King of the Belgians for his work for the Belgian exiled priests during the War. He is a convert of many years' standing and is uncle to General Allenby, the conqueror of Palestine.

London, Sept. 28.—Cardinal La Fontaine, surrounded by the civil and military authorities of the city, laid, this week, the foundation stone of the retires the boundation stone of the votive church, which is to be erected on the L dc. This act is in fulfilment of a vow, made by the Vanctians in 1916 that, should Venice escape and should the Italian arms be triumphant in the War, they would build a commemorative church in honors of Our Laboration in honor of Our Lady:

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 14 .- Before going into joint session with the house of Bishops this morning to consider the new missionary programme of the denomination, the house of the denomination, deputies at the general convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church unanimously passed a resolution in-viting His Eminence Cardinal Mercier of Belgium, "the greatest moral figure of the War," to speak to the two houses when he comes to Detroit next week. Applause greeted the

board went to Philadelphia recently

A SPLENDID TRIBUTE TO MOTHER OF GOD VICE PRESIDENT MARSHALL HOLDS

BLESSED VIRGIN AS TYPICAL MOTHER OF ALL TIME The Blessed Virgin Mary holds the

tributes of centuries of devotees under the many titles accredited to her in the Loretto Litany. All these senimental expressions of her place in the hearts of Ciristians spring from the spiritual Motherhood of Mary, which gives to us, all the other in spiring titles by which we address and implore her. With Catholics they have a meaning all their own and each title carries a beauty and a sweetness of devotion more or less mother of Our Divine Lord Himself

his chance, and seized it.

Well, why mention such an insig nificant transaction ? Because it who, in the genius of poetry, music lights up, to an observant eye, the and oratory, have given to the world lights up, to an observant eye, the whole cost of living situation. Be Motherhood has inspired. cause, behind and around and underneath, all the semi scientific and Thomas R. Marshall, Vice-President pseudo-learned discussion of supply and demand, and of the effect of tariffs ; and of imports and exports and international exchange ; and the balance of trade, there is this element of the human weakness for seizing a chance, a pretext, to get money or to get more money ; and we cite the poor Indian because he is at the far end of a the Blessed Virgin Mary. very long line of profiteers a line of profiteers which includes much more of the population of that venerates and worships a type Canada than most people stop to of woman-the Blessed Virgin think of. Every man who charges more for anything than it is worth under the existing circumstances at the file he made the state upon earth. I do not my-self happen to be a communicat of the time he makes the charge, is a that great church; but I hope I shall profiteer ; whether the transaction is large or small, important or unimportant ; and it makes no difference in principle whether the charge be made for a railway locomotive or for a day's work whitewashing a barn. of the mothers of all ages, even The principle is the same in all though they have been compelled to Justice, not opportunity, is stand and see their sons suffer in the the test in all cases. And every man been compelled to see their little who charges more than is fair be-cause he sees that he can get it, is manhood and face the hour of duty, a profiteer; and every such man

olic children. To the long list of non-Catholics an expression of the appeal Mary's we are ex. ceedingly pleased to add the name of of the United States.

At the Convention of American War Mothers, held at Washington early in the month, in the absence of President Wilson, then touring the West, the notable gathering of American women, who had given their sons for the freedom of the world, was addressed by the Vice President. Mr. Marshall in the course of his remarks paid this beautiful tribute to

TYPICAL MOTHER OF ALL TIME

"There is a religious communion prevented the great Annual Conven-tion of Sinn Fein. And Sinn Fein tion of Sinn Fein. had taken its first big fall. Lord delights me to consider her the Queen French's reconquest of Ireland had made a gigantic stride forward. But of Heaven and the Mother of God alas-the sad news broke out next be violating none of the proprieties, when I say that the feelings of those ployed guarding the empty Mansion House, Sinn Fein had easily and uncommunicants from the divine stand disturbedly carried out its "treason point have appealed to me from the

human standpoint. I have thought of her as typical Lord French's coup of suddenly proclaiming the Convention and seizing the Mansion House was that now the mandates that went forth from the cause of justice and humanity ; have cellar Convention to every remotest corner of Ireland, carried to the people a seven fold obligation and a sanctity far beyond anything they of service and of sacrifice ; who have could have attained from the dele-gates, had they instead of sitting must take his share of the blame for hearted, as they marched to martial upon boxes and barrels in a Dublin strains along the highway of duty to

sale suppression of the Organs of pub how best to play their patriotic parts lic opinion in Ireland-without sem in the present trying time, the steps blance of legality-is working more they must take, and the sacrifi disaster to British rule, than Sinn Fein, of its own accord, ever could. they must make in order that Ire-land should win out. Then the He confesses that British authorities officers were elected for the ensuing in Ireland care no more for any year, and the Convention was over. semblance of legality in their repres Twenty four hours later the regi sive proceedings. They are just playing the bull in the China shop, in ments of soldiers were withdrawn from around the Mansion House by theirdesperation. The London Times in turn takes up his letter and agrees the well-pleased, easily satisfied Government officials. Not a mouse

had stirred in the Mansion House during the dangerous twenty-four hours. They had proclaimed and

another degree worse than the worst of them. morning that while every available British soldier was diligently em-THEIR DATES ARE A BIT AWRY

We are reminded, now and again, able" designs, only a mile away! The one and only result then of by certain of our separated brethren, of the immense influence for good exercised by the benevolent age within the Protestant fold that have scattered the Bible far and wide, the while Catholic authorities, as they charge, have endeavored to prevent its being read. Such an effort was made some months ago in an article that found its way into the Literary Digest, under the caption : "A Nation of 'Biblers'." Therein the Czechs were held up as the particular bencellar, sat in gilt chairs and eficiaries of Protestantism, dates and received by him from the German clic.

Its machinery was misman note.

'The Cardinals of France and the Cardinals of Germany stood near one and the divisions of the world when we met again

Instinctively, but without the gradually clustered in a little group and seemed to gather from this Sons of the Empire may attend the mutual sympathy consolation and reception without any further mis-In subdued tones one con- givings .- The Globe. courage. veyed to the other the sentiments of

impending anxiety, yet of calm and certain confidence. "The Cardinal of Paris bad passed

with him, and calls for the trial of many sleepless nights and looked utlerly worn, save for the flash of pluck which gleamed from his dark

> where wounded soldiers were being of the bombardment of his historic cared for by loving hands, and where a great dearth of anaetthet is made of not only his unique cathedral, but of hundreds of the churches of his diccese. UDE data and the churches of his diccese.

The large strapher removing strapher removing the leg. The doctor, after removing several pieces, finally extrected a seemed utterly stunned. I see him now, his venerable gray head bent upon his breast, his hands crossed as driven amount of the breast of his tunic by the king driven almost her worded many ler. When he real lond amplance. The citation of his what of all that he loved most would be laft to him.

"Instinctively the Cardinals of the

above the tallest of them, I saw for the first time the Primate of Belgium. He was telling in a low voice, quiver-ing with emotion, of the order just for the shells.—Intermountain Cath-town the sergeant was presented with

It is reported that Msgr. Kordac. Professor of the University of Prague, has been appointed to the Archbish-opric of Prague which was resigned by Archbishop Huhyn on the procla mation of the Republic. The Neue Tiroler Stimme makes the following

Many strange and fantestic tales statement. "Pope Benedict XV., ha communicated to the Czecho-Slovak are told by returning so diers and war workers. Here is one which Government the fact that he has nom inated Dr. Franz Kordac to be Arch bishop of Prague. The newly appointed Archbishop has departed for Rome, where he will receive from the Pope instructions regarding the arduous task he is about to take up.' Sergeant John O'Neill, a Catholic soldier of the Leinster regiment, has Cross. As the cross was pinned on the breast of his tunic by the king wounded man's leg. When he re- loud applause. The citation of his covered contclour ness he was shown bravery, which was read out by by the purse, who is our authority Charles Cust, brought further chr bravery, which was read out by Sir for the story, the crucifix, and in from the admiring audience.

"Instinctively the Cardinals of the Allied Powers grouped tcgether and instinctively the American Cardinals found their way silently to this same group. "In the midst of it, towering high hears for the story, the crucifix, and in place of having a feeling of ennity he begged that he might keep it as a souvenir. He gained rapidly, was corps. The story shows to what hears for the story and content of the story shows to what extreme conditions Garmany was reduced when all articles of metal were collected and used as fillings

the sum of \$2,100.

some new policy in Ireland before all is lost. The only trouble is that only trouble is that each new Irish policy which the British Government lugs in differs eyer. "The venerable Cardinal of Rheims is be well attested. In a little hospitel outside of London from those gone before in being gray, bent and aged, had just learned city and the threatened destruction

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REAPING THE WHIRLWIND

BY CHRISTINE FARER

CHAPTER XXXIX

Robert Wiley with his quiet simple ways, his apparently thorough en-joyment of the company of Mrs. Hogan's little ones and his tact and sympathy in all discussions with est, impetuous, warm-hearted , had gone quite into the hearts onest. of the simple couple, and both were equally determined on making him, f possible, consent to remain with

They implicitly believed the brief count he had given of himself, and were uttarly unsuspicious, even when his fears, which he could not always control, betrayed him into answered : sudden starts and haunted expres-To the other neighbors he had nothing to say, further than a simple salutation when he met them, and the fact that he was a friend of Miss Burchill-which fact Mrs. Hogan had thought it her duty to tell-disposed them all to regard him with kindly interest, and to equally unsuspicious of any of his antecedents. Hogan had already spoken for him at the shop, and had secured a promise of speedy employ-ment, which Wiley had decided to He could not tear himself ccept. from the vicinity of his child, now that he had seen her, and in all her budding, girlish loveliness, His heart was torn by its yearning for her, and he felt that he would risk death itself rather than be separated from her by a greater distance. It was while he was filled with such thoughts as these that Mildred came him with her note from Robinson.

Oh, Miss Burchill, we're right glad to see you," said Mrs. Hogan nly. "Sure Dick last night got said Mrs. Hogan warmly. the promise of work in a day or two for Mr. Wiley, and Mr. Wiley seems so glad and thankful himself about I'll take you right in to him,' and she led the way to the room which had been given up to the stranger. Wiley met her with a smile that way

to bring to his face the ingenuous expression it wore in her picture of him. "Tell me," he said, when she had

seated herself, "what did Cora think about me the other day? She ran pany. after me to give me money. O God! it was the hardest struggle I ever had to refrain from discovering myself to her.

She had a very singular feeling about the way you looked at her," replied Mildred, "and she thought you were in need, perhaps. But read this before we talk further.

He unfolded the unsealed letter she gave him. He read it, his face growing pale and red by turns, and nds sometimes trembling so that the letter shook in his grasp.

How did he discover all that he knows about me?" he asked, looking anxiously, and for a moment, suspiciously at Mildred.

Never for a moment thinking that he could suspect her betraying him, she met his look confidently as she answered I do not know. The first intima-

tion of his knowledge which I received was from his own lips." Her answer, her look, convinced

him that he had wronged her. He leaned his head on his hand for a moment and appeared to be in deep When he raised it even thought. his features were agitated.

What sort of a person is the lady who delivered my note to you?" Lady? No lady gave it to me. I received it from Mr. Thurston."

Mildred began to be painfully em. Yankee, I suppose, to have any of

"To marry him!" he repeated at last. "Well, you will have wealth, Mildred; but whether you will have happiness is another question. However, since he is your choice,

"Yes, I attributed to her engage perhaps you will run no great risk." ment to you the spirit which prompted your offer to me." Could he but have looked into her art, could he but have seen how Well," answered the factory his tone and words were lacerating

relations

owner, secretly netiled that he was credited with no disinterestedness, every fibre! But he could not look, and he knew nothing more than I gave Cora a home before I'd seen what she so quietly told him, and he uch of Miss Burchill." assumed only that girls did not Wiley smiled slightly, as if he had marry save for affection or wealth

your English good nature.

fact of Mildred going to be my wife draws us pooty close you know, and

makes me kinder soft on any of her

ere the master of the situation.

Well, the

read the thoughts of the speaker and to the latter class possibly be "What interested motive led you to give her a home when, in her onged this otherwise praiseworthy niece of his. In any event, the marriage would be for his interests, destitute infancy, you refused to provide for her. I do not care to and it was now a strong inducement Whatever your motive may indw. for him to trust Robinson. He have been, I am grateful to you for aving given her a home, I am grate-

"I suppose, then, that I ought to ful to you, on my own behalf, for what you now offer to do for me; but congratulate you and myself?" She did not look up; her heart was too Robinson, let us understand each

full. But he seemed to regard her other." He drew himself up as if he dropped head as evidence alone of mod est embarrassment, and he proceeded "I come to make my home with you, not as a criminal escaped from justice, and indebted to you for chalter and safety how you for Do you agree with Robinson in thinking i best for me to go imme diately to The Castle? shelter and safety ; but as a wronged

"I know of nothing to be gained by delay," she answered, tremulousand innocent man, placed by untoward circumstances in my present position. My services in your emly; then, after a moment's silence. she asked :

ployment shall compensate for your present generosity. I expect to re-ceive such treatment from you as one gentleman would give another, and in no you shall a unfor What course have you decided upon with regard to Cora? Will you come to us known to her as her father, or only as the man whom she and I met, and for whom Mr. and in no way shall I suffer an allusion bearing directly or indirect-Robinson made a place in the ly upon anything of which you may suppose me to have been guilty." factory ?'

latter," he answered, firmly. Oh well, I reckon there won't be "I would win her esteem, her affec-tion, if possible, before I make myself anything said to rile your feelings. And now supposing we jist drop all this kind of talk? Dinner'll be known to her."

She rose to accompany him to ready in a few minutes, and as Mil-Mrs. Hogan in order to tell her of dred tells me you don't want to be known to Cors, I suppose I'm to Mr. Robinson's offer to Wiley, but she did not intend to speak of her introduce you to her as Mr. Wiley own engagement. and she requested and I suppose, too, I'd better begin to git used to calling you Robert. her uncle to maintain a like silence on the subject. Eh ?

Wiley nodded : Mrs. Hogan was glad and sorry to the news. She had so confidently hoped to have their guest as a show you to your room." He did so, and Wiley departed with the did so, and wiley departed with Mrs. Hogan was glad and sorry at

CHAPPER XT.

Wiley. We can all see that you're a Cora could not sufficiently praise real gentlemen, and the place in the Mr. Wiley. His refined air, at which factory will be better suited to you than Dick's shop. But Dick'll feel bad, though, at losing your comhis long prison sojourn had not deprived him, his perfect gentleman liness, his quiet attention to herself whenever they met, and above all,

He won't lose my company altogether, Mrs. Hogan, for you will the expression of suffering and let me come to see you as often as I melancholy which seemed to haunt o, won't you ?" 'Oh, then, with a thousand welhis eyes, won her warmest interest

and sympathy. She loved to talk about him to Mildred, and the latter comes, Mr. Wiley; and it's proud we'll be of your visits sir, as we deemed it well to invite the fullest confidence. "I feel so often,' she said one day always were of Miss Burchill's." Mildred took her leave, her

to Miss Burchill, when, as usual her conversation drifted almost uncon uncle promising to follow her in the course of the afternoon. Upon Miss Burchill devolved the sciously to Wiley, " as if I wanted to sk of telling Cora about the ex-

How did you find him?" was her

It's the best thing for you, Mr.

impatiently put question. "Wby your uncle had learned himself, and that he guessed be didn't want people to know anything shout him. Sometimes I think, persomething about him, and where he haps, he's lost a daughter who was was stopping, and he sent me with a letter to him.

"I am so glad," exclaimed the girl, "for it would have been very lone-some now that Mr. Thurston's gone. Uncle told me at lunch he had gone for good. Do you know, Miss Burchill, I just think your engagement to uncle had everything to do with

his going." "Hush !" and Miss Burchill's hand

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parchment. Her very soul sickened at the thought of marrying him, and it seemed to her that never before had she realized all the horror of

that to which she had bound herself. She fell on her knees, and while the tears gushed from her eyes she im-plored him to release her from her promise

"I will minister to your comfort in any way that I can do," she said, but do not ask me to become your wife.

He laughed, the malicious laugh of heartlessness and triumph. It told her doom at once, and she sank closer to the floor, and sobbed in all the bitter abandonment of woe :

"You've got to be my wife, Miss Burchill; there ain't no question about that. I ain't going to release Burchill : you, and I'm going to stand to my part of the contract if you don't keep yours. You jist refuse to marry ms, and I tell you I'll have Chester Horton with the handcuffs on quicker'n it takes to tell you this. So you jist better leave off them tears of your'n and sell me what you mean to do.

I must know now, right Will you marry me on the away day I've named ?" She arose and looked at him, her face pale, her mouth quivering, and the tears still upon her cheeks :

"Since you wring the consent from me in this manner, you have it; bat remember, Mr. Robinson, you are taking a wife who, as such, will loathe and detest you." She turned quickly and left the room. The factory owner chuckled as he

saw the door close Them feelin's of her'n'll change

arter I get her ;" he said to himself, "and when she takes her turn with you," shaking his fist at the corner of the room to which he always looked when under the influence of to chuckle. Then he began to take slow, lengthy strides through the Mrs. Cassidy was leaving the din-

apartment, while his mind was rapidly forecasting the circumstances of the wedding. That night, for the first time since Thurston

His visit, marked by the same

them, and forgot for a while to drink their contents, in their curiosity the paper, at last, tucked out of sight ance-made such through business used parlor. Five minutes later she alone, for Robinson courted no East. understood. The Henderson Manutask of telling Cora about the ex. sak him what it is that makes him so pected arrival at The Castle, and the girl's eyes brightened with pleasure when she learned that it was the same apparently poor man whose strange look at herself had so im.

gracious on this renewal of a once a corner of the parlor, with t customary visit, though in the past on her lap and her hands his kindness; but uncle said Mr. Wiley would never say a word about called for refreshments of any kind, -still it had been a sort of stamp of haps, new lost a daughter who was like me, and that's the reason he's so attentive to me. Do you think it might be so, Miss Burchill, or do you think that he has even been Bat even mine host's obsequiousness room i

married?" "If we wait a little;" answered Mildred, evasively, "we may learn all about him. When he knows us all better, perhaps he will not be so reticent." was somewhat chilled by the cold, indifferent manner with which it was received. A little latter, how-to the utter astonishment of the host, reticent." received it from Mr. Thurston." Wiley rose from his chair: "I gave it to a Mre. Purilips for you... Mre. Hogan suggested that, as the would not enter Robinson's place Mre. Phillips would take it, saying Mre. Phillips would take it the take take take as it he shout

THE NEWS IN THE MORNING PAPER

Mr. Cassidy was a man of few words and no explanations. Forty years of observation had taught his wife to know him too well to be in need of either, so when, after s pleasant "good morning," and a jest ing remark about the heat, he became absorbed in the morning paper to the neglect of his breakfast, she under

stood that it contained news of un as a interest. Ordinarily he glanced at the headlines on the first page and laid it aside, to be enjoyed at leisure. Five minutes passed and he did not

bir Mrs. Cassidy glanced toward bim several times, but his face was hidden. At last, her curiosity, getting beyond control, she said, in a cheery, playful, entirely disinterested way, "Do begin your breakfast, John! There can't be anything in the paper too thrilling to wait for, and your coffee is getting cold."

Mr. Cassidy laid the paper aside then, and without a word began to sip his coffes and to toy with a bis-cuit. To her amazement, Mrs. Cassidy saw that his face was asby white Carious, and intensely anxious, but too wise to ask any questions, she began to talk of one little domestic detail after another, not very sensibly or coherently, it is true, but that did not matter, for it was evident that Mr. Cassidy paid no heed.

Soon he abandoned all pretense of

eating, and pushing a chair close to one of the windows, unfolded his paper and spent some minutes over is before he rose and left the room, murmuring something about going Three years to work in his garden. before Mr. Cassidy had retired, rich according to a modest standard of his own, and glad to rest after a weary struggle, which had begun when, at his strange terror, "she'll be tame struggle, which had begun when, at enough, I recton." He rubbed his seventeen, he turned his back on his skinny hands together, and continued father's farm, a pennilese, untutored,

ing-room by another door and she did attendant not catch what her husband said, but

B few minutes afterward, from a kitchen window, she saw him go had takenup his residence at down the path that led to the garden, The Castle, Robinson resumed his having absent mindedly provided old custom of visiting the village himself with acissors and a screwdriver. At once she went back to the apparently aimless saunter through barroom and parlor which character ized it in the past, excited much on the window-sill for her to read, bar room and parlor which character Consenty was accurated to for the total to for the solution on the window still for her to read, curiosity and secret comment. although she did not glance at it one Feared as he was, because of his morning in seven. It was not there; wealth, influence and well-known neither was it on the table or any of hard cast of character, he was at the the chairs. She had been uneasy; weater, in the character, he was at the bard cast of character, he was at the rame time, because of the odd and mysterious stories circulated about ing that he had hidden it because he dreaded to have her know what he ing that he had hidden it because he ing that he had hidden it because he is, just say the word and it's yours as sure as I'm Jerry Thomas." He ing interest. Men looked up now from their tumblers as he passed Mrs. Cassidy appropriate

respecting him. Charcs acquaint. under some cushions in the little-

a corner of the parlor, with the paper customary visit, though in the pass of tightly together, when her husband it had brought nothing in the shape tightly together, when her husband of patronage to the house, where came back to the house. Hearing him, she thrust the telltale paper him, she thrust the telltale paper back into its hiding place among the cushions, and slipping into the din-ing room began to dust some painted

Mr. Cassidy, passing through the room in silence, went into the hall

from the ungrateful fellow for six months. We weren't fashionable enough for him before, and now-" Mrs. Cassidy had no answer ready, and they had been sitting in silence for some minutes when Hannah, the maid of all work, came to the door with a great bunch of asters in her hand. "Mrs. Allison sent these," she

said. She told me to give you he love. And Jerry's come to scrub the steps. It's Saturday, you know." Mrs. Cassidy took the flowers and

examined them admiringly. "How kind of Mrs. Allison! She never sent me flowers before. No doubtrealized suddenly that every one had She read the morning paper by that time, and that all their friends, and even cquaintances, knew of their interest the Henderson Manufacturing ompany. "It was kind of Mrs. Alli-Company. she repeated slowly and thoughtfully.

"And Jerry is here," Hannah re-minded her.

"Oh, yes; he'll want his money if-if-" Mrs. Cassidy glanced at her hus band. His head was bowed and he was staring frowningly at the rug.

I'll speak to Jerry," she said. Going to the kitchen she found there the fat old darky who for twenty years had kept their porch and yard in what he indulgently called order. He was leaning lazily against the sink while he filled a small bucket with warm water.

Jerry, I have bad news for you, she said We have lost-that is, we're in trouble, and I'm afraid-She laughed in spite of herself and not at all mournfully, at the surprised and aggrieved face that he toward her. "I'm afraid that henceforth the porch will have to scrub itself-and the leaves blow off walk."

Jarry st ffened; his manner became dignified. "You don's mean you're dis-charging me, do you, Mrs. Cassidy ?" he gasped incredulously. "Methat's worked for you for twenty years and more, and kept everything so that all the neighbors around here, "hey say to me, Jerry,' they say, 'Jerry, you sure do keep Mrs. Cas-sidy's place spick and span.' That's what they say time and again.'

'It isn't that we're not satisfied. Jerry, but we have very little money

now-almost none, so-" Jerry's face had become as serious "Nos much money, you as possible. and Mr. Cassidy ! And you was both mighty good when my old woman was sick, and I sin't forgot them handsome flowers you sent to the straightened himself proudly as he made this handsome offer.

Ten minutes later Mrs. Cassidy heard unaccountable sounds coming from the direction of the porch, and peering between the parlor curtains she saw Jerry on his knees scrubbing the porch with such energy and the oughness as he had never displayed What would in all his service.

Fsiends of Mr. Caseidy's soon began to come; lawyers and business men, two directors of a nearby bank, and a broker whom he had befriended as a boy. The bewildered old man talked to one after another in a da hopeless way, touched by their kind ness, but not helped by their sugges tions or consoled by their prediction that stockholders in the Henderson Manufacturing Company would get a little out of the wreck. Mrs. Cassidy but far more cheerful than he. About eleven o'clock a shy, gentle tenderhearted maiden lady who lived across Cassidy that her cousin had sent two

high in price : that Mr. Cassidy must

The clock struck seven-eight-and

"I have a nice coat, and as many

in her cheery way.

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She is, or used to be a frequent visitor at The Castle, but she is not a friend of mine," and Mildred grew pale with the thoughts, which rushed to her mind.

What is her character?" de-

I shall not believe such a thing of Mr. Robinson must have gotten his old demeanor. Bat Robinson his information in some other way."

Wiley shook his head :

omen are sometimes capable of baser things than perhaps enter into your category of their failings. However, even to know how he gained his knowledge would be of considered is his offer, -a tempting one, I allow. But can I trust him?"

think you can," she answered : and then she looked at him, wondering why he said nothing of her ang why he said nothing of her semblance of heartiness into his to the factory owner had left tones as he advanced with out-the announcement of it to her? the announcement of it to her? Though the letter had been given to aled, and was of a purport which she already knew, she had not read is.

Now she requested Wiley to read it to her. He did so, and, while it set forth in very clear terms all pertaining to the proposal, it did not contain a word relative to the engagement

owner

thought he would have told she said, timidly, and with a ul blush, "that he has asked me to marry him, and that I have consented to do so." Astonishment kept her uncle Bilent and for so local there uncle painful blush,

silent, and for so long a time that

her imagination was not sufficient each succeeding day seemed to bring to depict the emotions by which that and to confirm, in the absence of meeting was characterized. On one even the slightest gossip about Wiley side there was the most intense form of Yankee hardness, accom Barchill, and because of that had panied by an exultant triumph in the changes which had made the factory sou, who intended him net watched by an exultant triumph in the changes which had made the factory sou, who intended him net source the factory source of the factory source of the factory by Robin-"What is her character?" de manded Wiley. "Is she a friend of Robinson's? Would her curiosity lead her to tamper with that letter in any way before it reached you?" "She could not, she would not, be so base," was the quivering reply. "I shall not believe such a thing of

break into open denunciation and one contradicted the rumor, it gained scorn did Robinson assume any of rapid credence. Even the newsread his map. He saw that the spirit which had censured and repelled hm in the past was as little broken by prison discipline and suffering as though it had en-countered neither; and fearing that, if he yielded at all to the feelings which possessed him he might over if he yielded at all to the feelings which possessed him he might over shoot his mark, and perhaps even

lose that for which all his schemes had been laid, he softened his manner, and even strove to put a night, and, since he knew that Milhis dred would insist on a very quiet ceremony, he was determined that as "How do you do, old fellow? I've agreed to let all bygones be buried;

their stay-he would have the so I'm glad to see you, and hope you'll make yourself to hum." Wiley took the outstretched hand, riage performed, and immediately when he had so resolved he sent for

determination. She had no reasonable excuse to oppose him longer, and yet to con-sent to so speedy a commencement them to the very heart of their

"If you sincerely mean all that you have said in your letter to me, then I must confess that you are n I must confess that you are der and more generous than I ught it possible for one of your ure ever to be." "That night is da vulgar habits, while his thiu, elong-ated, wrinkled face looked down upon ther with scarcely more expression than if it were a piece of yellow "That night is da God is in our hearts, night for us when he Hurry means the the nerves. It is the nervous prostration.

'Tain't often, I reckon, you git the chance of drinking with old Robin-

A profound silence succeeded his papers seemsd to have dropped all interest in the recapture of the conannouncement, and for two or him. three seconds it was not broken even by an attempt to accept on the part hopelessly. of those invited.

accompaniment of such an offer from almost any one else: but his effort was a failure, and it left him grimmer than before. The host, now, somewhat recovered from his own surprise, came to the

rescue, and his acceptance of the invitation reassured the others, and soon as the visitors had gone-and he intended to shorten the time of brought them forward at last with mar expressions of thanks, and conimmediately gratulations on the approaching marriage, though the congratulations Mildred and announced to her his wers spoken with an air rather suggestive of doubt and insincerity. TO BE CONTINUED

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That night is day for us when God is in our hearts, and the day is night for us when he is not there." Hurry means the breakdown of

the nerves. It is the royal road to

of their faces, or possibly to learn their number. Owing to the com-paratively early hour there were but few in the room, and after a slight mental debate, he said with startling abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness: the station as if he were holding some abruptness is the were holding some abruptness is the were holding some the station abruptness is the more holding some abruptness is the were holding some the station abruptness is the more holding some the station abruptness is the

and wiped his eyes again. Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy

Mrs. Cassidy tiptoed across the eyes as usual, only to try to form som room and put her two wrinkled old sort of plans, one old friend after an hands over one of his. "John, dear, other came, even some whom the

chance of drinking with our room, hands over one of his. John, wear, soo, "-he smiled gdmly,---" and may. be you wouldn't this time, only I'm be you wouldn't this time, only I'm For a moment he neither spoke nor For a moment he neither spoke nor the afternoon consultation between them, or even much and thought, was For a moment he neither spoke nor moved; then he put his arm about her and held her close. He said nothing until she tried to comfort him. "We're old, Mary — too old to begin again," he answered sadly, bonelessly. Evening came : the last caller hur

But we have each other," the ried away. The two old people were alone at last. They sat side by side whispered. in the dusk, no word passing between

We have-thank God!" he murmured in assent. She made him sit beside her at the

them. The room grew dark ; one by one the noises in the street were window, with his left hand in both of hers, while she talked encouragingly nables in the street were hushed, and then the sound of Han nah's singing as the worked. They nah's singing as she worked. They in a low, soft voice. "And, besides, we own this house," she concluded, had not forgotten the kindness o their friends, and of many whom they having forgotten the fact, until that had hardly counted upon as friends. moment. but neither could they forget that winter was at hand, and coal and food

Yes, own it to pay taxes on and to keep in repair !" he ratorted bitterly. Still she smiled bravely. "And Still she smiled bravely. "And your little garden provides all the regetables we can eas, and plain old people like ourselves don't need many clothes or many plasures, and..." clothes or many pleasures, and-" He allowed her to talk on without

paw-rent and sodality dues and a hundred other little needs. interruption, until at last, as he seemed to pay no attention, she asked, with a little quaver mastering her resolutely cheerful voice, "Father, was all we had invested in the Hen-dargon Wannier for the state of the state still not a word was spoken. dresses as I'll want for years to come I'll not need another if I live to be a hundred," Mrs. Cassidy said at last, derson Manufacturing Company ?" Every peany," he told her.

Atter a long silence, she ventured midly, "Father, Jack — perhaps,

timidly, Mr. Cassidy's answer was to take Jack-

her hand in his and hold it fast. Per haps he would have said something. He cut her short. "Whatever comes we'll ask nothing of Jack !" he but a moment after an automobile said hotly. "We haven't had a line stopped at their gate and some one



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of her bitter sacrifice was like sign ing her own execution. She looked at him as he stood before her, tall, spare, and with all the ungainliness

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came up the walk. Mr. Cassidy rose stiffy and had switched on a light by the time that Hannah reached the door. They heard a low, deep voice and her shrill treble, and then a tall, broad shoul-

treble, and then a tail, broad should dered, man burst into the room. "Father, I came as fast as I could! Oh, Mother dear!" and in au instant both old people were clinging to him and for the first time that day they were sobbing as if their hearts were breaking. As soon as they were quieter their son explained, in a quick way that was very like his mother's.

readers.

itself

State by the mob.

RIGHT TO CONTROL

the sake of control."

POWER OF CONTROL

"I saw the paper at breakfast—and I came as soon as I could. I hope you knew I'd come. I waited long enough to buy in for you \$50,000 worth of our stock. It pays eight per cent. I was just in time to catch the ten-fifty train. I hope you haven't worried much-I hope you knew I'd come, although I have been so-

I did know it, Jack, but I thought it might be some time before you would hear about the Henderson would hear about the trong Company. But your father-" Company. 'Why,

Mr. Cassidy turned on her. Mary, what are you saying !" he ex claimed indignantly .-- Florence Gilmore in Rosary Magazine.

MORALITY AND BIRTH CONTROL

GEO. BERNARD SHAW'S SATIRE TAKEN TO TASK BY CATHOLIC JOURNALIST

Rev. John Danihy, S. J., Dean of Journalism at Marquette University in Wisconsin, answers with logical and theological precision, the Shaw out-croppings upon one of the great subjects of world interest.

"MORALITY AND BIRTH CONTROL"

In the July number of Physical Culture, George Bernard Shaw has an article on "Morality and Birth Control" which is exactly the kind of an article one would expect on this subject from G. B. S. It begins by telling us how absurd-

ly inexperienced the ordinary citizen is in dealing with moral questions and after three pages of more or less irralevent matter, closes with this statement : "As we are very far from knowing enough about the matter to enable either the spiritual or tem. poral powers to handle it with any real authority, I strongly recommend those who are clamoring for police intervention in one direction or another, for the present to mind their own business, and to let other people mind theirs."

SHAW NOT INFALLIBLE

of man Mr. Shaw openly admits as a suppositum to his article, that hobody, not even himself, strange to say, knows anything about this matter. The reading world must be a little shocked and, perhaps, gratified, for we are all human, to know there is one subject in which Mr. Shaw does not claim infallibility. He then laid down his thesis in the

following words : "We must 'hold it to be self-evilive up to its obligations. dent' that everyone has a natural right to know whatever there is to he known * * * * and as the knowledge must not be suppressed, still less must the freest and fullest public controversy about it be sup

pressed. There is little need to waste words in refuting this universal proposition. It is not only against religion. against charity, but it openly vio-lates the laws of every civilized land,

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a scrap of paper"-"War is war."

THE PEACE A MORAL VICTORY

These "principles" invoked by Ger-many, shared the defeat of the Ger-

man army. With that army, they were indeed routed and overthrown. They must disappear for ever from

international currency. Viewed from this angle, Peace may

claim the character of a moral vic-

tory, a character which it behooves

the righteous conquerors, as a point

of honour, to preserve unimpaired. I am confident that our victorious nations will not fail in this. For,

after all, what were their aims? To restore violated rights; to

ministers of the church are enjoined to read and explain it to all. BIBLE AND BIRTH CONTROL

Just what this question of reading The trouble with Mr. Shaw, and the bible has to do with morality and others of his ilk, is that they do not know the meaning of the word mor-ality. The question of right and birth control is as much of a mys-tery to us, as it no doubt is to our The explanation we must

wrong is always left out of consider-ation, and the matter of the number leave to the fertile ingenuity of G. B. S. We have simply followed his of children, according to them, is to be measured by the convenience, material interests, or the mere de-Having established the thesis men tioned above, to his own satisfaction, without any proof whatever, and having rounded off his assertion by sire of their parents. We can see this from the arguments they advance. a gratuitous falsehood about the Catholic church, Mr. Shaw proceeds

Their chief argument is that a large family is a handicap to the parents. Even, if this were true, the parents accepted that handicap when to lay down his other "general pos-tulate." "In the list of things we hold to be self evident' must be in they entered upon the matrimonial cluded the desirability of control for Again it is urged that two or three

children can be given a better chance in life than seven or eight. This Again we have the general, sweeping assertion, without any restric-tion or refinement whatever. "All argument, if it means anything, means that five or six ought to be destroyed in order that two or three power of control is good in itself." We wonder what Mr. Shaw would say if we were to a k him how, why, remaining may be better brought up. If this reasoning were true, it could be pushed to some very startling conunder what circumstances and by whom this control can be exercised. What he says is that all power of control is good in itself. Therefore, the power of any one man to control the destinies of any other, for in-stances, his choice of wife, his occu-Let us suppose a family of eight is brought into the world, under circumstances which seem to promise every chance for their proper bring-

ing up. Then financial reverses come and the parents cannot possibly ation, the food he cats, the clothes he wears, his associations, his relig-ion, his thoughts, his ambitions, both take care of more than two. Shall they kill the other six ? Even G. B. S. would hardly wish to defend his for this world and the next, would be good, according to our friend, G. B. logic in such a case. CHURCH IS NOT NARROW since "all control is good in In all discussions on this subject, Despite his authority, there are no

by men of the Shaw stamp, we are doubt very few in the world who will include this among the things that continually hearing of the narrow-ness of the Catholic view. The we hold to be self evident." Human treatment of this question is entirely free from religious tenets. It is beings are so constituted that they resent many forms of control, such not a question of this, that or the other doctrine, but merely a question for instance, as control of the thief over the property of others, the conof the natural law which is equally trol of the law making powers by binding on every human being, and any same discussion of it must be corrupt politicians, the control of the from this standnoint.

Even at the risk of disagreeing with the brilliant publicist, human The right of the child to life, forever disposes of the parents' right beings have learnt from sad experito destroy that life. The primary end of matrimony forbids any method ence the lesson of limiting control to those who have a right to exercise of preventing life on the part of the parents, who are exercising their

rights as married people. The old principle, "Thou shalt not do evil that good may come of it," Now, who has the right to control bith? To anyone who believes in puts the moral question above all considerations of purely physical or God, the answer is very simple. God alone has that right. He, who founded the order of economical welfare.

human nature and determined how the human race should be continued. SHALLOWNESS OF SHAW

George Bernard Shaw is the acknowledged leader of the modern He alone has the right to determine how that law shall be obeyed, and He has written His law into the nature school of cleverness. He knows how to keep his name before the public by repeated attacks upon established SHAW DOES NOT ADMIT GOD custom. To him, and to his fol lowers, respectability is always dull, Our skeptical friend does not admit God, but he cannot deny nature, and the natural law, which is imprinted in every man's mind, is clear enough on this subject. No clear enough on this subject. No concerning this world or the next. To do this, to keep in the public eye, man or woman is forced to enter matrimony, but if, of their own free

requires brilliancy, cleverness, and they have both, but these qualities will that responsibility is assumed, foster shallowness, which is so freevery man and woman is bound to quently the mark of the clever writer. After all a man has only a certain

END OF MATRIMONY The primary end of matrimony is amount of capacity, a certain amount the propagation of the human race, by bringing forth and educating spread over the universe it may be children. The secondary end is the sparkling, even bubbling, but it cancomfort and happiness which come from married life. The fundamental not be very deep. It is the old lesson we learn in logic ; the greater the exerror of the writer of the article in tension, the less the comprehension The more subjects a writer discusses the less likely he is to say anything question is his atter ignorance of the

against charity, but it openly vio-lates the laws of every civilized land, which guarantee the rights of privacy to its citizens. DANGER OF DETRACTION If Mr. Shaw would stop writing long enough to look up the definition of detraction in the little catechism, and compare it with the laws of Grant

of life, and is as binding weeks or months before birth as it is after the child is bern. MEANING OF MORALITY CHILD OF MORALITY MEANING OF MORALITY CHILD OF MORALITY

from me. The victory of the Entente implies for the repulse of any future aggres-sion, and not only for its repulse, but fect, and not even those of the Ver-sailles plenipotentiaries have escaped the universal weakness. Still, we do a great deal more than a military victory. Providence, in giving to the war an issue favourable to our feel that their labours at least have For men have come to understand that, even as individuals, so nations arms, transformed it, as has been rightly said; into a work of justice and civilization. That work must been inspired by a mighty current of international morality as also by a current of ideas vastly superior to must no longer live in isolation; that, as a matter of fact, nations are and civilization. That work must now be stabilised by a fair and lasting peace. Throughout the War we proclaimed repeatedly and loudly that we were fighting for Right. Justice and Freedom. We never ceased opposing our ideal of "Right before Might" to that other ideal, the anewr's "Wight hefore Right." the spirit which, in analogous circumthe spirit which, in analogous circum-stances, had too often influenced the decisions of past victors. How comes it, therefore, that dark shadows over-hang such a treaty? In no section of the treaty do we read the name of Him "upon Whom all empires are dependent." The source and founda-tion of all authority, God, is not mentioned there. And this the enemy's, "Might before Right." How often did not we recall and impugn the principles upon which once mentioned there. And this time has come to acknowledge some form of supreme and universal will remain a permanent cause of inour foes had sought to base the alleged lawfulness of their attack, of will remain a permanent cause of in-firmity, not only all Catholics, but all their invasion of neutral Belgium, of religious-feeling or clear-sighted men must and will deplore. Providence bas always the last word in the their deeds of violence? "Necessity knows no law "-" The treaty is only

affairs of men. And no man has the power to banish Providence from human reckonings?

THE LEAGUE A RENASCENCE OF CHRISTENDOM

I greeted with joy the establish-ment of a Leegue or Society of Nations. Who knows whether, in the unfathomable designs of Providence, we are not actually witnessing a renascence of Christendom extend-ing, this time, to both hemispheres ? One could ask for no more splandid ideal than this concerted and guaranteed union of so many peoples, in a common respect for Justice and the practice of brotherhood. May our

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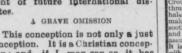
as the proper authority for the settle ment of future international dis

putes.

conception. It is a Christian concep-tion; and, if I may say so, it has before it a veritably radiant future. Already the initial stage in its pro-gressive realization enables us to fore

ee, thanks to the restriction of armaments, a decrease in the matter of military burdens, the reciprocal aid of the nations in safeguarding their independence, and protecting the weak. But it signi-fies more than this-mutual defence, and consequently fewer wars, if not the total disappearance of war.

As I read the syllabus of the guarantee freedom to the oppressed; to satisfy the demands of outraged justice. All nobis aims, well worthy of our great nations, so thoroughly manime, a League is being formed of the Christian fraternity to



for the exemplary punishment of its responsible authors. Nations, for which the doctrine he stands for, the tradition he embedies ening sap and a guarantee efficacy? would have been, as it were, a quick



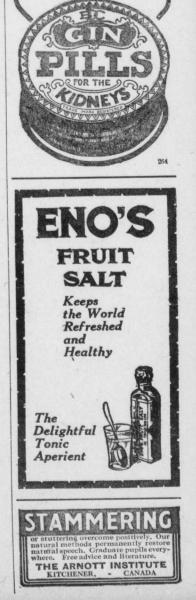


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whereby, under the safeguards con- | be restored to its former position in The WEAKNESS OF THE PEACE TREATY But all human labours are imparso, vill any Briton express surprise that a Catholic should feel con-strained to inquize publicly why, down to this date, the Pope should have been ignored by this League of

and compare it with the law of Great Britain, and the United States, he would discover that there are many truths which cannot be made public. Everybody, except Mr. Shaw, knows that there are things done every day and night in every city in the world, which, if freely and fully discussed, in public, would put the writer or speaker behind the bars.

BIBLE IN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Apropos of nothing, the writer makes the following statement : "To this day it is an unsettled

question between the Roman Catho. lic and Protestant churches, whether the one is right in withholding the by mutual consent. To indulge in these relations and to take measure that life will not result in a frustra bible from the laity, or the other in scattering copies broadcast." This statement is certainly important, if tion of the primary end of matri-mony, and is, therefore, directly true. Somebody should send the Pope a marked copy of it for his against the natural law.

guidance. In every Catholic book-store the bible can be bought in edi-tions suited to the pocket book of the buyer. In school commencements the bible is among the most frequently distributed premium books.

Every Sunday portions of the bible are read aloud at Mass in every

Just why the writer went out of his way to manifest his crass ignor-ance of Catholic doctrines regarding the bible is hard to understand. the bible is hard to understand. they are afraid of, but it seems to actions. But these are matters of more especial concern to the states-Even Mr. Snaw seems to balk at the absurdity of this sweeping assertion, for he adds, naively: "The Roman Catholic can be authorized to read the bible if his church thinks he can the bible if his church thinks he can ""The Roman differ all ""

ble parents. It makes marriage a mere cloak for the legalized indul-gence of passion. In this latter view, it's not really fair to the beast to say that men and women who measure their matrimonial relations by their lustful desires and ignore the consequences, are on the plane of the animals. Unmarried persons, who are unwilling to assume the burden of parenthood are perfectly free to remain in their present state. Married persons, who do not wish children, are perfectly free to refrain from the exercise of month.

BY H. E. CARDINAL DUBOIS. ARCHBISHOP OF ROUEN

THE COVENANT OF THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS AN ECHO OF THE GOSPEL Liverpool Courier Peace is signed. Peace will soon

HOW MANY CHILDREN ?

be everywhere ratified. What does Peace bring in its train? In the As Dr. Tenison in Kathleen Norris' "Mother" says : "In these days, when women just screnely ignore the quesfirst place, the cessation of the most dreadful war; the consecration of the Central Powers' defeat; the tion of children, or at most, as a special concession, bring up one or gradual resumption of normal life among the various nations so long two, just the one or two whose expenses can be comfortably met, there is something magnificent in a woman in conflict; the re-mapping of Europe and other continents; a series, as yet indeterminate, of politwho brings eight destinies instead of one. * * * * Responsibility-that's what these other women say ical, military and economic re

A MESSAGE TO BRITISH CATHOLICS

the bible is conceded to every Catholic man, woman and child who has the ability to read. As if this vere not enough, the I am asked, as the Archbishop of a

Payments

Payments All cheques, drafts, etc., covering instalments are to be made payable to the Credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions other than those paid in full on application must be accom-panied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed. Official Canvassers will forward subscriptions or any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will accept subscriptions and issue receipts. Subscriptions may be paid in full at time of application at 100 without interest, or on any instalment due date thereafter, together with accrued interest to time of making payment in full. Under this provision, payment of subscriptions may be made as follows: If paid in full on or before November 15th, 1919, par without interest or 100%. If remaining instalments paid on Dec. 9th, 1919, balance of 90% and interest (\$90.52 per \$100). If remaining instalments paid on Feb. 10th, 1920, balance of 70% and interest (\$10.84 per \$100). If remaining instalments paid on Feb. 10th, 1920, balance of 30% and interest (\$31.21 per \$100). If remaining instalments or payment in full after November 15th, 1919, can be made only on an instal-ment due date. ment due date.

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THE VICTORY LOAN AND THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

The Government of Canada is again appealing to the people for a Loan to enable it to carry on. _ And this time the cogent reasons so evident during the War are not so much in evidence ; the compelling esense, of duty, the impelling force of esentiment are no longer felt in at all the same measure as when the actual?struggle was still going on. Still the same reasons and the same sentiment should urge us now; for it is due to the enormous indebtedness incurred by Canada during the War, in the demobilization of our forces and the generous gratuities granted to the returned soldiers that the present loan is imperative. Most of it is already spent for these purposes and must be repaid. "The War is not over until the honorable commitments of Canada are fully met.'

Through many and various channels the need and urgency of the loan, the reasons why the people should generously subscribe to it will have already reached our readers. We shall confine ourselves to one consideration which may supplement the many others but which in itself is a good and sufficient reason for subscribing to this last Victory Loan.

The problem which presses insistently on the vast majority of people for solution is the High Cost of Liv. The vicious circle of evering. increasing wages for Labor and everincreasing prices for the products of labor can never solve the problem. In Russia after the Revolution fabulous wages were paid ; but when the baker got fifty roubles from the shoemaker for a loaf of bread and paid a thousand roubles for a pair of boots, he found himself as poor as when his price was reckoned in kopecks. We are doing on a limited scale what the Russians did in the insanity of new freedom. It must not be forgotten that money is nothing more and nothing less than the medium of exchange; and we can not exchange

more than we have no matter how much money is used in our trans actions.

the currency, but gold and securities tyranny of secret trial of any one had been deposited back of it Patting out a heavy volume of paper would greatly damage the country's 'suspected" by their political enemies. "Herein," said Justice Charles Evans Hughes addressing Cardinal credit, credit, make exchange go very sharply against Canada, and discredit Mercier, "lies the great lesson of Balthe country with financial men in Canada and the United States. The gium and the necessary appreciation of Belgium's contribution to progress dollar would go down in value and the cost of living go up. The cost of and to the establishment in the living was due, no doubt, to under production and greatly increased world of justice, and herein lies the lesson of the extraordinary importincreased consumption, but intimately con-nected with that was the question of ance of the work that was wrought by our distinguished guest. It is the inflation not only of currency but of lesson of no compromise with brute credit."

force." Taking for granted this expert Belgium under the heel of the testimony it requires no technical conquering Hun taught the world no knowledge of finance to see that if Canada were to borrow three or four greater lesson than is Ireland teachhundred millions of dollars abroad ing by the indomitable spirit in which she is withstanding the no less the expansion of our credit would ruthless oppression of alien rule. enhance the cost of living. Oh the nauseating pharisaism of But borrowing at home has another the War-time professions of love of

and no less important effect; it liberty and justice and the rights of stimulates thrift. small nations to which these devotees An American food administrator, of brute force in Ireland pretend to whose business concerns the high cost of living, has this to say about subscribe! the prevalence of the vice opposed to

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tics.

Ireland fights her heroic battle endures her long martydom, not "People seem to want to spend their money," he said, "and the only with half the world's aid and all the world's sympathy and encour. ones looking for bargains and show agement; the world is heedless for the

ing any care in the use of a dollar world does not know ; the conspirare the manufacturers, merchants acy of silence on the part of the producers, professional men and their wives, the educated classes. The so press takes care of that. called laboring classes spend their coin like drunken sailors." tion of a weekly Irish letter by An officer of the Treasury depart. Seumas MacManus. The author of

ment avers that. Ireland's Case " knows Irish politi-"Wastefulness, I repeat, is a concal and economic conditions; and from

tributing cause of the high cost of the author of "Yourself and the living ; wasteful use of money ; waste-Neighbors" the Irish heart has no ful use of materials ; but the cause secrets. We feel sure that the letters will never be eliminated by the compilation and contemplation of statisof this well-known Irish writer will be welcomed by every one interested in "the greatest of international And he concludes his article with

questions " as well as by those who this advice " Make up your mind to buy care

claim Ireland as the land of their fathers. fully, to insist on a dollar's worth for every dollar you give a merchant We give also this week the first get up the nerve to refuse to buy instalment of Professor Eoin Macprice is exorbitant or the Neill's "Ulster Difficulty." article inferior. If you do these things you will immensely reduce exharstive treatment of this much the high cost of living in your own individual case and contribute mater-ially to a general reduction of prices. discussed but much misunderstood question will be a delight to the intelligent student of present day Demand exceeds supply today. problems. There are more buyers than com-

modities. If every one would for the next year spend 10% less than at present, and invest that saving in Professor MacNeill is-or was at any rate-head of the Irish volun. teers whom Lord French brands as Government and other sound securiassassins. It will be illuminating to ties, supply would have a chance to read the temperate and scholarly catch up with demand and capital would be provided for new industry.' language of this chief assassin.

There is little doubt that the that the President is seen in church, There is a patriotic duty incumb-Coercionist and Crimes Act Govern- but he distinguished himself on the ent on each one of us in the matter of the Victory Loan now asked ; and in the faithful and intelligent performance of that duty it is evident from the foregoing considerations we shall help ourselves, help Canada and help those on whom the high kiss any rod and lick any boot." cost of living presses most heavily. the humiliation and disgrace of Irish

BACK TO THE DAYS OF misgovernment. COERCION

Four years ago the English speak. TOPICAL SERMONS ing world celebrated the seven hun-To anyone who has paid any attendredth anniversary of the Magna tion to the subjects of sermons Charta. In the dark "mediævalism" of announced in the press it will hardly the thirteenth century Archbishop be necessary to explain what is Langton withstanding the tyranny of meant by topical preaching. The John laid the corner stone of British minister in order to catch the passliberty. Even then it was not new. ing interest in any current topic "In itself," writes John Richard makes if the subject of Green, the Oxford historian, Charter was no novelty nor did it particular holds the public attention claim to establish any new constitu-then some sensational subject is tional principles. The Charter of sensationally announced; if the Washington may be accepted as the Henry the First formed the basis of terms of the announcement savor of the whole, and the additions to it are irreverence or even of blasphemy so ordinary lay mind. In its Bulletin of the judicial and administrative changes introduced by Henry the Second. But the vague expressions of the older charters were exchanged for precise and elaborate provisions. . All vagueness ceases when rights of Englishmen at large, their right to justice, to security of person and property, to good government. 'No freeman,' ran the memorable article, which lies at the base of our whole judicial system, 'shall be to ruin : we will not go against any man nor send against him, save by legal judgment of his peers or by the

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

WHY NOT ? A despatch from Ottawa informs us that Mr. J. H. Barnham, M. P. for Peterborough, will move the following resolution :

That it be an instruction to the ommittee of the Whole on the said bill that the committee do have power to extend the provisions of the said (Prohibition) bill and of the act sought to be amended thereby relating to intoxicating liquors, to bill that the committee do have playing cards, the feathers of wild birds for dress or other ornamental purposes and to tobacco in any

And the honorable gentleman speaking on the subject has professed his belief that the Prohibition bill should not be confined to any one article but "should be as natural life which men like and wide as the request of the people of a Province may require." And furlittle thermore Mr. Burnham has declared that "a new era of expressing the supply; he only wishes there were people's will has arrived and the more beggars." methods defined by the Federal bill should be complete." impression nor in his interrogative :

Well, why not? The principle is unhappily in his solution of the the same throughout. "The people's problem he has not so large a follow will," on this depends the whole law ing. and the prophets. After tobacco and playing cards follow alcoholic bever-THERE IS at present on exhibition ages into the limbo of prohibited in the window of a Catholic bookthings we may expect platform and store in Toronto a collection of old This week we begin the publica- pulpit to ring with denunciation of Catholic Bibles which testifies more the bird on Nellie's hat.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

attention from non Catholics, con-THE flying visit of Cardinal Mercier sists among other items of three out to Canada has fixed, as it could hardly of the first four editions (1582, 1600 fail to fix, his personality ineffaceably upon the spiritual and mental retina of the Canadian people. So gracious and dignified a figure, embodying in himself the heroism and the martyrdom of a whole people, we are not often privileged to see ; and to have been a witness to the spontaneous tribute of respect and veneration which this Roman Cardinal elicited from an ultra-Protestant people is certainly a memory worth cherishing as an offset to discordant memories of the past.

In this connection the official tribute of the French Government to the Cardinal, which took place during President Poincare's visit to Belgium, has an added interest. It is not Scriptures from his press. often, observes a Paris correspondent,

ment will soon collapse. In today's occasion mentioned, by not only editions of the Bible. The favorite Globe an English paper is quoted as attending Mass within the historic Protestant tradition, first expounded fied themselves generally with the saying : "The electors must find it walls of Malines Cathedral but, as a hard to keep alive their respect for tribute from his Government, by historian, is that prior to Luther's the motley rout who are willing to pinning the Croix de Guerre upon the time the Bible was an unknown breast of its Cardinal Archbishop. book, and that the world owes its And there is every reason to believe Following the Cardinal's own address that honest Englishmen feel keenly from the pulpit, President Poincare, subsequent possession of the sacred volume to the "discovery" by who stood in the sanctuary side by Luther in 1503, in the library of the side with the King of Belgium and University of Erfurt, of a whole Marshal Foch, paid eloquent tribute Latin Bible, of the existence of which to France's and the world's indebtedhe had previously not a glimmering, ness to His Eminence, and then and and of which he made the first transthere pinned the cross upon his lation into German and thus took breast. At the door of the cathedral the first step in the great Reformawhen leaving, it is farther written, tion. A very pretty story truly, but, the President bowed very low over in the words of Dean Maitland, Prothe President bowed very for over in the notion of "The Dark Ages," of the Irish element are the man beit the cardinal's hand, and His Emin- testant author of "The Dark Ages," population in Donegal and Cavan

religious system as contrasted with throughout, nevertheless says : "Up were mainly from the old MacDonnell asking the reason why, he proceeds : America (1492) editions of the Bible

" I may be wrong, but I think they have undoubtedly got hold of the right end of the stick. . . . They They have got a perfectly firm credal faith -practical, dogmatic, supernatural. are still men calling themselves scholars who tell us that before the Reformation the Bible was an "unknown book," and the Church's chief it concern was to keep it so. medium for the supply of a super-natural forgiveness and grace which ULSTER DIFFICULTY turns, not on a man's intellectual understanding or culture or good-ness, but on his sincerity and need. When the padre sees that need, he supplies it; when he doesn't see it, he lives a cheerful, natural, straight-

Three centuries ago the plantation of Ulster introduced a Protestant population into Northern Ireland. About this event, many mistaken notions pass current. The Plantation extended over six

have been based on the exclusion of six counties. But the six counties which have been the subject of these proposals are not the six Plantation counties.

gal; Coleraine, afterwards named Londonderry (and by the people, Derry), Armagh, Tyrone, Fermanagh and Cavan. The counties of Antrim. Down and

Plantation.

has by the way, attracted much had to be modified to meet the wishes of King James, with the result that many of the grantees in chief and the great bulk of the tenant settlers were Scotch, not English. In fact the Plantation was but a small frac tion in comparison with the Scotch or with the Irish who remained.

Much of the confiscated land form 1817.) and the great Philadelphin ing the six counties was of a rough untainous kind, and did not attract the newcomers. In places, the Irish were allowed to emain and their descendants are them still. Only a small part of Gutenberg's Bible (or the Mazarin, Denegal county was eccupied by the new tenants, and in all the counties a large number of the Irish remained in the poorer lands. in the better lands, intended for English and Scottish settlers only, many of the Irish obtained holdings; for the greed of the new proprietors inced them to invade the terms of their grants and accept Irish tenants Catholic, was to issue the Holy who were willing to pay higher rents than could be exacted from favoured newcomers. The Irish ele-ment, too, tended to increase with WE HAVE had occasion heretofore time. Prolonged hardship had abated no little of their ancient

categorically by D'Aubigne, so-called idea of conquest (though in the historian, is that prior to Luther's actual conquest not many of them had taken any part.) They expected a privileged treatment ; and the new proprietors were not averse to accept ing a more tractable tenantry. Hence it happened that, before the violent outbreak of the Peep o' Day Boys, Wreckers, and Orangemen before the Union, and the still later clearances of the poorer sort of tenantry by eviction, famine, and forced emigration, the Irish and Catholic element formed the very great majority of the population in the six planted counties and were a minority only in a few limited districts. At present, the descendants of the Irish element are the main

ence in bidding the distinguished what in face of indubitable facts to put and more than half the population in Tyrone. In the counties of Derry is the use of criticizing in Tyrone. In the counties of Derry and Armosh they are nearly half.

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to the time of the discovery of territory of Cantire and the western isles; and many of these were, and and parts thereof in many languages In the main, however, the Scottish Presbyterians. were than one thousand." And yet there This colonisation, which was spon taneous, was much more complete State-directed than the plan. of the six confiscated tation counties; and, being spontaneous was not inspired by a ong sentiment of attachme by any either to the Crown or Parliament of England. Within its first genera-tion, we find Milton, as Crom well's Secretary, denouncing the recalci-trantattitude of "the blockish Presby terians of Belfast" towards the English Parliamentarian cause; and this state of dis-affection survived the fall of the Stuarts. The land. lords, with whom the Protestant Episcopal Church of Ireland was WAS wholly associated in interest, had no sympathy for the north eastern Presbyterians; and, by a none too scrupulous stratagem, in an "Act to prevent the further growth of prevent the further growth of Popery," enacted in 1708, a clause was inserted subjecting all Irish dissenters to the "sacramental test" as a condition of their being admitted any office of public trust. the same time, the Protestant parliament of Ireland, representing perpopulation, declared by resolution that "the pension of one thousand two hundred pounds per annum, granted to the Presbyterian ministers in Ulster, was an unnecessary branch of the establishment." The insignificance of the dole is a measure of the significance underlying the pronouncement. A few years ure of the significance. A few years the pronouncement. A few years later, another resolution of the later, declared that "the burgess ship of the burgesses of Belfast, who had not subscribed the declaration and received the sacrament pur-suant to the said Act, was by such neglect become vacant." This statutory disability remained unre-This pealed until, inspired by the American Revolution, the majority of the piscopalians in 1782 declared the Irish Parliament to be independent of English authority. Meanwhile, there had been a large emigration of Presbyterians from Ulster as well as of Catholics from all parts of Ireland

to the American colonies ; and these emigrants and their children were the decisive factor in first asserting and afterwards establishing American independence. This achieve-ment reacted on their kinsfolk in Ireland, and Belfast became the centre of the Irish republican movement. A strong sense of common ationality grew up in eastern Ulster between the Presbyterians and the Catholics, and in Belfast too, the cause of Catholic emancipation found its warmest adherents among the Presbyterians recently emancipated. When the landlord party had sold

parliamentary independence for money and titles, the chief agent of the infamous transaction, Lord Castlerengb, whose father the Mar-Lord guis of Londonderry, owned large estates in Antrim and Down, pre-sented himself in the latter county for election to the Westminster parment, and was received by the Presbyterians with public execration. The Society of United Irishmen found its strongest support among the Presbyterians of Antrim and Down. rom them, too, was drawn the main body of the Ulster insurgents in 1798, and many of their leaders perished on the scaffold or were driven into exile. Even among the opposite party, the Orangemer, strong opposition was offered to the Union policy of Pitt and Castlereagh.

THE VATICAN CHOIRS

as the Douay Bible; the first edition of the Four Gospels printed in the United States (Georgetown, D. C. folio Bible (the finest, typograph-

ically, yet produced in America) of 1825. Another interesting exhibit is a facsimile of the first page of as it is usually called) being the first Bible and perhaps the first book ever printed from movable types. This was long before the "Reformation," and it is worthy of remark in passing, that the first work of Gutenberg, the inventor of printing, and a devout

THE PLANTATION BY PROFESSOR EOIN MACNEILL National University of Ireland instinctively-perhaps unconsciously -envy. Such a padre wants very ittle changed. He is perfectly sure Mr. Keable is not alone in his

counties. Certain recent proposals in connection with "Home Rule"

The Plantation counties were Tyrconnel, afterwards named Done-

Monaghan did not come under the

eloquently than tomes of controversy In the original design of Sir Arthur to the Church's attitude towards the Chichester, the new colonists were to have been English. This design sacred books. The collection, which and 1633) of what is generally known the English element introduced by

The Federal Reserve Board at so obscure and so perplexing to the for the most part formal recognitions for October this passage occurs :

'The problem of reducing the cost of living is, however, mainly that of restoring the purchasing power of the dollar. The dollar has lost purchasing power because expansion of . . . All vagueness ceases when credit, under the necessities of war the Charter passes on to deal with the financing, proceeded at a rate more rapid than the production and the saving of goods. The return to a sound economic condition and one which will involve as little further disturbance of normal economic relationships as possible, will be a of the process which has brought the country to its present seized or imprisoned, or dispossessed, pass. In other words, the way in or outlawed, or in any way brought must be the way out. As the way in was expansion of credit at a rate more rapid than expansion of production and saving, so the way out must be an increase in production law of the land.' ' and in saving. The effect of increased production will be to place a volume of goods against the greatly enlarged volume of our purchasing media and thus to reduce effect of increased The saving will be a reduction in the volume of purchasing media in use and, by consequence, a reduction of prices also.'

And our own former Finance Minister tells us practically the same thing :

"Next to the United States Sir Thomas said that Canada had the tion of currency during the War. To

Today in the full blaze of twensermons. tieth century enlightenment and progress, after the greatest struggle in history for the preservation of liberty, the cable informs us that not only is Ireland under the tyranny of military is dying of rule, but that the infamous Crimes Acts of the last century are revived bring them nearer God.' and put in force. Dublin, Tipperary, Limerick, Clare and Cork are "pro-

Crimes Act of 1887." That is to say that every right best situation of any country in the guaranteed for centuries to British sensation mongering for positive duce as one of those interesting side- lish printer) birth, and are all desassist the British Government there system" is subverted in Ireland, and hold on Christian doctrine and pracbeen a considerable addition to substituted therefor is the intolerable tice.

his discourse "the from the pulpit. When nothing in War.

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much the better. Indeed one noted evangelist" would become a commonplace ranter if irreverence bordering on blashemy, and acrobatic buffconery were absent from his "sermons." His method of successful preaching is the terminus ad quem of many ministerial strivings. It is interesting to know that this

one other who was wounded four style of preaching is regarded in times and recovered. This wounded England with disfavor. The Daily son had been a valet to Pope Pius X. News quotes "a well known Free Church preacher with a wide acquaintance with American Religious life "as saying in an interview :

" The reason why some American preachers do not succeed in England s because they do not understand British traditions. Many American reflection irresistibly arises that if ministers are far too topical in their in point of numbers there are many Our methods are exposisuch families in France that nation's tory with the Bible as their basis. place in civilization is secure, draw-That is one reason why our preachers are so popular in America backs to the contrary notwithstandwhere people are sick to death of this catching.

penny preaching. The American is a great orator but the Church of God oratory. Congregations demand today something that will

work and influence of Catholic chap. Yes, the hungry sheep look up and are not fed. Perhaps no one more claimed under the first section of the than the Catholic regrets and deplores the degeneracy of the Protest-

world, and that was largely due to subjects is denied to Irishmen. The Christian teaching can not fail -and lights which more effectively even cribed in the catalogue of that very "base of our whole judicial has not failed-to lessen the general than official reports testify to realities. Commenting on the "perfect over, the editor of that catalogue, contentment" of Catholics with their whose anti-Catholic bias is manifest

of Marshal Foch and held them long, such nonsense. However, nonsense and Armagh, they are nearly as if expressing his nation's gratitude as it certainly is, it has nevertheless in Fermanagh, about half. In to the great military genius of the passed into any on the passed into any on the massed into any one of the massed into any ony one of the massed into any one of the massed i passed into current Protestant tradi-

THE TRIBUTE paid by France to the that the dear people continue to hug cause of freedom and civilization in it unchuously to their bosoms. the late War is illustrated by the

record of one family, that of M. WITHOUT re-opening the subject Vanhee, a farmer of Reminghe, near exhaustively on the present occa-Ypres. He had thirty six children, twenty-two sons and fourteen daughters, when the War broke out. mation Bibles. As all the world Thirteen of the sons were killed in battle, three crippled for life, and

knows the first printing press was set up by Joseph Gutenberg in 1450, and the first book, or among the first to issue therefrom was the Bible. Now, Martin Luther was born in The father and one daughter were 1483, and his famous " discovery " of barbarously shot by the Germans, the Bible was in 1503, or when he and another daughter was killed by a was twenty years old. It is surely German shell at Dunkirk. Truly the sufficient refutation of D'Aubigne's family of M. Vanhee has done its silly story that between the years editions of the Bible in the German and Low German languages (the

languages of the people) were printed, and doubtless many more not now known. Within the same period were printed several editions in AN UNLOOKED for tribute to the Italian, French, Dutch, and one (Caxton's "Golden Legend," which lains in the War comes from a Pro- embodied the whole of the Pentetuch, testant chaplain who served with the the Psalms and the Gospels) in Eng. American armies in France. In a lish. These books were all exhibited War book, "Standing By," written by in the Exhibition held in London

Rev. Robert Keable, occurs the follow- in 1877, to commemorate the fourth ant pulpit ; for the substitution of ing striking passage which we repro- centenary of Caxton's (the first Eng-

separate confiscation, the Irish elation, and so vitally does it affect the ment forms the great majority. very foundations of Protestantism Thus the plantation itself did not result in establishing a colony mainly English and Scottish or in any

sense homogeneous.

The only portion of Ulster in which a newly introduced Protestant element came near to forming a solid population was the counties of sion it may not be amiss to tabulate Antrim and Down, which lay quite a few figures in regard to pre-Refor. outside the Plantation scheme. There had been, indeed, an attempt to plant an English colony in a small portion of Down, the Ards peninsula. but it did not succeed. It was quite a different sort of colonization that took place. In the ferocious wars of Elizabeth and Cromwell, these two counties had almost been swept clear of their Irish inhabitants. Sidney relates how, in a belt of land border Sidney ing on Loch Neagh, no Irish had been left alive. The extent of the depopulation that was effected may 1450, and 1483, that is before Luther Under Elizabeth, the Earl of Essex, was born, some twelve known as viceroy at the head of an expedition, landed on the large island of Rathlin and put all its inbabitants, men, women and children, to the sword. Twogenerationslater, Campbell of Auchenbrack, commanding for the Covenanters under Argyll landed on the same island and massacred all its inhabitants. About the same time, the forces in Carrickfergus made a complete massacre of the population of Islandmagee, th nsula near Larne. This is what befell the population in places from which there was no escape by land elsewhere, we may well suppose, the people did not wait to be slaughtered. Into this devastated region, when war had done its work, swarmed the Scots of Galloway and south western Scotland generally. In the northern exhibit which lies before us. Moreparts of Antrim, where their hered-

The wonderful tour of the Vatican Choirs under Monsignor Raffaele Casimiro Casimiri as predicted in the Catholic newspapers at the time of their arrival in America from is making musical history in this country.

Such sublime vocalization and such perfection of delivery as revealed by the famous singers from the best known of the Roman basilicas has astonished even the most exacting critics throughout the country and everywhere they have been heard the reports are the same unanimous chorus of praise

The new impetus given to sacred titurgical music by the masterly treatment of Palestina and others of the old masters from the Roman churches as revealed for the first time to the outside world in nearly sixteen hundred years cannot be measured at this time. It is evident however that church music has come again into finer consideration and America's musical world is reaping the great benefit which this tour was intended to attain.

No less a lay authority than Walter Damrosch who has often heard the various choirs in Rome says that the selected singers which Monsignor Casimiri brought to America through the auspices of the St. Gregory Musical Society of New York is unques tionably the finest body of choristers ever assembled for a tour of any country. This is due to the fact that every effort was made to secure this result.

Monsignor Casimiri in his position of authority as the active director of musical details at the Vatican in association with Father de Santi of the Pontifical High Institute of Sacred Music was able to assemble a body of singers that could not possibly be equaled anywhere else world Then followed months of painstaking rehearsal and preparation for this momentous visit. In the light of this care and work it is not chief, the Earl of Antrim, retained possession, the newcomers surprising that the Vatican Choirs as NOVE MBER 1, 1919

they are known in America have registered such a profound impression.

The one tragedy in this assoc is that their visit is so limited. They are only permitted to leave their re spective posts with the different bas ilica choirs for a stated period and it is absolutely necessary that the tour closes in time for the singers to take a ship early in December so that they will be back in Rome in time for the Christmas services in the Sistine. St. Peter's and St John Lateran.

Such cities as have been visited are extremely appreciative of this rare opportunity and this satisfaction out weighs the regret that more places cannot be reached. No words can express the sense of loss felt when it is contemplated that this choir could never be assembled again for a similar tour. The expense has been so enormous that it is impossible to make the venture a paying one in so short a time. It is to the credit of the gentlemen who financed the tour that they were aware of these facts at all times and readily subordinated the commercial in the interest of the truly phenomenal artistic triumph. that has been achieved. Music lovers are the richer and the great educational benefit is to the glory and credit of the Church which through all the centuries has kept alive the traditions of the old masters and fos-tered and developed sacred polyphony in all its sublime grandeur. It is also a matter of American pride that the visit is going to add to the benefit of the Pontifical High Institute of Sacred Music at Rome as well as the fame of that great school for suffi cient benefit performances will be given here to meet this requirement.

CARDINAL LOGUE

URGES FORBEARANCE UNDER PRESENT MILITARY RULE IN IRELAND

DAWN OF BETTER THINGS TO HAND

Dublin, Oct. 4.-On the occasion of his visit to Queenstown, Ireland, in connection with the consecration of St. Colman's Cathedral, Cardinal the third will ul imately, I hope, beogue, was the recipient of an address from the city council. In reply His Eminence said that since he be gan to pay any attention to politics, he found that Ireland was governed in the interests of a small handful of people of the North-East of Ireland. He thought that was at the root of the troubles they had in Ireland.

If the Irish people had been treated honestly and openly, and got fair play, they would have none of the troubles in the country which they had at the present day. They spoke of military rule. They could not help it. It was one of those crosses that according to the will of Providence, they as Irish Catholics should bear with, and he hoped the people would bear with it quietly. He hoped they would not allow themselves to be provoked into doing anything to disgrace e country and violate the law of God. Anyone who committed crime showed himself to be a greater enemy of Ireland than even Lloyd George or Carson, or Bonar Law, or any of the rest of them. If they committed crime they gave strength to the enemy.

How long this military rule would go on he did not know, but he hoped it would not provoke the people to rash action, or to doing anything unat would bring disgrace upon Cath olic Ireland. They should bear with it; perhaps it was for their good. If they had everything pleasant and nothing to complain of they might not, perhaps, be as thankful to Almighty God as they ought to be. They should bear with this trouble.

run. THE STEEL WORKERS

STRIKE NOTED CATHOLIC ECONOMIST TAKES SIDE OF STEEL

WORKERS

The Rev. John A. Ryan, D. D., the noted Catholic sociologist, severely criticized the attitude of Mr. Gary, of the the United States Steel Corporation, for his refusal to deal with organized labor, in an address at the auditor ium of the Blessed Sacrament parish in Brooklyn last week.

Dr. Ryan said it is most discouraging to find men holding the ancient views of Mr. Gary, as manifested in his recent letter, giving the public the Steel Corporation's side of the present strike. In his letter Mr. Gary maintained that to recognize the union would mean that labor leaders were apt to use coercion and to call a strike on the slightest pretext "If Mr. Gary knew anything about

the constitution of Labor unions," Father Ryan said, "he would know that labor leaders have not the power to call a strike unless a jority of the members vote in favor of it." Labor unions are organized of it." Labor unions are organized upon a most democratic principle, he said, and in many of the recent strikes the majority of the workers declared for a suspension of work against the wishes of their leaders Father Ryan contended that the steel workers had the right to organize and, the corporation should

deal with them as such.

INDUSTRIAL DEMOCRACY In the course of his address Dr. Rvan declared that the defects of our present industrial system could only be abolished through industrial democracy. "Complete democracy in industry," he said, "suppose one of three systems : Socialism, the Na-tional Guilds or co-operative ownership and management. undesriable ; the second is desirable co operation or as co-partnership, this system is, I hops, the one to-

ward which we are tending. "Certain officials of the American Federation of Labor," Father Ryan continued "think that collective bar gaining constitutes all the democracy that is required. Their theory is that through collective bargaining the workers will be able to obtain satisfactory wages and other condi-tions of employment, and that is

sufficient control of industry. "This theory is wrong, for two reasons. First, because the masses of the workers ought not to be content to remain mere users of the tools of production, even though all working conditions were perfectly satisfactory. Adult human beings should strive to make progress con tinuously by increasing their knowledge and their control 'over the material things of the universe. For the sake of their own self-develop ment and self-respect, the workers ought to strive for a greater voice in the ordering of their own indus

trial life. Neither for society for their own welfare is it desir that the workers should permanently occupy a status of industrial depend ency. And they ought, likewise, to etrive for a greater measure of in-dustrial responsibility. The theory that our industrial society should be divided into two classes, one of which should reform all the functions of direction and management, while the other should be merely well fed automatons of industry, is

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God would reward them in the long should not some day become competent to own individually and to perate collectively the instruments f production. Of course, the move of production. ment toward the goal will have to be very gradual. "Catholics who denounce this pro-

gram as Socialistic or Bolshevistic are not only wanting in logic, but ignorant of the social traditions and institutions of Catholicity. At the end of the fourteenth century, when

the social teaching and influence of Church were greater than they had ever been before or have been since, industry both in the cities and the country was mainly in the con-trol, not of the superior classes, but of the masses of the workers. Had it not been for the Protestant Reformation and the subsequent social disturbances, this general con-

dition might have consinued, and the workers would have been in a position to own and operate the new instruments of production which came into existence through the great mechancial inventions in the latter half of the eighteenth century .- The Monitor. PROBLEMS OF CHURCH UNITY

Very Reverend Canon Barry, the brilliant author, thus writes of doctrine and discipline in the Catholic Church There has been much talk lately of

the "reunion of the Churches." This never was the language held by Cath olics, who believe that the Church is and cannot fail to be one, as Our Lord made it. Moreover, the Apostolic See

of Rome is its unchangeable center. We do not look for a league or confederation of religious bodies, as it were by treaty. But our prayer goes up always that those who call them. selves Christians, yet are separated from Rome, may return to the fold whence their ancestors wandered, bringing on the East slavery under Motlems, and on the West a horrible The first is confusion of beliefs and no beliefe until, as we know too sadly. chaos in probably only a few industries ; bas come again." The creed, we say, admits of ϵ xplanations but not of any real change. The faith ought to be come the accepted system in the real change. The faith ought to be majority of industries. Either as applied to life; it cannot be whittled down or added to by human ingenu ity. The Papal prerogative, episcopal orders and succession, powers of the priesthood, belong to the Church's Divine constitution : so they must re Rome never withdraws a dogma once defined; it cannot be done

But from the very fact that St. Peter's successor holds the power of the keys it lies within his juriediction to bind and loose whatever is not in this way reserved by the Church's Founder to Himself : and we call this department in general terms, di cipline. as any points are unalterable they involve some dogm tic truth or Di-vine ordinance; beyond these bounds human elements enter in, and the Church deals with them in her wisdom with consideration for the var-

> To do so is Christian charity and common sense. LATIN TRADITION-GREEK CUSTOM For example, we distinguish be-

tween East and West, Latins and Greeks, Slavs and Armenians. In the sat all that we understand by Chris. tianity pure and undefiled came from Rome. Hence we are still not only Catholics but Latins ; the Pope is our Patriarch; we use the Latin liturgy; and by a very ancient discipline our clergy in major orders are celibate. The use of Latin as a common tongue and bond of union carries with it un told advantages, far beyond any that modern language can claim. And historians recognize, as do philoso-And

living, liberty, freedom, independence. ders, of Eastern Churches is due to the difference between them on this this Government and that rests with of those who organized this great al in altogether influencing our very point. When seminary training us. We must strengthen it, encour-in those regions follows the type of ours, men will arise to demand that Our citizenship must be sterling, our allegiance intrepid, our devotion con-stant. Under the ægis of sanctity and liberty we will emerge from our

THE CHURCH SLACKER

In a brightly written pamphlet called "Church Finance" recently published by Our Sunday Visitor y to think there are a dozen pages of pungent The time home truths that the average Catho-nd, if ever lic parishioner should find very profitable reading. After calling atten-tion to the very reasonable terms at which we secure both the wholehearted services of well-trained priests and the becoming mainten ance of Divine worship the annoy mous author very wisely remarks

During the War we learned to know who a "slacker" is; the name was applied to one who, though not convicted of downright disloyalty or treason, found fault with the Government, picked flaws in the Administration, censured the President and withheld his services or closed his purse to the nation in time of peril. Now you can readily suspect who

the church "slacker" is. He is one who wants to be a Catholic, enjoys the blessings of the Mass and of the Sacraments, who hopes the priest will visit him during rain or blizzard to prepare his soul for eternity, but who thinks nothing of criticizing the Church or her clergy, is unwilling to render any service to religion, and refuses to part with a few dollars annually for the things needed to maintain church and school, locally, and to propagate the Faith universally.

Without question the foregoing passage accurately describes a famil-iar figure in all our parishes. He pay generously and promptly for nearly everything except the up-keep of his church and the support of his pastor. He has dimes for the movies but only pennies for the poor-box. He is ready to meet in his own home the advanced cost of food, fuel, cloth. cal help in solving the same prob-lems in their houses. He insists upon having a beautiful church to worship in, but does little to help pay for it. He gives his family physician generous fees for professional services but he is quite content to let his pastor work purely for the love of souls. He pays with-out grumbling the tax on his theaterseat, but complains bitterly of his pew-rent; though that is probably pew-rent; one of the few expenses that the War has left untouched. He insists that the clergy should be patterns of refinement, learning and holiness, but will give nothing to maintain the seminaries where young men priests he are trained to be the desires. He protests that he realizes the importance of Catholic educa-tion, but all appeals for the parish school fund leave him quite cold.

Finally though our Catholic slacker hears with wonder that during the past year the Methodists raised by drives \$126,000,000, the Presbyterians \$70,000,000, the Baptists \$175 000,000 and the Episcopalians \$20,000,000. and though he is credibly informed that the greater part of that vast sum will probably be used for

Mrs. J. Dower, Verdun..... Thanksgiver, Paris......

ious indifference.

can be that the sad state of the clergy, ship, of all that makes life worth the work as a part of its very life that could not be neglected.

With all due respect to the motives effort for the spread of Methodism lives, should not be a state following extract from "The discouragement. Natural Annual Report of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church" p. xii. will give all Catholics food for thought. Speaking of the Ruthenians and in striving for the supernatural of Canada they say: "Many of these the natural means should not be people are ignorant and degraded and spurned.-Buffalo Echo. under the sinister leadership of their priests are resolved to resist all

Canadianizing influences." This statement is absolutely contrary to This the spoken words of Bishop Budka the Ruthenian Bishop who has stren uously fought all proselytizing influ ences among his people and who recently stated at the laying of the cornerstone of the Christian Brothers' English speaking school at Yorkton that this very institution gave posi-tive proof of the falseness of such statements. But the good women are not deterred so their report in

turn states. For the Christian Church to act at once is the need of the present hour if the foreign peoples are to be made Christian citizens of the great West. In Saskatchewan and Manitoba alone there are 125,000 Ruthen. ians. To reach them is an immense undertaking. They have brought their own religion with them, relic of the Middle Ages, which is fast losing its hold on the people. They have no respect for their own priests.

from 'Paine's Age of Reason.' But Little Mike, not noticeable while in the school for being particularly bright or interested, brought some thirteen boys, who had walked seven miles, to the missions, saying 'These boys want Bibles.' "

An appeal was made to the meeting for unity of purpose, unity of prayer and unity of action. All three were promised.

In relating these facts to our Cathiar figure in all our parishes. He olic people both lay and clerical we is a man, as a rule, who is willing to themselves ought to do under the circumstances. Our Divine Lord in His Church has given us every means. We have One Lord, one faith, baptism, we have a unity of organization that is of divine origin and daily nurtured by the Graces of God the ing and labor but gives neither the priests nor the Sisters much practi- that Our Lord asks simply for labourers, where are we to get them ? In Canada we have twelve Arch bishops, thirty five Bishops, about five thousand priests and some three thousand parish and mission churches. Now let us simply consider what that body has accom plished and that too with serious and prolonged opposition. We believe here that were that body as thoroughly alive to their missionary duty as they are to their immediate needs that in a very short time the whole atmosphere of the country would be changed. Can we not get to work therefore and accomplish this purpose. If you are not already in touch with the work of the Catholic Extension get in touch with it and find out seek vocations for the Chinese Mis-sions which are greatly in need of where you can help. Donations may be addressed to:

REV. T. O'DONNELL, Presidens. Catholie Church Extension Sociaty 67 Bond St., Toronto. Contributions through this all. should be addressed

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are not ever-present motives. Those who allow this feeling to gain the

upper hand are apt to gradually lose courage and to yield to relig-

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appreciation of this superpatural motive yet find it far from effectumotives should be used as a means of ris ing to a higher life. The work of self-development is an arduous task

THE NEW CODE

IMPRESSIVE PAINTING TO PERPETUATE MEMORY OF MAKERS

By order of the Pope a large painting has been made and placed in the Vatican to commemorate the publi-cation of the New Code of Canon Law.

The painting is surrounded by a rich frame-the work of Simoni-on which portraits of the Popes who took an important part in the mak-ing of Canon Law are placed. This is impressive. It brings the mind back for centuries.

To the portrait of Pope Pius X. who commenced some fifteen years ago the present Code of Canon Law, the place of honor is rightly given. It cupies the central place on the of the frame. In the centre of the lower part of the frame is the por-trait of Boniface VIII., the great Bon-No respect for their own priests. trait of Bohnace vill., the great Bal, 'Only money, priests after; holy iface who opposed Phillipe le Bel, pictures their gods, no religion, no God' children will argue, and quote attempt to enslave the Church. The from 'Paine's Age of Reason.' But there are some encouragements also. Little Mike not noticeable while while traits of Innocent III., Gregory IX. Alexander II., and Benedict XIV The coat-of arms of Benedict XV. and of Pius X. ornament the frame. The artists represent three pictures of Raphael, i. e., The Ascension, Christmas, and the supper of the Disciples at Emmans. canvas measure 18 feet in length by 12 feet in height. Over fifty persons, who worked on this Code, are depicted. The figures are all perfect in likeness.

An allegory is represented in the upper part of the picture, i. e., two angels, one of them holding a copy of the Code of Canon Law, the having the trumpet of fame. From the dove on high, emblem of the Holy Ghost, comes a ray of light which beats on the Code in the angel's hands and lights up the figure of Cardinal Gasparri before the Papal throne in the act of handing to Ben-edict XV. a copy of the new Code.

Everthing connected with the Code is represented as natural as possible and the whole conveys a most pleas. ing effect. In the meantime the Vatican School of Tapestry (which the reigning Pontiff resuscitated) is doing the preliminary part of the work connected with the tapestry which Pone Benedict intends for the Consistorial Hall .- The Bulletin.

FATHER FRASER'S CHINA MISSION FUND

Almonte. Ontario. Dear Friends,-I came to Canada to

priests. In my parish alone there are three cities and a thousand villages to be evangelized and only two priests. Since I arrived in Canada a number of youths have expressed their desire to study for the Chinese mission but there are no funds to educate them. I appeal to your charity to assist in founding burses for the education of these and others who desire to become missionaries in China. Five thousand dollars will found a burse. The interest on this amount will support a student. When he is ordained and goes off to

iety of ages, nations, degrees of civi-lization, and public or private good.

But the matter on which certain rumors have been floating about con

cerns neither the immemorial East nor the steadfastly Catholic West. seems to be a revival, in some doubtful shape, of the old Hussite or Bo hemian cry for a dispensation as regards celibacy in the new Czecho-Slav cepublic. I should be sorry to think it had much volume in it. for dispensations of this kind, if ever there was one, is gone. Not by con-forming to the world, but by rising above and beyond it, will the Catholic priesthood win souls and enlarge the borders of the faith in this twentieth century. The Christian ideals are in danger. Luxury and avarice and self-indulgence have won millions to the last and worst of phil-

osophies, "There is no law; do as you like." A clergy which does not practice self-sacrifice may give up preaching; and the celibacy of the Roman clergy is at once a recommendation of their office and a witness to St Paul and the Gospel.—Catholic Bulletin.

RELIGION THE ONLY SOLUTION

Inhis immortal Encyclical "Sapientiae Christianae" the illus trious Pon-tiff, Leo XIII., has these prophetic worde : "It behooves us to warn, instruct and exort each of the faithful with an eachestness befitting the occasion; that none may abandon the way of truth." Foday the social

fabric is being torn by momentous issues. There is grave danger lest mankind be misled, lest the common good be forgotten and lest the state which rightly claims by virtue of the natural law our love, devotion and defence of her institutions be im-

perilled. This love proceeds from a principle that is at once universal and sternal. It postulates reverence for and obedience to authority. To deny these would be to pervert the right order of things and obstruct and impade the common good which is the funda mental reason for the existence of human society. Law by its very nature is a

mandate of right reason, proceeding from legitimately constituted authority. This authority is from God. though it is exercised through the instrumentality of man. Order demands that there be those in author-

ity and those who obey. Christ ans above all others are expected to reverence law and strengthen the arm of authority through a consciousness of duty. For in public authority they recognize, as it were, a likeness of the divine Majesty Itself. It follows, then, that the Christian must always be found on the side of justice and against injustice, on the side of order and against disorder. The Church has unerringly taught from the dawn of Christianity that we must

"give to Casar the things that are Casar's and to God the things that are God's." Due reverence for the Church and obedience to her laws are incumbent on every Christian. On the other hand, legitimately constituted civil authority has a right to expect from all aid, support and encouragement in carrying out its just decrees. The Church has

as compared with the monastic or-

the Western rule be adopted. A happy day for all Christendom, when it comes to pass!

GOING ON TO PERFECTION

present trials to better and fairer days.-The Pilot.

The time must come—if they had any confidence in the prophecy of his predecessor, St. Malachi-when Ireland, according to him, would bloom like the rose of Jericho, notwith: standing the efforts to keep the people down and in an inferior position, to destroy their commerce, to rob them by carrying off their taxes and shovelling out money without limit in England and not returning to Ireland scarcely a penny of the thirty millions a year which they now contributed in taxes. They bear with that too, but time brought its changes and revenges.

The time would come when the statesmen of England would become sensible, and see that they never made a greater mistake in their lives than to turn the most conservative people on the face of the globe against them—a people not conservative through political theories but through religious instincts. They would then. perhaps, treat Ireland as it ought to be treated, and he hoped some statesman would arise who would have the sense to give the Irish people their just right by placing their destinies in their own hands, leaving them masters of their own finances and their own Government. If that were done he believed it would be a stronger bond for the whole vast Empire than Ireland now is.

As long as human nature was human nature, and as long as their rulers treated the Irish people badly they would resent it in Ireland; but their people, whose patience was exhausted, would find that nearly trust in Providence and trust in prayer, things would come right for them. They should pray for their country-they had need of all the spiritual assistance they could get. The psalmist said that some trusted in chariots and some in horses, but they would call upon Almighty God. and as long as Irishman stuck to the Faith and avoided anything that

able life. Therefore, the workers must obtain some share in the man as it was in the early and Middle cratic age, nor conducive to reason. agement of industry. "The second reason why collective

of industrial democracy is one that is particular and peculiar to the pres. ent time. The supreme need of the world today, even in America, is greater production. But increased production can be obtained only when the workers become more innor the celibacy of the clergy is a dogma. Both fall under the rule of terested in their tasks. So long as labor remains scarce, this interest can be secured only by giving the workers a greater share in the management of industry, and some share in its profits. From this the transiculd be easy to labor ownertion ship of some of the stock in the corporation.

Through these two devices labor sharing in management and in the surplus, labor and capital become united in a genuine partnership. They are steps toward industrial democracy because they are elements in the only industrial democracy that will be finally satisfactory, namely, ownership by the workers individually of a considerable part, if not the whole, of the instruments of production.

AGE OF AUTOCRACY IS PAST

"These steps are opposed by all persons who bel eve in industrial autocracy, that is, in an industrial system in which the functions of ownership and control are restricted to a small class of industrial supermen, while the masses are regarded as incompstent to do more than work under the direction of their alleged superiors. It is substantially the same theory upon which for centursame theory upon which for centur-ies the upper classes denied to the long as the Greek secular clergy do masses any share in the functions of political government. While there

phers, that the unmarried clergy of the West give to Roman discipline and Papai power a strength which great other agency is due the that to any other agency is due the strength which great difficulty, other agency is due the permanence as it was in the early and Middle of law and order and the safeguard Ages, will probably increase while the ing of national traditions and ideals. To her is due the preservation liberty. Today we are facing conditions that try men's souls.

The Church, infallible guide of mankind, comes to the rescue. She eaches us to face the issues honest le recognizing our moral responsibility and the exacting duties of good citizanship.

Religion today sounds a note of unusual earnestness. Our troubled conditions call for coolness and same discipline; they are not immutable Divine ordinances. The Pope could undoubtedly sanction an English or a action. Our minds need the sober ing influence of religion. Faith German liturgy. And by his absolute power he could abrogate the law of God alone will guide us through this troubled time to a better and happier celibacy. That no pope will do so we era. For the betterment of condimay feel confident. It is quite an-other question whether, if the sotions all good citizens must stand on the side of the Church, study and of | called Orthodox Easterns, numbering one hundred and forty millions were follow her principles.

All acts of lawlessness, all deeds of violence, all threats of destroying the willing to recognize the Pope as to what we know him to be, he would structure of civilization are unworthy interfere with such immemorial cusof those who have been blessed with toms of theirs as the use of liturgies the signal opportunities of this counpresented to in various ancient toagues or the adtry and safeguarded from the desola-tion that might easily have ensued mission of married men to sacred or. ders. Judging by the history of earlier transactions, or of the Uniate had God's mercy for us been less abundant and the benign rule of this great nation not been vouch-Churches, it is certain that he would not. The Holy Father is a statesman, well acquainted with what has been safed us.

Let prudent foresight and delibera done in past ages, mindful of the deep seated difference between tion mark our course. Let us ponder the consequences of upsetting and of the force of custom. He leaves to Eastern Patriarchs their large juris. just government and ask ourselves whether any country through history diction, interior only to his own. He governs by their means, and he respects the venerable antiquity of usages to which their people are pasthis beloved land of ours "conceived sionately attached. The Greek priests in liberty and dedicated to the propowho still read the new Testament in sition that all men are created free its original tongue, will never be and equal."

We are living in an age when trouble is rife; when the world is in its labors; when a single untoward act may enkindle the flame that will not advance to that which is, in every they would call upon Almighty God, and as long as Irishmen stuck to the Faith and avoided anything that would violate God's law, and en-deavoured to bear with patience the inflictions put upon them. Almighty

000 Catholics in this country the comparatively meager sum of \$1,500-000. The return of peace has done away with the War slacker; how shall we rid ourselves now of the church slacker? ine that they are wanting in the right

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

EXTENSION SOCIETY OF CANADA

WHAT OTHERS ARE DOING

Now this is a very wrong disposi-tion of mind. Man is not a seraphic It is not often that we go to sources other than Catholic sources for in-spiration to urge our readers to blood. Some persons have to enspiration to used our readers to greater missionary efforts. The appeals which can be based upon the exhortations of Our Divine Saviour, the benefits promised to have a hard road to travel, but it lies within their power to reach a higher degree of self-development those who share in the work of sav. Apostles and Saints of the Church than those who lead a sheltered as are incentives so strong that when presented to Catholics little more either because they have not enough

spirit or feel no inclination that way. In the lives of many the need be added. However it is very well at times to see what others are doing. Recently supernatural may be at times ob-there took place in the City of soured. As Father Hull puts it : Toronto a meeting of the Women's 'For although religious motives Methodist Missionary Society in the Metropolitan Church. This organi ernaturally religious motives the z stion is really an auxiliary of the Missienary Society established by the Methodists and is similar to the aux-hold on us than natural motives iliary of the Catholic Church Exten-sion. The membership is over solves, are so much lower than the has presented greater opportunities sion. The membership is over selves, is for the individual and the State than ninety one thousand and its branches others. selves, are so much lower than the . For instance, a man will gladly bear sufferings and hardare in every province in the will gladly bear sufferings and hard-Dominion. The report of last year ships for £100, which he could never showed receipts to the amount of ba got to tolerate for the love of \$319,770.0) from all sources and was God. The reason is a simple one. an increase over the previous year of Naturally motives are efficacious almost \$65,000.00. We need only just because they are rooted in quote these figures to our readers to our own nature; while supernatur.

and so on forever. All imbued with the Catholic spirit of propagating the THE NATURAL AND THE Faith to the ends of the earth will. I am sure, contribute generously to SUPERNATURAL this fund. Gratefully yours in Jesus and Mary.

J. M. FRASER.

I propose the following burses for spirit because they are not always subscription. animated by religious fervor and

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FIVE MINUTE SERMON

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

FEAST OF ALL SAINTS

All saints, my dear brethren, and all sinners who attain to eternal life, are closely joined together in the solemnities of the first two days of November. The morrow of All Saints' day is All Souls' day. The joy of Paradise and the weariness of its vestibule are both offered to our thoughts and almost at the same We quickly leave praying to the saints in glory to begin praying for the sinners in Purgatory. And this is a beautiful way of meditating on the future life, for love is too unselfish to tarry long with a happy friend while there is another friend and persecution. utside the door in a state of great unhappiness.

Holy Church would have us meas ure our charity for the souls in Pur-gatory by our value of the joys of Heaven. And experience talls how very great an effect this has on us, refuse the cross as the Cyrenian did; I accept it, I embrace it. I accept in for we see everywhere among Catho lics an intense affection for the poor souls waiting at Heaven's gate, much intensified by the sights and sounds from within that gate which have been granted us beforehand on the feast celebrated today. Now, there is a strict duty of

friendship to be fulfilled in praying for the departed. There are our relatives, our former companions in the ourney of life, our former associates business and in pleasure. Can there be any doubt of this? Do you suppose that the suffering sculs were any worse Christians than you are yourselves at this moment ? In some cases, yes; but these were exceptions. Nearly all who have gone before us are about the same as those whom they have left after them-poor. weak, sinful mortals, sinning and re-penting, stumbling and falling and rising again, and finally disappearing in the grave.

men of the battalion. And there were two great tears, like wells of living water, resting just beneath his closed lids, like a cataract leaping to We have every hope that they were forgiven their sins, but what about their full atonement? They have sacrifice, as they rolled down his bronzed cheeks, flashed momentarily paid the great debt, but what about the last farthing,-the affections still in the dim candlelight, and fell with a splash upon the cold gray slabs. clinging to passionate indulgence, the lowness of motives, the gross inclina of the Cross I listened, somewhat tions chained, indeed, but not tamed? What about the venial sins com-mitted by them, as by ourselves in distracted, for any indication of con-tinued distress, but he moved on quietly, resolutely, devoutly, with no apparent emotion. Of a certainty he had won; the die was cast, the tens and hundreds every day-the asty little lies, the mean selfishness, the slothful habits, the greediness at table, the worship of men's opinions, the vanity, the self conceit, the snap Rubicon crossed, and the decision, whatever it was, signed and sealed. pish temper, the silliness and giddi But when the ceremony had conclud. ed, while packing my chapel case in ness, the harbored aversion even for relatives, the petty dishonesty-what the almost impenetrable gloom of the sacristy, I noticed Pail waiting for me. "Father, I want to go to Confession," he said. "Why, lad," I replied, "You wers at Confession about all this which we know must be atoned for by them, because like ourselves they were commonplace Christians? Ah! brethren, we ought to have a fellow-feeling for them; this evening; it is not necessary to go we ought to thank God that we can interpose in their behalf. Blessed again." " I rather think it is, Padre "What is the trouble, Phil?" "Well, be the prayers we say for them, true pledges of friendship; blessed the Masses offered for them in this their Father, I showed the 'white feather' tonight at the fifth station.' sense," I answered. "You are as brave as any one alive." "I want to be, Padre. I'm no yellow Cyrenian; day of gloom and desolation ! How well they realize the truth of the I'm a real American, and I'm going through with this thing." "Well, Scripture saying, "Blessed is the man who hath found a true friend." Phil, that's a soldier's act of perfect

But there is a yet closer bond be tween us and the souls in Purgatory than that of friendship, however strong they may be. I mean the bond of common guilt. I mean the dreadful fact that we are participa-tors in that guilt of theirs for the imperfect repentance of which they ow suffer even after forgiveness They committed venial sine, but who made then do it ? Who but you, my brethren, their former relations and and doit? Who but you, my you getting on with your seations? their former relations and "Padre," he would reply, "I'm still You provoked them to the at the fifth station." On one occas-sion, at Verdan, coming across him the oplicit at the present committee was of the oplicit at the present committee was of the oplicit at the information they bed collected concerning Catbolic friends ?

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

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Yours sincerely,

The Rev. John J. Wynne, S. J., New

BINDING UP THE WOUNDS

The Central Versin has just fin

London, England.

ages that cut to the very bone, and the aged woman erect and smiling, made it almost impossible to hold although a practised eye could see class. To make it still more that her heart concealed a multiple This brings me to a point I have although a practised eye could see that her heart concealed a multiple wound, and every gash was red; and impressive, the troops walked about the church, from station to station, the church, from station to station, one soldier carrying the processional cross, two others flanking him, carrycross, two others flanking him, carry-ing the candles. These, with the around his widowed mother.

candles on the altar, were the only lights in the edifice, making it, if The armistice put an end to the carnage, Pail remaining with the combat troops, while I was sent to headquarters. One day in Coblenz a possible, more solemn and mysteripossible, more solumn and mysteri-ous, the heavy, unmeasured tread ef the troops, the clanking of their steel hats, the unknown tortures hinted at by their gas-masks, the crunching of their nailed shoes on the ancient stone pavement, the flickering candles, peeping in and I reached his bedaide and I found the ancient stone pavement, the flickering candles, peeping in and I reached his bedside, and I found out between the measive pillars, and sending creeping shadows under the lofty scaring arches of the lovely old twelfth - century church, standing erect today after centuries of war ments, I began the Stations of the Cross and he answered as well as he Everything went as usual until we reached the fifth station, where Simon the Cyrenian helps our Lord to carry could, though every word must have been a martyrdom. When were oded the fith station, with gasping breath, His Cross. All knelt to read the prayer, a prayer that will be graven on my memory till I die: "I will not not refuse the cross as the Cyrenian

did; I accept it I embrace it; I accept in particular the death Thou has destined for me, with all the pains th all the pains that that accompany it." As I reached Just as we reached the last word, the rising sun, streak ing the eastern sky with splendor, bathed his pillow with a beam of deep, convulsive, suppressed sob. golden light, and he closed his eyes

and died, finishing his Way of the One often hears of broken hearts, but until then I had never heard one in Cross in heaven. Writing to his pastor in the Far West with a request to call upon his the actual process of breaking. The first impulse was to turn around, but in a flash the unwisdom and devoted mother and the girl whom he indelicacy of such a procedure was loved as a girl ought to be loved, and evident, dragging out, as it would, to break the news to them, brought into unsympathetic notice the su-preme agony of a soul in conflict. some weeks later a note stating that Phil's mother and Rose both had died So we continued, and rising from of influenza within a few days of our knees to go to the next each other. After Calvary comes station, a swift glance revealed Phil, Easter. The three were keeping it

a big, upstanding fellow, some six in Paradise feet and odd inches in height, a ma-RELIGION OF THE

SOLDIERS LETTER OF AN ENGLISH PRIEST

TO AN AMERICAN JESUIT

A STARTLING SURVEY An English priest writing to Father Wynne, S. J., makes the following

beservations : A few months ago a committee of Protestant clergymen, working under the chairmanship of Dr. Charles

Gore, the former Anglican Bishop of Oxford, set about compiling a stantial report as to the effects of the War on religion. Their idea was to issue a comprehensive statement which would apply generally to all

creeds They had not carried their investigations very far before they realized that although they could generalize in a satisfactory way concerning the Church of England and the many and various forms of Nonconformity. they could not deal in the same way with regard to the men who are officially labelled "R. C." (Roman Catholic.) Among other facts established one

stands out painfully conspicuous among non Catholic soldiers as many as from 80 to 90 per cent. had but the contrition. Don't worry about get-ting killed. No German gas or shell haziest notions of things supernatural; their ignorance on such definite points as God, the Incarna-tion, the Church and the sacraments So we all vanished out into the freezing night, taking the troop train was unspeakably depressing; and of course, one has to bear in mind that a few minutes later for the front. Meeting him from time to time in the soldier of to day is not the same class of man as in pre-war days, there is no more such a thing as a typical action, the customary greeting to him always was: "Well buddy, how are you getting on with your statione?" soldier at the present time in Eng.

anger they suffer for, you poisoned their minds with eavy, you failed to theach them rightly if they were your children, you embittered their hearts German barrage, and inquiring as soldiers warranted their believing theless, had a common father. And that except for ab

training of character. It has failed. to teach the child religion. Yet, without it, the moral law is without This brings me to a point I have proper sanction.

often felt to be one of the great obstacles to Catholic progress: the average Catholic's knowledge of his Without religion there can be no sense of moral responsibility. religion remains throughout his life only deterrent of crime is the worldly wise caution of not being caught. Hence when the conscience of the Only rarely does one come across a layman who is able to give a satis-factory reason for the faith that is in child has not been trained to avoid evil and do good from religious motives he will follow the lines of least On the other hand, I won't say the Protestant, but the man of no resistance.

religion is often very well read and his mind matured in a negative way with regard to raligion. Often he is We reap as we sow. Education without religion has sown the seed of youthful depravity. The country able to make out a good case for his position. And here I am not think is now reaping the harvest. The one institution that has insisted con-stantly and uncompromisingly upon ing so much of young men (or even older men), who think it clever to religion in education is the Catholic Church. Against obstacles that were well nigh insuperable, against ridisay they do not believe in God; but of the decent-living, serious-minded men who are leading highly respectcule, abuse, and misrepresentation, she has never ceased to teach that able pagan lives. Such men will not go to a priest with their difficulties, but they will often open up to a layreligion is the one indispensable element in education, and to put her teachings into practice in the classman and expect from the layman a reasonable answer to their questions.

reasonable answer to their questions. In many instances the answers they get ars no batter—let us hope no worse—than they would receive from no has just left an element. When governments refused to teach the saving doctrine of religion in the schools, she erected at great expense and through the heroic continues of her paople, her own sacrifices of her paople, her own Catholic schools, academies, and colleges. The religious training that Some months ago there was conso many of our Catholic men and women have received in Catholic stituted over here a Catholic Evidence Guild ; it is composed of laymen schools is the one vitalizing influwho are supposed to undertake a nce in this country.

course of study under a priest's direction with a view to being suit-The crime wave is illuminating since it illustrates the folly of trying ably equipped to speak on the Cath. to rear a God-fearing and law obser olic religion in public parks and elsewhere. I believe it has already ing generation while banishing How long religion from education. done excellent work, but as far as I will our leaders be blind to the fact can make out from the experiences that national morality depends upon of some of my friends, their dealings with non Catholics serve but to emphasize the urgent need of individual morality, and that individual morality can only be pre served by religion, and by the relig educational work among our own ious education of children? It is right here that your Leegue of Knowledge should do work of enor-Knowledge should do work of enor. any cessation of crime by the youth What I should like to see is a sort of Catholic Encyclopedia Correspond-ence College. While the work it would do would be more important than its name, still the name should

DO THE FRENCH GO

be one which would not lend itself to any progress-retarding flippancy, One hears from returning soldiers word arious answers to this question. In 'league" is that it has already cer-The Living Church (August 30), an tain associations of a character very Episcopalian weekly, Rev. Dr. William different from the one now proposed. Woods, of the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station, gives us this (Signed) E. VINCENT WAREING,

> ones" invited to reply, the writer ventures to "scatter a few crumbs broadcast" from his experiences as an enlisted man in the American Expeditionary Forces in France.

shed its first post-war convention in Rome? It is the wonderful devotion of her adherents. For six months I Chicago. It has taken up the strands laid down at the coming of the War. It had its definite sphere of social, was stationed in Marseilles, with lib economic and religious endeavors. Though the work was interrupted eral pass privileges. I do not know how many parish churches there are there was never any thought of in the city, but I can recall visiting abandoning it. Compact and come eighteen, and in four I was a fre-

abandoning it. Compact and com-plete as a Catholic organization it resumes its activities, and as Provi-dence would have it, a new activity is thrown into its lap by the letter of the Holy Father read by Archbishop Mundelein. It is called on now to help bind up the wounds of a lacer-ated world. It is unnecessary to stress the particular appropriateness of this owing to the old ties of race. But there is a more special truism that the knitting of the race is a Catholic work. For rancor can find no place in the bosom of the Church. Econmic relations may come before others, but sympathy and under standing must come from religion. Even under the stress of War the Church did not cease to be an inter-

Its ill will is



Conditions were the same in all : the first Sunday Mass said at five o'clock, with Masses following at nour or half-hour intervals until noon, and the Church filled to capacity from beginning to end; three or four daily Masses even on ordinary ferias, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament almost every evening. Last Sunday morning, as I wended my way to the early Euchariat at our tiny Anglican chapel, I had to pass two Roman churches, in each of which

used to pause to say a few prayers Always, rain or shine, there were crowds of devout worshippers throng. ing the altar rail; regularly each Sunday morning, I feel sure, several undred Communions were made in those churches before 7 o'clock. "Oftentimes a new Mass would be

commenced before all the faithful had been communicated at the one preceding. This may seem shocking to some, but the crowds that preas ur Lord necessitate it, even though.

of course, the Blessed Sacrament is your interest on Victory Bonds



administered only under one species. "Such times as I was able to attend Benediction, invariably I found, even on ordinary week day nights, a company of forty or fifty gathered to-gether to 'receive the blessing from the Lord.' The congregational singing made s deep impression; the fer-vor of the 'Tantum Ergo' and the 'Gloire Immortelle au Sacre Couer' is

a memory that does not fade. "I never passed a parish church without entering for at least a moment of prayer, and never was I dis-appointed in finding some of the faith ful at their devotion. . . . The French Catholics believe their re-ligion, and practice it. Most Episcolians apparently do not believe the religion of the prayer book, certainly they do not practice it. Therein lies the 'attractiveness of Rome' in the Latin countries.'

It costs you nothing to collect



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if they were your parents.

Come forward, then, all of you, and bear your own share of the burden. If not from friendship's love, at least from the urgent call of justice, take a share of the sufferings of the poor souls in Pargatory, for you had a share in their guilt. By so doing you will hasten the happy hour of their deliverance, and earn a share in their heavenly joy.

THE FIFTH STATION

Thomas F. Coakley, D.D., in America

It was in the winter of 1918 in France, not far from the front. There were but few American soldiers overseas, and the Germans had broken through the French lines, entailing heavy casualties on some to Calvary myself, I would not want chaplains' replies are still being dealt of our units brigaded with the French. my mother and Rose, whom I'm going with and their answers classified. I well remember the hospital train to marry, to see me here and now; it When it is ready it will certainly make as it stopped for a short time at the railroad station. News quickly spread about among our troops, and for the first time those who had not yet been under fire had seen the dodge terrifying results of battle at first. hand, the nineteen long hospital cars heing filled from end to end with the wounded and the dying. One of our boys had met his own brother among that suffering crowd, blinded by mustard gas ; and as if to accentuate the horror, when we had all returned to camp, word was received that we ourselves were to leave that night to raplace the casualties.

Arrangements were made at once

is almost the fourteenth, Padre; I dou't think I will get through this. Later on, in the Argonne, when he was exhausted from loss of sleep and lack of food, and scarcely able to speak from the effects of the poisonous gas that dranched the atmosphere, he esid: "Padre, I can make all the sta-tions now, except the fourth and eighth." This seemed rather peculiar,

or bullet will ever touch you."

particular the death Thou hast des-

tined for me, with all the pains that

accompany it." Just as we reached this sentence, I heard immediately behind me the anguished sound of a

chine gunner, and one of the notable

During the remainder of the Way

and it took a few minutes to grasp his meaning. "Yellow again, are you Phil?" I asked laughing. "A few months back you wanted to cheat on Yellow again, are you diers in their report led Cardinal Bourne to authorize direct investiga-

the fifth station; now they are the the fourth and eighth. What kind of Catholic are you, anyhow?" "Well, tions to be made among our Catholic chaplains. A number of suitable questions

"The fourth station is where Christ masts His Blessed Mother, and the were drawn up and a copy of these was sent to each chaplain inviting eighth is where he meets the women of Jerusalem, and while I can go up perience. The report is not likely to be published for a few months as the would break their hearts; it is not for my sake, but theirs, that I want to most interesting reading, although it will not be altogether pleasant.

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We shall hear for instance of young men who have had several years' training in the seminary losing This threw a new light upon this singularly saintly character, and my racing thoughts called up visions of the Centurion of the Gospel, and St. all desire to persevere with their vocation. On the other hand, there Sebastian and St. George, and St. Ignatius, and the other canonized warriors that stand out so luminously will be instances of men in the prime of life becoming filled with an ardent desire to attain to the priesthood. upon the horizon of history. While chatting with him he spoke of his likely to arise as to how to deal with mother and Rose, of their ennobling influence upon him, how steadying and stimulating it was how that men who have had a clear vocation but no classical education. But what impressed me most of all

when all was tempestuous and hope less and dark they were a lamp unto Arrangements were made at once for all the Catholic men to go to confession, and to receive Holy Com munion, and as we had some time yet to wait for the troop train, it was decided to have the Stations of the Cross for them. The village church was almost of cathedral proportions. Snow was on the ground, a cold rain, great church, so old, so cold, so heautiful, had within it the chill of

no matter how we differed there all the men classified "R. C." were were fandamental ties that could well informed as to the fundamentals of Christianity (?) and even those not remain permanently severed. The War is of the past. who had neglected their faith and in fading. It is wasteful at least to consequence were rather "rusty," could scon be put right, and needed but little preparation to fit them to receive the sacraments. perpetuate hatreds. Moreover there are grave issues facing every nation that demand undivided attention. The common foe is abroad. Those who stand for the right, and who do A CATHOLIC INQUIRY STARTED not want our civilization to perish ought to unite in soul and body. The The decision of Bishop Gore's com mittee pot to include Catholic sol-

new danger will signal out the Church. She stands in the way of the unbridled passions of mer. So she will be the special target. En-deavor will be made to subvert her teachings and overturn her moral sway. This ought to make cause enough to unite Catholics. of every land, Catholic solidarity throughout The report is not likely to the world was never needed as now. So the Central Verein with its fine record of Catholic activity ought to, and will, take its place in the work of reconstruction given to it by the Holy Father.—Chicago New World.

LAWLESSNESS AMONG CHILDREN

The increase of lawlessness among children as chronicled in the daily press is becoming alarming. What is the cause of the steadily rising wave of juvenile delinquency? No wave of juvenile delinquency? No doubt the influence of moving pic tures has something to do with it. Again, the reaction from war-time conditions is being felt by children as well as by their elders. S unrest, industrial discontent,

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CHATS WITH YOUNG MEN

DROPPIN' A KIND WORD Drop a word of cheer an' kindnessjust a flash an' it is gone, But there's half a hundred ripples

circlin' on an' on an' on, Bearin' hope an' joy an' comfort on each splashin', dashin' wave,

Till you wouldn't b'heve th' volumes of th' one kind word you gave. Drop a word of cheer an' kindness-

in a minute you forget, But there's little waves a flowin' an

there's ripples circlin' yet, An' you've rolled a wave of comfort whose sweet music can be

heard Over miles an miles of water, just by

droppin' a kind word.

Drop an unkind word or careless-in a minute it is gone, But there's half a hundred ripples

circlin' on an' on an' on, That keep spreadin', spreadin', spread-

in', from th' centre as they go, An' there is no way to stop em', once you've started em' to flow.

Drop an unkind word of carelessnes in a minute you forget,

But there's little waves a flowin' an' there's ripples circlin' yet, An perhaps in some sad heart a

mighty wave of tears you've stirred

An' disturbed a life once happy when you dropped an unkind word.

Do a little good in passing, sow some

kindness every day, Stretch a hand to help a struggler who has failen by the way.

plans a flower to bud and

Stop and counsel with the erring,

Find thy mission on the earth and leave the stars to light the

Whisper comfort to the sobbing, let

An eastern legend tells of a won magic vase-known as the ist could analyze it or tell what entered into its composition. The marvellous thing about it was that what ever one dropped into it would over-flow and ran down the sides of the vase. which was dropped into is would overflow in kind and amount. The depositor would always get out of

Life is just such a magic vase. It will run over to you only that which you drop into it-nothing more, nothing less, nothing different. drop in love, generosity, tolerance, magnanimity, kindness, helpfulness unselfishness—the life vase will run over to us the same things in the same amount and quality. If, on the other hand, we put in hate, jealousy, envy, cruelty, selfishness, grasping greed, malicious gossip about our neighbors -it will run over with all these black devils to torment us and rob us of happiness and success.- New Suc-C888.

USE THE PRESENT

Always at some future time it is what we are not today—to be better, differently, to make more of our lives and work. Isn't it so with you? Aven't you always looking forward to the day when your besetting sins shall loose their grasp upon you, when the best part of your nature shall assert itself and you shall become the individual you think it is in you to become -- in other words, you crush your weakness and give

complexion of modern commercial and political life. Short weights, adulterated foodsteps, deception, fraud, embezzling, graft and a list of other forms of dishonesty furnish the re porter with an unlimited supply of matter for copy. Honest men who have sought political office tell us that sincerity and

hopeless in our times than in the days of yore. A casual glance at the daily newspapers reveals to us the

virtue is not wanted in the political world. Upright dealers in food and merchandise assure us that the strict adherence to the principles of hones-ty is a positive obstacle in the quest of wealth. And our own observations will have convinced us that the man who is able to make many

promises, he with the broad smile and friendly handshake, is the one whose name heads the list, on the day after election. We also find un-scrupulous merchants accumulating

wealth, while their honest competi tors struggle along in the middle class Is honesty, then, the best policy Or would it be far better to adapt

ourselves to the spirit of the times and throw off the shackles of a too exacting constience? God forbid that Catholics should ever seek the level of the children of the modern world. But what is the reason for dishonesty, as we find it all about us, but the lack of faith and the mater-

ialistic view of life. Religion is looked upon as some displeasing diversion to pass away the long hours of a Sunday. But it is given no place in the workshop, in the factory in the store or office. A hundred and one themes are discussed from the pulpits of the land, but their is

Flash a smile to cheer the mourner, no real endeavor to implant in the hearts of men the fear of God and

Loose a ray of sympathy to pierce with sunlight the thick gloom;

help the fallen one to rise,

skies,

the sunshine struggle, through, And when heaven's portals open, there will be a place for you. -True Voice titude of sins

MAGIC VASE OF LIFE

vase of life — which was ever full of a mysterious liquid. No one could tell what this liquid was. No chemase. That is, the original liquid ould not run over, but the thing this magic vase exactly what he put

Someone started the day aright-Was it you ? our intention and expectation to be Someone made it happy and bright-Was it you? Early this morning, we are told, .

MAXIMS OF ST. TERESA Man's mind is like good ground which, if left untilled, grows thorns and thistles. Nover ridicule anything.

ment. In the light of faith, he

WAS IT YOU?

Was it you?

Was it you ?

Tom" in Casholic Sun.

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THE CATHOLIC RECORD

To be as polite when alone as when gue ts are present. To sat quietly, and talk about pleas-West. ant things only, when at the breakfast table.

To do your morning tasks cheer-fully and well. To drink a glass of water before eating and wash your teeth carefully

after easing. To clean your finger nails thor oughly before starting to school. To resolve to make this the best day of your life by attaching one good work to another like the links of a

chain That your duty well done is in itself a prayer if you so offer it. That, "Well begun is half done."-

The Tablet. THE GOOD CATHOLIC GIRL

before rebelling actively against un-congenial home surroundings. The sense of filial duty, no matter how abused, is very strong. The present writer recalls a girl who gave practically all she earned to her mother.

But once, and for a special purpose, which daubtless her mother would not have fancied, she managet to save and secrete five one dollar bills. It was long before she could use them, and by that time they were in secret function of the secret secre piezced through with moth holes. not; invoking her, thou despairest "A judgment on me!" said the poor not; thinking of her, thou wanderest child

a few dellars for herself. That she the goal. And thus dost thou exmight dream of a lover, or even of a perience in thyself how good is that close woman friend, was almost as hard to realize. Had she not her good home, and what more should she want?

Again, those who have forgotten their youth, have forgotten also obedience to His commandments. The result is that men and women, who are still church goers, look upon the delicacy and sensitiveness of the young girl's heart. She will forego aligion as the great champion of prohibition or the zealous promoter of the foreign missione. But they do not expect to be told by their preachers that dishonesty is a crime almost anything rather than be the subject of sarcasm or ridicule; or near the man who has won her -at least not their particular kind of dishonesty. And thus we find that business is made to cover a mulwither at her wag-searning occupation of whose members are tion nor reap visible earthly reward sects, some of whose members are However the Catholic must have

quits another view-point. Our currch is the institution of Him who said, "I am the Way, the Life and the Trath." She insists upon hon-esty in all our dealings with our from her fuldiment and over fulfill. ment of fi ial duty. By and by her kindred even her immediate family, taunt her with her persistent unwedded stats. fellow men ; and she condemns fraud But there is another type of girl in and decest, graft and bribery as sins whom the dismal home works a very different effect. She becomes shrewd shat merit the punishment of God. The world may applaud dishonesty and sly. It she can't receive a young and call it sagacity ; but the law of God calls it crime. And as such it

man friend or suitor under her father's roof-though to do her jusfather's roof-though to do her just tios, she would prefer to-she will devise ways and means to see him of "worship" into social gatherings, First merhans it is the of churches into clubs. "The will be registered in the Book of Lite, and bear testimony against its perpetrators on the day of judg. elsewhere. First, perhaps it is the of churches into clubs. "The most of the noon hour, in the park in Church must fit herself to the times," " Father summer, and the art gallery or public library in winter. By and by, later and more dangerous meetings are arranged. Is the result a bad mar-riage 2. It is wall if it is no wore work to be a broadly enough interpreted," says another, who may not have met OUR BOYS AND GIRLS riage? It is well if it is no worse. Why will mothers lose that one of a not evernal truth, but "a myun, " which is theirs from the statt for just a little appreciation that it is sufficiently "broad" interpretation, surgly; and a third is mildly sarcastic surgly; and a third is mildly sarcastic surgly; and a third is mildly sarcastic which is the appreciation that it is summered, just a little appreciation that it is surely; and a third is mildly sarcastic surely; and a third is mildly sarcastic surely; and a third is mildly sarcastic in wondering how, in face of so much friend? Why will they mistreat the friend? Why will they mistreat the in wondering how, in face of so much criticism, the "Church" survives at all. We Catholies know that God and third His Church for all times, Someone started the whole day Someone robbed the day of its song-Early this morning someone frowned; Someone salked until others scowled, of the girl child ? If there were anything better for the most of women And soon harsh words were passed than what these portend, surely God would have given it to them. Why will mothers check the honest readiness to bring the youth who has been schoolmate, some other capac-ity, or who is simply a charming

ity, or who is simply a charming stranger, to the home? This is the time for the mother and the father to Founder of Christianity showed Transcript. Someone smiled, and all through the day This smile encouraged young and old Was it you? Use their knowledge of the and intimate stimul contention and intimate character, their solicitude for their daughter's future to bear upon any who would open a new path for her. of His day, and Ha was crucified for preaching a Gospel unacceptable to Hise contemporaries?" He went about doing good: the "Reformers" went about destroying, both in the

True Voice. OUR LADY

When we were little children

XI., as a memorial of gratitude to the estant," and denouncing the advendeliverance of the Church in the turous spirit of the first. A section of another sect announces by the mouth of its pastor that it does not even ask its members to be We can find no more beautiful tribute to the Name of our Blessed Mother than the words of her devoted baptized, nor to receive Holy Com munion, nor to say what he under stands by the D.vinity of Christ client, the great Saint Bernard :

"Whoseever theu art seest thyself, amid the tides of this world, tossed whilst on the other hand, "the Free-thinker is formulating the dogma of about by storms and tempests rather than walking on the land, turn not the Unprovability of God." Another tells us that the only essential is to "believe in Christ;" as if that thine eyes away from the shining of this star if thou wouldst not be over-whelmed by the hurricane. If squals meant merely believing that He died for us and not believing the whole of His teaching at all. Neverof temptations arise, or thou fall upon the rocks of tribulation, look theless, in spite of these efforts to suit all tastes, and to adapt Sixteenthto the star, call upon Mary. If thou art tossed by the waves of pride or ambition, detraction or envy, look to century Protestantism to -modern ideas, the question is still being ideas, the question is still being asked what can be done to "poputhe star, call upon Mary. If anger or avarice or the desires of the flesh It is marvelous how much a good Jatholic giv, especially, will endure before rebelling actively against un-tongenial home surroundings. The ense of filial duty, no matter how larise the Church ?" Outside Church of God, what has become of faith ? It is little wonder that irre ligion and unbelief are spreading. Will these good people never understand that " Religion is the realm of mens, thou beginness to sink into the gulf of sadness of the abyss of certainty," not of conjecture, spec-ulation, doubt, and variation ? " Cardespair, think of Mary.

tainty rests on faith, faith on Revela-tion, and Revelation is an assured "In dangers, in anguish, in doubt, think of Mary, call upon Mary. Let her be ever on thy lips, ever in thy fact. To the fact there is a Divinely accredited witness, of the fact a Divinely appointed guardian not; upheld by her thou fallest not It never would have occurred to shielded by her, thou failest not; her mother to think this patient and guided by her, thou growest not self sacrificing daughter might want weary; favored by her, thou reachest saying: "And the Virgin's name was Mary."-Catholic Sun.

> DID CHRIST "ADVANCE WITH THE TIMES?"

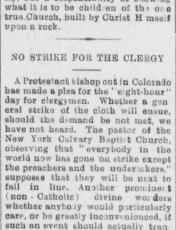
"M. C. L." in Edinburgh Herald

A leading article in a north-coun interest, to say nothing of her affec-tion, made a joke of. Generally the flage, is an admission of the failure mother of a daughter like this knows of Protestantism, has led to a corres her weak pointe, and works upon pondence on how to "populatise the them. This kind of a girl is wont to Church," the "Church" signifying signifying

name of Protestant. The leader-writer opined that "the Church that

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fails to advance with the times is in has made a plea for the "eight-hour" day for clergymen. Whether a gen eral strike of the cloth will ensue, should the demand be not met, we peril of the works," without specifying in what direction the advance was to be made, whether to a still more drastic rejection of the super-natural, a farther whittling down of Revelation, or an adoption of philan-thropy towards the body in place of world now has gone on strike except the preachers and the undertakers," concern about the soul, a conversion The whether anybody would particularly such an event should actually tran spire? "Who would care," he asks, "if churches were closed because or the cleric who recently declared that empty pulpits? Could not society get on all the time as well as it does in summer time, when the majority of churches temporarily suspend activities, or join in innoccors or sparsely attended union services?" There is room for wide discussion of and committed to her the interpretathe matter, but it will undoubtedly end there. The majority of those who wear the cloth, of whatever tion of Scripture long ere self-ap-pointed teachers of new doctrines introduced private interpretation denomination they be. are intent, we with all its lawlessness; and we ask (in the words of a Catholic writer) if like to believe, on giving, rather than getting, as much as possible it never occurs to these disconsolate They are willing to serve, and those



The ground of faith had never human argument, but Divine Revelation. Uncertain faith could never be ade quate to God's dignity or man's need; certain faith could rest only on a Divine witness. The Holy Ghost in the Catholic Church secures to man the certainty of faith. Christ's promise to her of the Holy Ghost for all days is His promise of infallibility His promise of a Divine Teacher, and so of certainty in faith. The denial of a Church of its own infallibility is the abdication of any claim to the presence of the Holy Ghost as the inspirer of its teaching. Thus the crumbling stones of Protestantism can never satisfy the soul's hunger for the Living Bread. We Catholics have behind us a long pedigree of certain faith; and in these critic times we have not only an opportunity, but a responsibility of showing presently struggling to get rid of the

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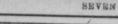
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your test nature a chance ? Of course you ara-you wouldn't be much of a man if you didn't keep such an ideal before you, if you didn't strive each day to improve upon your performance of the day be-fore. You would be standing still, absolutely stagnating if you did not make such effort.

Is was George Elliot who said : "It is never soo late to be what we might have been ;" and it's true, too, isa't it? If you drew a black yes-terday, it doesn't follow that you will today. You have a new opportunity; you can begin to do what you might have done; the golden present is today. yours to make of it what you will.

We dream dreams of the things we are going to do in the future. Isn't this present good enough for us? But we are always saying "tomorrow." Why not "today ?" There's never a better time than right now.

Do you know that because we have this putting off habit, because we have have learned to say "tomorrow" instead of "today" we miss half the joy of living; we miss the pleasure that is in hand looking forward to the pleasure that may be; we miss the chance of doing good work because we are thinking of the fine thing we are going to do next week. We walk along blind and deaf to so much that is ours for the taking-wa're really only half alive, most of us, we use neither our bodies nor our minds to

their fullest and best. We need to have these ideals, to reach higher always, to look ahead, but don't let's miss the present; don't let's lose all of today in thinking of tomorrow,-True Voice.

HONESTY THE BEST POLICY

The ancient Diogenes, who went about with a lantern seeking an honest man might find his task more ing.

Never contend, especially about trifles.

-STEWART I. LONG

Accommodate yourself to every-Mary. Do not reflect on other people's

faults, but on their virtues and your of Mary, which the Church celebrated Do nothing that the whole world

Cultivate the fear of God, which makes the soul contrite and humble.

Remember that you have but one soul; you will die but once; you have only one life, which is short, and only which you must live on your own account; there is only one heaven, which will last forever-this will make you indifferent to many things. Desire to see God; fear to lose Him;

grieve to be so far from Him-thus you will live in profound peace. THINGS TO REMEMBER IN THE

MORNING

To make the sign of the cross as soon as you awaken. To say while dressing

' Heart of Jesus, I adore thee; Reart of Mary, I implore thee; Holy Joseph, pure and just, In your aid I put my trust."

To say your morning prayer as soon you are dressed.

To open wide your windows and emove blanket and sheet from your bed bafore leaving your room.

To put your room in order after breakfast. To bid every one in the home a

cheary "Good morning. To say grace before and after eat-

our mother's knee we were taught to lisp that Name that means salva-tion, the adorable Name of Jesus. has been divested of its authority, No sooner had we uttered that Name its inspiration, and its integrity, as one's humor; be cheerful with the happy, grave with the sad—in short, the sweet name of Jesus' Mother—

Of the feast of the most holy Name on September 12, Saint Peter Chry-sologus says : "Mary in Hebrew sig-

hell in its fear.

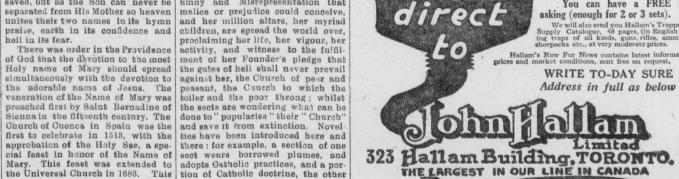
ere was order in the Providence Th of God that the divotion to the most

the adorable name of Jesus. The peasant, the Church to which the veneration of the Name of Mary was preached first by Salut Bernadine of the sects are wondering what can be Sienna in the fiftmenth century. The Church of Cuenca in Spain was the first to celebrate in 1518, with the ties have been introduced here and approbation of the Holy See, a spetthere: for example, a section of one cial feast in honor of the Name of sect wears borrowed plumes, and Mary. This feast was extended to the Universal Church in 1683. This feast was created by Pope Innocent section remaining "soundly Prot-

and their work of destruction is still There is nothing wonderful in the survival of a "Church" which consists of a multitude of contradictory theories leaped together, all subject to revision and to private interpretation

spiritual and the

Do nothing that the whole world may not see. Never compare people with one another; it is cdlous. Cultivate the fear of God, which may not see. her very birth." The glorious title abolishes the duty of obedience to of Our Lady belts her as does the authority in religion, and dispenses title of Our Lord befit her Son. with the humiliation of self accuea While we know that she is below her tion, resti ution, and atonement on Son, Whom she adores as we do, which the Church of God insists We know also that she is above all Does the writer think, moreover God's servants, both angels and men, that any of the older sects have surbecause she is His Mother. Every vived in their original form? The knee shall bend at the Holy Name of Catholic Church has survived for Jesus, and every head should bow at nearly two thousand years the incesthe sweet name of Mary. The sant attacks of every species of name of Jesus is the only enemy, every legal, civil, religious, Name whereby we may be and social persecution, every cal-saved, but as the Son can never be umny and Misrepresentation that separated from His Mother so heaven | malice or prejudice could conceive unites their two names in its hymn praise, earth in its confidence and children, ars spread the world over



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 KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

 MUNDING UP ORGANIZATIONS IN EUROPE

 The work of winding up the affairs to the Knights of Columbus in France is being pushed rapidly forward and there are indications that every zone in which this organization has been colosed by the end of October, while being was the statement made yes the Paris office, 6 place de la Made being, will be continued until Novem.
 from all institutions of this kind, both Catholic and Protestant. Dur or diverse their Approbation from the both Catholic and Protestant. Dur or the Knights of Columbus in France is being pushed rapidly forward and there are indications that every zone onducting war activities will be closed by the end of October, while being was the statement made yes mether and in Santary to a Herald correspondent by the Knights of Columbus Committer.
 Short as is the history of The Joan of Arc it is full of encouragement, that by Lady Blanche Cavendish aughter of the Grovernor General ators, and alsec containes a large and ity saloon, equipped with pisn, sage, etc. where are given frequent ity saloon, equipped with pisn, sage, etc. where are given frequent on the Knights of Columbus Committer.
 "The Deep Heart." By Isabel O. Clarke. "The Deep Heart." It is a love is al talents of the groung girls of the buse, both English and French

terday to a Herald correspondent by Mr. William J. Mulligan, chairman of the Knights of Columbus Committee on War Activities and member of the Board of Directors, who had charge of the walters work in France and of the welfare work in France, and who has returned on his fourth trip who has returned on his fourth trip overseas since the beginning of the War in order to wind up activities. The work of salvaging supplies has been unusually successful and the Knights of Columbus will leave France with very little loss in trans-ferring supplies to the French and

other Governments. Mr. Mulligan is a lawyer by profes-sion. He has led Liberty Loan drives in New England and in Western States and has done much to raise money for welfare organizations. In June he received the honorary degree June he received the honorary degree of LL.D. from Fordham University and from Holy Cross College. His decision to give all good generations decision to give all goods away to the doughboys. instead of charging for them, did much to create popularity for the Knights of Colum-bus.

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Mr. Mulligan said yesterday : "We came here as a part of the American Expeditionary Forces. The Ameri-can Expeditionary Forces have gone and we consider that the work is done, and we are going home to give done, and we are going home to give an account of our stewardship to the United States. The Knights of Col-umbus collected money from the American people for the benefit of the boys, and we did not think that it was right to charge them for goods that their families and friends back pose of and they are possibly solid OBITULARY have only four motor trucks to dis-pose of and they are possibly sold now. Practically all our places in France will be closed by October 20. This past week we have disposed of two hundred motor cars, auto trucks, side cars in Paris close "

side cars, in Paris alone." Asked about the closing of the Zones in France, Mr. Mulligan esid: "Brest will be open until October 20. We are closing Saint Nazaire this week. Le Mans was closed last Friday, Bordeaux last Saturday and Phaime closes two provides Rheims closes tomorrow. "In the British Isles," continued

Mr. Mulligan, "we closed our camp in Dublin on September 20; we had 120 beds in this club for our men on leave. In Scotland—in the Orkney Islands—our camp was for the Navy men and that was closed on Sept ber 30. We expect to be out of Eng-land by October 10.

"Last month we sent home 280 men and this month we will send 160, leaving about twenty men in France to wind up affairs.'

to wind up affairs." Mr. Mulligan was asked what use will be made of the money made on salvaging. "This money," he replied, "is being kept in a separate fund which, after we make our report, will be turned into the general fund at reside, having attended the Collegiate Institute when a girl and later taking a post graduate course at Toronto University. After spending about six years in the teaching profession she entered the religious life in the Mon-attend of the right of therity in Sen. be turned into the general fund at home. We have been particularly fortunate on our leases and in get-ting reasonable prices for our goods. While we are still over here we have been sending cigarettes to the French oldiers in hospitals and the hundreds of letters we receive show that they are appreciated."-New York Herald, European Edition, Oct. 2nd.

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