#### NEWS FROM IRELAND

ALL THE HAPPENINGS OF INTER-EST IN THE OLD COUNTRY.

What is Being Done by the People at Home - Gossip From All the Counties of the Emerald Isle.

#### Ulster

ARMAGH.—At a meeting of Armagh Catholic rate payers' committee held in the Catholic reading room, Armagh. under the presidency of Rev. Michael Quinn, administrator, lately, the rev erend chairman, in alluding to the res ignation of John Conway from the city council, spoke in complimentary terms of the businessiike manner in which he discharged his duties as chairman of the board and as chairman of the town council.

At Maynooth, on June 11, the following were ordained priests by the Most Rev. Dr. Walsh, archbishop of Dublin Rev. John Rehill, Kilmore, Rev. Mr. chael McLoughlin, Kilmore, Rev. Pat. rick O'Donohoe, Kilmore; Rev. Charles O'Donohoe, Kilmore, Rev. Peter O Connor, Armagh; Rev. Peter Cush, Armagh; Rev. Patrick Clancy, Ardagh; Rev. Philip O'Daly, Ardagh, Rev. Peter Donnellan, Elphin; Rev. John Lavelle, Armagh; Rev. John Curran, Ardagh; Rev. Thomas Woods, Armagh; Rev. John Duffy, Clogher; Rev. William Fallon, Ardagh; Rev. Michael MarGuone, Armagh; Rev. Patrick Cuilinan, Clogher; Rev. Eugene McElvoy. Armagh: Rev. Thomas Finian, Elphin.

A meeting of the Crossmaglen branch of the U. I. L. was held in the league rooms lately, James Donaghy presiding. The following were in attendance Mrs. Mary Mines, Thomas McNulty, James Morgan, vice president; Michael McConville, treasurer; James Donaghy, Sr.; John Kirk, John McCay, Owen Mc-Enancy, James Kearney, Henry Me-Guinness, Peter Connolly, T. Burns, Michael Malone, John Robb, Francis McArdle. A considerable amount of business was transacted

CAVAN .-- A meeting of the Scrabby branch of the United Irish league was held lately. Matt Reilly, chairman, presided. Othermemberspresent: J. White, James Madden. The ordinary business of the meeting was transacted and the secretary ordered to call a special meeting of the committee. As a matter of importance was to be brought up all members were requested to attend and hand in their subscription list for the year

the league rooms, Milltown, James Leedy, president, in the chair. Also present: John Leddy, Charles Reilly, John Reilly, James Colline, James Thomas Sheridan, James Hannah, John Gunn, Patrick Finegan, James Reilly, P. McLean, Philip Brady and Bernard Maguire, Several subscriptions were handed by the collectors and cards distributed. The secretary read communications from the executive relative to the co-opting of Daniel Reilly, Cavan, on the Cavan county council. A resolution was passed calling on T. Brady, of this division, to vote for the co-option of D. Reilly. A committee was appointed to wait on Mr. Brady for the purpose of carrying out the resolution. It was decided to collect subscriptions to the parliamentary fund at the league rooms, Milltown, and posters ordered to be put up to that purpose.

DERRY .-- Mrs. McCullagh, wife of Mr. McCullagh, N. T., Faban, died recently.

On account of the fact that the Derry Gaelic Athletic association has secured splendid new grounds outside the city and the native pastimes and games have a fine center for display there was a great deal of interest shown at the final of the County Derry hurling championship, recently decided. Teams representing Eire Og H. C. and St. Patrick's H. C. lined up on the demesne grounds. The match was contested in a thoroughly sportsmanlike manner, and, after a splendid struggle, Eire Ogs were declared the winners by 11 points to 10. The officials were: Referee, John McNally; goal umpires, C. O'Breslin, D. McNulty, M. Doherty and J. McGreenery; Hnesmen, J. Keys and H. McKeown. On June 19 Rev. Joseph McKeefry, Garvags, was made the recipient of a handsome presentation by the priests and people of Giendermott, where the reverend gentleman had officiated for thirteen years. When it was first known that Most Rev. Dr. O'Doherty had given Father McKeefry charge of Kilrea, the people of the Waterside, Ardmore, and other districts arranged that Father McKeefry should not leave them without some recognition of the esteem in which he was held for the good he had accomplished for religion. for nationality and the welfare of the parish. This took tangible shape when a deputation met him in Leek's hotel. Portrush, and presented him with a silk lined purse filled with sovereigns. As well the ladies of the Sodality of the Sacred Heart did not forget the priest. and their purse of sovereigns was added to the larger one, which came from the Catholic people of all parts of the parish of Glendermott. The deputation which attended from Derry and the Waterside was met at Portrush station by Father McKeefry.

DÓNEGAL.—On June 20, in a gale of south wind, accompanied by heavy showers, one of the Rosses salmon boats, manned by Hugh, James and John Gallagher, Tully island, and James Bayle, Militown, was capsized between Owey and Arranmore. The crew, having clung to the gunwale for an hour were rescued in an exhausted condition by Patrick O'Donnell, Bighter

Island. The submerged boat and net

Arifted to sea. FERMANAGH. -- On June 10 drowning accident occurred on Long-Erne, near Enniskillen Joseph Palmer a brave little lad, aged twelve, son of a cattle dealer residing in Gas street Enniskillen, went to the rescue of an other boy who was bathing and observed to be in danger. To the horror of the onlookers, poor little Palmer was drowned. The other boy was brought to the shore alive, but exhaust ed. Subsequently, on the police locat ing the body of Palmer at the bottom Charles Boyle dived down and brought the remains of the little hero to the surface. The father of the drowned boy was standing on the shore, and when the body was recovered his cries were heartrending. Boyle, who diveofor the body, holds a gold medal for life saving at Liverpool

MONAGHAN,---Most Rev. Dr. Owens visited the purish of Tydnynet lately and administered the sacrament of confirmation to 233 children, of which number 135 were boys and 98 girls

A drowning accident of a very sin gular kind occurred recently at Innagriston, about two and a half rathefrom Ballybay. P. McGuinness whresided with his father, was in the habit of setting pike lines in a small lake mear the house. On this evening he set lines, as usual, and the following and in the about 11 o'clock rowed across the lake in a small boat to examine them. A short time after the father and oth ers, working in a field near the lake noticed that the boat was beeled over on her side and was drifting to the shore. The deceased was then hanging over the side, his head under water and his hat floating away. When the boat drifted in to the shore the father raised his son's head out of the water but he was dead. An inquest was held later by Thomas Dignam, coroner when evidence to the above effect was given. Dr. Bartley, Ballybay, stated that there were no marks of violence and that death was due to asphyxia by drowning. He also said that deceased took a weak turn or fit while leaning over the side of the boat which prevented him making any struggle to save himself. The jury returned a verdict in accordance with the medical testimony and tendered their sympathy to the wife and relatives of the deceased. He was twenty five years of J. Kiernan, M. Kean, John Madden, age and had been married but a few TYRONE. - The Sgoruideacht un-

der the auspices of the St. Dymphna. branch of the Gaelle league held in the parochial hall. Dromore, lately, proved a most gratitfying success. The programme, consisting of Irish and Augh-Irish songs, recitations and traditional A meeting of the Upper Drumlane, Irish dances, was appreciatively rebranch, U. I. L., was held lately at ceived by the audience. The arrange ments, carried out by the curate. Rev Matthew Maguere, assisted by Father Eardley and the committee of the branch, could not have been excelled Monahan, Peter Thornton, James Gaff- The organizers have reason to feel mey, James Magahran, Hugh Farrelly, proud of their labors. At the end of the first part of the programme an in structive lecture on the history of the language movement was delivered by J. J. Doyle of Derry, Irish scholar and member of the Gaeli : league, and aft erward an eloquent address was given by the Rev I. O'Kieran, Maghera cloone, County Monaghan

> Right Rev. Mgr. McNames, pastor of Omagh, died June 17, rather sud

## Munster

CLARE.-Anthony Lillis of Moyadda, was found dead in his home lately The death of Rev. Father O'Brien, pastor of Feakle, occurred June 22, aged fifty-two years.

M. Hehir of Drumbiggle nearly lost his life lately at Cahercalla He left Ennis at 6 o'clock on Sunday evening to cut a hurley in Cahercalla On eu tering the wood he perceived the object of his journey and got on to the top of the wall, eight feet in height, with the assistance of which he tried to reach his prize. Placing one foot on the tree and at the same time springing from the wall, his foot slipped and be fell, to find himself six feet lower knee locked in the fork of the tree, from which he could not extricate himself. Finding all efforts fruitless, he screamed loudly and, after an hour, a little girl's attention was attracted. She gave the alarm that some one was hanging in the wood. Different reports being circulated, large crowds were promptly on the scene and, with the assistance of lanterns, discovered the youth in an exhausted condition. Cross cuts and hatchets were set to work with a will, and at 12:30 o'clock he was liberated. His knee was very

CORK.—The tenants on the estate of J. Carroll Leaby, situated in the vicinity of Macroom, and occupying the town lands of Ballinagree and Ballinamorrive, opened negotiations for purchase with the landlord, who resides at Mallow, and elicited an offer of twenty-three years' purchase of the second term rents. On consideration, the tenants offered twenty-one and a half years' purchase, but, though a voluminous lot of correspondence has passed between the local clergy and the landlord, the latter would not consent to alter terms. All the tenants, with the exception of the first term tenants, would buy at the twenty-three years' purchase.

Thomas Fox, merchant, Fermoy, died at his residence, Springfield, June 20. A public meeting organized by the City and County National Teachers' associations was held in the county courthouse, Cork city, June 17, to protest against the new modified rules of the commissioners of national education, and to put forward the claims of the teachers to pensions and salaries. The meeting dealt with the injustice under which primary education in Ireland suffers through the denial of a rightful share of the equivalent grant,

for educational purposes. The assem blage was of unusually large proper tions, and its representative character testified to the widespread discount ment and condemnation which the ob noxious new rules have given rise to and to dissatisfaction which the treat ment of Irish education with regard to the equivalent grant has evoked The honorable ford mayor, Alderman J. Barrett, presided, and there were present Most Rev. Dr. Browne bishop of Cloyne, Very Rev Canor Lynch, Blarney, Rev. Father Lracey Cathedral; Very Rev. Canon Mc Namara, St. Finbar's, Rev. J. Fahy Morkstown: Rev. J. Murphy, Passage D D Sheehan, M P., J C. Flynn M. P. and a host of others. Recent Deaths in Cork. - FOX - A

his residence, Springfield, Fermoy, or June 20, Thomas Fox - GOOD Or June 19, at Kilowen, the Rennies Will R. D. C. aged twenty five years -Mourne abbey, Damet O'Hanlou Crotty in the thirty first year of herothy Riordan - M'DERMOTT Or June 17, at 4 Greenville place, Denn oration McDermott O'SHEA June 17 at Main street, Lismore John J. O'Shea--- PIGOTT On June 14, at 36 Mari boro street Joseph Pigott - COGAN At Middleton on June 14, William Co. gan OCONNELL On June 14 a) the South infirmary, Cork, Julia O'Con-On June 8, at St. Patrick's hospital. Ellen Taylor, 150 Evergreen road WALSH--On June 8, at South infirm ary, James Walsh, late of 7 Kingston avenue, timber merchant - O'DRIS COLL On June 8, at Movengh 1996 manway, Timothy O'Driscoll MUR PHY On June 7 at Knockinemore Ovens, Mary Murphy CROWLEY June 20, at the teaches neut ments, workhouse. Skibbereen, Patrick. Crowley national teacher -O'CON NORs On June 20 at Assorts hospital, Cork in the thirty eighth year of her age Catherine O'Conno Bally brassil, Queenstown MURPHY Or June 22 at 5 Mary street Jeremal Murphy late of Keelominogue MINERAND At Creagh on June 20. Mrs. Julia Minchane, igoslinanety veirs

HARTNETT On June 18 at Billy carmine Killeigh Hannah Hortnett - CREEDON At Annihila Tormes on June 18, Margiret Creedon street Timothy Crowley

KERRY. - The death recently oca centenarian named Mrs. Nora Guiney who lived to the age of 107 years.

LIMERICK. - The Rev. Myles Am brose, who has charge of the women lately of an address and a sum of \$500 from the parishioners, he having been promoted to the pastorship in Renfrey Father Ambrose is a son of the late Stephen Ambrose, Tervoe He passed Royal university and completed his the

ological studies in Maynooth college O'Dwyer of William O'Brien street, Clonmel, occurred on June 14

John Ormonde of Glasha died at his residence on June 12

Emly, dled on June 18 WATERFORD. - Last September a boy named Mathew Hayes was shot dead by a soldier from the cavalry bar racks at Waterford city, for which of fense a soldier of the Ninety-fifth bat tery, Royal Field artillery, was sent to penal servitude. The parents of the boy are very poor. A memorial was exten sively signed and forwarded to the war office, praying that they would compen sate the family. An official intimation has been received that the Hayes fam-

John J. O'Shea, Lismore, died on June

ily will receive \$500.

On June 17 the solemn ceremonial of ordination to the priesthood took place at the Cathedral of Waterford. The consecrating prelate was the Most Rev. R. A. Sheehan, D. D., lord bishop of Waterford and Lismore. The following students were ordained priests: Rev. John Walsh (Bonmahon), for Water ford and Lismore; Rev. T. Hennebry Kilrossinty, Kilmaethomas), for Wa terford and Lismore; Rev. John O'Bri en (Aglish, County Waterford), for Wa terford and Lismore; Rev. Daniel Kane (Tycor, Waterford), for Armidale, Australia; Rev. J. Levy (St. Mary's col lege), for Salford; Rev. Brother Camil fus, Rev. Brother Columbia, Rev Brother Thomas (Mount Melleray ab bey). The following students from St. John's college were ordained deacons: Rev. M. Crotty, Lismore; Rev. M. Hearne (son of Alderman Richard Hearne, P. P., Waterford), for Mount Melleray; Rev. Brother Albertus.

## Leinster

CARLOW.—The founders of the Irish class for teachers in Carlow are pleased at the great good work being effected. The interest and enthusasm with which the national teachers have taken up the study of the language cannot be too highly commended. The attendance at the class incréases week ly, there being present fifteen. Mr. O'Duffy attended on behalf of the Carlow Gaelic league and explained the terms for attendance, which were satisfactory. After congratulating them

ance he exhorted them to persevere DUBLIN .-- Sir Frederick Falkiner re cently tendered his resignation of the position of recorder of Dubin, which he held for a great many years

The Gaelic league is now organizing its second exhibition of the arts and industries existing in or suitable for in troduction to the firsh speaking disfricts. It will be held in the Pillar room, Rotunda, from Aug. 14 to 26 A number of friends and admirers of

Michael Lambert, the man who madthe key that opened the door of James Stephens' cell in Richmond prison and set him free, lately presented him with a handsome testimonial in memory of that great deed. The presentation was a handsome and valuable one. It consisted of a volume of "The Spirit of the Nation" bound in green and gold. On one of the front pages is a beautifully ham, youngest son of Thomas Good illuminated address. On the top left hand corner of the page is a striking DOALLAGIIAN On June 19, at Bar, likeness of Mr. Lambert and at the rack street. Fermoy, Mrs. Mary, Anr. foot of the page there is a round tower O callaghan, walow of the late John and a ship in the distance. There is O'callaghan WAISH On June 20 also a representation of a prison corat Kilmona, Grenagh, William Johr ridor with a cell door ajar. The ad-Waish aged fifty nine ears O HAN dress is touchingly worded, and it will LON On June 19, at Yellow Hill be found quoted fully by John Dillon. M. P., toward the close of his speech CROTTY At convent of Mercy Kil. The address is signed by the commit beggan on June 20, Mother Josephane fee to the number of seventy. Accompanying this there were a magnificent age - IRWIN On June 14, at Aha and very massive gold watch and digh. Feenigh Mrs Irwin RIOR chain with an imitation prison padlock DAN On June 17, at Riverstown, Tim-pendant and a purse of sovereigns John Dillon, M. P. delivered a fine

Recent Deaths in Dublin .-- BEHAN-On June 19, at Upper Gardiner street, Sophia Behan, Springville, Blackrock --- DORGAN - On June 21, at 10 Aber corn terrace, Inchicore, John Dorgan, aged forty-six years == GAVAN-On June 21, at the Burton, Duke street, nell, Munigave, Coppeen TAYLOR Christopher Gavan, --- HEALY-On June 21, at 17 Werburgh street, Ellen Healy.-LOVELY-On June 22, at the Royal Hospital For Incurables, Peter Lovely - McAULIFFE On June 22, at 7 Kilmartin place, Bray, Thomas Joseph McAuliffe, late quartermaster Fifth R D, fusiliers, aged twenty seven years - BOWER-On June 17 at 97 Messina avenue, Kilburn, Leresa Juliana Bower, sister of the late Very Rev Canon Joseph Bower, formerly of West Cowes, Isle of Wight, aged seventy six years.-FAGAN-On June 22, at 9 Sackville place Michael Fagan - FREE On June 23, at 97 Cloubiffe road, William Free - PORTER On June 23, at North Dublin infirmary, William T. Porter, compositor aged sixty five years - CORRIGAN On June 21, at 48 Patrick street, Mary Corngan --DANAHER-At the Hospice For the Dying John Danaher Amaigamated Tailors' society MAGUIRE Or CROWLEY June 49 at Domanick June 21, at 4 Chaworth terrace, Hanbury lane. Thomas Magnire -- Mc NALLY -On June 19 at 59 Moore curred near Brosna County Kerry of street, John McNally furrier, Naas, - MULLIGAN-On June 18, Annie

Mulligan, 4 Graphy row -- GAFF-Booterstown, James Gaffney, aged eighty-four years. — MACKEOWN— On June 19, at the Hardwicke bospibranch of the Sacred Heart, in St. Ma. tal. Dublin. Annie E. Mackeown, ry's parish, Glasgow, was the recipient Portna House, Kilrea -- SHARKEY -On June 19, at Drogheda street, Balbriggan, Mary Anne Sharkey ---BROWNE-On June 18, at the hospice, Haroldscross, Thomas Browne, late of Clery & Co , limited, aged fortyhis primary course in Mungret college, three years,—HAUGHEY—On June S. J. having obtained his degree in the 18, Sister Mary Christina, of Loreto college. Stephen's Green, daughter of the late Patrick Haughey and Mrs. TIPPERARY.-The death of James Haughey, Ferbane, King's county.-LUSK-At 18 Cumberland street, Kingstown, Julia Lusk, Horseleap, -McGONIGLE-On June 20, at High street, Balbriggan, Edward McGonigle, Mrs. M. Bourke, Coolboy cottage, ex head constable R. I. C., at an advanced age --- MONAHAN-At 17 Upper Buckingham street, James Monahan. --- MORGAN - At Capel street, Alice Morgan, Bavan, Omeath.-PRESCOTT-On June 18, at St. Kevin's Park, Upper Rathmines, William Bowen Webb Prescott, of 82, 83 and 84 Talbot street. -- PRICE-On June 20, at 22 Lower Sherrard street, Michael Price. --- HICKEY-On June 18, at Cork Street hospital, Patrick Hickey, 7 B block, Iveagh buildings, Patrick street.—LANIGAN-On June 18, at 50 Main street, Bray, James Henry Lanigan, aged fifty-one years. -MULLIGAN-On June 14, at his residence, 129 Church road, Portsmouth, suddenly, Michael Joseph Mulligan, M. D., eldest son of the late Edward Francis Mulligan, M. D., 19 Russell street, Dublin.—NOLAN-On June 17, at 24 Rathdown road, Ellen

KILDARE .- The Catholic boys' brigade of St. Joseph's, Church street, Dublin, visited Monasterevan recently. A most delightful day's outing was arranged. All the excursionists were admitted free of charge to the beautiful demesne of Lord Drogheda. Football and hurling matches between the brigade teams were held on the Monasterevan Fels grounds. These contests preceded the feis. Musical promenades by the brigade band were prominent features.

KILKENNY .-- At examinations recently held in the Brigidine convent. Goresbridge, by the Royal Irish Academy of Music, Signor Esposito presiding, the following candidates passed: Misses P. Walshe, K. Kack, A. Murphy, T. Pownall, L. O'Brien, N. Conway, E. Butler, A. Doyle, A. Pringle, K. Morrissy, M. Walsh and P. O'Brien. Honors in preparatory grade were to Miss Carey, Miss Kerlin and Miss

Kelly. LOUTH. - St. Mary's Total Abstinence society, Drogheda, had an ideal day on which to hold their excursion on Sunday, June 11. The journey to Tara was broken at Belrath to partake bers of the Gort branch, U. I. L., wait-tender to their families and relatives of luncheon. Having satisfied their appetite, the excursionists resumed

on their large class and good attend | flestination. Here dinner was served Galway. This indication of popular supplied by some members. Those in has for him the surrounding districts, a good view

outward route. form was the chief center of attrac riched by various marbles, finely carv ties of the views obtainable from the the soul of Margaret Conway, in affec an evening of relaxation and enjoy parishioners and their friends in Ire pleasure of a band will be added on mains will be quickly paid off.

rival from Wexford at Westland row station, Dublin, a porter named Milard chair. Four new members were pro-Gifford, a native of Wexford, met with posed. There was a large attendance a serious accident. He rushed up to of members. A vote of thanks, pro the first class compartment while the posed by Brother P Kerrigan and sec train was in motion. While moving onded by Brother James McGarry, to along with the train he slipped be tween the footboard and the platform. He was dragged along for several yards and was very badly lacerated named James Loftus accidentally fell about the legs

The committee of the Castlebridge U. I. L. met on June 19, the vice president, D. Dempsey, presiding. The following resolutions were adopted: "That we declare our allegiance to the United Irish party under J E Redmond and reflerate our determination never to rest until we regain our native parliament in College Green. That we repudiate action of the Cork electors in electing an unpledged representative to parliament, setting uside the golden principle long in vogue which tended so much toward unity in the national ranks

George Cullen of New Ross had a that is close escape from drowning in the Barrow June 19. The boat occupied by them was carried crosswise on the bow of the steamship Ida, and the strong tide at the time caused the craft to capsive. It was with the greatest difficulty that they were rescued

Among the ordinations recently by the archbishop of Dublin were two from the diocese of Ferns namely, Rev James Redmond and Rev Michael Murphy Lather Redmond is a son of Mr and Mrs Redmond of Kilmuckridge and Father Murphy is a son of Captain Murphy of the steamship Ida, New Ross Among the students promoted to deaconate was Rev. Patrick Cummins from the diocese of Ferns

P. J. Roche, Woodville, New Ross, died on June 13, aged eighty-seven

WICKLOW .-- A dreadful motor tragedy took place lately. James J. Silke. Kill o' Grange, Dublin, his wife and brother and Mrs. Byrne and her daughter, Miss Mollie Byrne, Harcourt road, Dublin, left the city in a motor car for a trip in the County Wicklow. The car became unmanageable in descending a steep incline near Ashford and was precipitated against a wall with such force that the occupants were thrown on the wayside and the car smashed into pieces. Miss Byrne was killed Mr. Silke was seriously injured. Mrs. Silke slightly so, and Mr Silke's young brother and Mrs. Byrne escaped with a severe shaking.

# Connaught

GALWAY .- At the Convent of Mercy, Tuam, at an advanced age, sister in religion Mary Teresa, daughter of the late Edward Daly of Inchamore, fetched \$65, while cows and two-year-County Meath, died on June 18.

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Miss Quinn of Galway performed a

party of excursionists from Athlone had come to Galway, and one of their number, a small boy, went out on the rocks at the Strand, near Fairhill. Before the little fellow was aware of his danger the tide surrounded him. Then clothing. In this way she reached the acknowledged. she done so than the boy grasped her after mass, June 18, with the followher flesh Her position was now crit. O. Scanlan, J. Devins, J. G. Quilty. M. ical, but with heroic determination she Cunningham, D. C.; R. Regan, J. Culswam backward until she reached shal- len, M. Kivlehan, J. McMorrow, D. C.; awarded to Miss C. Murphy; in junior low water. When she regained the Gonley, P. Cryan, T. Higgins, J. Mc-Quinn's neck.

ed upon Father Griffin at the parochial our sincere sympathy." their journey till they arrived at their dress on the occasion of his transfer to Tune 15.

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in a most satisfictory manner, after feeling testified but in a small degree which the pleasure so kers passed at him deep rooted is the affection which hour "tripping it merrily" to the music every one acquainted with Father Grif-

who did not take part in the dancing | On June 18 the new Church of St. spent their time roving about, viewing Patrick at Genamaddy was dedicated by the Most Rev. Dr. Heavy, archbish of which fare hill commands. After op of Tuam. The sermon was preached some time for was served. The party by the Most Rev. 19r. Clancy, bishop of then proceeded to their brakes to start | Elphin The design for the church was their homeward johrney, which was as supplied by Thomas Hamilton, Galenjoyable as the outward one, espe way, and the execution of the work cially on account of its being via was intrusted to M. Joyce of Milltown Navan, which tended to relieve the under the supervision of the parish monotony of a return journey by the priest. Local materials were used in the construction, and all the masonry QUEEN'S .-- On June 22 the demesne and carpentry work was carried out and grounds of Ballynn House were by local artisans. The erecting of the thrown open to the public by Sir Alger | three handsome altars was intrusted non and Lady (both. A dancing plat to a Dublin firm. The altars are en tion. The boats on the lake provided ed, and are in keeping with the gothic a means of pleasure. The juveniles style of architecture. Of the church the disported themselves on the swings in Sacred Heart altar is the gift of Mr. the trees. Tea tables were set in the Donnellan, Glenamaddy. On the Blesslawn - Parties were conducted through ed Virgin's altar there is an inscription the conservatories, gardens and tower, in Irish, of which the following is a etc, and thoroughly enjoyed the beau translation. "Mother of Mercy, pray for many points of vantage afforded by tionate remembrance of whom your althe commanding situation of the deltar was bestowed on this church." The mesne. The experiment of providing building has cost \$15,000. Already the ment has been so successful that it is land and the world over have subscribthe intention of Sir Algernon to pro ed over \$10,000 of that. Some \$1,000 vide a similar entertainment on Aug was subscribed on the dedication day, It is probable that the further and the debt of \$2,500 which still re-

LEITRIM.—A meeting of the Anna-WEXFORD,-On June 21, on the ar- | duff, A. O. H., was held lately Brother Peter Kerrigan, president, took the Brother Patrick Skelton, brought the meeting to a close

> MAYO,-On June 18 a harvest man into the Liffey at the north wall, Dublin. He was one of the number of harvest men about to leave for Eng land, and was crossing the gangway from the quay to the ship when he slipped into the water. He was res cued and conveyed to Jervis street hospital Medical examination showed that he was none the worse for his im mersion Loftus is a native of Fox

The Aereadhacht held by the Gaelio league at Pontoon lately was a success. It would have been pleasanter if the weather had been finer. Large contingents, not only Gaelle leaguers, but rep-Two fishermen, Moses Somers and resentatives of every class in Mayo, be gan to pour from Castlebar, Ballina, Foxford, Swinford, Westport, Cross mouling Labardane Kiltimagh and other centers. Priests and people were there, united to strike a blow for the language of the Gael. The revival of the contingents ascended an eminence looking down on the peaceful waters of Lough Conn. with misty Cephin in the background. The scene was a love ly one The Foxford brass band opened the proceedings by discoursing a selection of national airs. A spirited speech in Irish was delivered by Rev. Father McEvilly, Kerlogues, who oc cupied the chair. The Foxford choir then sang the rallying song of the Gae lie league in stirring harmony. "Sa vourneen Dheelish" was contributed by Miss Palmer, Ballina, after which Castlebar contributed "Elleen a Roon." A recitation, "Mick of Carrickburn," was next given by Louis Ingoldeby, Dublin. The "Wearing of the Green" followed, by Murphy, Kiltimagh. At this point there was a sudden change in the weather, and the rain came down heavily. On the suggestion of O'Doberty. Kilumagh, it was decided to suspend the programme, unfinished

ROSCOMMON. - Mr. Cunningham, auctioneer, held an important sale lately at Rockingham in consequence of the expiration of the lord lieuten ant's tenancy. Previous to the sale lunch was served in the stable yard. The catalogue consisted of 400 lots, which included household furniture, outdoor effects and live stock. Prices ranged very high, especially in the case of the King Harmon estate Polled Angus cattle Buyers of cattle were present from Dublin, Meath, Westmeath and Longford. All displayed an anxiety to become possessed of the Rockingham breed. Young stock olds were bringing \$100.

The death of Miss Margaret Mo-Crann, Coolmeen, Elphin, took place June, at the age of thirty years. Mrs. Frank Kenny, Ardeels, Ballin-

aimeen, Boyle, died on June 2, aged twenty-six years. SLIGO.—Colonel Richard J. Cooper has been made commander of the Irish

noble deed of heroism on June 18. A guards. Colonel Cooper, who was private secretary to the lord lieutenant of Ireland, was born in 1860. He is a son of the late Right Hon. Edward Cooper of Markree, Sligo. On June 21, the occasion of the at-

taining of the majority of Bryan Ricio there was an exciting scene. The boy! Cooper, celebrations on an extensive screamed in an agony of terror. Miss scale were carried out on the grounds. Quinn, who is the daughter of a retired attached to Markree castle. All the naval officer residing close by, was at- tenantry received invitations to partracted by the cries and hastened to ticipate. The employees presented the scene. She dashed into the water, Mr. Cooper with an illuminated adwading until she could find no footing, dress, silver candelabra and gold and then swam, incumbered by her | breast pins, gifts which he gratefully

rock to which the child was clinging in ! A meeting of the Drumcliffe branch a frenzied manner, and no sooner had of the United Irish league was held around the neck, sinking his nails into ing present: E. Hennigan, chairman; shore she was greeted with cheers. Gowan, P. Scanlon, P. Hennigan, J. Even then the boy's terror was such McMorrow, P. Shaw, O. Reddy, etc. that it was with difficulty his hands After routine business, the following: could be removed from around Miss resolution was passed: "We deeply regret the deaths of H. Banks, Creggi A deputation representing the mem- and Thomas Hennigan, Urlay, and

house and presented him with an ad- Mrs. Clarence, Ballysodare, died on