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THE christian people of Omaha and Council Bluffs on learning the condinecessaries.

ATTACKS on the newsboys selling The Chicago American are becoming very numerous of late, but in spite of all this the boys keep right on selling from 7,000 to 10,000 each week.

resulted in a glorious victory for the A. P. A. and a crushing defeat for the minions of the Papacy. Let the good demonstrate that Americans are at last beginning to awake.

AT present it seems that Pendergast, the murderer of Mayor Harrison, will eventually go free. If there is any law Good Friday and the indications now are he will not bang at all. Score another point for the Romanists.

THE good work which is being done by a number of the councils of the A. P. A. in this city is certainly gratifying to the men who have labored earnestly, and continuously, to break down If he is a strong partisan he votes his formed to subvert governments, to their attention was directed to the evils resulting from papal domination.

ONE council of the A. P. A. in Omaha has been completely reorganized. For

ton might it not be well to stop and ask whether there is not some secret objoct back of it all? Many of the leaders do not believe that 25 per cent of the of Rome do not rob the laity. We say men who compose the vast army really priests of Rome do rob their parishionunderstand the object of their mission.

Bishop Bonacum, of Lincoln, Neb.: speculation, favoritism, gambling, incitation to perjury, and other offenses. specifications. The fact that several to the church of Rome.

THE lows state authorities have certainly and most deservedly gained an unenviable notoriety during the last few days. A more flagrant case of "man's inhumanity to man" has seldom been witnessed in these parts, than the leave all other men and cleave only to charge - an American - remarked: Industrial Army, under General Kelly, on its arrival and during the period of of Rome that she is not serving a man its encampment in Council Bluffs. The but God when in the confessional. Be state and county authorities from the that as it may, there is no hope of governor down to sheriff seemed to for- Rome ever disproving either of these get entirely that the men forming this army of unemployed workmen were human beings and not prairie wolves. ever sailed under false colors, and the What the final outcome of this move-A. P. A's. propose to wipe out these ment will be, time alone can tell-but evils, and they propose to do it at the in any case, so long as the men under ballot box, by electing clean and effi-Kelly conduct themselves peaceably cient Protestants. Are you with them? and do not commit any overt acts, they certainly should receive humane treatment, and not such as was accorded them by the authorities in Iowa.

warran all demonstrations to list their hoblings Mothodist brethren need not be our of beys who sell our paper must reque.

the entire amount, throwing in that all their dectrines are heretical and STABLES IN ADVANCE - RINGSTON HALF held by the Roman Catholic church, it that they are enemies to God, to christo the average citizen.

enuse trouble.

citizen. If there is danger ahead of that fact immediately, and if the bur- of the priests. As soon as the popetion of the Industrials came to the to be borne patiently by laboring men, tantism is christianity and that it may societies (except when they are of THE election in New Britain, Conn., Protestant denominations, except in ing candles and pains, none for praying the souls of the departed through a list of their holdings, but it will be plate once a week, on which is placed Italy as a witness. Home of the pope work go on. The result of the recent different with the Roman Catholic elections throughout the entire country church. She will oppose the taxation of church property strenuously, and will put her Protestant tools forward to plead for the exemption of church today at the instigation of Rome-abusand justice in this kind of proceeding organization while holding up admir-state are to be obeyed ONLY WHEN we fail to see it. He could not hang on ingly the beauties of the Roman political machine, whom some one has misnamed a church.

Americans should carefully consider this question. It is one of importance.

PARTISANSHIP AND THE

A. P. A. A man cannot be a strong partisan and at the same time a strong A P. A. party ticket regardless of the character of the nominees. If he is a good and a strong A. P. A. he picks out the best men nominated on all the tickets and votes for them, regardless of his party affiliations. Therein lies the power of several months it has been absolutely the great American movement which impossible for a member in good stand- is now being assailed by an unprining, who did not attend its meetings, cilled daily press, which tumbles over to learn what business was transacted. itself in its efforts to retard or break object the protection of Protestants not know, as soon as the council ad- and the breaking down of the increasjourns, what transpired at the meeting. ing power of Rome; therein lies the menace to the liberties and free insti-In the midst of all this excitement tutions of which the Roman priests among all classes with regard to the prate, but which they mean, no doubt, advent of the Coxeyites into Washing- the liberty of the priesthood to rob, rape, seduce and prostitute the laity while keeping such free Institutions as were exposed in the last issue of THE are said to be Roman Catholics, and we AMERICAN. You may say the priests ers whenever opportunity presents itself, and refer to the case of Archbishop THE following are some of the charges Purcell, who beat the people of the preferred against the Roman Catholic diocese of Cincinnati, who were members of the Roman Catholic church, out Maladministration, tyranny, insub- of more than \$2,000,000. You may say ordiration, inciting strife, slander, they do not commit rape. They do. abuse of power, violation of diocesan Few of them do not. To prove to you statutes, misappropriation, falsehood, that they do, we will cite the case of the priest who was hanged less than three years ago in Georgia for the The legion of witnesses cited against commission of that crime; to the case of he must defend himself against 115 Minnesota serving a term of 20 years; to that of Flaherty, of New York, who nuns have been cited to testify against was last year sentenced to three years him is certainly suggestive. The revel in the penitentiary, and to other cases lations some nuns could give would un- too numerous to mention, but of recent doubtedly open the eyes of many who date. You nay say, "well they don't will not believe anything detrimental seduce their female penitents." No, not all of them; but a large number-a very large number-and the illicit intercourse indulged in before the penitent is married is quite often-too often joins her in wedlock to another man, even after he has made her promise to in a conversation with a young lady in heartless treatment accorded to the her husband. He probably calms her conscience and his own by the teaching young woman; why don't you marry a charges for she is the most corrupt and the most rotten political system which

recently petitioned the pope through pulled by an over officious policeman in the near future.

TAXATION OF CHURCH PROP | Architelop | Ireland and Vice-Pope named John Hughes and given a ride The question as to the feasibility, the panels American republics where the arrived there the sargeant reduced to desirability and justice of competing state is subsection to the church. Our look him up. This fithy personation The Way She Fools Protestant Parfor taxation is boing discussed in many prised if they do not got what they ask and that immediately. quarters and by able mon. As far as no, because the Roman Catholic church we have been able to learn the consen- cannot grant the request without mes of opinion seems to favor taxation. stuitifying itself, for it teaches that it The holdings of each of the various is the CNLY THUE CHURCH. If its hie. Cal., recently made a very bitter atdescominations in the United States, currely believes that, it follows, as a ashre from the Roman Cathelie, do not natural cons quence, that they also be- sociation, and landing Roman Cathelieross up to a figure that strikes herror tranity and humanity. It would be the rankest kind of foolishness for a drunk-The observing, farseeing, conserva- and to ask the Methodist ministers to tive Grant in a message to congress, allow him to substitute his kind of while president of the United States, spiritual consolation for theirs, for expressed the belief that the constant they would immediately reply "no, it accumulation of property by church or- is sinful, it is an abomination in the free schools, education, etc., might and daughter. ganizations, if not checked, would sight of God, and as we are realously amount to nearly \$300,000,000 in and consistently preaching His word. 1990, and was fearful that this vast we cannot enter into an alliance with amount of untaxed property would anything that adds to the power of the schools, happen to be a nation of were a number of little girls whose devil." So the Roman church, in order comparied line per month 18.50 inch per month 18.50 inch per month 18.50 inches per month 1 perdition." This is bound to be the ple" who cry out against the iniquities This is a question which should be answer of the Roman Catholic church. carefully weighed by every American A different answer means that Protesantism is a part of the true church, this republic, if church property is not and that the power to save or damn taxed, you should become cognizant of does not rest exclusively in the hands dens of taxation are already too heavy who is the church-admits that Protesto be borne uncomplainingly by the compete with popery for supremacy in business men and the capitalists who Roman Catholic countries, that soon will sooner or later move for relief, it does the power of the papacy disappear. should be your duty to be ready to offer This is because the Protestant religion a remedy, for the first thing that will is much cheaper than that dispensed attract their attention will be the mil- by the Roman church. There are no lions of dollars worth of untaxed church charges for christening the baby, none property in each large city, and they for churching the wife, none for blesswill ask that it be listed for taxation. ing candles and palms, none for prayisolated instances, will gladly conform or out of purgatory, no penance, no conto the opinion of the age and hand in fession-nothing but the contribution

the mite each can spare. The sooner Protestant ministers realize that the Roman church does not believe in toleration; that she teaches that none can be saved outside thousand years. Now note the condi- on the piano as she could, and that she property, the same as they are doing of her: that the wives of ALL Protestants are concubines and THEIR CHIL- governmental reports. ing, villifying, lying about a Protestant DREN BASTARDS; that the laws of the THEY DO NOT CONFLICT WITH THE the Bureau af Statistics of Rome under CHURCH, and that she has branded the public schools as godless, as sinks of in Italy is greatly indebted, convey iniquity and as a pestilence, the sooner exact information concerning the standindependence by driving out of politics and it is interesting reading to Amthe blackest, the most corrupt and the overthrow liberty, and to build up Census. popery on the ruins of both.

THE daily papers all contained ac counts of the funeral services held over the dead body of James Donahue at No. 3121 Lowe Ave. last Saturday, and several of them placed a stigma on the wife of the deceased which she does per cent. As a consequence the attendance is down any movement which has for its that she called in the police to prevent that she called in the police to prevent any trouble in case any person attempted to interfere with the services. This is an error, Mrs. Donahue tells us that the police were sent to the house by a half sister-Sarah Finlan-of her dead husband, and that when the priest came he was accompanied by five policemen. She had not objected to his relatives holding services over his remains according to the rites of their church, she did refuse to allow his body to be buried in the Roman cemetery because her husband had requested that when he died he should be buried where she could be laid beside him when she died, and by placing him in a Protestant cemetery his request could be complied with. After the priest had performed his part and as he left the house, Rev. Hubbell came in and delivered a touching funeral service, after which the remains were interred in Mt. Greenwood cemetery. Mr. Donahue had been a Roman Cathhim include 100 priests and nuns, and Connelly, now in the penitentiary of olic prior to his marriage, but he gave up his church for his wife, not even being married by a priest. Yet ten years after he stopped going to church a priest of the denomination came and

officiated at his funeral. A PRIEST of the Roman Catholic church called on a gentleman named Kelley living in LaGrange, Ill., and when told that he was talking to a Protestant, blurted out, "where did -continued, by the very priest that you get your name?" This same priest called at the postoffice of that city and "You are a broad-minded, liberal Catholie?"

> WILLOW SPRINGS, Mo., is right in line-half of the members of the city council and the school board are A. P A's. and by next election they hope to have them all that way. No less than eight prominent ministers have joined the organization.

LAST Friday evening the young man who was selling THE CHICAGO AM-WHAT THEY CAN EXPECT.

The Methodist ministers of Chicago

Ave. and Thirty-ninth street was

Satelli for religious liberty in the to the Stanton Ave station. When he

A Jesuit Answered.

The Roy, Mr. Bickey of Los Angeles, tack on the American Protective asfree schools and education. On the fol- cago lowing day Mr. Jus. P. Elton, one of the preminent citizens of that city replied to his criticisms in the following interesting manner, in the Times of

that city: Mr. Hickey's statements that the pecially of her mother, and they be-Roman church always favored liberty, came mere as sisters than as mother have been accepted in the dark ages as true. But it wont go down with the cept when Della was at school. American people, who thanks to free Among her playmates when at school readers. The fate of Savonarola is parents were Roman Catholies. more than your single statement to con- At last she, with the other little vince the A. P. A. that the desire on playmates, became accustomed to going of the Romish church is wholly dead tached to the girl-the pride of a happy But that is not the saddest feature of yet. We propose, as A. P. A. ad- home-and one day made a visit to that derents, to trust Americans only. We home, and in their slick, scheming way have to judge the present status of induced the unsuspicious mother to your church by its past history, over place her dearest treasure on earth in which we will draw the veil. The A. their charge so that she might finish P. A. knows full well you hate secret her education, especially in music. and he cannot serve two masters at

How many Protestants as teachers have you in your schools? How many Protestants have you in your employ as a church in this city? Why do you equal? You favor education, eh? Call a piano. and of the church you represent for the last thousand years! A country over which the Roman church has had almost absolute control for more than a and told her that Della had gone as far

"The following figures of the 'Ammuario Italino,' yearly published by LAWS OF THE ROMAN CATHOLIC the direction of Prof. L. Bodio, to whom the cause of public instruction will. Americans rise up and assert their ing of the Italians as regards illiteracy very talented musician. ericans.

"Per cent of illiterates to 100 inhabitants:

All Ages. Years. 1861..... 78.06 1871..... 72 96 1881 67.26

The census of 1891 (estimated) gives

"Thus it shows that a generation is remarkable that while at the time of years after its occurrence. of the first Italian census (1861) Piedmont, the only province ruled by a dale often asked them: "Are you not national government, had only 15 per afraid that they will make a Roman cent. of illiterates; the province of Catholic of Della." Calabria, until then oppressed by the Jesuitic rule of the Bourbons, gave the they can never do that, our daughter almost incredible figure of 93 per cent. has too much good sense." The only spot in Italy where illiteracy appeared to be unknown in that same year was among the Waldenses north of ing a Roman Catholic, and Della Piedmont, the only Protestant popula- would always reply, "Why no, my

tion of Italy." Now, Mr. Hickey, if it takes your church government 1,200 years to educate 22 per cent of the population of Italy to read and write and it takes the government of Italy only thirty years to reduce illiteracy 30 per cent. (see above table), to an ordinary person it age now." looks as if all the time this side of eternity would be too short for the Romish church to complete the job, while the government will practically do it in little over a century.

You are "not opposed to public schools?" The actions of the church of Rome belie your words. Why this outcry about the "Godless schools?" What about this "Cahensly" business and the "Fairbault" plan of running the public schools? And the Wisconsin business, the work of your church -- the dividing of the school fund, which you accomplished and which your church tried to accomplish in Illinois? No, sir; the public schools of America, backed by the loyal hearts of her millions of freemen, are freely able to protect themselves against all influences that would destroy, and the A. P. A., numbering more than two millions of voters, is, and will be found ever on the side of public schools. Absolute separation of church and state! Liberty in its fullest sense! Protection of America's freemen from hordes of ignorant foreigners

No! The A. P. A. believes in giving Americans a chance; and one of the pleasing thoughts in connection with your fair city, Mr. Editor, is that you have a strong branch of the A. P. A. in your midst, composed, as I find, of ROME'S TACTICS

ents Illustrated

Her Peruiciens Dectrines Corrupting Inv. and now she says she is a Roman stead of Elevating.

A number of years ago Mr. and Mrs. appear formidable, but when you bunch lieve all other churches are false, that ism to the skies as the friend of liberty. Crysdale lived in the great city of Chi-

At that time they were the happy parents of a dutiful daughter. Her name was Dolla. As she grew to womanhood she bo-

came the pride of her parents, and es-

They were together constantly, ex-

Into their company she was thrown

The sisters of the convent became at-

The superior told the loving mother Catholic origin. The reason is ob- of that dutiful daughter, of the wondervious: Every good catholic must con- ful talent her girl possessed, and imfess to the priest at least once a year plored her to permit Della to go into the convent and under her care finish blind to get Protestants to support her her musical education, promising to in her undertakings for the benefit of never interfere with the child's religion | the church. in anyway whatever.

The request was granted.

little time she had advanced so far that and perhaps for good. it was necessary for her parents to buy

well for a number of years.

Oakley avenue came to Mrs. Crysdale found religion.

The parents again allowed the schemers to buy a harp at a price to suit themselves, and Della was given lessons on it.

She became a great performer on that sweet-oned instrument, then she took the flute and violin, which she

One day Della came running home with a small medal made of brass, and told her mother that she had taken the medal in her class. This pleased Mrs. Crysdale and she thought the Roman 71.45 convent was all right.

> In fact she was overjoyed to think her laughter was doing so nicely.

It afterwards transpired, however, the percentage of illiterates of all ages that the dear good, dutiful daughter, at between 55 and 60 per cent, and of of former years, had written to an aunt persons between 12 and 20 years as 42 in Cincinnati and secured \$20.00 from her with which to buy the wonderful medal, which probably cost at most ago 78 per cent. of the Italian popula- 25 cents. But that part of the transtion could neither read nor write. It action was not found out for a number

Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Crys

The answer was, invariably, "No! Oftentimes the mother would ask her

daughter if she ever thought of becomdear mother, I will never become Roman Catholic."

Time rolls on.

Della graduates with high honors. The family is happy.

Soon afterwards the daughter re turns home and says, "mother, I am of

Her mother answered "Well, what of that." "Oh, only this: I can do as I please, and I have become a member of the Roman Catholic church."

Mothers do you understand what that meant.

It meant that all those years that the girl had been taught Roman Catholic religion. Not in words, perhaps, but by object lessons every day.

Poor Mrs. Crysdale felt as though she had been shot.

If her daughter had been brought home on a stretcher she would not have been more horror stricken.

Her only daughter. Her only child.

Her only treasure on earth, a member of the Roman Catholic church!

After a time Mrs. Crysdale became reconciled in a degree, and made up her mind to take the girl away from this city, and with this in view arranged for a visit to Cincinnati.

They went to the depot, but that was as far as Della would go.

She said, "I cannot leave here. duty is here, in the church of my faith, and I will not go!" And she did not.

This again broke her mother's health, and while she was lying at the in his name. The name Washington point of death Della took her first com- does not belong to him. Washington

not promise not to interfere with the religion of her daughter.

The old girl replied, "She took the stop of her own fron will." Mrs. Orwedale answered, "Six months ago Della told me that she would nover become a member of the Roman Catholic church, Catholic, and will always be one. This will kill me." Tours again the superior answered "would it not be better for you to die than for both of you to lose

Think of this, you mothers of daughers. What kind of belief is this that thinks a mother's death is preferable to a daughter's remaining outside of the "only true church."

Avour sevols."

At one time the superior came to Della's mother and under the plea of needed rest for her daughter, implered her to allow Della to go to a convent in Memphis, Toun.

She flatly refused to allow the girl to go, and firmly believes if the daughter had gone it would have been the last time she would have ever seen her

She believes they intended to make Della a nun, if they could have got her away.

Mrs. Crysdale is very nearly frantic

Della will not believe anything that is said against the church of her faith, or the "true church," as she calls it.

Just at present the daughter is stopping at home, and is arranging to give a number of concerts.

It is believed by Mrs. Crysdale that Della is being weaned away from those people, but others think it is only a

It is even believed by many that as soon as the work is accomplished she Della went into the place, and after a intends returning to the church again,

Miss Della Crysdale is now in her twenty-second year, and is a very ac-This they did willingly, and all went complished musician, yet with all her accomplishment, she would rather lose Then the superior of the convent on her mother than to give up her new

This is zealotry, if zealotry exists.

Some Reasons Why Convents Should Be Opened to the Light of Day.

When the British Parliament sent an investigating committee through England to investigate the condition of the convents and monasteries, what did they find? They found the floors mastered equally as well, becoming a of the cellars of these places covered with the bones of infants.

When Napoleon raided the menasteries and convents of Spain, what did he find? He found the cellars of these places filled with bones. A great many of the living inmates who had been outraged, were found naked and almost starved. When their prison doors were opened by the soldiers of the Emperor, the men, who had been accustomed to witness the most revolting scenes, were moved to pity and took off part of their clothes to cover the abused inmates of the Romish convents.

A few years ago, when the reservoir above the Union depot, in Pittsburg. Pa., was dry, the people of that place were shocked at the sight of infants bones in the bed of the reservoir, and right above and directly over it is a

Some years ago, when the St. Lawrence river sank lower than it has been known in history, the opening of a large drain was revealed, and the mouth of that drain was covered with bones of infants. That drain ran from a convent close by.

When George VII occupied the papal chair, the papal fish pond was cleaned, and the bodies of no less than 300 infants found therein.

If an investigating committee was sent through the United States to examine the convents supported by publie money, who knows but that the same state of affairs would be revealed?

Let a cry go up from the American people against these convents! Let the entire country, from New York bay, where Liberty sheds her glorious rays, to the shores of the Pacific, raise its voice for an open investigation of all Romish convents.

MISSOURI VALLEY, Ia.-Editor AM-ERICAN.-The cut on the first page of your paper for last week, is very suggestive to say the least, and, what follows as printed matter is many times more so I can not conceive how it is possible in this enlightened age, for any one to be so thoroughly blind to the part that Rome is playing in those institutions, as to allow their daughters or wards to become inmates of them. Instead of being called the "House of Good Shepherd," they should be called what they truly are, "The Gateway to Hell.' How long are we Americans going to tolerate them? and allow them to disgrace our fair land. I am one who believes they should not be allowed to exist and will do all in my power to drive them and their allies, the jesuits from our shores.

WIDE AWAKE.

"Washington Gladden is unfortunate believed in America for Americans, Della's mother went to the convent and said: 'Put none but Americans on to see the superior and asked if she did guard.' He was our original A. P. A.