

THOS. COFFEY, L.L.D., Editor and Publisher.

Advertisements for teachers, situations wanted, etc. are inserted at special rates. Remittance to accompany all orders.

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION.

Apostolic Delegation. Ottawa, June 13th, 1908. Mr. Thomas Coffey. My Dear Sir—Since coming to Canada I have been a reader of your paper.

Mr. Thomas Coffey. Dear Sir: For some time past I have read your estimable paper, the Catholic Record, and congratulate you upon the manner in which it is published.

LONDON, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1908.

HONOR PAID AND HONOR DUE.

We were much pleased to see that at the Extension Congress the place of honor was assigned to Canada's youngest Archbishop, His Grace Mgr. McEvay of Toronto.

IS HELL ETERNAL?

III.

We have no desire to weary our readers with a protracted answer upon the duration of hell. However, we cannot leave it in an entirely unfinished state.

THE APPROACHING END.

That the world is growing worse and nearing its end was the subject of what the Free Press calls a powerful sermon in the Talbot St. Baptist Church of this city.

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

DECEMBER 5, 1908.

THE APPROACHING END.

That the world is growing worse and nearing its end was the subject of what the Free Press calls a powerful sermon in the Talbot St. Baptist Church of this city.

CALUMNY ON IRELAND.

The Free Press of the 24th ult. gives a brief report of a lecture under the auspices of the A. Y. P. A. of St. James' Anglican Church of this city.

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

DECEMBER 5, 1908.

THE APPROACHING END.

allowance in their rack-rent for decent dwellings for the crushed and broken tenantry. Let no visitor blame the Irish people for their poverty.

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

THE PROBLEM OF abolishing the bar has for long vexed the best minds in the country and they have well nigh despaired of success.

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

DECEMBER 5, 1908.

THE APPROACHING END.

THE PROBLEM OF abolishing the bar has for long vexed the best minds in the country and they have well nigh despaired of success.

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

OUR NEIGHBORS to the south of us seem to be more wide awake than Canadians in the matter of hunting down criminals of the get-rich-quick pattern.

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

DECEMBER 5, 1908.

THE APPROACHING END.

ANOTHER IRISH LAND BILL has been introduced into the House of Commons. The Chief Secretary finds that the \$500,000,000 appropriation is inadequate.

THE CATHOLIC RECORD

ANOTHER IRISH LAND BILL has been introduced into the House of Commons. The Chief Secretary finds that the \$500,000,000 appropriation is inadequate.



AN Ideal Christmas Present The WONDERS of VACUUM Cleaning

The only Thoroughly Efficient and Strictly Sanitary Cleaning System the World has ever known BROUGHT within the REACH of ALL Ideal Vacuum Cleaner

Operated by Hand Or with Electric Motor

IT EATS UP THE DIRT

The IDEAL VACUUM CLEANER is the perfection of the modern Vacuum Cleaning System—the only system by which dirt, bad odors, vermin, germs and disease can be effectively fought and conquered.

With the IDEAL VACUUM CLEANER you simply place the nozzle of the hose against whatever object you want to clean, and instantly EVERY PARTICLE OF DIRT, dust and grit ON the object, and UNDER the object, is Sucked Into the Hose.

Makes Your Carpet Look Like New

The hand machine puts absolutely no tax on the strength Compared with sweeping it is ease itself. The motor of the electric machine is readily attached to any electric light fixture.

Within the Reach of All

If you wonder how this low-priced machine can contain right within itself all the parts of a thoroughly efficient Vacuum Cleaning System, let us enlighten you.

Our Catalogue and Illustrated Booklet give full complete, and interesting information about every phase of the cleaning problem.

Time is short. Christmas is fast approaching. Write to us at once Address Dept. B.

THE AMERICAN VACUUM CLEANER CO., GUELPH ONTARIO CANADA



MINISTER LIKENS DIVORCE TO MURDER.

Cleveland Leader.

Calling divorce a crime, emphasizing the permanence of the wedded relation, Rev. H. P. Eckhardt, pastor of Grace Lutheran church, in the first of a series of marriages, called matrimony one of God's choicest blessings on earth. He said:

"Marriage is a divine institution, given by God to help fill out man's life and complete his happiness. A happy marriage is one of God's greatest and choicest blessings on the earth. A happy marriage brings out the best and noblest in man and woman. Marriage makes homes, and a happy home is the fairest spot on earth."

"Marriage is undoubtedly the most serious and important act of our lives, to men as well as to women. Why? Because it is for life, and the consequences of a mistake made in choosing the partner to one's union must be borne to the end of life. For life? Yes. When this holy estate was instituted and a dam took the woman from the hands of God, he said: 'Therefore, shall a man leave his father and his mother and cling unto his wife and they shall become flesh.' The very expression, 'one flesh,' indicates that marriage is indissoluble according to the intention and laws of God. As you cannot separate or divide 'one flesh' without committing the crime of murder, just so two persons once united in marriage unto one flesh cannot be divorced without committing a crime before God."

PILES

Dr. Chase's Ointment... See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. Be at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & Co., Toronto, DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT.

cannot be divorced without committing a crime before God.

"Hence it is also written: 'What, therefore, God hath joined together let no man put asunder.'"

DIED.

PHILIP—In Milton township, on 10th October, Mr. Joseph Philip, aged eighty-two years. May his soul rest in peace!

LEHANE—On Nov. 18, 1908, at his residence, 320 Wellington street west, Toronto, Dennis H. Lehane, in his sixty-fourth year. May his soul rest in peace!

MARRIAGE.

KELLY-MONAHAN—At St. Mary's Church, Brampton, on Nov. 21, by Rev. Father Cummings, assisted by Fathers Englehart and Becker, Mr. Walter P. Kelly, to Miss Annie Monahan, daughter of the late D. G. Monahan.

FEATHERSTONE-McCAFFREY.—At St. Patrick's church, Markham, by Rev. Father McCaffrey, brother of the bride, on Wednesday, Nov. 25th 1908. Mr. James Featherstone, of Markham, to Miss Mary McCaffrey, daughter of Mr. Peter McCaffrey, of Scarborough.

PICTURE POST CARDS

Twenty-five good post-cards, assorted landscape, flowers, views, comics, for 10c NORMAN PEEL, Mfr., London, Ont.

STRONG'S CARMINATIVE

For Infants and Young Children Instantly relieves colic, cramps, teething troubles, restlessness, peevishness, sleeplessness. It will also prevent that exceedingly troublesome affection of the membrane of the mouth, arising from acidity, known as white mouth. Prescribed for years by the Medical Faculty.

PRICE, 25 CENTS MAILED ON RECEIPT OF PRICE. Manufactured by W. T. Strong, Chemist London, Ontario



THE BEST BREAD YOU EVER BUTTERED That's the kind you have if you use PURITY FLOUR

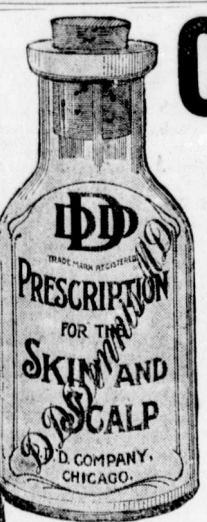
Don't buy flour simply because it has a name and is labelled, but buy the kind which is milled to help you make the nicest loaves of pure, appetizing bread. That's PURITY. Ask your grocer to-day for Purity Flour and try it.

THIS IS THE LABEL See that it is on each bag or barrel you buy WESTERN CANADA FLOUR MILLS CO., LIMITED MILLS AT WINNIPEG, GODERICH AND BRANDON

The Stock Exchange is the investor's safeguard

EVERYONE who has money to put out at interest can be served by the Stock Exchange in many important ways. It keeps a list of excellent investments, both stocks and bonds, before the public in the daily press, so that all news about these securities is published and the investor is kept posted. It gives daily quotations of values of all listed securities, so that the investor knows the exact value of his investment. It affords a ready market for all these securities. Every security is carefully scrutinized before it is listed. Don't buy a security that is peddled about—you'll find they are hard to realize on. Listed securities are cheap now—this is the time to buy. We are members of the Toronto Stock Exchange, and have connections with all the leading exchanges. We would be glad to give you full information about many choice investments which are now offering.

John Stark & Co. Stock Brokers and Investment Agents 26 Toronto Street Toronto



CURE THAT AWFUL AWFUL ITCH!

Why go on suffering nameless tortures, day and night, week after week, month after month, from itching, burning skin diseases? A cure has been found—a cure that works quickly and certainly—that gives INSTANT RELIEF the moment it is applied, and soon drives away the disease entirely.

Just apply a few drops of D. D. D. Prescription—a simple, clean liquid, made of Oil of Wintergreen and other vegetable extracts. The first application cools and soothes the tortured skin, and instantly relieves the almost unbearable itching.

After a very few applications you will notice the eruption disappearing as well as the itch, and soon the skin is white and clean again—the cure is complete.

Trial Treatment Free!

Don't wait another day! Get relief at once. Let us send you a large size bottle of D. D. D. to prove how quickly it will drive away the torturing itch and cure any form of skin disease. We want to send you this 25c. trial bottle, because we know it will do you good, and you will be anxious to buy more to complete the cure. We are so sure of this that we are willing to supply the medicine free and pay part of the cost of packing and mailing. All we ask is that you send to, to pay part of the shipping expense and show that you are really interested. Isn't it worth 10c. to find the instant relief that D. D. D. gives—and the permanent cure?

Just Sign the Coupon

and send it to us to-day, enclosing only 10c. We will send you the trial bottle illustrated here by return mail—prepaid. Also a valuable pamphlet which gives directions for treatment—bathing, diet, exercise, etc. for eczema, pimples, blotches and every known kind of skin disease. Sending for this free trial bottle puts you under no obligation whatever to buy anything.

D. D. D. Company 23 JORDAN STREET Dept. B 10, TORONTO, ONT.

THE workingman's is the most welcome dollar that comes into the Savings Department of a bank—because the welfare of the community at large depends on the practice of thrift by those whose labor contributes the main part towards wealth of the country

THE HOME BANK OF CANADA... 8 King Street West, Toronto; LONDON OFFICE: 394 RICHMOND STREET F. E. KARN - Manager

Dr. Schue's Nervine Tablets... The famous Dr. Schue used these tablets in his private practice for many years, with wonderful success, not one case of failure being reported.

WANTED A CATHOLIC LADY TEACHER for public school in Josephsburg, P. O. Co. Waterloo. To commence Jan. 4th 1909.

TEACHER WANTED FOR R. C. SEPARATE school No. 1, Oranode. Holding a second class certificate of qualifications.

WANTED FOR R. C. SEPARATE SCHOOL No. 7, Glenelg, a teacher holding 2nd class certificate to take charge January 4th, 1909.

TEACHER WANTED FOR UNION SCHOOL No. 4, Floss St. of Yepra. Second class professional. Salary \$400 per annum.

CATHOLIC TEACHER WANTED: SECOND class, prof. capable of teaching and speaking English and French preferred.

TEACHER WANTED: PROFESSIONAL WITH experience. School section No. 6, Tyndinaga. Salary \$400 per annum.

TEACHER WANTED FOR R. C. SEPARATE school, Whitby, Ont. Duties to begin Jan. 4th, 1909.

WANTED, TEACHER FOR S. S. NO. 8, HUNTER, holding a second or third class professional certificate.

WANTED, TEACHER FOR SEPARATE school, Meaville, second class professional preferred.

WANTED, TEACHER FOR SCHOOL SECTION No. 1, Nichol. State salary and qualifications apply to Michael Duggan, Marden, P. O., Ont.

TEACHER WANTED FOR THE R. C. SEPARATE school No. 12, Peel Township, male or female, holding first or second class professional certificate.

TEACHER WANTED FOR THE R. C. SEPARATE school No. 1, Gloucester, and 13, Oranode. Holding second class certificate.

WANTED TEACHER HOLDING FIRST OR second class certificate for S. S. Section No. 3, Somers, for the year 1909.

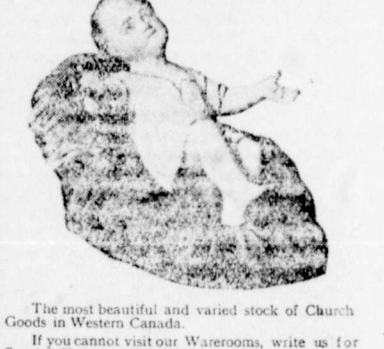
WANTED TEACHER FOR R. C. SEPARATE school No. 1, Gloucester, and 13, Oranode. Holding second class certificate.

TEACHER WANTED FOR R. C. SEPARATE school No. 1, Gloucester, and 13, Oranode. Holding second class certificate.

WANTED TEACHER FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL SECTION No. 4, Adamstown township, Renfrew County, Ont.

MEN WANTED AT ONCE on salary and expenses... MISSION SUPPLIES A Specialty made of Mission Articles

CHRISTMAS CRIBS, BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED



W. E. Blake & Son 123 Church Street, Toronto, Can.

BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Books by Dr. William Fischer... "The Years Between" "Children of Destiny" etc.

LADIES SUITS \$7.50 TO \$17

C. M. B. A., Branch No 4, London

TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. NO. 7, MARA Catholic male or female teacher holding first or second class professional certificate.

WANTED FOR ST. JOHN'S R. C. SEPARATE School, Elice Township, Perth Co., male or female teacher, holding 2nd or 3rd class certificate.

TEACHER WANTED FOR SEPARATE SCHOOL No. 1 Hay near the church, duties to begin January 4th 1909.

TEACHER WANTED FOR R. C. SEPARATE school No. 3, March, holding a second class certificate.

WANTED TEACHER HOLDING FIRST OR second class certificate for S. S. Section No. 3, Somers, for the year 1909.

WANTED TEACHER FOR R. C. SEPARATE school No. 1, Gloucester, and 13, Oranode. Holding second class certificate.

TEACHER WANTED FOR R. C. SEPARATE school No. 1, Gloucester, and 13, Oranode. Holding second class certificate.

TEACHER WANTED FOR R. C. SEPARATE school No. 1, Gloucester, and 13, Oranode. Holding second class certificate.

TEACHER WANTED FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL SECTION No. 4, Adamstown township, Renfrew County, Ont.

WANTED TEACHER FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL SECTION No. 4, Adamstown township, Renfrew County, Ont.