

OUR IRISH LETTER

NEWS FROM ALL THE COUNTIES OF IRELAND.

What is Being Done by the People at Home—Various Items From Every Section of the Emerald Isle.

ULSTER

ANTRIM—At a largely attended meeting lately in the United National Club, Berry street, Belfast, composed of delegates from the branches of the United Irish League in Belfast city, the Robert Emmet Centenary Association was formed.

At recent meeting of Cavehill Branch of the Gaelic League, Mr. Peter Killin presided. There was a good attendance. Mr. Kirk and Mr. Walsh visited the class and were welcomed by the chairman and members. Mr. Walsh addressed the members in Irish and exhorted them to study the language and follow the customs of their forefathers if they wished to become true Irish men and women.

Speaking at the annual meeting of St. Michael's College Students Union, Belfast, the Rev. Dr. Henry said: "It is most gratifying to learn that the Students' Union concludes to attract to the college many of its former alumni. The thriving condition of the union is due to the energy of the honorary secretaries and the members of the executive committee, who have shown by their labors that they are deserving of the confidence reposed in them.

The new church of the Holy Cross at Ardoyne was solemnly blessed and dedicated by Most Rev. Dr. Henry, Lord Bishop of Down and Connor, May 15, in the presence of a large congregation. The completion of the edifice is a source of pride to the Catholics of Belfast. In the erection of splendid churches the city is unequalled in Ireland, and the new structure which the Passionist Fathers have built at Ardoyne ranks high among those monuments of the zeal and generosity of the Catholic citizens.

ARMAGH—A meeting of the committee of the Carberry memorial was held in Armagh May 18. Mr. J. McGilne, president, presiding. The honorary secretary read letters from various different organizations in Ulster who intend taking part in the demonstration to be held at the unveiling of the monument. He also reported having written to all who were collecting for the memorial in forming them that the fund was being closed. The secretary was instructed to procure some copies of the memorial to be sent to the New York committee who had contributed to the fund.

At a meeting of the clergy of the diocese of Down and Connor, held at Downpatrick, the Rev. Dr. Henry presided. The Rev. Dr. Henry presided. The Rev. Dr. Henry presided. The Rev. Dr. Henry presided.

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DERRY—Mr. David R. Babington, solicitor, secretary to Derry County Council, died at Waterside, Derry, May 18, after an illness of about a fortnight. Deceased was 49 years of age.

DONEGAL—The members of the Kinshannon branch of the United Irish League at last meeting, Mr. B. Kelly presiding, appointed Patrick Kelly, Bartholomew McGowan, Bernard Connolly and Bryan Connolly to attend the Kinshannon Conference.

DUBLIN—A recent examination of the London, Incorporated Society of Auctioneers, Miss Nora Tomlin, of Loretto Abbey, Dalkey, daughter of Mr. John Tomlin, Rathfriland, passed the society examination in music and singing. The list of successful candidates at the recent Royal University examinations includes the name of Mr. John O'Hare, son of Mr. John O'Hare, of Moybridge, who obtained the degree of B. B. Ch. B. A. O.

FERRMANAGH—The United Irish League is having a great number of new branches organized in the county of the Maguire. It will not lag if it is the fight for "The Land for the People."

MONAGHAN—At Rev. Dr. Owens, Bishop of Clogher, administered the sacrament of Confirmation to 262 children in the town of Monaghan on May 8. The children were prepared in St. John's Convent, Christian schools, Anaghlyough, Rakeerah and other National schools.

TYRONE—Daniel McCarney, of Carriglass, was fatally injured on May 17, by the wheels of a car passing over his body. The spinal cord was injured.

The members of the East Tyrone Executive held a meeting in Pomeroy, May 11. Mr. James Mullan, solicitor, Cookstown, vice-president, occupied the chair. The following delegates were present: Arboe (Upper), Felix Jervy, James McKeown, Clonoe, Joseph McKeown, Cookstown, Jas. McKeown, solicitor; Dungannon, John McKeown, John McElvogue, Michael Hughes, Charles Rooney also John Faggart, divisional delegate, and Edward Harmon, divisional secretary; Gallowilly, John Branigan, secretary; Terence Branigan, William Thompson, Killybegs, Edward Nugent; Pomeroy, P. J. Quinn, Patrick O'Connor, John Kane, John F. McGurk, Michael Donnelly, James Quinn; Rock and Slaterjerry, John Quinn, Arthur Toner, John Doris, John McCourt, Henry O'Neil. Matters of national and local importance were discussed and acted on.

MUNSTER

CLARE—The Oireachtas committee on Dublin, May 21, excited a good deal of interest when they were tried in the Rotunda. Out of nineteen entries in the soprano, Miss L. MacInerney, of the Ennis branch of the Gaelic League, took first prize.

Don in Ireland with whom were Mr. Hartney Fligate, director of the department's exhibits; Mr. Holt, scientific adviser of the Department of Fisheries; Mr. Alabaster, of the Industrial section; Mr. E. St. John Lyburn, of the raw materials section, etc. Mr. Edward Martyn, Adrahan, Galway, a well known figure in the Irish revival literary movement, was also present.

The children of the male and female size the uniform of the Kaiser's navy, schools of Giamirre on May 19 were indebted to Very Rev. Canon Hegarty for one of those entertainments to which they have been accustomed at the conclusion of their annual examinations.

The French fishing smack imprecate Conception of Boulogne, arrived in Kinshannon Harbor, May 17, and the captain reported to the police that one of his crew, Jean Baptiste Loubet, aged 15 years, died very suddenly on board the smack early that morning, when he was in perfect health on Friday, and engaged in fishing operations. He died for the night and slept in the same compartment with his nephew. The latter awoke about two o'clock and shook his uncle to arouse him, but getting no response, he examined him and found that life was extinct. His remains were interred in the Kinshannon Abbey on Sunday evening. The funeral was largely attended.

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LEINSTER

CARLOW—Patrick Featherston, of Balton, died in Monkstown Hospital, May 19. Death resulted from an accident. The funeral to Dean's Grange was very numerous.

of a history of that ancient and historic town and its neighborhood. Documents calculated to assist will be received by Father W. P. Burke, Catherine street, Waterford; Mr. Frederick J. Quinn, of Springfield, chairman; Mr. James Sheehy, of Glanestown street, Clonmel, honorary treasurer.

At the Ursuline Convent, Waterford, May 20, the reception of Sister Sabina Dillon, Dublin, took place. Bishop O'Connell, Dr. Walsh, Fathers Furlong, Meckler, Begley, Jalvin and Parlin.

Sister Mary Agnes Flynn, one of the oldest members of the Presentation Order, Dungarvan, passed away on Saturday, May 17, at age of 72, after a period of forty-eight years in the order. She was the eldest daughter of the late Mr. Edward Flynn, of Klossera, and aunt of Mrs. Richard Fitzgerald. The good nun passed to her reward fortified by the rites of holy church and surrounded by the members of her community, the many years she had spent in the service of her Divine Spouse, affording a guarantee of a glorious reward.

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CONNAUGHT

GALWAY—The German squadron with Prince Henry of Prussia, anchored off Spiddal, in Galway Bay, and remained there May 6. One of the cruisers anchored half a mile off the harbor and remained there until next morning, when a detachment of the crew were sent into Galway for the mails.

acting. They refused, but ordered him to move on at once. Mr. Nanetti refused and proceeded to speak. Immediately the police closed on him. As he refused to stir, half a dozen constables gripped him by the clothes and arms and by main force he was dragged down. In the course of the struggle he fell, but the police took no notice of the fact, but trilled him through the dirt, his clothes being torn and covered with mud. The greatest indignation prevailed, and the district was for a long time in a state of intense ferment.

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On May 21, at 75 Lower George street, Kingsdown, Martin Kelly, aged 57 years. (late of Blackrock). KENNEDY—May 22, at 11 Charlie ville Mall, Bridget Josephine (Bridie) Kennedy. LOUGHMAN—May 21, at 2 Clifton terrace, Ranelagh road, Helena Loughman.

On May 21, at 69 Heytesbury street, Patrick J. McGivney, aged 31 years. On May 18, at St. Ann's Tal light, James Maher, of 18 Westmoreland Park. BERRY—May 23, at 22 Emmet road, Inchicore, Mary Berry. HALLEY—May 22, at 4 Eagle terrace, Dalkey, Michael Halley, aged 67 years.

On May 18, at Templeogue, Annie Keane, aged 21 years, of 31 James street. HIGGINS—At 48 Long lane, James Higgins, late member of the Bakers' association. MLAGAN—May 19, at 16 Ellis quay, Henry Flanagan, late of the Board of Works, aged 65 years. BAGGOT—May 20, at Blackhorse lane, Dublin, Mary Baggot, aged 82 years.

On May 21, at Wimbleton, Elizabeth Brien. On May 21, at No. 4 St. Patrick's road, Drumcondra, Lizzie Imeld Clarke. KILDARE—After Mr. Glennon's return from taking a prominent part in the Dublin demonstration of the United Irish League, the local committee having charge of the residence in Leixlip and made him the recipient of a purse of sovereigns.

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WESTMEATH

BARRINGTON—The residence of the Malone family, which was destroyed by fire lately, is associated with famous memories. Richard Malone, the first owner of Barrington, was an eminent lawyer in the early decades of the eighteenth century.

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ROSSCOMMON

On May 21, at the Mother house of the religious of the Holy Cross, Saint Quentin, France, the profession took place of many nuns. Amongst them were Miss Frances O'Neill, daughter of the late Terence O'Neill, of Ballyragan. The ceremony was performed by the bishop of Salsburgh and Saint Quentin.