

The Pope and France.

PARIS, Feb. 17.—The Petit Journal publishes a declaration of the Pope.

It is the substance of a statement made to M. Jadet, the ex-Deputy:

"My desire and the wish of the Church is that France should be happy. She is a nation whose pious mind and generous character, though they may not always keep her fast in the straight path which is best suited to her interests, soon repair all faults and show her the clear truth. I pray (and I act in accordance with my prayer) that, despite all resistance, there may come an end to the dissensions and the sterile quarrels which weaken her. All her citizens should meet upon the ground of legality. Each individual may cherish his own preference. But when in the domain of action nothing else exists but the government which France has chosen, the republic is as legitimate a form of government as any other."

I have just received a communication from the president of the committee of the Chicago World's Fair asking the Holy See to take part in that great American undertaking. And the United States, which constitute a republic, grow greater every day despite the drawbacks incidental to their boundless liberty. There, too, the Catholic church develops without clashing with the State. The two powers act in perfect harmony, as they should in all lands when neither infringes upon the rights of the other. Liberty is indeed the base and the foundation of relations between the civil power and religious conscience. The Church aspires before all to liberty. May my voice, which speaks with authority, be heard, and may my aims and attitude no longer be distorted by unfounded attacks.

"What suits the United States is still more suited to republican France. To all Frenchmen who visit me I speak the same language. I wish that language to be known by all. I regret that certain persons in high places should not dare to proclaim publicly, as they should, the efforts that I make for the peace and the prosperity of your noble nation, which I regard ever as the eldest daughter of the Church. In this course I persist, and I encourage all who enter on it steadfastly to help me in my task."

"The Church should keep to its true mission. It should reform souls, inculcate the spirit of self-sacrifice and devotion. The Church should take an interest in the condition of the weak. My assertion of the rights of workingmen should facilitate and hasten the restoration of internal peace and diminish the insignificant minority which strive to disturb the public mind and prevent union in your country—a union indispensable to the fulfillment of its high destinies. Thanks to her strong constitution, France will rise to her old greatness in spite of her foes. "I learn with joy that, though she boasts such abundant military resources and such valiant sons, France has not altered in her prudence or patience. If she will but free herself from the dissensions that check her development and paralyze her influence; if she will but abstain from vain harassing and persecuting, she will soon retain the conspicuous place and glorious rank in the world which of right belong to her."

This language of the Pope will make a great impression in France, where the adhesion of His Holiness to the republic will cause widespread satisfaction.

Europe will now understand that the Holy See is for France and against the Triple Alliance.

In order to bring a cessation in the friction between France and the Vatican, due to the refusal of Cardinal Richard, Archbishop of Paris, to communicate to the French bishops, the letter written to him by the Pope, in which His Holiness enjoins the French prelates to give adhesion to the republic, Cardinal Ruffini, papal secretary of state, has notified the French government that the papal nuncio of Paris has been entrusted to distribute copies of the Pope's letter to the bishops.

All the members of the French ministry have tendered their resignations to President Carnot. The cause of the resignation was the action of the Chamber of Deputies in connection with the bill dealing with religious associations.

A Crying Evil.

Every crying evil should be promptly removed. Sick headache is a crying evil affecting thousands of Canadians, which can easily be removed by the use of Burdock Blood Bitters, the best known stomach, liver and bowel regulator and cure for sick headache from what ever cause arising.

The killing of her little daughter by Lady Montagu, whose husband is an uncle of the Duke of Manchester, brings to mind another tragedy in British high life over thirty years ago, known as the Kent murder. Florence Kent, through a mixed inspiration of insanity and malignity, killed a little child related to her and attempted to conceal the body. She was a cousin of Queen Victoria, and royal influence was no doubt potent in saving her from an ignominious death. The only English nobleman recorded as having suffered the penalty of murder—apart from any political charge—was the Earl of Ferrers. The Earl killed his steward in a fit of passion and was hanged at Tyburn with a silken cord.

Printers' ink fails to tell the wonderful merits of K. D. C. Try it! Dyspepsia can be cured. See testimonials.

AN ARCHDUKE'S COLONY.

His Effort to Lead the Gypsies to the Ways of Civilization.

Archduke Joseph of Austria is little less eccentric in his tastes than the Archduke Johann, who married a chorus girl and became a sea captain, or the Archduke Heinrich, who sacrificed his royal honors to wed an opera singer. The Archduke Joseph's inclination, however, turns him to gypsies rather than to actresses, and his writings on gypsy traditions, gypsy music, and gypsy customs have secured for him a high place in the folk-lore literature of the checkered Austro-Hungarian empire.

The archduke's latest manifestation of his peculiar fondness for gypsies is an attempt to domesticate them, says the New York Sun. He got permission from Emperor Franz Joseph to form gypsy colonies, and to try to teach them the art of agriculture and industry, and then built sixty little cottages for as many families on his Alsau estate in Hungary. About two weeks ago he corralled a gypsy caravan and led it to his uninhabited village. He chose a strapping fellow of twenty-five years for chief, or mayor, and had married to him by the pastor of Alsau the prettiest girl in the caravan. The archduke himself gave the girl away, and a friend was the best man. In the subsequent festivities the archduke appeared in the full attire of a gypsy chieftain, and, according to custom, as the man who gave the bride away, led the wedding procession with a wreath of flowers on his head and a bamboo stick wrapped with gray cloth in his hand. Each family in the new village has a cow and a pony and a quarter of an acre of land. The archduke is about to erect a factory near the village, at which all who are not thrifty enough to support themselves without day labor may find employment. Should the colony prove a success other caravans are to be captured by the archduke and located in similar surroundings. His purpose is to lead into the ways of comfort and civilization the great horde of wandering folk who pass all their time in migrating in picturesque caravans from one end of the Austro-Hungarian empire to the other.

To Avoid Publicity.

Here are a few suggestions from the Detroit Tribune, to be followed by men who wish to keep their names out of the newspapers:

Don't have any enemies.
Don't have any friends.
Don't inherit money.
Don't lose it.
Don't sign any petitions.
Don't subscribe to any lecture courses or stock companies.
Don't recommend anything.
Don't get victimized.
Don't exhibit any public spirit.
Don't tell stories.
Don't register at a hotel.
Don't visit at an adjoining town, shop or elsewhere.
Don't allow other people to visit you.
Don't show any interest in music, art, literature, science or education.
Don't meet long-lost friends or relatives.
Don't go insane.
Don't get sick.
Don't accept presents.
Don't do anything that might bring you a vote of thanks or condemnation.
Don't sue anybody.
Don't get sued.
Don't go to law at all.
Don't live to be an octogenarian.
Don't die.

Japanese Myths.

No people in the world, civilized or savage, believe in the existence of so many mythical, half-supernatural creatures as do the Japanese. For instance, they think there is a wondrous tiger of more than half-human intelligence that lives to be 1,000 years old and turns as white as a polar bear. They also believe in a species of fox which, if it lives to be 30 years old without having been chased by a dog, transforms itself into a beautiful woman. This same fox, if he lives to the age of 100 years, gains some new powers, among which is that of becoming a wonderful wizard. When he reaches the age of 1,000 he becomes a celestial fox with nine golden-colored tails and has the power of going to heaven whenever he chooses. They also believe in a multitude of animals distinguished mainly by their monstrous size or by the multiplication of their members. Among these are serpents 800 feet long and big enough to swallow an elephant; foxes with eight legs; monkeys with four ears; fishes with ten heads attached to one body; the flesh of which is a cure for boils. They also believe in the existence of a crane which after it has reached the age of 600 years has no need of any sustenance except water. Their mythical dragon has the head of a camel, the horns of a deer, the eyes of a demon, the ears of an ox, the body of a serpent, the scales of a fish, and the claws and wings of an eagle.

Famous Chateau Destroyed.

The most magnificent chateau in Belgium, or indeed anywhere in the northwest of Europe, has just been almost entirely destroyed by fire. Its name is the Chateau de Daves. It stands on the banks of the River Meuse and belongs to the Duke of Fernan Nunez, the father-in-law of the Duke of Alba.

The castle is surrounded by a forest park of 2,000 acres and inclosed by a massive wall, which the Duke erected some twenty years ago after a dispute with the Belgian police, who had attempted to prevent both himself and his guests, among whom was the Prince of Wales, from shooting, in consequence of their being without gun licenses.

The chateau was crowded from cellar to garret with all kinds of wonderful works of art, valuable pictures, and magnificent tapestries, only a small portion of which were saved. The cellars of the chateau in particular were famed for the brand of Hermitage preserved there, which is stated to be the very finest in Europe.—New York Recorder.

Dry Champagne.

Dry champagnes are of comparatively recent popularity, even in New York. Champagne used to be esteemed a lady's wine, and therefore properly sweet. There are men not yet old who remember the time when dry champagnes were not found even in the fashionable clubs of this town, and one well-known firm, perhaps the earliest to make a specialty of dry wines for the American market, began to be recognized in this country less than thirty years ago. Taste has been educated with great rapidity, however, and even women begin to look upon a sweet wine with much disfavor.—New York Sun.

Tobacco and Copy.

The Bookman recently invited an author to tell its readers how he worked. His only reply was the following on a crumpled sheet, which had evidently once contained tobacco:

Journalism.
2 pipes, 1 hour.
2 hours, 1 idea.
1 idea, 3 paragraphs.
3 paragraphs, 1 lead-
er.

"August Flower"

For two years I suffered terribly with stomach trouble, and was for all that time under treatment by a physician. He finally, after trying everything, said stomach was about worn out, and that I would have to cease eating solid food for a time at least. I was so weak that I could not work. Finally on the recommendation of a friend who had used your preparations

A worn-out with beneficial results, I procured a bottle of August Flower, and commenced using it. It seemed to do me good at once. I gained in strength and flesh rapidly; my appetite became good, and I suffered no bad effects from what I ate. I feel now like a new man, and consider that August Flower has entirely cured me of Dyspepsia in its worst form. JAMES E. DEDERICK, Sautteries, New York.

W. B. Utsey, St. George's, S. C., writes: I have used your August Flower for Dyspepsia and find it an

Maritime Oyster Beds.

OTTAWA, Feb. 19.—An Order-in-Council will appear in tomorrow's Official Gazette prohibiting the fishing for oysters through the ice. In view of the gradual depletion of the oyster beds, it is claimed that such a measure has become an absolute necessity. It is also admitted on all sides that one of the most destructive methods now pursued in the taking of oysters is the practice of fishing for them during the winter. Holes are cut through the ice; the beds are raked or tongued; the contents are placed on the ice regardless of size; the marketable oysters are picked out, and thousands of immature oysters are left there to freeze and perish. When the ice melts in the spring these dead or decomposed oysters, together with the shells and mud that have been scraped up, sink to the bottom, pollute the beds of live oysters and cause enormous damage. The large numbers of small oysters which are thus wasted would if returned to the water become merchantable instead of being allowed to perish without profit to any one and to the great damage of the beds.

This matter was forcibly brought to the attention of the Senate by Senator Poirier of Richibucto, a couple of years ago. He showed how the formerly valuable beds of Shediac, Buctouche and Caraquet were being completely ruined by this senseless practice of fishing through the ice. The worthy senator happens to know what he is talking about as he is the owner of the famous Poirier beds, Shediac harbor, which used to supply the most delicious oysters in the world, but which are now almost entirely destroyed through the injurious practice of fishing through the winter. Senator Poirier explained how such a mode of fishing must prove disastrous. The beds are constantly disturbed and impoverished. It was impossible to calculate the number of young oysters which are thus left annually to perish on the ice. Adding to this the enormous quantity of live spat attached to dead shells, it would be found that thousands of young oysters are thus destroyed by exposure, for every merchantable oyster which finds its way into the fisherman's hands. The action taken by the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, therefore, seems to be timely as it is proper.

Theatre goes! Attention! The Greatest Play of the Age—"The World do move," and dyspepsia is moving out of it, chased by the King of Dyspepsia cures—K. D. C.

Portland, Me.

FEB. 22, 1892.—We have had Winter here since last you heard from us, at least, winter in its true colors. The thermometer on Wednesday morning was 40 below zero, the coldest of the season, and what we might call our first snow storm this winter, visited us Thursday the 11th, and was as severe as the most exacting could desire. Indeed many who are always content with the weather, (on the surface at least) as decreed from on high, were on this occasion much inclined to complain, as it prevented a very enjoyable evening at 73 Deering St., our friend Miss Agnes having planned a candy pull. But, the storm was so terrible that it was impossible at least for the fair ones to turn out, so much amusement was lost.

The snow, however, on the whole was very welcome, and has since afforded much amusement; sleigh rides have been the order of the day. A large party, we are informed, about twenty couples, engaged two barges on Wednesday night, rode for two hours, and finished up the evening with a dance. On Friday night, a leap year party was given by a number of the fair ones. We cannot, from experience, speak of the success of these affairs, but we have no doubt they were both successful and enjoyable. Dame Rumor says Sir J. J. contrived largely to Thursday evening's amusement. We doubt it not. The company were fortunate in having so entertaining a person in their midst.

We were pleased to see our friend, Miss

A. O'Neill, enjoying a sleigh ride on Sunday last. We were too unselfish to envy her her place, but, oh, dear! some one was jealous. We hope the next time J. J. gives so pressing an invitation, he will meet with better success.

We are pleased to see our friend, Miss M. Creighton looking quite well again after her illness.

681 Congress street continues to be a favorite resort for our N. B. friends. The chief amusement this winter is tiddley-winks and with our genial and entertaining friend Thomas present, many pleasant evenings fly all too quickly.

Rumor mentions several very interesting events before the Lenten season begins. But as we can more easily report and describe after they have passed, we hope to be able later on to give our N. B. friends an idea of how their compatriots enjoy themselves in a foreign land.

So of this, more anon.

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BORN

McMINN.—At Richibucto, February 13, to the wife of John D. McMinn, a daughter.

EDDY.—At Clifton, Gloucester Co., on Saturday, the 6th inst., to the wife of Horace Eddy, a daughter.

IRVING.—At Richibucto, February 17, to the wife of James Irving, a son.

UNDERWOOD.—At McLeod's Mills, St. Louis, Feb. 17, to the wife of J. H. Underwood, a daughter. Dr. Bourque, accoucheur.

BEDFORD.—At Moncton, Feb. 19th, to the wife of Geo. Bedford, a son.

BETTS.—At Chatham, Feb. 13th, to the wife of Henry Betts, a son, weighing 13 lbs.

NORTON.—At Salmon Beach, Gloucester Co., on January 27, to the wife of Mr. John Norton, a daughter.

BRUN.—At Peters' Mills, February 21, to the wife of Antoine Brun, a son.

MARRIED.

McKNIGHT-TAYLOR.—At the Manse, Tabusintac, Feb. 10th, by the Rev. James Rosborough, M. A., John McKnight, to Elizabeth, daughter of the late William Taylor, both of Burnt Church.

DIED.

DOUCETTE.—At Tignish, P. E. I., 18th inst., James B. Doucette, formerly of Bathurst, N. B., aged 61 years.

BEATTIE.—At Kouchibouguac, February 12, Mary, eldest daughter of John Beattie, Sr., aged 45.

RAYMOND.—At Kouchibouguac, February 19, George Raymond, aged 62 years.

RUSSELL.—At Moncton, Friday evening, Feb. 12th, James C. Russell, in the 61st year of his age.

MILLER.—At Moncton, Feb. 20th, Willie, infant child of John and Maggie Miller, aged 12 days.

DELAHUNT.—At Moncton, Feb. 20, of consumption, Agnes Delahunt, aged 33.

MURDOCH.—Suddenly at Black Brook, Feb. 16, James Murdoch, aged 53.

MURDOCH.—At Black Brook, Feb. 17, Elizabeth, daughter of the late James Murdoch.

McINNIS.—At Chelmsford, on the 10th inst., of consumption of the lungs, Myrtle, eldest daughter of Abram and Elizabeth McInnis, aged 20 years. She leaves a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn their sad bereavement.

WILLIS.—At Salmon Beach, Gloucester Co., on Thursday, the 11th inst., George Willis, in the 45th year of his age, leaving a wife and five small children to mourn the loss of a kind and loving husband and affectionate father.

Chatham papers please copy.

BARNETT.—At Richibucto, February 21st, 1892, George Ellis, son of Alexander Barnett, aged 2 years and 5 months.

A lovely boy from us is gone, A voice we loved is stilled, A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled.

So young, so sweet, so full of life, A merry boy was he, But Death has called him from our home An angel gone to be.

P. E. I. papers please copy.

BROWN.—At East Branch, St. Nicholas River, Kent Co., February 15th, Ellen, relict of the late James Brown, aged 81 years.

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at sea, the worst of which is the loss of an unknown steamer off the Cornwall coast with all on board.

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