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The CATHOLIC JOURNAL is sold by the following newsdealers, and can be obtained of them Saturday mornings.

A SISTER KNIGHTED

Superior Julia, of the Sisters of Notre Dame, Cincinnati, has received letters from the mother house in Namur, Belgium, which bring the extraordinary news that the King of Belgium has conferred upon the mother-general of the congregation a most unexpected honor and one never before given to a woman.

The honor conferred was in recognition of the labors which Sisters of the order have undertaken in Christianizing the natives of the Congo-Belgian state, where they have several missions and are doing a work of inestimable value to the state as well as to the natives.

For over 400 years the Catholic church has borne the odium of having established the inquisition. It is not true that this system was ever used by the church, outside of Spain, or was ever recognized as a part of the machinery of the church.

Benziger Brothers, New York, have now ready several new books among which are the following:

A new story by Ella Lorraine Dorsey, with the pungent and ridiculous name of "Pickie and Pepper."

His other publications include "An Echo of Passion" (Boston, 1882); "In the Distance" (1882); "Spanish Vistas" (New York, 1883); "History of the Union League in Philadelphia" (Philadelphia, 1882); "Newport" (New York, 1884); and "True" (1884).

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A NEW THEORY

Senators and members of congress in Washington have received copies of a brochure on the Maine disaster prepared by Rev. Luke V. McCabe, LL.D., a member of the faculty of the Seminary of St. Charles Borromeo Overbrook, Pa.

THE OIREACHTAS

The second annual "oireachtas" will be held in Dublin on May 24 next, under the auspices of the Gaelic League.

Rev. H. F. Fairbanks of St. Patrick's church, Milwaukee, has offered his services to the United States government in case of hostilities between this country and Spain.

The daily papers of this city have advanced their prices to two cents a copy. It takes money to run a newspaper as the following figures which are the expenditures of a daily newspaper that is operated on a large scale, will show:

George Parsons Lathrop died Tuesday at Roosevelt hospital, New York, after a brief illness. Mr. Lathrop was received at the hospital on Saturday, suffering from a complication of diseases.

George Parsons Lathrop was born in Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, August 25, 1851, and received his education in New York city and in Dresden, Germany, where he remained from 1867 till 1870.

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"The Catholic Father," a manual of instructions and devotions for the use of Catholic fathers of modern times, by Right Rev. A. Egger, D. D., Bishop of St. Gall, adopted for use in the United States by an American Missionary Priest.

Miss Brunowe is too well-known as a writer to need any introduction to Catholic readers. In her latest book "The Madcap Set of St. Ann's" she introduces us to a convent school and so skillfully in her description of that particular school, its teachers, pupils, buildings and the surrounding scenery that any resident of New York will have little trouble in recognizing it.

"The Traveler's Daily Companion," with approved prayers, and a Preface by most Rev. Wm. H. Elder, D. D., Archbishop of Cincinnati, contains the prayers for a journey, taken from the Roman Breviary, besides short form of daily prayers, mass, devotions, etc.

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THE GOSPELS

GOSPEL: St. John, x. 11-16.—At that time, Jesus said to the Pharisees: "I am the Good Shepherd. The good shepherd giveth his life for his sheep. But the hireling and he that is not the shepherd, whose own the sheep are not, seeth the wolf coming, and leaveth the sheep and fleeth; and the wolf catcheth and scattereth the sheep. And the hireling fleeth, because he is a hireling; he hath no care for the sheep: I am the Good Shepherd, and I know Mine, and Mine know Me. As the Father knoweth Me, and I know the Father: and I lay down My life for My sheep. And other sheep I have, that are not of this fold: them also must I bring, and they shall hear My voice, and there shall be one fold and one shepherd."

A good shepherd knows each of his sheep in particular and calls it by name. Hence he knows which are the best, the indifferent and the poorest; he knows which are the strong, the fruitful and the defective, and when one goes astray he immediately knows it and goes in search of it.

Weekly Church Calendar Sunday, April 24.—Second Sunday after Easter.—St. Fideles of Sigüenza, martyr. Less. Wisd 18, Gosp. John xv. 1-7. Last Gosp. John x. 11-16. Monday, 25.—St. Mark, Evangelist. Tuesday, 26.—St. Cletus and Marcellinus, Popes and Martyrs. Wednesday, 27.—St. Taurinus, Bishop and Confessor. Thursday 28.—St. Paul of the Cross, Confessor. St. Vitalis, Martyr. Friday, 29.—St. Peter, Martyr. Saturday, 30.—St. Catherine of Siena, virgin.

QUEBEC, Que., April 19.—The funeral of Cardinal Taschereau took place here this morning. The Basilica was crowded. Cardinal Gibbons presided at the first absolution, Archbishop O'Brien at the second, Archbishop Duhamel at the third, Archbishop Langevin at the fourth and Archbishop Brodeur at the fifth. Mass was celebrated by Monsignor Begin and Cardinal Gibbons sang the libera.

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WAR

War is now a certainty unless a miracle intervenes to prevent. The president has issued an ultimatum to Spain and it has been rejected by the Spanish premier. Minister Woodford is on his way home and a battle can be looked for at any moment.

Jan. 18.—The house of representatives defeated an attempt to recognize Cuban belligerency. Jan. 24.—The cruiser Maine ordered to Havana. Feb. 9.—The De Lome letter published. Feb. 10.—De Lome resigns and his resignation accepted at Madrid.

March 5.—Spain tries to secure the recall of Consul General Lee. March 8.—Congress votes unanimously for a defense fund of \$50,000,000. March 13.—Senator Proctor makes a significant speech in the senate on the condition of Cuba.

March 14.—Spain's torpedo fleet sails for the Canary islands. March 19.—Maine court of inquiry finishes its work. March 28.—The president sent the report of the Maine court of inquiry to congress with a message.

April 7.—Representatives of the European powers wait on the president in the interest of peace. April 9.—Consul-general Lee leaves Havana accompanied by many Americans. April 11.—President's message with Cuban consul-general's report sent to congress.

April 13.—House of representatives passes Cuban intervention resolutions. April 14.—Spanish cortes called to meet April 20th. April 16.—Senate passes Cuban recognition resolutions. April 18.—Congress agrees on a resolution to intervene in the affairs of Cuba, but not to recognize it as a republic.

April 19.—President and cabinet fix terms of ultimatum to be sent to Spain. April 20.—President signed resolutions adopted by congress and sent ultimatum to Spain. The Spanish minister left Washington for Canada. The Spanish cortes met and listened to the queen's speech.

April 21.—Minister Woodford received his passports, before delivering the ultimatum, and left Madrid for Paris. Commander Sampson's fleet sailed from Key West, probably for Cuba.

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