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In the MUSIC SCHOOL, the work will be resumed in connection with the usual Theoretical and Practical Examinations, and the Associated Board and Trinity College.

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TERMS ON APPLICATION.

MARRIAGE

COLUMB-GIBBONS.—On December 26, 1906, at St. Patrick's Basilica, South Dunedin, by Rev. Father Howard, Edward Columb, of Wingatui, to Helen Gibbons, daughter of James Gibbons, Macandrew road.

DEATHS

KEATING.—On November 29, at her residence, Weld street, Blenheim, Mrs. Keating, sen., in the 59th year of her age. Fortified by all the rites of Holy Church.—R.I.P.

STOFFEL.—On January 23, at Rawhitiroa Road, Eltham, Mary, beloved wife of Philip Stoffel and daughter of Denis and Johanna Mullane, of Athea, County Limerick, Ireland, and niece of the Rev. Thos. Mullane, in her 35th year.—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 Justitiae 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, JANUARY 31, 1907.

A MIGHTY UPGROWTH



HE unused muscle grows flabby and becomes atrophied at last. And on the line of progress, where there is no advance, there is retrogression. In the United States there is no standing at ease in the grand march of the Catholic Church. Year by year she moves forward to fresh conquests. There have been, of course, the inevitable stragglers and deserters on the line of march. But what a proud pageant the Church presents under the Stars and Stripes! Only eight years ago (in 1899) the Catholic hierarchy in the United States celebrated the centenary of the consecration of the first bishop, Dr. Carroll, of Baltimore. Catholics were in Dr. Carroll's day a mere handful of people scattered over a vast area and ministered to by a few priests. To-day in numbers they are the strongest, and in every ecclesiastical activity the most energising, of all the religious bodies in the country. They form a great part of the wedge of Christianity that is driven into the vast mass—the