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OUR HOLIDAY NUMBER

The pressure on the advertising columns of THE JOURNAL is so heavy their full amount of reading matter. advertising, never to decrease the amount of reading matter. While we firmly believe the average newspaper vertising pages as in any other -pro-

A DEFICIT AGAIN. What it means to be on a war foot

ing is revealed by the report of the secretary of the treasury, says Leslie's Weekly. It means that we must face a national deficit again, or provide a method to avert it. The estimate of appropriations required for the coming fiscal year is only \$7.000,000 less than \$600,000,000 as compared with \$462,000,000 during the present year. The increase of \$138.000,000 is due mainly to the demands of the army and navy. The proposed increase of the regular army from about 20,000 in time of peace, to 100,000 men means an additional expenditure for our military establishment of about \$120, 000,000 per year. The navy will re

quire \$10,000,000 in addition, and the interest on our public debt will absorb over \$10,000.000 more.

It will be seen that for years to come this country must continue to bear a heavy additional burden be cause of the Spanish war. Some com pensation, no doubt, will be received from the possession or control of the new colonies, and in the end it is hoped that the accounts will balance in our favor. The receipts of the government during the past fiscal vear were not sufficient to cover its expenditures, and, on the basis of existing revenue laws, the receipts du ring the ensuing year will fall \$112,-000,000 short of public requirements. It is possible that a new form of taxation will have to be devised, and it will not be surprising if this should re

sult in a renewed demand for the im position of an income tax, unfortu this week that we are forced to enlarge nate as such a demand would be. The our paper in order to give our readers decision of the United States Supreme court will stand as a barrier to such It has always been our custom, no proposition, unless the opinion should matter how great the amount of our be reversed or materially changed.

The Merchants' Association of New York has undertaken to relieve the reader is as much interested in the ad- | merchants. manufacturers and shippers of the state of New York from vided the advertisements are judi- the exhorbitant express charges that

sacred depth of the wisdom of so God those Catholics who may look upon like position is worthy of detail solely the priesthood and it's religion with of the ministers of God himself. Yet, the spectacles of "romance." If they the personal interest and happy delight | would but dip themselves into the faith I have in the subject, stimulated by of their holy religion with that holy the scene of many ordinations and a fear and reverence the reality of the few consecrations of bishops, are my Man of God would be a source of apology for the feeble attempt at the pride and comfort to them, and then description of so worthy and world- would come the clear vision and exfamed subject. For any imperfections alted worth of him who alone can in the endeavor. I begthe kind indul. comfort us when we are about to close gence of the JOURNAL's readers, and our eyes in death. Thanks and humbly exclaim to him of the ordinahonor to the priesthood for them is due all we have of the true arts and scition - "pater pecavi." Individuals who have had never the ences, civilization and Christianity. opportunity of forming the proper idea [The full and true history of the holy of the priestly character are very priesthood from the dawn of Chrstimuch amazed at the profound respect anity can never be written by mortal that is manifested by a people for their man. That task alone is accomplished pastor — the "Soggarth by the Recording Angel. The amazement is princi- WATKINS, N. Y., Dec. 12, '98. reverend Aroon.'

pally evoked in Protestants, and in those so-called Catholics who enter the church about mission time, or may be once in every five years. Hence, it is, this veneration of the simple, "or dinary-going man," the Catholic priest remains a mystery to those

classes of people, and will remain unsolved until they become practical of the reign of Tiberius Cæsar, Pontius Catholics, and study the character of him who represents Him by whom the church was founded. To the Catholic who has had the

privilege and the happiness to witness the ordination of the priest, and the under the high priests Annas and Caiphas: the word of the Lord was consecration of the bishop, the scene made unto John, the son of Zacharv, makes a lasting impression. And why in the desert. And he came into all not, when in the ordination the transformations is that from the worldly the country about the Jordan, preach man into that of the real ministers of ing the baptism of penance for the re-Christ Himself. the reafter, to drink mission of sins, as it is written in the book of the words of Isaias the prophet: ual prices. from the Eternal Father and serve A voice of one crying in the wilder-Him with a keen and ecstatic luve. The change puts his position far su. ness: Prepare the way of the Lord perior to that of the angels of Heaven. make straight His paths. Every val And truly does the Cure of Ars ex. lev shall be filled: and every mounclaim: "If I were to meet a priest tain and hill shall be brought low: and an angel, I would salute the priest and the crooked shall be made straight, before the angel; for the angel is the and the rough ways plain. And all friend of God, but the priest holds His, flesh shall see the salvation of God. place." That is sweet and wholesome

language from a good and holy man, We are to learn from all this that who had the happiness of admistering we should be strengthened in our holy in the office of the priesthood while on faith by considering that everything \$1.39. this earth and who no doubt, in the regarding it had been prepared, forenear future, will meet with beatifica- told, and completed by the wisdom, tion for his life was that of a real power and goodness of God.

Also in the ordination of a priest is t not a source of delight to the Catholic individual to know that our ministers are not ground out by the grist Sunday. December 18-Fourth Sunday mills of cold formality for such formality lacks the Apostolic succession in Monday, 19-Expectation of the B. V. M ciously distributed and do not crowd are now exacted to pay a monstrous the God-given power. Our belief is (Dec. 18).

must be that indescribable delight of

that father and mother who have

given a son in the person of the Man

of God ! Language will ever remain

So Christ-like is the standing of the

priesthood that we should ever give

that love. honor and respect to its

members for in their hands lie those

What annihilation of self ! Yet.

some " weak-kneed Catholics' will

"see " what the right hand gives, they

Blessed Sacrament may be on the per-

son of the priest. When the latter is

always welcomed with an open broad,

notable and holy occasion.

siderations.

Weekly Church Calendar

Advent. Epist. 1 Cor. iv 1.5, Gosp Luke iii, 1-6.



Handkerchief **Opportunity.** Unusual

A fortunate circumstance gave us opportunity to buy the entire ine of fine Sample Handkerchiefs from some of the largest foreign manufacturers, covering a larger range of style than we have ever shown before. There is a beautiful range of styles, principally hand-embroidered. We have arranged them in three lots for your convenience.

Lot 1-Choice for 35c. Lot 2-Choice for 50c. Lot 8-Choice for 75c.

The early purchaser from this line will be favored with unusual opportunity for choice selection. At the regular Handkerchief Department you will be shown everything from 5c to real lace goods at 812 each.

We shall place on sale to-day for the holiday season a prominent importer's offering of extra fine

GAMES.

TABLE LINENS.

Among them Damask and Fanov Huck Towels for \$1 to \$1.75 each.

Hemstitched Sets with Napkins to match from \$12 to \$27 perset Pattern Cloths, extra heavy from \$12 to \$22, 50 per set.

If you enjoy and appreciate fine Linens you will find them in this assortment at better than us-

KID GLOVE SALE

Another of our good specials. Friday and Saturday we shall positively close at 69c a pair a very good lot of Kid Gloves, including such popular Gloves as "Maggioni," formerly P. Centemeri; a lot of 2 clasp Glace also at 89c.

One lot of Gent's Tan and Gray Castor 9Gloves, reduced from

SIKS. Black Grosgrain, generous width, licious pure dye, good weight; we unhesitatingly recommend them to all who are in search of reliable Silks at low prices, 24 inch at \$1. Black Satin Duchesse - A com-JACKETS. bination of strength with luster when woven and dyed like ours ry easy to day. 21 inch at 85c and 24 inch \$1,25. Black Peau de Soie-If you viot Jacket. crave a Black Silk dress that represent true elegance and rare Kersey Coat. economy ask to see this quality, 21 inch at \$1.00. Black Faille Francaise-Excelent for full costumes, will not the crush or wrinkle or crack, two numbers, \$1.25 and \$1.75.

Let us see what 10c will buy in the way of Children Games.

Base Ball, Snake Game, Dog Show, Bull, Tossem, Old Maid, Messenger, Red Riding Hood. Hop-o-my Thumb, Jack the Giant damask with Napkins to match, Killer, Three Bears, Cinderella, 100 Games.

18c Games, Basement. Tug of War, Skating Race, Cet, Quoits, Merry-go-Round.

Great Big Games, 39c. Foot Ball, Seal Hunting, Bell Boy, Young Athlete, Basket Ball.

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THE GOSPELS

GOSPEL: St. Luke, iii. 1-6 .--

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paper.

Still it is gratifying to the publishers of this paper that their efforts and publication are so well thought of by the advertising public as to make lature. it necessary to add extra pages to this issue. Business men place their advertising where it is read and where it will bring results. They realize full well that the religious weekly is read through, not tossed aside after a casual glance. They know that each member of the family into which it goes cons its pages, and hence their advertimement is not overlooked. The daily paper lives for a day; the weekly for a week.

A word to our readers: This is an age of co-operation. The merchants who advertise in THE JOURNAL COoperate with its publishers in making it possible to send out a good Catholic paper, fit to be read by all, young and old, man, woman and child, without any danger of contamination to faith or morals. Therefore we hope that our readers in making their purchases will keep up this plan of co operation and patronize those merchants whose advertisements appear in THE JOURNAL. They are of the best firms in the city.

The inaugural ceremonies of the Untholic Winter School of America, embrace a solemn Pontifical Mass, celebrated with all the grand effects consonant with the service. This will take place on February 12th, of the coming year; and, if the new and high duties imposed upon him permit, Hi Grace Archbishrp Chapelle, intends to give additional interest to the occasion by receiving the pallium at that occasion. There will be, therefore, a grand gathering of the prelates of the country to assist, by their presence and addresses, in giving increased eclas to the sessions of the Winter theol and its Dtherwise attractive

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out the reading matter-still we know profit to an unrestrained monopoly. full well that our subscribers take THE The claim is made that the users of JOURNAL in order to know the Cath. express service are compelled to pay lic "news" of city and diocese, and we charges which are from three hundred have not and do not intend to fall to over twenty thousand per cent. of into the habit of some newspapers of corresponding freight charges, and on curtailing the amount of reading mat- many classes of goods the average is ter to make room for unusual adver from 5 to15 per cent. of the value of tising pressure. We choose the other the merchandize thus transported. alternative and enlarge the size of the | The express companies are now uncontrolled by law, and the Merchants'

> Association propose to introduce a 'Bill to Regulate Express Companies" at the next session of the legis-

A recent portrait of the Pontiff, showing him in all the glory of his old age, is the timely art premium which is now being issued by The Catholic Standard and Times, of Philadelphia. It is a fine photogravure reproduction of the painting of the Pope recently executed by Ugolini, the eminent Italian artist, which was presented to Archbishop Ryan only a few months ago. The painting, besides being an artisric masterpiece, has the additional advantage of being one inadequate to describe fully the happiof the most recent portraits of the venerable Pontiff for which he has

given a sitting.

Young women have been substited for men as ushers at a Baptist keys to admit to the Kingdom of church in Syracuse. Besides perform. Heaven the soul of poor mortal man ing the work of ushers they also pass for whom the priest has sacrificed the contribution plates. The orchestra that furnishes the church music is also composed of women.

These up-to date attractions are the talk of priestly selfishness. If they parilla. idea of the minister, who says that the but knew the charity of the humble plan has many advantages, chief of pastor-who never lets the left hand which is that the young women draw would soon change their opinion. It more young men to the church, also is in Catholic countries the presence coins of larger denominations than and labors of the pastor is the better usual from their pockets when they appreciated. In Canada, for example, pass the plates.

innovations.

THE CATHOLIC PRIEST.

Editor of CATHOLIC JOURNAL:

and good hearted "How do you do It may seem presumptuous, on the father !" There is no American part of the writer, to describe within faintness about the form of salutation. the limits of an ordinary article, the It is real. In fact, there. is a good Calland see them at the CATHOLIO honor, worth and dignaty of so lofty ringing sound in the welcome that JOURNAL office, 324 East Main st. and sacred a subject as the Catholic would convince a witness the Catholic priesthood. Such a holy office and is proud of his priest. That our salu-God-given commission are worthy of tation is not yet of the proper or high description of the most elequent tongue order, cannot yet be accounted for by Hood's Sarsaparilla by those who have and inspired pen of the best Catholio the writer if it cannot be attributed to taken it prove the merit of the medigenius Forworth, it may be, the the indifferention of our people and or cine.

firm on that point, notwithstanding Wednesday, 20-Feria. Wednesday, 21-St. Thomas, apostle the belief of Protestants to the con- Thursday. 22-Feria. trary. Hence, it is, the Apostolic Frday, 23-Ferra. Saturday, 24-Vigil of Christmas. Fast succession gives that supernatural grace and dignity to the priest and creates in him the man of God. To A SISTER'S ANNIVERSARY.

him only, belongs the right divine to preach, forgive sins, and, above all to On Friday, Dec. 9, at Nazareth offer up the adorable sacrifice of the convent, was quietly observed mass, a privilege and a power never 25th anniversary of Sister M allotted outside of Christ himself to Beatrice's reception of the holy habit. other individuals. Therefore, know- During that time she has been ening this characteristic in our privates, gaged in teaching at St. Bridget's, dye, \$1.00. we should ever show them that will Immaculate Conception schools and convince them that we appreciate their Nazareth academy, where she is at office and personality attributes that present and where she herself was a that can never be equalled by all the pupil. She has also taught at Lima, potentates, rulers and powers of this Dansville and Ithaca. Ot Sr. Beaworld. What a compact of graces are trice it can truly be said: "To know centered in the personality of the her was to love her:" May she be priest of God-and yet how few there spared for many years to continue la

are who fully ponder in their hearts boring in the good cause. on the awful and sublime subject of the Catholic priesthood. It's Nip and Tuck

The vocation of such a life is not Between the umbrella and pocketbook born in man in a day, nor in years. at Likly's. Both stocks are more at-He takes it in, as it were, at his Catho- tractive than ever and people are buylic mother's breast and then he ing freely. Only store, 155 East nourishes the idea until the coming Main street. Open evenings. day of his ordination. And what

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