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$\underset{\text { From statistics furviehed even i }}{\text { Protestant Switzerland Prone }}$ is declining. The figzres are an fol Catholies, 27,504 . In 1843 majorit
favor of Protestents, 6,750 I in favor of Protestents, 6,750 In 60,955 . In 1896 majority
of the Catholics was 8,441 . Cardinal Lucido Maria Parocchi
ho is mentioned as one of the mos probable candidates for the Papt chair, was once a journalist. It is re
lated of him that he oould take th pith oot of a hundred exohanges in an
hour, and that in pite of this rapi perage
him.
On Sunday, Nor. 13 , the new
Churah of the Visitation at Riehard and Veroana otreetz, Brooklyn, will be
dedicated by Bishop MoDonnell. The ally will compare favorably with any pletion to the indefatigenbles zeal of it Biohop MoFaul of Trenton has re the payment of debt on 2 certain
church of the diocese, and $\$ 3,000$ towards the orphan asylum at Hope
eell. The entire donation is, there that his generonity thould romain
secret to far as the inme is concerned. There are in New York city 55,000
children of claded from tho public echoole by hek
of accommodations. This does not
include include 45,000 who are tanght in pri-
vate sohools, nor 30,000 who attead vate sohools, nor 30,000 who attend
parocohial coloona. There are theroin the publio echools of the city. The
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private nad parchile shoolit 247 ,
000 . Of this nomber but $117.000-$ leat than
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time in Rome lat minter, has sent masas vo ailver medal to the Syndic,
Pricce Ruapoli, together with a letter Prioce Ruapoli, Logether with a letter
in which he ayse that tho Eternal City
bas left an indelible imprexion in hie heart. King Chulalongkorn has dono much to favor Ontholic miesions in
Siam and in in fact far from hosile to cortain rumorr are afloat concerning o poosible and very radisal change
His Majesty's religioua viema.
 minutor it alowly mounting to th topping the high houres of Victori
atreet.
We learn that the lint donore up to the prewent number fifty
donors of £1,000 each. Among thees
figure Curdinn Vay. Ligure Cardinul Vaughan, Visoount Mr. Henry Matthews), the Marquis of Ripon, the Duke of Norfoll, the
Marquis of Bute and Lord Rusell of Karquis of Bute and Lord Rusell of
Killowen. It in an instance of the
mutability of affirs that part of the mutawility of affira inat prate of the
cathedral will stand on ground one cathedral will stand on ground onee
copored by old Tothill Fielde prinon.
Where once were curnes and despais Whare once were ciurres and deapair
will woon be the chanting of pious
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monk and the merene pouce of the
clointer. Some of the London papers are
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joined the Caluolic church draving his Auglicann tipeeid. The cuss reforrad to is that of the Rev
Willism Hearle Lyall M. $\mathbf{M}$. Oxom He bocame in 1863 rector of St. Dio
nis, Backeharch, which atod bohind
Fenchurch, near Lime treet, Lon don. The parinh population in 188 was 211 , and in 1896 it had fallen to
116 . 1876 the ohurch wat doosed
by ordor in council and in 1878 by ordor in council and in 1878
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that of All Hallown, Lombard etreet,
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siderable discusion, sad E now claune
wan incorted in oll Was insortid in all mabrequent orders
in council providing that the punion
of an inctimbent ahould




