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THE ANNUAL SPIRITUAL RETREAT FOR LADIES

Will begin at 7 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 9th day of JANUARY 1907, and will end on the morning of MONDAY, the 14th JANUARY.

The Retreat will be preached by the Rev. Father O'Dwyer, S.J.

CONVENT OF THE SACRED HEART Island Bay, Wellington.

THE ANNUAL SPIRITUAL RETREAT FOR LADIES

Will begin at 7 30 p.m. on MONDAY, the 7th day of JANUARY, 1907, and end on the morning of SATURDAY, 12th of JANUARY.

The Retreat will be preached by the Very Rev. J. Ryan, S.J.

Ladies who wish to attend, should apply to the

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JANUARY 1 and 2, 1907.

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FOR DETAILS SEE PROGRAMME

ENTRIES for RUNNING and WALKING CLOSE at the Society's Office, 27 Rattray street, at 8 p.m. on MONDAY, 17th December; CYCLING, on TUESDAY, 18th December, at 5 p.m.; for all other EVENTS, on WEDNESDAY, 26th December, at 8 p.m.

Entry Money for Dunedin and Caledonian Handicaps, 3s 6d each distance; all events with prize-money exceeding £6 for first prize, 3s 6d; Wrestling, 3s 6d; for all other events, 2s 6d; Youth's Races, 1s.

Programme can be obtained from the Directors, or at the Society's Office, 27 Rattray street.

Side Shows of every description, and Luncheon, Fruit, and Refreshment Booths will be conducted on usual liberal lines.

WILLIAM REID, Secretary,
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Total ... £612 7 3

(To be Continued).

All contributions to be addressed to the Rev. G. M. Hunt, Cromwell.

DEATHS

DWAN.—At his residence, Nairn street, Wellington, on Tuesday, November 27, Thomas Dwan, senr., beloved husband of Kate Dwan, and father of Thomas, Beaumont, and Laimartine Dwan, of Dwan Bros., Willis street. Fortified by the rites of Holy Church. Age 79 years. Deeply regretted.—R.I.P.

KNOTT.—On November 24, at the Railway Hotel, Mosgiel, Margaret, the beloved daughter of William Knott.—R.I.P.

MESSAGE OF POPE LEO XIII. TO THE N.Z. TABLET.

Pergant Directores et Scriptores New Zealand Tablet, Apostolica Benedictione confortati, Religionis et Justitiæ causam promovere per vias Veritatis et Pacis.

Die 4 Aprilis, 1900.

LEO XIII., P.M.

TRANSLATION.—Fortified by the Apostolic Blessing, let the Directors and Writers of the New Zealand Tablet continue to promote the cause of Religion and Justice by the ways of Truth and Peace.

April 4, 1900.

LEO XIII., Pope.



THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1906.

AN OPERA-BOUFFE 'SCHISM'



THE submarine wire, like a compo-pipe, must carry whatever is poured into it, whether it be sewage or siphon-soda, assafoetida or attar of roses. A steady stream of insidious misrepresentation, open falsehood, and foul calumny has been poured into the Paris office of the sea and ocean cables ever since the dominant 'machine' that Tammanies the country entered upon the bitter campaign which (as M. Briand, Minister of Justice and Education, boasted at Amiens) has resulted in the hunting of Christ 'out of the schools, out of the university, out of the hospitals, out of the refuges, nay, out of the gaols and lunatic asylums'. And these proud achievements are (according to M. Briand) to be crowned by a 'supreme effort to 'get rid of Christianity' itself in France. In our issue of November 15, we detailed sufficiently the latest resort of the French atheistic regime to 'get rid of Christianity'. After having closed 27,000 schools and plundered and in part banished 160,000 persons devoted to works of education and charity, the Christ-hunters are now trying to force a new constitution

HENRY HUGHES

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