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The ladies of the Canadian Congregation of St Paul [St Louis Parish] are preparing under the patronage of the conference of St Vincent de Paul, a musical soiree for the benefit of the poor. The event will take place the 19th of March in the undercroft of the church of St Louis.

Ste Clotilde Parish

On Passion Sunday [the Sunday before Palm Sunday], March 22, at 4 pm, Ste. Clotilde will begin the Annual Retreat of Christian Mothers. All mothers and girls of the parish are invited to join the retreat which will last four full days and will end March 27, The feast of The Compassion of the Most Holy Virgin at 9 am. The hours for the exercise of the retreat for Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday are: 9 am mass and instruction, afternoon 2:30 instruction and praise.

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M. Legros offers his sincere thanks to the friends who visited during the final malady of his lamented wife and who assisted the funeral service.

The Library Club of Young French Canadians of Minneapolis

Saturday, March 6, the club members met for the launching of their first regular semi-monthly meeting. As was announced in the columns of your newspaper, the meeting promised attraction, amusement, and of course, it was a complete and utter success. If one must judge the future progress by the debut, we affirm with right and reason how grand and impressive they will be. There were speeches cleverly delivered and devised, songs that we admired and applauded with open heart and, certainly, justly.

Next Sunday the 15th of March turns out to be the 3rd Sunday of the month and consequently the date fixed for our meetings. The members of the Club will assemble at the regular

meeting place.

A.J. Vinet

Corresponding Secretary

In the last days of February at the Poor Home of this city, died one of our compatriots upon whom the cruel hand of misfortune had fallen and reduced to a sad end, M. Charles Huot, native of Quebec. He died embracing Christianity and the members of the Society St Vincent de Paul of the parish of Ste. Clotilde, assisted by the generous permission of the priest of that parish, gave him the Christian last rites at Ste. Clotilde and buried him in the cemetery reserved for Catholics.

The Dakota Territory is again undergoing the most exciting events on the subject of the location of the capital. This question is full of rifts and troubles of all sorts for the new state.

Last year the territorial legislature chose Bismarck for the capital and that city made immense sacrifices to build a capitol building which ended after several months. But the Southern section of the territory did not agree and wanted the capital at Pierre, and that ended in a battle "Tooth & Nail" for their ends.

News from Trois-Rivieres [Area of Quebec from which many local French-Canadians came]

During the Novenna [nine days of special prayers], the Rev. Father Hamon successfully constituted in this city under the name League of the Sacred Heart, a powerful association, for men, against drunkenness, blasphemy and estrangement from the sacraments. The number enrolled in this league exceeds one thousand. At the election of officers last Sunday evening in the presence of the Monsignor of Trois-Rivieres who has given his warm support, to the work, L.U.A. Genet was chosen president and C. A. Bourgeois and N.L. Denoncout vice presidents.