

AROUND THE GLOBE.

Cardinal Lavigne and the Vicar Apostolic of the Victoria Nyanza are, it is said, about to address a demand to the British Government for the payment of an indemnity owing to the destruction of the Catholic missions in that region.

Judge Key, of the United States Court, at Chattanooga, Tenn., has overruled the demurrer of the Fidelity and Casualty Company and the bonds men of the defaulting Supreme Treasurer, O'Brien, in the cases pending against them, brought by the Supreme Council of the C. K. of A. This is practically a victory for the Catholic Knights, and the defendants must now pay to the order the amount sued for, \$35,000.

A despatch from New York says that a circular calling a meeting of Catholic archbishops at New York next October has been issued. In view of the difference existing on the school question the meeting is looked upon as of the most momentous conferences of Catholic dignitaries ever held in America. The thirteen archbishops of the United States will be present. Cardinal Gibbons will be president, not because of his being cardinal but because he is the ecclesiastical successor of the oldest Catholic see in this country. The other 12 archbishops who will be present are: Archbishop Williams of Boston; Feehan, Chicago; Elder, Cincinnati; Kater, Milwaukee; Janssen, New Orleans; Corrigan, New York; Gross, Oregon; Ryan, Philadelphia; Kerrick, St. Louis; Ireland, St. Paul; McFadden, San Francisco, and Salpointe, Santa Fe.

During the Columbian Exposition season the same peasants who two years ago presented the famous passion play at Oberammergau, Bavaria, will enact the great drama at Chicago. At least this is the promise of the promoters of the enterprise who have filed incorporation papers at Springfield, Ill., with a capital stock of \$800,000. Sigmund Zeisler, attorney for the European syndicate which proposes to reproduce the play, will go to Vienna in a few days to perfect the details of the great enterprise so far as it relates to the American end of it. During his absence suitable grounds for the production of the play will be secured. He hopes to return from Austria before November and will bring with him the plans and specifications for the erection of the stage, and drawings and specifications of the scenery needed. He will visit Oberammergau before his return. Several times have there been attempts to produce a passion play in this country. The best remembered is that of Saint Morse, who, after expending \$50,000, was prevented from producing the piece by reason of the protest raised by the churches. James O'Neill was to have assumed the character of Christ in this production.

The elevation of Dr. Gabriels, formerly of St. Joseph's Seminary at Troy, to the see of Ogdensburg, made necessary certain changes in the staff of that famous institution. Rev. Dr. Puissant is now rector and professor of sacred history; Rev. Dr. Fives is professor of moral theology and treasurer; Rev. Dr. Laforte is professor of sacred scripture; Rev. Murphy is professor of dogmatic theology; Rev. James Fitzsimmons is senior professor of mental philosophy and Rev. Dr. Delaney junior professor in the same department; and Rev. William Livingstone is director and professor of rubrics. All these men will hold their present offices until the new seminary at Yonkers is completed, which may be as soon as 1894, but the date is not yet fixed. The new building is up to the third story. When it is ready for occupation the old Troy seminary will be deserted and the Sulpician Order, famous for their success as trainers of the secular clergy, will take charge of the Yonkers institution. It is probable, however, that certain professorships will be retained by the archbishop, in order to afford opportunities for the secular clergy who have purely intellectual tastes.

Writing in the *Forum* Henry K. Carroll reviews the growth of religious bodies in the United States within the last ten years. The article is based on the census reports and as the Protestant, Episcopal and Baptist are not complete they are not included. But the total number of communicants in the denominations reviewed—Catholic, Methodist Episcopal, Presbyterian, Dutch Reformed, German Reformed, Lutheran, Congregational, Disciples of Christ and

Jews—is, according to the census, 12,487,382. The same denominations had ten years before 9,739,760. The gain is 28 21 per cent., whereas the gain in population in the same period was 24 86. The number of communicants assigned to the Catholic church in 1890 was 6,250,045. The Catholic population of the United States in 1880 was estimated by *Sadlier's Catholic Directory* at 6,367,330, and in 1885 per cent. of this number represented communicants, we should have as a basis of comparison the figures 5,412,230. This would indicate growth at the rate of only 15 48 per cent. Mr. Carroll considers this percentage of increase much too low, and he consequently assumes that the *Sadlier's* estimate was too high. According to *Hoffman's Catholic Directory* the total number of Catholic communicants in the United States in 1891 was 8,579,966. These figures, however, do not include children and the additional percentage would thus swell the number to over 10,000,000; besides the returns from some of the dioceses were given as incomplete. Writing in the *Lexington, Ky., Observer*, John O. Hodges places the Catholic population of the Union at 12,000,000 "while the population of the United States" "has grown from 3,200,000 to 65,000,000, [since 1790 when the first census was taken] that of the Catholic element has increased from 30,000 to 12,000,000; in other words, the Catholics have increased their proportion from two out of 220 to two out of eleven of the total population; in another shape, there are now in this country 400 Catholics for every one there was a century ago, while there are but 21 people for every person there was then. Instead of a single Bishop then, with about 30 priests, there are now 13 Archbishops, 75 Bishops, 3,000 priests, 2,000, theological students, 7,000 churches and 3,000 chapels and stations."—*San Francisco Monitor*.

Catholic Educational Exhibit.

Brother Maurelian, Secretary and Manager, reports very satisfactory progress in whatever relates to the Catholic Educational Exhibit of the World's Fair, Chicago, 1893. He finds much encouragement from the cheering words received in interviews and letters from the Most Rev. and Rt. Rev. Prelates, who are quite sanguine of important results to Christian Education as the outcome of this grand exhibit.

Letters strong in their expression of encouragement and endorsement have been received from Archbishops and Bishops all over the country. From information now at hand it is evident that many dioceses, religious teaching orders and institutions will during the coming vacation, form plans for the preparation of excellent exhibits, detailed information of which they have promised to hand in at the latest by Sept. 10.

Among other matters, Bro. Maurelian contemplates issuing an "Illustrated Souvenir Volume" of the Catholic Educational Exhibit. He hopes to produce a volume that, for historical and artistic value, will find a fitting place in every library in the country and be prized by every one interested in Christian Education.

There is an erroneous idea among some institutions that it is now too late to start preparing an exhibit. As the material will not be required in Chicago before next April, six months—from September to April—give ample time to shape and complete a creditable exhibit from any school or collection of schools.

If any institution has not received the papers, pamphlets, etc., that have been issued from the secretary and manager's headquarters, he begs leave to state that such oversights have been purely accidental. A postal card will readily rectify the seeming neglect.

Lyons.

The Sacred Heart League lately established in this parish, already has a membership of almost two hundred.

Misses Minnie Mackin and Eva Price were of the class that graduated from the Lyons Union school this year.

The congregation at Sodus Point, which is attended by Father Kavanaugh enjoyed the treat of a High Mass, rendered by St. Michael's choir last Sunday.

The glorious Fourth was celebrated in this place. All the surrounding were well represented, and for a day at least, Lyons looked as large as Rochester.

Catholic Societies.

Official Organ C. M. B. A.
All communications to this department should be addressed to Bro. T. H. Donovan.

SOCIETIES MEET NEXT WEEK.
MONDAY—Dr. 81, 58.
TUESDAY—Br. 139, 12, 82.
WEDNESDAY—Br. 34, 117, 131.

The officers of the Grand Council of the C. M. B. A. met at the Livingston Hotel in this city Wednesday last. The following members were present: Hynes, Cameron, Kelly, Lynch, Fischer, Ernst, and Rev. Father McNab.

The terms offered by the railroad company in the matter of special rates to the delegates at the convention next fall were unsatisfactory to the Council and were rejected. There will, therefore, be no special rates for delegates. The contract for printing the reports, of the grand officers and the minutes of the grand convention was awarded to the CATHOLIC JOURNAL Publishing company.

C. R. B. A. NOTES.

At the council instituted in Birmingham the following officers were installed: President, James Wood; first vice-president, William S. Fryer; second vice-president, John Brady; financial secretary, Nellie McNall; recording secretary, Kate Foley; marshal, Helena Wiseman; guard, Jennie Brogan; trustees, Thos. Sullivan, O. Coughlin, A. Egan; treasurer, Gerald G. Pendergast.

The article in a recent number relating to the application for charter should have read Ithaca instead of Utica.

The attention of officers of subordinate Councils is called to Sections 12 and 13 of the Beneficiary Fund Article, pages 63 and 64 of the Constitution. Much confusion is caused, and a great deal of unnecessary correspondence required on account of the carelessness of officers in not forwarding assessments within the specified time.

An advantage to be gained by becoming a member of the C. R. and B. A. is that the constitution provides that if, through sickness, lack of employment or any other one unable to pay his assessments he may be loaned a sufficient sum to keep him in good standing in the association.

YOUNG MEN'S UNION.

The following letter has been issued by Rev. James F. Loughlin, President of the Catholic Young Men's National Union:

"The Catholic Young Men's National Union, office of the President, 225 Logan Square, Philadelphia, Pa., To All Associations of Catholic Young Men, and to every one who has at heart the welfare of our American Youth:

I have the honor to announce that at a meeting of the Executive Committee of the National Union held recently in New York, it was unanimously determined, in pursuance of a resolution passed at the last convention, that the eighteenth annual convention of the Catholic Young Men's National Union be assembled this year in the city of Albany, New York, on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 16th and 17th days of August next.

Through the exertions of our excellent Vice-President, Rev. Francis J. Maguire, seconded by the efficient and devoted societies of Albany, ample arrangements have been made for the reception and entertainment of the delegates. Full details regarding reduced railroad fares and hotel accommodations will be furnished by the National Secretary, Charles A. Webber, Esq., 66 Court Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., who will be happy to furnish any desired information as to methods of affiliation and election of delegates.

Each society in affiliation with the National Union is entitled and solicited to send three representatives and as many alternates. We shall regard it as a great favor and as a sign of the thorough Catholic spirit of society, if its Spiritual Director will consent to act as a delegate. Indeed, one very powerful consideration in determining us to choose the above mentioned dates for the convention has been the hope that this season may be convenient both for the Reverend Clergy and for the Catholic youth.

Societies which have not yet been formally affiliated to the Union will be admitted to full rights of membership and representation by merely sending an application endorsed by their Reverend Pastor and the annual assessment of five dollars. The terms of admission have been made thus

easy and simple in order to facilitate the attainment of the object of the Union—the thorough fraternalization of our Catholic youth under the banner of the cross.

We take great pleasure in informing the societies that the Union has made rapid strides in membership and efficiency during the past year, as will be patent to all when each Union presents its report.

It can no longer be made a reproach to the young men of our nation that they are listless or indifferent in the cause of holy religion; in fact, no class of Catholics are now so active, intelligent and earnest. Let the cry resound, then, throughout the nation, from ocean to ocean. To Albany! The eyes of all our countrymen are upon us. Our deliberations will be heard by all with intense interest. May they redound to the glory of God and the good of our neighbor.

THE IRISH SITUATION.

The National Federation of America Issues an Appeal.

The National Federation of America has issued this appeal to the friends of Home Rule for Ireland.

The dissolution of the British parliament is announced, and the general election is to be held immediately. The struggle of Ireland for life or death is at hand. Now is the time to help her if you wish her to live—that is to be free. We speak for the majority of the Irish national party, presided over by Justin McCarthy, and your subscription will be devoted to its support. Help to any faction opposed to that majority is help to dishonor, dishonor and disaster. We ask you to assist the party on whose side are found the best and purest of the Irish people, the law-abiding, wise and patriotic sons of Ireland and America, and the Irish hierarchy and clergy, the faithful friends of the national cause. Funds are needed to carry eighty-five seats in parliament, and the legitimate legal expenses will be \$150,000. The legal fees must be deposited before candidate are eligible for election. But two weeks remain to procure the money. Will you help? Checks or drafts should be made payable to Eugene Kelly, treasurer, Cooper Union.

William O'Brien was fiercely attacked by the Parnellites July 4. He was surrounded by hundreds of his friends, and guarded by the police. The Parnellites, however, broke through the surrounding crowd and badly wounded Mr. O'Brien by striking him on the temple with a stone. Mr. O'Brien was removed to the nearest house and medical aid was summoned. A fierce struggle between the factions followed, which the police were powerless to prevent. Many persons, including priests and constables, were seriously injured.

Mr. Gladstone, speaking July 4, at a large out-door meeting in Stowe, declared that his anticipations of Liberal victory were as confident to-day as they had been on the eve of the elections of 1890. He expressed the opinion that a great part of the task with which the new Parliament would necessarily be occupied would be to repair the inefficient work of the Parliament just dissolved.

THE ELECTIONS.

If the contested elections of July 4 are an indication of the ultimate result, the next Parliament will be overwhelmingly Liberal, and Ireland will have Home Rule.

The battle has not been won, but it has been well begun, and Liberals everywhere are rejoicing over the results so far achieved.

The total results are: Elected, 95; Conservatives, 49; Liberals, 39; Liberal Unionists, 7. The Liberals have gained 11 seats, the Tories two and their allies, the Liberal-Unionists, have gained one seat. The net gain for the Liberal party and Irish Home Rule is, therefore, eight seats.

LONDON, July 6.—The expectations of the liberals as to gains in the metropolitan boroughs were not realized yesterday. The total number of members elected is 160, of whom the conservatives have elected 89, the liberal-unionists 8, and the liberals 63, including Thomas Power O'Connor. The Tories gained seven and the liberals seven seats, leaving the liberals a net gain of eight seats, including Monday.

LONDON July 7.—The total election returns received up to 1 o'clock this morning show the election of 133 Conservatives, 93 Liberals, 19 Liberal Unionists, and 4 anti-Parnellites. Up to this time the government has still a majority of 45. The total Liberal gains are 39, and Conservative 14.

DIOCESAN NEWS.

From Our Special Correspondents.

ITHACA.

Musical at the Immaculate Conception School.
At the parochial school building Thursday evening, June 30th, the music pupils of the Immaculate Conception Convent gave their second recital, assisted by the alumni of the school, and Miss Myra Brennan, elocutionist.

The spacious hall on the ground floor was crowded with friends of the young musicians, standing room being at a premium. About eight o'clock the following programme was rendered:

Piano Trio—Lion du Bal, (Gillet) Misses Norine Sullivan, Emma McCormick and Nellie Clauson. Piano Sol—The musical box, (Lieblich) Miss Mary Gallagher. Song—Five o'clock in the morning, (Claribel), Misses N. Wall, N. Clawson, N. Sullivan, E. McCormick and L. Curtis, accompanied, Miss Nellie McAllister. Piano Solo—Galop des Dragons (Bosovitz) Recitation—The Discontented Buttercup, (Jewett) Miss Norine Sullivan. Piano Solo—Shannon Bells, (Sudde) Miss Mary Shannon. Chorus—The Song of the Spring, (Veazie) Alumni vocal class. Piano Duet—Lightning Flash, (Gilbert) Misses Margaret Hickey, Mary Shannon, Darkies' Dream, On the Mill Dam, Darkies' Patrol, Invincible Guard, Banjos—Misses H. Heron, L. Granville, A. Norman, L. Spidel, M. Kyle, Mr. Richard Hyland, piano accompanist, Thomas McCarthy. Piano Solo—William Tell, (Rossini) Miss Ella Murray. Part Song—The Distant Chimes, (Glover) Misses N. Sullivan, L. Devoy, M. Kelly, B. Burns, Jno. Mack, Thos. McKale, accompanist, Miss Annie McAllister. Recitation—The Chicken's Mistake, (Carey) Miss Nellie Wall. Piano Solo—Elegy of Tears, Consolation, (Listz) Miss H. Heron. Firemen's March—1st Banjo, Richard Hyland, 2d, Miss A. Norman, 3d, L. Spidel. Piano Solo—Colombine, (Delahaye) Miss Annie McAllister. Piano and Guitar—Her Bright Smile, The Frolic at the Hushing, Mr. Jos. and Margaret Hickey. Piano Solo—Sonata (Mozart) Miss Ella Murray. Sebastianopol—Guitars, Mr. Jos. Hickey, Miss A. Norman, Miss L. Spidel; Banjos, Misses L. Granville, M. Kyle, Richard Hyland. Recitation—Lady Clare, (Tennyson) Miss Myra Brennan. Serenade Enchantment—Mandolin, Miss M. Wall, Banjo, Miss A. Norman, Hornpipe Polka—Guitars, Jos. Hickey, F. Wall. Male Quartette—Bucanier's Bride, (Wright) Mr. T. Kelly, Messrs. J. Hyland, T. Mone, F. Wall, E. Redding, D. Sullivan, Jos. Hickey, R. Hyland, T. Bolger.

The various numbers of the programme were excellent and deserved the hearty applause that was accorded them. Miss Myra Brennan recited Tennyson's "Lady Clare" so well that she was recalled a second time, favoring the audience with "Annet Fabitha" and "Definition of an Anthem." After the last number of the programme had been given, the young ladies and gentlemen who had taken part in the musical, with invited guests, proceeded to the second floor of the building, where refreshments were served and a pleasant hour spent.

Auburn.

Deferred from Last Week.

St. Mary's Fair opened auspiciously at the Genesee Opera House last Friday evening. The attendance was large, good natured and jolly which is the case with the throngs that visit the fair each night. The hall is handsomely trimmed and decorated, changing the old structure from a barren looking place into a beautiful mass of bunting, flags, etc., which were tastefully arranged about the walls and roof of the hall by a corps of experienced clerks from Hislop's.

The various booths are handsomely decorated and trimmed. On entering the hall the first booth to be seen is that of the Rosary and Scapular, just above this is the temperance table and near the stage stands that of the young ladies. The work on these booths was done by clerks from Wail's carpet house, McDonnell's dry goods house and Hislop's. A friendly rivalry for first honors is being fought out in a pleasant and earnest manner. Each table is trying hard to come out first.

LATER.

St. Mary's fair closed at the Genesee Opera House Monday evening after a run of nine nights. The fair was one of the most successful ever held by St. Mary's people and the manner in which they worked and devoted their time evinced the fact that they were in for a grand success.

and their efforts have been well rewarded. Rev. Father Mulheron, pastor of the church, was untiring in his labor for the success of the fair and his example was followed by the whole people. The different booths did a thriving business, as did the card rack, ice cream parlor and voting booths. Toward the close of the fair the most interest seemed to center around the voting which ran high in some of the contests. John F. Nugent, president of the St. Mary's Temperance Union won a gold badge. His opponent was James T. McGarr president of Branch 59, C. M. B. A. Miss Alice Byrne was the winner in the diamond ring contest and Nellie Driscoll in the one for a gold watch. A gold headed cane was put up between C. W. Miles of Osborne's shop and Christopher Kane of Dunn & McCarthy's shoe shop and was won by the latter. Another gold headed cane was voted to the most popular candidate for sheriff, who proved to be C. W. Wetthey. A silver tea set was won by Mrs. Timothy Flynn. The drawing of the articles on which numbers had been sold did not take place on the closing night but will occur some evening within a few weeks.

The class of '92 of the high school was graduated last Friday evening. The exercises were held in the assembly room of the school. The programme was a very entertaining one and reflected great credit upon the class and Principal Thompson.

One of the largest demonstrations ever witnessed here took place on the Fourth of July. The day was ushered in by the discharge of cannons and mammoth fire crackers. The weather was fine and it seemed as if the day had been ordered especially for the occasion. Thousands of strangers visited the city from all directions making one of the largest crowds ever assembled within its borders. The parade at 12 o'clock was a long one and was just an hour in passing a given point.

The death of Martin Bisnett occurred at the home of his father, Janet street, last Saturday. He was a young man and well known and popular among his many associates. Deceased had been ailing for a number of months past and despite the care and attention he received he succumbed at last. The funeral took place from St. Mary's church Tuesday. A requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Father McGrath, who also conducted the funeral services. The remains were interred in the family lot in St. Joseph's and were borne to the grave by his former school mates with whom he was a general favorite.

Andrew Burns died Saturday morning at the residence of his father, P. Burns in Orchard street. Deceased was a well known young man and had a large circle of friends who sympathize with the bereaved family in their sad loss. Mr. Burns was a member of Active Hose 7 and had been one of the company's most active members for years. Out of respect to his memory the company closed their house on July 4th, and did not take part in any of the festivities of the day. The funeral was held from St. Mary's church Monday morning when a solemn requiem high mass was celebrated, with Rev. Father Mulheron as celebrant, Rev. Father McGrath, deacon and Rev. Father Quinn, sub-deacon. At the conclusion of the mass the impressive funeral service was conducted by Rev. Father Mulheron.

The interment was in St. Joseph's cemetery. The members of Active Hose attended the funeral in a body and the bearers were selected from among their number. The hose house is draped in mourning, which was put up on the morning of July 4th instead of the gay bunting and flags that were purchased for that purpose. The Children of Mary of St. Mary's church and the pupils of the eighth grade of the school enjoyed a picnic at the lake Wednesday. They were in charge of the sisters of the school and were accompanied by Rev. Father Van Ness of Rochester. The party went by electric car to the lake and then took a steamer to Ensenore where dinner was taken. They then proceeded up the lake to Cascade and after a short stop returned home very tired but well pleased with the day's enjoyment.

The pupils of St. Mary's school assembled in Lyceum hall Tuesday morning when prizes were given for deportment, christian doctrine, attendance, scholarship, etc.

Woodport.

A district convention of the C. B. L. was held in the C. B. L. hall, Sunday afternoon. A profitable and pleasant time is reported. After adjournment a supper was served at the Willard House. J. M. Grace presided as chairman. Visiting delegates were: McMullen, McElligott, Gattello, Allen, Shean, Farrell and Noon of Clyde, and McConnell and Grace of Auburn. Reception committee, J. M. Grace, J. Clossney, and T. M. Oney of Woodport Council.

The funeral of James Gleason was held from St. Joseph's church last week Friday. Mrs. James Dailey and her sister Miss Julia Blair of East Syracuse, spent the 4th with their sister, Mrs. B. J. Crissy. James Clossney and his mother have returned from their western trip. Angie McInerney is at Syracuse with her sister Allice, where she will spend the summer.

Geneva.

Mrs. Wm. Healy of Salem, Mass. is visiting her brother Mrs. A. Hawkins. She will remain until August.

Mr. T. H. Mulcahy of New York spent the 4th at Geneva, the guest of his parents on Jackson street.

Mr. Coleman Cane of Exchange street is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mr. Thos. McGuinness of Elizabethport, New Jersey, is in town visiting his parents on William street.

Father John Rogers of Allegheny, Pa., is visiting relatives and friends in town.

FRAUDULENT PRAYERS.

A Sample of One That Circulates to Some Extent.

On the editorial page of this issue reference is made to certain fraudulent prayers that are being circulated. In order that our readers may be warned against them we give one in full below. This is a particularly violent specimen, but many are even worse. We hope this exposure of their fraudulent character may arrest their circulation in this vicinity.

The following prayer was found in the tomb of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ in the year 805, and was sent from the Pope to the Emperor Charles, as he was going to battle for safety. They who will repeat this prayer or hear it read or repeated, or keep it about them, will never die a sudden death, nor shall be burned in any fire, nor be drowned in any water, nor shall any poison take effect upon them, nor shall they fall into the hands of their enemies, nor shall they be overcome in battle; and it being read over any woman in labour, she shall be safely delivered and be glad; when the child is born lay this prayer on his or her right side, and he or she will not be troubled with thirty-two misfortunes; and if you see any person in the fits, lay this prayer on his or her right side, and they shall stand up and thank God. Any person that shall send this prayer from house to house shall be blessed, said the Lord; and they who shall laugh at it shall suffer.

PRAYER.

Oh! adorable Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, dying on a gallows tree, the cross, for sins altogether; Oh, Holy Cross of Christ, I really believe in the Holy Cross of Christ, stir in me all good trust; Oh, Holy Cross of Christ, will I be in the right way to happiness; Oh, Holy Cross of Christ, guard off from me dangerous death and always give me life. Oh, crucified Jesus of Nazareth I have mercy on me, that the Lord mayest keep out from me all sin now and forever. Amen. In honor of Jesus Christ, and in honor of his sacred passion and unmerciful death, in honor of his holy resurrection and God-like ascension, to which he likes to bring us all to the right way to heaven: true as Jesus was born on Christmas day in a stable; true as Jesus was circumcised on New Year's day; true as the three kings brought their offerings to Jesus on the twelfth day; true as he ascended into heaven; the honor of Jesus will spare me from all mine enemies, visible and invisible, now and forever. Amen.

Believe this prayer for certain for it is true as the Evangelists. They who will repeat this prayer, or have it in their house, shall not fear thunder or lightning; they who will repeat this prayer, or have it read, shall have a warning three days before their death. I write this prayer in honor of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, hoping the Father will think of the Spirit of the Son will keep me in grace, the strength of the Holy Spirit will receive me and bring me lasting happiness. Amen.