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#### NOTICE.

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Approved by His Grace the Archbishop of Wellington and the other Catholic Bishops of New Zealand.

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## MARRIAGE.

COGAN—BROOKES.—On the 26th April, at St. Joseph's Cathedral, Dunedin, by the Rev. P. Murphy, Charles Thomas, third son of the late John Cogan. of Naseby, to Elizabeth, third daughter of the late Michael Brookes, of Naseby.



To promote the cause of Religion and Justice by the ways of Truth and Peace.

LEO XIII. to the N.Z. TABLET.

THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1902.

#### THE TROUBLE IN BELGIUM.



HE threatened revolution in Belgium—for it was nothing less—has happily, for a time at least, been averted. The trouble began some few weeks ago, when the Socialists presented to the Chamber of Deputies a demand for a revision of the Constitution in order that the parliamentary franchise might be enlarged so as to bring about absolute universal

The Chamber would give no assurance that this demand would be complied with, and the Socialists, who are practically identical with the Labor Party in Belgium, at once ordered all workmen connected with their organisa-Great masses of laborers, to the tions to stop work. number of 150,000, accordingly ceased working, rioting began in the principal cities, and in two or three—such as Brussels, Namur, and Louvain-bloody collisions occurred between the strikers and the Town Guard. Parliamentary representatives, particularly of the Clerical or Catholic party, were especial objects of hostility, and at Louvain the rioters assaulted the residence of M. Schollaert, President of the Chamber of Deputies, stoned the police, and attacked the Catholic Club. In repelling the attack the Town Guard fired volleys, killing 5 and wounding 12 of the strikers, several being wounded fatally. The Chamber of Deputies discussed the situation at some length, and finally decided, by 84 votes to 64, to reject the proposal for revision of the Constitution and subsequent enlargement of the franchise. For a time the agitation grew wilder daily; then it began