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Successor Confined to Italian.

Catholic Sentiment in Favor of Rampolla.

Rome, Sept. 7.—That Pope Pius cannot last much longer is becoming a matter of conviction in all quarters.

As a consequence the possibility of the imminent conclave is in the thoughts of all persons connected with the Vatican, though there is not the slightest sign as yet of canvassing or intrigues among the Cardinals for the chair of St. Peter.

Nevertheless prognostications as to the possible successor to the present Pontiff are being made.

The Sacred College now has only forty-nine members, twenty-eight Italians and twenty-one foreigners.

The Italian majority is strong in number, but it is stronger still in influence.

Nearly all of the Italian Cardinals reside in Rome and direct all the affairs of the Papacy.

As heads of congregations they have the power exercised elsewhere by cabinet ministers.

Their views are carried out by Italian subordinates. All the Papal nuncios are Italian, depending from an Italian Cardinal secretary of state.

The majority of the Vatican officials are Italian, from the high chamberlain of the apostolic palace to the lowest menial employed about the premises.

All these people, with their influence, which is strong, have nothing to gain and everything to lose from a foreign successor to Pius X.

Foreign Cardinals being thus out of the contest, the choice of the next Pope will be confined to one of the twenty-eight Italian members of the Sacred College.

The best Catholic sentiment in Rome at the present time seems to be unanimous in its expression in favor of Cardinal Rampolla as successor to Pius X.

Cardinal Rampolla came near being a successful candidate in 1903 when the present Pope was chosen.

It may be assumed that these cardinals who voted for him at the last conclave will again support him, while it is well known that many of his former adversaries are now his supporters.

Pius X is reported to have said that he felt that his successor should be Leo XIV., thus clearly designating Rampolla, whose policy would have been a continuation of that of Leo XIII.

The election of Rampolla at the last conclave was prevented only by Austria's veto.

There will be no mention of a veto at the next conclave for one of the first acts of Pope Pius X. was the promulgation of a constitution abolishing the veto power of Austria, Spain and France in the Papal elections and prohibiting Cardinals under the pain of excommunication from receiving even in the form of a simple desire any demand for their good offices in presenting a veto or making it known in the conclave regardless of whatever manner it may have come to their knowledge.

Cardinal Rampolla is without exception at the present time the most notable figure of the Sacred College.

He is a Sicilian by birth and it was just sixty-eight years ago yesterday that he first saw the light of day. He was educated at the College Capranica and the Academy of the Noble Ecclesiastics in Rome, and in 1875 became attached to the nunciature at Madrid.

In 1877 he became secretary of the congregation of Oriental Rites. In 1882 he was created titular Archbishop of St. Heracles and sent to Spain as nuncio. He was created and proclaimed Cardinal, March 14, 1887, taking title from the Church of St. Cecilia, and a few months later was named secretary of state. Since the death of his former chief, Pope Leo XIII., he has lived a very retired life, restricting his activities almost exclusively to his duties as head priest of St. Peter's.

The distinguished family connections of Cardinal Rampolla, his intimate acquaintance with Spanish and English affairs, and his abilities to cope with political statesmen are well known.

Also he is quite as famous for his learning as for his ability. He has written the best works extant upon the traditions of the Greek church, and upon the infallibility of the Pope, and he is the author of a notable volume on the historical accuracy of the story of the Maccabees.

Another advantage possessed by the Cardinal as a candidate for the chair of St. Peter is his patrician ancestry, for it is a tradition of the church that he Pope should be a man of patrician birth.

Rampolla's views are quite as liberal as those of any of the hierarchy and he has often expressed warm admiration for Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Ireland and other members of the liberal party of the Catholic church in America.

A Great Advantage to Working Men. J. A. Maple, 125 S. 7th St., Steubenville, O., says: "For years I suffered from weak kidneys and had a severe bladder trouble. I learned of Foley's Kidney Pills and their wonderful cures, so I began taking them and sure enough I had as good results as I heard about. My backaches left me and to one of my business, expressman, that alone is a great advantage. My kidneys noted free and normal, and that saved me a lot of misery. It is now a pleasure to work where it used to be a misery. Foley's Kidney Pills have cured me and have highest praise." For sale by M. L. Marsh, druggist.

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FAMOUS ROCK SPRINGS CAMP GROUND.

Camp-Meetings Have Been Held Here for 23 Years, Without a Break.

Rev. E. L. Bain, presiding elder of the Statesville district, in which district the famous Rock Spring camp ground is situated, writes an interesting article about the camp meetings in the Charlotte Observer.

Among other things he says: For eighty-three years, without a break even during the Civil War, camp-meetings have been held on the Rock Spring camp-ground in Lincoln county, North Carolina.

These camp-meetings have been among the factors in making Methodism the dominant religious force in an extensive territory.

There are over three hundred cabins, in the parlance of the camp-ground "tents," surrounding the quadrangle in three rows.

Through the middle of each side of the quadrangle runs a large pass-way. In the quadrangle's center stands the arbor covered with heavy metal and having a seating capacity of fifteen hundred people.

There are excellent springs of water on two sides of the encampment. In a year whose rainfall lacks sixteen inches of being normal and following a drought exceeding in severity any ever known, unless it be that of 1845, poured fourth an abundance of water for the ten thousand people that came to camp-meeting Sunday, August 13, this year.

The grounds contain forty-five acres. Twenty-five or more are in woods. A good grove covers all of them. The arbor is located in a slight natural amphitheater—doubtless the first assembly place in North Carolina with a bowl floor.

A splendid citizenship surrounds the camp-ground for miles. The Rock Spring circuit is one of the strongest in the Western North Carolina Conference.

The circuit parsonage is in Denver, the beautiful country village adjoining the camp-ground.

Thirty or forty Methodist preachers occupy the territory to which Asbury and McGee were assigned. The methods of evangelism have changed. We front a new world of thought.

The old camp meeting, glorious in its day, is an anachronism. Now, for the last decade or more as in the fondly-cherished past, preachers of unusual ability, some of them born and bred in parsonages, in the very air of the holy traditions of Methodism, have preached at Rock Spring. It is both amusing and pitiful to see one of them, to whom camp-meeting is a tradition and a sentiment, preach—fondly think that he shall accomplish something really worth while by his efforts. "Why not?" he might ask. "Here are over three hundred families tenting, besides many camping in their schooner wagons on the circle without. They have come to camp meeting, they want the gospel."

The horn blows. They listen well; that is all. On Sunday six, eight or ten thousand people will surge about the grounds. All are so decent, so orderly that there was no policeman appointed this year. The crowd is sober. Not an oath is heard. Three thousand in the quadrangle will hear preaching, good preaching, "powerful" preaching. But there are no traditional camp meeting results.

The truth is the people have ceased to come with the religious intention. They are good people, stewards, trustees, Sunday school teachers, but they haven't come to Rock Spring to get more religion. In a large audience those who had brought their Bibles with them to the camp meeting were asked to hold up their hands. Seven hands went up and four of them belonged to preachers.

Cannot the camp meeting be modernized? May not its traditions be preserved in a worthy continuance of religious activity on the old camp ground? May not the opportunity afforded by the assemblage of so vast a multitude be utilized to their spiritual as well as their recreational benefit?

The trustees of the camp ground have answered this question affirmatively. It is proposed hereafter to furnish an attractive religious program. Skilled evangelists will be in charge of the preaching services. A great Bible teacher to have the morning hour from 9 to 9 will be secured. Mission classes will be formed. Sociological problems will be discussed by Christian experts. The time of the encampment will be extended to cover two Sundays.

The physical features of the camp ground will be changed. The water from the great spring will be brought to the tents in pipes. A modern lighting system for the grounds will be installed. Cars will be had for sanitation. Trees to replace the dying ones will be replanted. The landscape will be beautified. Tests will be built by regulation pattern hereafter. The grounds will be enclosed.

For improving and running the camp ground, revenues are required. Beginning with 1912, every tent will pay into the treasury \$1; privileges of livery stable and boarding houses will be sold; admission to the grounds will be by fee; space for canvas tents will be rented.

It is thus hoped that the most famous camp ground in North Carolina, in a section so full of historic interest, and having as it does a strong sentimental hold-upon so many thousands of people, may be perpetuated to the good of mankind and the glory of God.

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Binford Girl Gives too Much Attention.

Lenoir News. We are pleased to see that The Concord Tribune and The Statesville Landmark have both disapproved the publicity and notoriety being given the Binford woman in the Beattie trial now going on in Richmond.

We quite agree with the two papers referred to that there is too much noise being made over this girl in the trial. The fact is the whole bunch are "bad cattle" and they have all been too much exploited in the newspapers, especially in the daily papers.

We have not read the testimony in the case except by headlines, but we have about come to the conclusion that Paul Beattie is as guilty as Henry and that both the men and the Binford woman should be given life sentences in the penitentiary.

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