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The truth of the old saying, "Where there's a will, there's a way," was never better exemplified than by recent achievements in American rug manufacture. Spurred by a fast-increasing popular demand, the makers are now producing patterns and colorings that not many years ago were confined to the creations of the cunning artists of the East.

Our new fall stock of Domestic Rugs—Wiltons, Axminsters, Brussels and Smyrna—is full of Oriental touches of form and color. Every size has its own large assortment of designs, from the small mat to the 12x15 carpet, and the showing of fine pieces for hardwood floors is exceptionally interesting. We have made up rugs, also, in effective patterns, while for odd shaped rooms we make artistic rugs to order.

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Our Sterling Silver Department does a very large business in wedding gifts. The display is always good, and never better than in October. The gathering of rich and beautiful pieces now offered for selection is one that does full credit to the store. However much or however little you may wish to spend for an acceptable gift, there are opportunities here that you will welcome.

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Weekly Church Calendar.

Sunday October 19 Gospel St. Matt. xxii. 15-21 Maternity of the B. V. M.
Monday 20 St. John Cantius confessor.
Tuesday 21 St. Ursula and Comp., virgin and martyr
Wednesday 22 St. Philip bishop and martyr.
Thursday 23 St. Severin, Archbp and confessor.
Friday 24 St. Raphael, archangel.
Saturday 25 St. Chrysantus & Daria, martyrs.

Forty Hours Devotion.

The Forty Hours will be held next week at the following places

October 19 Litua, Farmersville.
Phelps, Owego St. Boniface Rochester.

Five Minute Sermon.

The Coin of Tribute.

Today's Gospel tells how the Pharisees tried to ensnare Jesus in His speech. The question was this: Is it lawful for the Jews to pay tribute to Caesar? For this the Hebrews were very much opposed, because a great part of them submitted unwillingly to the law imposing the tribute; and still more, following the teachings of a certain Gaulonite, were of the opinion that it was not lawful for the Hebrew nation to pay tribute to the Gentiles, and that to do so was for them a sin.

If Jesus Christ declared it to be lawful to pay tribute to the Roman He would have made Himself odious to the Jews, and most odious to the followers of the Gaulonite, the leader of those zealots who afterwards caused so much misery to unfortunate Jerusalem. And if, on the contrary, He declared it unlawful to pay the tribute, He would have provoked the anger and invited the vengeance of Caesar, and the enmity and persecution of Herod, a great partisan of the emperor. He therefore said to them: "Render therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and to God the things that are God's."

In this reply of Jesus Christ we see and admire a divine prudence; for by this answer, and without offending one party or the other, He taught the obedience due to those in authority, and enlightened the conscience of the Jews, by calming the opposition of the one and the scruples of the other.

Therefore we should learn in the first place not to try to deceive our neighbor by feigned praise and adulation, as in our day is done by many. We should not put our trust in the praises of men and should not give our opinion too rashly; not offend the opinion of others and enforce our own; and lastly, we should show ourselves obedient subjects of authority and sincere worshippers of our God.

The following clipping from the Cincinnati Telegraph will be of interest to the many friends of Miss Gallagher in this city particularly the former pupils of the Sacred Heart Convent.

"Cincinnati will feel the absence of one of her most capable violinists this season in Miss Gretchen McCurdy Gallagher, who has departed for Athens, Ga., where she has accepted a lucrative offer from the Lucy Cobb Institute. This young artist, who has delighted the hearts of so many in this and surrounding cities by her artistic playing, is now reaping the reward which comes from a studious past under competent instructors. She was a pupil of Sig. Trindelli at the Conservatory of Music of this city, and this institution may well feel proud of its daughter, whose work will certainly redound to its credit. Miss Gallagher possesses all the requisites for success. We shall miss the sunshine of her presence in musical circles as well as socially.

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LIFE OF JOAN OF ARC

IT LACKED THE QUALITY OF SANCTITY THAT MARKS SAINTS OF GOD.

The Reasons Given by the Sacred College For Refusing to Sanction the Canonization of the Military Heroine of France.

It is with a sincere regret we read that the canonization of Joan of Arc has been refused by the sacred college. We loved to picture to ourselves that tender maiden dressing her day dreams in her father's garden, listening to the voices of the angels calling her to battle for her country. We loved to follow her on her slow white charger through camps and sieges till she crowned her king at Reims. We mourned with her in prison and with dimmed eyes read of her last hour on the burning gibbet at Rouen. We thought we saw in all this mysterious providence of God wrought out by a holy maiden of his own choosing, but such was not to be. After years of careful study of the life and character of Joan the cardinals of the sacred college have declared that, however heroic, however praiseworthy she was in the sight of men, she lacked the quality of sanctity that marks the saints of God.

Some of the secular journals had the bad taste to declare in flaming headlines that the cause of Joan was rejected as a revenge for the expulsion of the religious associations from France. It seems utterly impossible for the Boston Herald or the New York Sun to appreciate a spiritual motive in the Catholic church. To the eyes of these all decisions and modes of action in the church are but the promptings of cunning or craft, something to be admired for the acuteness of the wisdom she displays and sometimes to be unmasked by the superior wisdom of the editorial scribe.

We do not doubt that the cardinals themselves felt a genuine disappointment in the result of their investigations. They, too, must have admired, sympathized with and warmed to the heroic maiden, but they loved truth more and could not do violence to their consciences by placing her up on the calendar of the church's saints.

The decision only proves that, besides the admiration that deeds of heroism may inspire, besides the praise that patriotism may evoke, besides the affection that a life of devotedness arouses, there is a higher, holier motive necessary to make a saint of God. That life, however great, however humble, must be for God and in God, first, last and always.

The study of the life of Joan of Arc shows such was not her case, and the reasons given by the cardinals for their decision are as follows:

First. That Joan of Arc culpably attacked Paris on a religious festival day while the city was celebrating the birth of the mother of Jesus.

Second. Her capture disproved her claim of having a heaven born mission.

Third. Her attempted evasion shows that martyrdom was suffered unwillingly.

Fourth. That she lacked heroism when she signed an abjuration of all legal errors.

Fifth. According to her own admission it is doubtful whether she died a virgin.

The Catholic University.

The earnestness with which the problem of mechanical flight is being attacked is attested by the elaborate equipment of the laboratory of aerodynamics recently erected at the Catholic University of America. Among the apparatus is a wooden tunnel 50 feet long with a cross section of 6 square feet, in which a wind of any desired speed can be generated by means of a suction fan placed at one end of the tunnel. In the wind current thus developed are placed objects of a great variety of kinds and shapes, whose resistances, lift, drift, surface friction, etc., are to be determined. A pressure gauge that can be read to less than one-tenth millionth of an atmosphere is used to determine the pressure at all points in the stream of air. The object is to furnish trustworthy data for calculations in aeronautics.

The Friars in California.

The San Francisco Leader, discussing the present situation in regard to the friars in the Philippines, says: It is over a hundred years since very nearly the same condition of things existed here in California. The friars were "withdrawn" at the demand of the Mexican government, and unfortunately they went. There were no other priests to take their places, and consequently the Indians whom they had converted lapsed back into paganism and, deprived of the protection of the church, became an easy prey to the wiles of the white man. The church lands were confiscated, religion passed away almost altogether, and when, in 1849, a new civilization appeared the church had to be built up from ashes. The same thing is likely to happen in the Philippines.

Be Steadfast.

We must never attempt to edify others by any sacrifice of principle, to show, for example, how free we are from any bigotry or how independent of forms and ceremonies or what liberty of spirit we have regarding the observance of certain positive precepts. This is only saying that we must not do evil that good may come. Yet there is no slight temptation to a man, especially if he has a little fit of unusual indiscretion upon him, to show others at some expense of strict principle that our holy religion is not so harsh and cruel as it seems to be to the votaries of the world. The attempt, moreover, is always as unsuccessful as it is wrong.

A Word as to Men's Dress.

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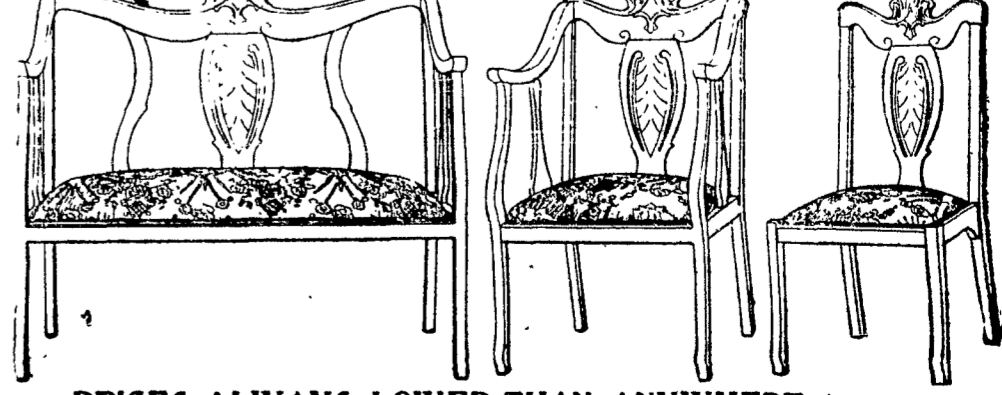
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