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Accusers Accused

One of the cardinal traits bragged about by the bigots who are just now accusing the Catholic Church of every known fault, is their intense "patriotism."

Our esteemed contemporary, the Catholic Columbian, has done a distinct public service in exposing the falsity of these assertions. It calls attention to the proven fact that these self-advertised "patriots" are "invincible in war."

November

Again the month of November is upon us. The trees are bereft of their summer foliage; the flowers are shorn of their bloom; all Nature is denuded of its autumnal splendor and the curtain is about to fall for the winter sleep of recuperation.

It is fitting that Holy Mother Church has seen fit to dedicate this month to remembrance of the poor souls in Purgatory. When the fields and forests give forth their garb of splendor, when the thoughts of the humans turn to pleasure and recreation, is not the time when the thoughts turn to remembrance of those who sleep their last sleep in the cities of the dead.

Holy Church enjoins upon us at all times to pray for the dead that they may be loosed from their sins, but she enjoins this duty the more especially during this month of November. And we should not only send up our prayers for our own loved ones but we should remember those nameless dead who have no one to say a prayer for them or whose living relatives have neglected this pious duty.

ers for our own dead friends and benefactors, but also for all the poor souls in Purgatory.

Commended

Commenting upon Bishop McFaul's avowed determination to bring to book the infamous "Menace," the secular Daily Press of Atlantic City has these words of praise:-

From the standpoint of Catholicism, Bishop McFaul and other Catholics would not be justified in recognizing this absurd abortion of a free press and honoring it with their serious attention. The Catholic Church can be affected in no way by what The Menace says. If nothing were at stake but the Church which it libellously and foolishly attacks, The Menace might go on being published forever. It would do no harm among thinking, intelligent, self-respecting people, and very little among unthinking people and ignorant people, for although unthinking and ignorant they have hearts that understand.

But The Menace is a menace not to Catholicism or to any mode of worship, but to a free press. It represents the abuse of the constitutional guarantee of free speech and an untrammelled and uncensored press. To abuse a thing is to kill it—finally. Therefore; it is the duty of every American citizen—Catholic or non-Catholic—to take a hand in punishing and suppressing a publication which goes to the absurd extremes of blackguarding and "blatherskiting" and thereby strikes at the very vitals of a free press.

False Witness

One of the most reprehensible faults in the catalogue is that of bearing false witness against one's neighbor. It is listed in the Decalogue as one of the cardinal faults. Moreover, it is one of the most difficult faults to repair. One may tell an untruth about his fellow. The one to whom it is told may repeat it to another; this one, in turn, may repeat it to still another and so the endless chain goes on. It may happen that the original author of the tale repents of the fault and tries to repair it by confessing the falsehood to the person he told it to, originally. The latter may not choose to repair what damage he may have done by informing his confidant. It may happen that he has forgotten that he repeated the information. In any event, it is well-nigh impossible to follow the falsehood along its devious journey and it is remarkable how fast an evil story travels.

It is better, too, even if one is convinced that his neighbor has erred, not to repeat the story. It is barely possible that one's sight or hearing is at fault or that there were extenuating circumstances to excuse the lapse. If one does not spread abroad knowledge of his neighbor's faults, then he has nothing to reproach himself for in any event.

But to bear deliberate false witness is a grievous offense, both in morals and in law. The criminal statutes recognize the gravity of the offense, both in morals and in law. The criminal statutes recognize the gravity of the offense by the severe penalties imposed upon conviction for such an offense. "Thou shalt not bear false witness" is a Divine command which should be borne in mind and obeyed. Let us hope that present political conditions may soon be succeeded by some sort of improvement. Approximately 50,000 men took part in the annual Holy Name demonstrations in the Diocese of Newark.

A medical journal reports that New York's Broadway is "vulgar, but not vicious." It must take a lot to shock a doctor.

The Russian judge who suspended court to permit a witness to smoke a cigarette may be barbarous, but he is not a despot.

A learned judge rules that "matches are like umbrellas—public property." Rot! We take matches. People steal our umbrellas.

The Kaiser has bought a Potsdam restaurant. If he wants to get the full profit out of it he will take the job of head waiter.

The government is to substitute Arabic numerals for Roman on public buildings, thus depriving us of a stand and mental exercise.

Some historian has a chance to immortalize his name by writing a feeling monograph on the decline and fall of the buckwheat cake.

According to a Hindu professor, plants grow tired, which is no wonder if they have to listen to all that's said about them in their hearing.

An "emanation" of radium is just as good, say the scientists, and pretty soon the beef trust will be giving us steaks on the same principle.

If the present generation of girls has cultivated the physique of an infarction point, what the dickens will the next generation of girls resemble?

Now the United States bureau of education is planning to educate girls into efficient wives and housekeepers. How old fashioned and reactionary!

The man who "chases the cat" too long and too persistently—finally loses his bearings and looks around after a time to find that it has been tied to him.

"Prison is hell," says Julian Hawthorne after serving his term. The prison has, however, a decided advantage in one respect—it is easier to get out of.

An "Old Oaken Bucket" sort of poet concludes a poem, "Ah! so I love the old piano still." We all like it still. People with old pianos should make a note of this.

There will be small opposition to Secretary McAdoo's abolition of "V's" as used for "U's" in inscriptions on public buildings so long as they are retained on the currency.

After fighting 172 duels a Parisian was defeated by a doctor who had never handled a sword before. Practice with the lance comes in mighty handy on these occasions.

The New York billboard commission has decided that the billboard is unsightly, dangerous, insanitary and a shield for rubbish. Aside from this it seems to be unobjectionable.

A Long Island youth cleaned his trousers with gasoline and then stuck a match on them. We just mention this to let you know that he now strikes matches on the sole of his shoe.

A New York woman wants a divorce because her husband is not "gay enough." It seems to be becoming a very difficult matter for a man to get just when he has struck the happy medium.

Now that Secretary Daniels has decided to send the feet on a European cruise some of our expatriated citizens will be given an opportunity to refresh their memories as to what the American flag looks like.

The humiliation of England is complete—At Birmingham in a close contest that went to fifty one games, Pomeros, the American, defeated Jordan, the Englishman, for the world's championship at checkers.

Epileptic Fits. Goconda, Nev., April, 1912. Since I took Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic I had no more epileptic fits since the spring of 1911, and in June I began to work again. Before that time every body was afraid to give me work, because I had fits nearly every day in a few years, but now they all want me to work for them, because they know me and see how I am now. The Tonic is sure a Godsend for me and therefore cannot praise it enough. Walter Heard.

Wonderful! Grandview, N. J., Wash., Aug. 1912. I had epileptic fits every two or three weeks since 11 years of which doctors could not cure me, but since I took Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic I had no attacks in two years and feel well so long as I take the Tonic. The effect is wonderful. Mrs. J. S. Griffin.

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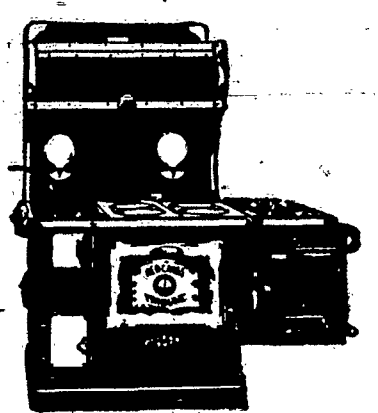


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Table of Liabilities: Capital Stock paid in, Surplus Fund, Undivided Profits, etc. Total Liabilities: \$17,323,433.83

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