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NEWS FROM ALL THE COUN-TIES OF IRELAND.

What is Being Done by the People at Home-Various Items From very Section of the Em

erald Isle.



ANTRIM-Robert McMullen Jr., sussained fatal injuries by colliding with s horse and van while riding his bisycle in Broughshane street, Ballyme-1a, July 21.

In the House of Commons on July 22 Mr. Joseph Devlin of Belfast, introluced by Sir Thomas Esmonde and Mr W. Redmond, took the oath and his seat for North Kilkenny in succession 19 Mr. P. McDermott.

A singular occurrence which is engaging the attention of the police of Belfast City, was discovered on fuly 16, when it was found that several of the cases in the art gallery and museam had been opened and a number of valuable articles and art curios abstracted. Since the disapearance, searching investigations have been made. The missing articles formed a part of a series on loan from South Kensington, and what makes the solution more puzzling is that the ke-s of the cases are in the possession of the South Kensington officials. ín all twenty-two articles are missing, and many of them, by reason of the superior warkmanship, are of considerable value.

On July 10, at the age of 58 years, Mr .John McKenna, of Ballyhackamore passed away after a lingering illness. On Monday the remains were consigned to their last resting place in Greencastle churchyard. Deceased, who was a brother of the late Mr. Michael Keenan,, head inspector National schools, was a man of marekd ability, having been for ten years a profesor in St. Malachy's college, Belfast. Subsequently, at the request of the late Father Ryan, Whitehouse, he came to Greencastle to take charge of the new schools, and afterward went to Downpatrick, where he remained for fifteen years.

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CAVAN-At the funeral on July 19 of the Rev. Terence Corcoran, P. P., 31 Drung, the Most Rev. Dr. McGennis, Bishop of Kilmore, presided at the requiem office and mass and gave the absolution. The Missa Cantata was sung by the Rev. Charles Magee, Ca-The Rev. Michael E. Brady. YAD. Crosserioug, and Rev. Charles Comey, professor, the college, Cavan, were the chanters. In the choir: Very Rev. O'Reilley, Larah; Very Rev. P. O'Connel, Cootehill; Very Rev. P. Gilchrist, Kill; Rev. P. Clark, P. P. Kilmore; Rev. T. Clarke, Ballingtemple; Rev. J. Brady, Belturbet; Rev. John College; Rev. P. Brady, Larah; Rev. which was very much enjoyed by him Manus Cavan: Rev. C. Comey. St. Patrick's Colege, Cavan: Rev. P. Lynch, Redhills; Rev. P. Rehill, Kill; Rev. P. McGuire, Cootehill; Rev. T. Ġ., Small, Cavan; Rev. J. Smith, Ballin-1 agh; Rev. P. Connolly, Drung. Among able. but the greatest interest centhe general public were John Corcoran, Larah (brother); Peter Corcoran, N: T., Arva, and Bernard Gilsenan, (nephews); Miss Corcoran, Mrs. Coyle and Mrs. Cooney (nieces); Messrs. John Fay, Cavan; Louis C. P. Smith, molicitor. Cavan: Daniel Reilly, Cavan: Patrick McManus. Cavan; Major Lesfie, Corovahan; Messrs. R. Hope, Corawahan; Peter Coyle, Doohassan, James Cooney, Beelhve; P. Curran, Kilmain-Ь hamwood; Bernard Hughes, Ballinal-Sen; Misses Susan and Bridget Breiy, Bunnoe; Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons, N. T., Cornakill; Mr. and Miss Smyth, N. T. Drung; Mr. E. Fitzpatrick, N. T. Bunnoe; Owen and Phil Fay, Bunnce; Miss Dunne and Mrs. Small, Belturbet; Thomas Brady, Aghadreena; Francis Rehill, Ballinacargy. The annual distribution of prizes and closing exercises took place in St. Mary's Seminary, Moyne, Arva, July 23, in presence of a number of distinguished clergymen, local and foreign. Good conduct and regular attendance -J. Shanaghy, J. Gaffney, B. Duffy, M. Hourican, P. Magovern, P. Smith. Religious knowledge-Philip O'Reily, Patrick O'Reilly, J. McEneyre, P. Cursran. Latin Tetxets, first class, first | Cardinal Moran will pay a prolonged prize-Patrick O'Reilly, P. Curran, Shanaghy, Eugene Kiernan. Second prize-Philip O'Reilly, T. Quin, T. Kearney, J. McGuinness, J. McEntyre. Second clas, first prize-P. Murray, B. Duffy, T. Morris, H. Maguire, M. Rey-Second prize-Patrick Doyle, molds. Peter F. Johnson, P. McCabe, P. Redehan, F. Duffy, F. MoManus. Third class prize-John Joe McManus, John J. Gormly. Latin accidence, first class -James Reynolds, Philip A. O'Farrel, Thomas O'Reilly. Third Class-Mi-chael Murtagh, Philip Magovern, Patrick Smith. Latin grammar-Michael 23. Murtaugh, P. McGovern, P. Smith, Philip Hourican, Thomas Redehan, James Donahoe. Latin and Greek composition, first class-P. O'Reilly, J. Shanghy, P. Curran, E. Klernan, Second class-B. Duffy, T. Morris, M. Reynolds, P. Murray, H. Maguire, Greek texts, first class, first prize-P. O'Reilly, J. Shanaghy, P. Curran. E. Kiernan, Second prize- Philip of age. In the cortege was a long "O'Reilly, P. Kiernan, T. Quinn, J. Mc-Guinness, James Mcentyre, Second class prise-Patrick Murray, B. Duffy, H. Maguire, Tom Morris. Part I., Greek rudiments-J. Reynolds, P. A. O'Farrell, T. Reilly. Greek grammar-M. Hourican, James Gaffney, J. Foley. parochial residence, Cooraclare, on English grammar and English composition, first prizeJPatrick O'Reilly, J. Shanaghy, P. Curran, B. Duffy. Second prize-E. Kiernan, Philip O'Reilly, John J. McManus. Third prize-T. Kearney, T. Quinn, J. Reynolds, H. Mc- dent in All Hallows College, Drum-Guire, P. P. Johnson. Mathematics, first class prize-J. McEntyre, Philip O'Reilly, Patrick O'Reilly, P. Curran. Second class, first prize-B. Duffy, P. Murray, T. Morris, J. J. McManus, Church, Quebec, and in 1862 on his re-Second prize-James Reynolds, H. Ma-guire, P. Doyle, J. J. Gormiy, P. Mc-Cabe. .. Third class prize-Michael Mur tash, P. Smith, Pull Magovern, T. utes. He and most of the passengers Redehan, Phil Hourican, James Dononoe Trench, first class, first prize-Curran, J. Shanaghy, P. O'Rellly, E Klernes, Becond prise-T. Quint, T. Kearney, B. Duffy, P. O'Reilly, Third

first prize-John J. McManus, J J Gormly, J. Reynolds, Philip A. O'Farrel Second prize-Michael Muragh. J. Gaffney, M. Houricail, Thomas O'Reil-

DERRY-The report on the condition and prospects of the crops in by the Most Pov. Dr. O'Dwyer, Bishop Dnugevin district just made reads Wheat-None. Barley-None. Oats July 20. very short, owing to cold, wet spring. but with the late seasonable weather will be two weeks late. Flax-Same remarks apply to the flax crop. Potatoes-Looking very well, and with warm, dry weather a good crop. Tur-

nips look very well, and promise to be a better crop than we have had for years. No trouble with fly. Meodows short and light as heat was late coming. Pastures good, but up to middle of June, poor. Taking crops as a whole, the district looks well. Should it continue seaonable there will be an average crop, though a very late harvest

DONEGAL-On July 18 fishermen were fishing off Malin Head when a boat capsized and the occupants were thrown into the water. A cry for help was raised, and the coast guards put out to the scene, rescuing three man, One of the fishermen was drowned The boat capsized near Main Head was, a fishing schooner named the Mayflower, James Hutton, master The accident occured three miles from ('uldaff. There were five men in the boat and four were rescued. The man lost is Bryan Doberty, of Malin The Mayflower is owned by the master and for his family.

DOWN-William Johnston, M. P. for South Belfast, died at his residence. arising out of a chill contracted while presiding at Balynahinch on July 12 He was married three times His official son is postmaster of Singapore and at present on a visit at Ballykil beg. Mr Johnson died as he lived, a stanch total abstainer. Dr. Tate, himedical adviser, visited him at Ballykilbeg House and suggested some alcoholic stimulant, but deceased replied: "I would die first." He was educated at Trinity College, where he took the M A. Degree. He was called to the Irish bar in 1872, and sat for Belfast as Conservative from '68 to '78, and for South Belfast from 85. He figure at several periods of Irish movements. He was a strenuous upholder of the union, but ne vertheless enjoyed a certain amount of popularity among members of all political creedc.

The anniversary of Most Rev. Dr. O'Neill Lord Bishop of Dromore, occurred on July 15, and the interesting event was celebrated in Warrenpoint. A surprise program of high class music was prepared for his mass rendered by St. Peter's choir, under Miss Campand the large number of visitors, the entertainment being lrish enough to suit the extreme Gaels. The singing of the school children was delightful and the photographic sketch inimittred in the "Historical Tableaux" representing inliving pictures the past, present and future of Ireland. FERMANAGH-On July 16, at the Church of St. Francis Xavier, Upper Gardiner street, Dublin, by the Very Rev. Andrew Canon Rogers, Ardee assisted by the Right Rev. Mgr. Smollen Enniskillen, was married Joseph J Mc Iver, solicitor, Ardee, to Lucy, daughter of the late Jaes Graham, Enniskillen. On July 30 the United excursion of the Confraternity of the Holy Family and the Enniskillen (Devenish) branch of the Irish National Foresters Benefit Society, took place, and it is admitted by every one that it was the most successful over held. The credit is due to the spiritual director of the Confraternity, Rev. James E. McKenna, M. R. I. A., who managed the business. Very Rev. Denis T. O'Haran, dean of St. Mary's Cathedral, Sydney, and secretary to Cardinal Moran, Archbishop of Sydney, intends paying several visits to his friends at Derrygonnelly. The Dean's first visit to the "scenes of his childhood" will probably not take place until after Tuesday, August 29, when visit to Kilkenny, the cathedral town of his former diocese. The dean expects to remain two months in his native land.

## CATHOLIC JOURNAL. THE

Most Rev. Dr. MacRedmond to Coora-

CORK-The Rev. J. Leahy, Charleville, was ordained to the priesthood of Limerick, at St. John's Cathedral,

The exhibition in Cork city was attended by 20,000 persons on July 19. growth has been rapid. We may yet During the week which commenced have an average crop, but harvest July 21 to the end great numbers of persons were in the city. The international boat races and the Cork Park horse races were great attractions. The exhibition is an unqualifed success.

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The great international cup regatta In connection with Cork exhibition, which was finished on River Lee July 23. was one of the greatest ever known The cup was won by the Leander club of England Other clubs represented were: University College, Oxford; Emanuel, Cambridge; Magdalen, Oxford; Rudder Club, Berlin, Germany: Banne Club, Shannon Club, Cork and

Derry Club As a tram from Coachford Junction was arriving at Healy's bridge July 20, an accident of a fatal nature occurred. John Manley, Kerry Pike, station master at Healy's Bridge, was at the Convent Cemetery "rossing the line, and in attempting to get on the platform fell, and three of the carriages passed over his leg At the recent general chapter of the ongregation of Marie Repartrice Rev Mother Mary of St. Margaret, for many years superioress of the Convent of the order in Cork city, was raised to the belongs to Malin. Doherty was a man dignity of Mother Provincial, and left highly esteemed, and sympathy is reit | Cork for London to take up the duties of her new office.

Mr. William Murphy, farmer, of Gislough about five miles from Drumman-Bally killbeg, July 17, of pneumonia | way, died very suddenly July 19 It appears some cattle of his crossed the Bandon river and trespassed on the lands of Manch He crossed on horse- and John Cody back to turn them back. His help, who was hay working convenient, wondered what was keeping him, and on looking for him saw him stretched on the opposite bank of the river On going over he found that he was dead Deceased was in the prime of life and unmarried.

The news of the death of Most Rev. Smith, solicitor, Cavan; Daniel Riley, Cavan; Dr. Croke, Archbishop of Cas- | number of years he had been a contract hel, was received at Middleton with tor for mason wor kin and around very deep regret. Many of the old the district where he lived was the author of several books of parishioners remember the days when fiction He was a bitter opponent of as their curate he ministered to their Home Rule, and was a remarkable spiritual and temporal requirements, the Royal University of Ireland, ob he attended the dedication of the church, the erection of which he generously assisted by his purse and elo- Sister Mary Michael, of the Order of altar in the church of Newtownbarry. quence. At a meeting of the Middle- the Sisters of Mercy, passed to her At 7 o'clock the ceremony of consebell, In the afternoon a "Feis Malth" ton Urban Council due expression was reward at All Hallow's Convent. Bris- cration was begun by the Bishop, as-McGauran, president of St. Patrick's was given in the econvent schools, given the sentiment of the members bane. Australia The deceased nun isisted by Father Mernagh, Marshalsand as a tribute of respect to his me- wa s51 years of age, having entered town, as deacon, and Father Jones, mory the business houses were closed, the convent at the age of 24. She HAM-On July 25, Mary Cunningham, High Street ---- CRONIN-On July 25 at 5 Rosefield Terrace, Victoria Road, Timothy Cronin, Sr ---- FOLEY-On July 25 at St Patrick's Incurable Hospital, Wellington Road, Lizzie Foley, MARA- On July 24, Julia McNamara, Rochestown --- LYNCH-On July 24, at 6 Shannon Place, Mary Lynch ----BARCLAY--On July 25, at the Con vent, Mill street, Rev Mother Mary Bernard Barclay ---- O'SU'LLIVAN --On July 20, at Torquay, England (suddenly), William Alphonsus O'Sullivan. Castle Farm, Ringaskiddy -O'CALLA-GHAN - On July 23, at North Abbey Square, Ellen O'Callaghan of Douglass, and mother of John O'Callaghan Maylor street, Cork, and Charles O'Cal laghan, Queenstown. -- SPILLANE-On July 23 at 147 Barrack street, Kate Spillane ---- GAFFNEY- On July 18. at 64 George street, Limerick, Thomas Gaffney, J. P., aged 75 years ---- COL LINS-On Wednesday, July 23, at Laurel Mount, Dunmanway, Catherine Col lins, Kilbarry, aged 87 years.— BRENNAN-On July 21, at Bantry Constabulary Barrack, Edward Brennan-RICHARDSON-July 19, at the South Presentation Convent, Douglas street, Mary Agnes (in religion Sister M. Augustine) eldest daughter of Michael Richardson, Carrigrohane.---O'SULLIVAN-On July 19, at Mentone Place, Sunday's Well, Mary Ger trude O'Sullivan .---- M'SWEENEY--July 20, at Ballylangley, Bandon, John McSweeney.---BARRY-On July 18, at 105 Lower Baggott street, Dublin, Mary Anne, widow of Patrick Barry, late of Hill View, St. Duke's, Cork .--DREW-On July 19, Annie Lillian Mary (Lily) daughter of Thomas Drew, ex-Sergeant Major the Princess of Wales' Own (York) Regiment, and the late Annie Desmond, of Barrackton aged 11 years. KERRY .--- The funeral of the late Mr. John Harrington, son of Mr. Daniel Harrington, Kerry Sentinel office. and nephew of Mr. Timothy Harrington, the Lord Mayor of Dublin, took pla ceon July 20, the interment being at Rath cemetery. The cortege was large and testified to the regret and sympathy with the family of the deceased in their latest bereavement. The funeral service was read by Rev. James Crowley, assisted by Rev. T Griffin and the Very Rev. Father Mc. Carthy, O. P., Prior Holy Cross. Mr. P. H. Courtney presided at the meeting of the Glenbeigh branch of the United Irish League July 20. After enrolling a few members and distributing cards, the principal business was receiving subscriptions for the parilamentarp fund. It was unanimously decided to make a house-to house collection. The following dele gates were appointed to attend the meeting of the South Perry Executive in Killgorlin: J. J. Griffin, P. H. Courtney, president; P. J. O'Connor. M. Brosnan, M. Quick and T. D. Sheahan. The death of Mr. Daniel O'Brien late principal of Kilsarcon National School, happened 'stely at the early age of 48 years, of which thirty were spent in the school His remains were borne to the local church on July 20 Hugh Maguire Pater Paul John-Reynolds, T. Morris, F. Rede Serry, Clonhars, Company of the deceased. From early monitor of the soul of accompanied by an immense crowd. the deceased. From early morning until midday crowis were congregating derry. Cloniars, Car donnel, and Bro- until midday crowis were congregating

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han, Frank McManus. Second class, appointed by Rev. Dr. Ryan to the funeral procession started, headed by his Apostolic Benediction to all the the Gaelic League recommend the pastoral charge of Kilfinane. Coolmeen dev Father O'Flynn, many were the and five years ago he was changed by sympathetic expressions for Mrs. )'Brien and her seven orphans. The uneral, which extended over three niles, was one of the largest ever seen

in the Killsareon graveyard LIMERICK-On the Feast of the Sacred Heart, Miss Ellie Curtin, Limerick. Ireland, received the habit of religion at the Convent of Mercy Newastle, /West Australia, receiving in

ligion the name of Sister Mary of Mercy. Mr. J. M. Donovan presided at the ecent meeting of the Kilcolman I'nited Irish League. The following were appointed to attend meeting of West Limerick Executive P Culhane, P. Donovan, P. Mullins, and P. Nash.

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KILKENNY-The death of Mr. Robort Kealy took place on July 21 at roghtenclogh, near Castlecomer His demise occurred at the age of 40 years He left a widow and six children to rourn his loss. The requiem office an i tigh mass were celebrated at Coone. and the funeral took place im mediately afterward The remains were interred

Mr. Joseph Devlin took his seat in the Commons on July 21 as Nationalist member for North Kilkenny Mr. Devlin was elected unopposed for this constituency in February last, in suc CESSION to Mr. P. McDermott, Mr. lievlin was in the United States and is on the short list of those elected to Parliament during their absence

A meeting of the Inistioge United rish League was held on July 24 at te League rooms E Cody in the chair The following delegates vere appointed to represent the branch Dr J B Coyle, E Cody, P White P Prendergast, E Drea, James Galavan

KINGS-Rev. Francis P. Feighery of Banagher, died July 24 at the early age of 21 years deeply regretted Requiem services and funeral were largely attended

On July 22 William Freyne, of Lowertown, Rahn, three miles from Kilbeggan, was found dead in bed Deceased was aged 68 years. He was widely know nand respected. For a

LONGFORD-Mr. Joseph M. Flood, Longford, at a recent examinations of and by his genial disposition endeared tained the degree of B A. He is a himself to all. It will be remembered son of the late Mr Peter Flood, who that a few years ago His Grace came was chairman of the Longford Town to Middleton and blessed the founda. Commissioners and one of the leading tionstone of the new church on which public men of the county and is a occasion he delivered one of those medule phew of the Archbishop of Trinidad. morable addresses which marked his Most Rev. Dr Flood, and a brother to ecclesiastical career. and subsequently Mr W. P. Flood, town clerk of Long. Fahter O'Rourke ford

members of said body. In the name of claims of Mr. William Mangan as His Holiness and with sentiments of Gaelic League Organizer Mr. Mangan profound esteem, I am, sir. etc., yours, M. Cardinal Rampolla. Rome, May 25, 1902." The letter was ordered to be inserted on the Council's minutes. QUEEN'S-Died-On July 21, at Ballinskill, Michael Coady, aged 58 years. On July 16 at the Brigidine Convent, Mountrath, Sister Mary Magdalene Fennelly, in the 39th year of per age and the eighteenth of her religious life.

The quarterly meeting of the Maryborough Teachers' Association was held in the National School on July 19 Mr. J. Fitzpatrick, Paddock National School, presided Mr P Byrwn of Reary, was admitted to membership Resolutions adopted. "That we request the Central Executive Committee to draw up a statement for circulation among members of Parliament and public bodies in reference to any new rules that injuriously affect the teachers' interests, i. e. those relating to absence through illness, etc That we also urge upon the Central Executive Committee the desirability of impressing upon the authorities the necessity of having the average reduced from 70 to 50 in order to entitle a school to the services of a first grade teacher, and to 35 of a second of first grade "

WESTMEATH .-- Mr. John Byron of Cullion, died at his home July 21 deeply regretted. The funeral from the Cathedral Mullingar, was long and repersentative of the entire communit v

On Sunday, July 20, the funeral of the late Mr John Tuite, Mullingar, left the Cathedral for the cemetery Walshestown and was of great in length Most Rev. Dr. Gaffney, Bishop of Meath, referred in terms of regret to the death of Mr Tuite, who he said had been a link between his present residence and his former sojourn in Mullingar thirty-nine years ago

WEXFORD .--- Rev. Father Kavanagh has announced that the dedication of the new church in New Ross will take place on Septmber 28 It will be a memorable event in the annals of Ross The parishioners built the magnificent edifice, no colection made outelde.

As Mrs. Barrington, of historic Boolavogue, was driving to ('ourttown on July 20, she met with a serious accident. The car in which she was seat ed was preceded by another, driven by a man named Robbin When near Courttown, Robbin's hat was blown off, and in getting off to get it he fell, and the car on which Mrs Barrington was driving, passing over his body, was upset, the occupants being thrown to the ground. Mrs Barrington was injured seriously. She became unconscious and was removed to the home of Mr Masterson, at Glynn, where she was attended by Dr. O'Carroll and

Rt. Rev. Dr. Browne, Bishop of On May 17, the eve of Pentecost, Ferns, on July 25, consecrated the new is admittedly an excellent Irish speak. e rand scholar, and qualified for the position, and we would suggest, if ap pointed, that his sphere of duty be the County of Galway."

LEITRIM .- Miss Henderson, to whom the Earl of Leitrim is engaged is the only daughter of an ex-director of the Bank of England. Lord Leitrim is 23 years of age.

The quarterly meeting of the members of the Drumshambo National School Teachers' Asociation was held July 19, Mr. Murray presiding. This being the first meeting since the death of the Rev. J J Kelly, P P. of Drumshambo, the following resolution was proposed, seconded and passed in silence: "We regret the death of Rev. J Kelly, P. P. of Drumshambo. In him the teachers had an excellent man ager, a loving friend, a real type of the Soggarth Aroon." Copy of above to be sent to P Kelly, Longford. Mr J. Kiernan, Drummamore N. S., is now a member of this association, and J S. Lee, secretary

The members of the North Leitrim Unted Irish League Executive held a meeting in Dromahair, July 20, when the brave conduct of Mr McHugh, M P. was fully indorsed, and other important business-local and national. was transacted.

MAYO .- Most Rev. Dr. McEvilly, Archbishop of Tuam, visited St. Mary's Catholic Church, Kilmaine, for the purpose of administering the Sacrament of Confirmation Thursday, July 14, was devoted to examining the candidates of whom there was a very large num ber in their knowledge of the Chris tian Doctrine His Grace was as sited by several of the clergy On Friday the sacred ceremonies com menced with the celebration of High Mass, the celebrant being Rev M Loftus, who preached, taking his text from "Acts of the Apostles." he described the Sacrament of Confirmation from its institution to the present day in language clear, expressive and explicit His Grace then referred to the terrible scourge of emigration and pictured in vivid language the harrowing scenes of the emigrant's life, and requested all the boys and girls present to live at home

Who Are Thieves .--- Five British Irish police constables have been trans ferred from Ballinrobe police barracks It was rumored that a sworn inquiry was to be held into the robbery of  $\pm 21$  from the barrack safe during the abeance of district inspector Lownes but now the robbery is to be hushed up The robbery created a panic it the barrack The county inspector was immediately communicated with by wire, and the boxes of the men were searched for the money, but not found The constables express indignation that the inquiry has been ordered.

The Ballyhaunic Gaelic League has given evidence of vitality It has been complimented by the organ of the League on its activity, and the compli ment has been deserved. An enter tainment has been announced for Aug 28.

ROSCOMMON-Sir Nicholas F O'Connor, British Ambassador at Con stantinople, lately arrived at Dunder mott on a short visit. During his stay he will be the guest of his cousin, the Right Honorable, the O'Connor Don at Cloonalis. The death at the age of 84 years, of Mrs. O'Connor, Doon, Strokestown occurred lately The deceased lady was universally respected She be longed to one of the oldest families. On July 19 Mr. John Fitzgibbon, of Castlerea, and Mr. Patrick Webb o Loughglynn, were liberated from Slige jail after an imprisonment of four months under the Jubilee Coercion Act, in conection with the fight on the De Freyne estate The Nationalists o Sligo understood that the liberation would take place at 8 o'clock and 1 large number assembled for the pur pose of extending a greeting to Mr Fitzgibbon and Mr. Webb The firs experience of the "criminals" when they stepped from the jail was the writs in the De Freyne action. When it was ascertained that both were a liberty they were visited by severa Nationalist friends. Mr. John O'Dowd M. P., and Mr. John Cullinan, M. P. traveled to Sligo to welcome them and weer delighted to see that Mr. Fitzgib bon and Mr. Webb were in good health The Rev, Father Cummins returned to Roscommon July 19, after a tour ex tending ove ra year in the Argentine Republic. Fatho. Cummins, in com pany with Father Gearty, undertook a the request of Dr. Clancy, a year's mis sionary work in South America. Their untiring labors for the good of the Irish colony in the Argentine, wer rewarded by donations to the grea work now drawing to a completion it the town of Roscommon-the Me morial Church of the Sacred Heart At the end of their year's missionar, work, Father Geary accepted a chap laincy, deciding to remain among hi countrymen in the Argentine, and Fa ther Cummins returned alone. Th parishioners of Roscommon tenderey to Father Cumins a most enthusiasti welcome, and crowds filled the church on Sunday evening to assist at the Te Deum sung for his safe return and for the generous help which h and Father Gearty obtained from the Irish in South America. SLIGO.-Brother Urban, Provincia of the Marist Brothers, died on Friday July 11, at St. Joseph's College, Syd ney. Brother Urban was born in Gee vagh, forty-five years ago. Abou thirty years ago he joined the Brothers On July 24 a regular demonstration of police tyranny and officiousness wa witnessed in Ballymote. The usus notices were posted announcing tha the annual collection for the Parlis mentary Fund would take place at the chapel gates at Ballymote and Kilcree van. During the day the police tor down the notices. Notices were also distributed among the merchants fo placing in their windows, but the were barely exhibited when a police man took up a position outside ancarefully noted its contents. Mr. John Gilmartin, Secretary of the South Slig-Executive and the local branch of the league, noticing the head constable pulling down notices, asked his author ity for doing so, but received the re ply that his (the head constable's) urform was his authority. The mat ter has aroused the greatest indigne tion in the town and district.

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MONAGHAN-The dead body of Michael Sherry, aged about 65, of Cortubber, near Rockcorry, was found in a lane near the public road in Tullyard Juyl 22. The remains were found by Maggle Patton.

TYRONE-Members of the Robert Cranson Branch of the Irish National Foresters held a quarterly meeting in St. Patrick's Hall, Coalisland, on July



CLARE-The funeral of Miss Rosa O'Kelley, of Billow View, Kilkee, took place July 24 to the ancient cemetery of Kilmarry. She was only 21 years train of friends. The burial service was read by Fathers D. Hogan, M. Gleeson, Cross; Father Gunning, Mullough; Fr. Tierney, U. S. A.

... The death of Rev. Hugh Gleeson, P. P., Kilmacduane, took place at the July 21, at the age of 72. The deceased was a son of the late Michael Gleeson of Curragh, Portoe, County Tipperary, and was educated at the diocesan college, Ennis, He was a stucondra, Dublin, and the Grand Seminaire, Quebec, and was ordained in the latter city in 1858. He was for four years assistant priest in St. Patrick's turn to Ireland to se his aged parents was shipwrecked, t > vessel striking an iceherg, and sin) ng in thirty minwere saved, being picked up by an outward bound ship, which returned with them to Queenstow- He wass ap-

Ferns, sub-deacon. After the solemn was born at Clontagh, and came to blessings were concluded mass was Queensland in 1878. She is a sister celebrated by the Rev. R. B. Doyle, of Rev. Mother Mary Patrick Potter, pasotr. of Warwick. Her remains were in-

terred in the nuns' section of the Nudge Cemetery. Archbishop Dunne officiated at the grave, assisted by Father Potter and Father Baldwin All th corphans, about 400, met the hearse ford bark Jasper, from Wexford to nfront of it to the cemetery reciting the Rosary. A large number of name they wished to communicate and sent an dboarders from All Hallows' convent were also present. Mr. Patrick Potter of Clonteagh National School, is a brother of the deceased

The great United Irish League Conveniton held in the hall, Longford, on July 14, was attended by the following: Ardagh Patrick Baxter, John Farrell, Edward Halligan, Michael Garrahan Moydow-Michael Farrel, John Donlon. Thomas Farrell, John Concannon. John Ward, Patrick Donlon. New towncashel U. L. L-Peter Farrel, Patrick Brennan, Michael Flanagan, Thomas Casey, Timothy Murray, Pat rick Connolly, Joseph Rowan Gran ard U L. L.-Terence Leonard, John Reilly, Laurence O'Brien, Peter Naboe, William Welsh, Charles Mulligan. John Tobin, John Gallagher, honor able secretary. Clough U. l. L .- Pat Garety, Hugh Garrahan, Dan Garrahan, Connor Flood, William Belton, James Gerrety, John Garrahan. Bally mahon U. I. L .- H. Mulvihill, T. W. Newman, Gerald Daly, Michael Finn, Charles Keane. Killoe U. I. L.-John Doherty, T. Jennings, Denis Maguire, Patrick Heslin, Thomas Meehan, Jas Hughes, Simon Brady, James Hagan, Nicholas Murtagh, Patrick Devaney. honorable secretary. Drumlish and Ballinamuck U. I. L.-Kiernan J. Mc-Donnell, J. O'Neill, J. Carolan, P Cas sidy., J. McKenna, P. Sheeran, M Reilly. Clonguish U. I. L.-James De vine, W. Prunty, J. Hughes, M. Hur con, L. Duignan, J. Cahill, J. Igoe, T. Bardon. Also present-Mr. J. V. Far rell. M. P. for North Longford; Mr Joseph Devlin, M. P., and Mr. John O'Donnell, M. P...

LOUTH .- The chapel of St. Joreph's Convent of Mercy, Edward street, Linr gan, was a scene of a most impressive ceremony recently, the occasion being the profession of Mary Aloysius (in the world Miss McKeone, of Kilsaran, Castlebellingham). The ceremony was performed by Most Rev. Dr. O'N'~'ll Bishop of the diocese, assisted by Rev. J. Carlin, Adm., Newry, as master of ceremonies. The relatives of Sister

Mary Aloysius and a large number of friends were present. MEATH .-- Mr. Robert Greville of

Straney, Rathmoylan, died July 22. aged 78 years, deeply regretted. Mrs. Jiles, the recently co-opted lady

councillor of the Trim Union, has de clined the honor and will not take her seat on the Council. Whether Capt Fowler will allow his name to go for ward, in view of his recent defeat, is unknown.

At a recent meeting of the Meath County Council, Mr. John Sweetman, chairman, presiding, the following let ter from Cardinal Rampolla was read: 'Honored Sir-I hastened to communicate to His Holiness the resolution taken unaimously by the Council of the County Meath, at the meeting on the 14th inst. I am happy to inform you that His Holiness has been pleased to accept the homage of the above named and estimable Council. His Holiness thanks in his august name, and sends passed:

AL AREA IN A MATCH

On the arrival of the Alian Line steamship Rosarian, at Glasgow, on, July 17, from Portland, Me, the captain reported that on July 17 when in St. Thomas, in the St. Lawrence. The crew of the schooner signaled that

a boat alongside, which reported that Capt. Clancy, commander of the Jasper died July 10, and asked to have th eoccurrence reported on arrival in port. After delivering the sad news the boat cast off from the Rosarian and returned to their own vessel, when the chief officer took charge and the voyage resumed to St Thomas The Jasper left Wexford on June 23 and is a bark of 322 tons gross and 296 tons net register, built in 1875, owned by J. Walsh & Co. of Wexford.

A meeting was held at Rathnure July 20 to form a branch of the United League for the parishes of Rathnure and Templeudigan. Much surprise was expressed at the absence of farmers residing in the immediate neighborhood who were formerly identified with the popular organization. WICKLOW-Father Monahan of

Barudarrig has been transferred to the parish of Francis street, Dublin.

The members of the Glenmalure Branch of the Gaelic League held a meeting on July 20, when there was a Mr. McSweeney. larg eattendance. teacher, announced the departure of the Rev. President (Father O'Rourke) to another parish. The following resolution, proposed by Mr. Byrne, seconded by Mr. Andrew Fleming, secretary, was passed: "That with regret we learn of the departure of our Rev. President (Father O'Rourke). In him we had an ardent supporter of our class, always ready with advice and assistance. We regret his loss.'

The Feast of Our Most Holy Redeemer was celebrated in the parish church, Bray, with Pontifical High Mass, at which Cardinal Moran, Archbishop of Sydney, presided. The celebrant of the mass was Most Rev. Dr. Donnelly, Bishop of Canea; deacon, Rev. R. Fleming; sub-deacon, Rev. A. Moore; master of ceremonies, Rev. T. Nevin. His Eminence was enthroned on the Gospel side.



GALWAY .--- Constable John Logue of the British-Irish police, County Galway, was arraigned at Galway Summer Assizes, for the murder of Mrs. Maria McCormick, on June 28, last, at Curra. Prisoner pleaded not guilty and counsel applied for adjournment to the next assizes on the ground of insufficiency of time to collect witnesses. The adjournment was granted.

Most Rev. Dr. McEvilly, Archbishop of Tuam, is at present engaged on a Confirmation tour. On July 22 and 23 he visited Milltown, and confirmed 300 children, and on Thursday and Friday he was in Kilconly, and confirmed 200. His Grace administered the pledge to all the children, and praised the devotion of the teachers to their duties. A meeting of the Tuam branch of the Gaelic League was held on July 22, Dr. Thomas B. Costello in the commissions me to return grateful chair. The following resolution was "That, the Tuam branch of

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