NEWS FROM IRELAND

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

What is Being Done by the People at Heme - Gossio From All the Counties of the Emerald lale.

Ulster

ANTRIM During a northwesterly rate the steamship Peridot, trading between Glasgow, Belfast and Caralough, was totally wrecked recently at St. Kernaghan point, Island Magee, ind the captain and crew of ten hands drowned. Eight bodies have been washed ashore near Raine, badly mutilated and bruised. The crew were all natives of Carniough, .

Hugh Finlay has passed away at the Nazareth House, Ballynafelgh. He was for twenty-four years in the employment of the late J. C. Bigger and afterward with Sir Thomas Lipton in Glasnow, Liverpool, London and America. A meeting of the national branch of the United Irish league, Belfast, was held lately in the National club, Thom-McGulgan, president, presiding. The misiness was the election of delegates to represent the branch at the national convention in Dublin. After some disenstion as to the line of policy of those representing the mational branch at the convention, it was decided that the delexates should attend the meeting of the Belfast divisional executive, when the full details of the convention will be dealt, with and the general policy of the erick. Belfast delegates outlined. The followhig were selected to represent the branch at the convention: James Rods ers, Francis O'Neill, Clonard street; J. Doyle, J. E. Clarko, John Gorman, Frank Marlow, Felix Kennedy and J.

ARMAGH. On Nov. 22, at her late residence. Ballymacnab, the death of Miss Mary McKengney, sister of the late Rev. John McKengney, Aughnacloy, occurred.

CAVAN A special meeting of the Kilbride branch of the U. I. L. was held lately. P. Fagan, chairman, presiding. Others present: C. Riordy. E. Brady, B. Flynn, J. Calwell, P. Boy. lan P. Covie. P. Smith. P. Fitzsimons. J. Smith, B. Gary. C. Cooke, O. Lynch, | L. Smith, J. McHugh, J. Gilronan, T. Finalmons. The chairman said the business was to appoint delegates to attend the national convention. The following delegates were appointed: Bartle Flynn, P. Fagin, Bernard Mc-Hugh and R. Brady.

A proposeful plowing match under the ampices of the Ballylamesduff Agricultural society was beld recently in a sold placed at the disposal of the committee by W. Byers. For the four classes open for competition fourteen teams competed. The judge was Mr. Smith. Lucan dairy farm, County Dublin, while Mr. Reeves, county instructor, who was present from the besinging until the finish, rendered invaluable services. On the completion of the plowing the judge said the work was very good, and he honed that next year there would be at least double the entries. The plowing was fairly good, but the superiority of the wheel plow, as worked by young Clarke. over all others was easily seen.

The death on Oct. 23 after a lineering illness of ten months' duration of Mrs. K. Smith, wife of Andrew Smith, Drumayadiy, N. S., was deeply re-

DERRY-James J. Harrigan, B. A. B. E. R. U. I., has been appointed engimeer to the congested districts board. Mr. Hanhigan is a son of the late James Handgan, Ballyborey, Donegal. and a past student of St. Columb's college, man have the second of the

DONEGAL On New 16, at St. Patright's church. Denogal, the Rev. Henry Melbane, Domegal, married Robert Muibeen, apirit merchant, Mountcharles, formerly of Bundoran County Donegal, and Teress Catherine Mechan, Bridge street, Donegal, daughter of Patrick Meeban, the Point, Dooran, Mountoburke.

The news of the death, as a result of an accident at Clones railway station. of Henry Canaldy camed widespread grief in Emissillen and Ballyshamoti is throughout Fermanigh, where the finily of the decessed was widely Amova and convected of the minutes

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FERMANACH.An inquest was held lately in Kats courthouse touching the denth of an old woman named Serah Marce, whose deed body was found on the Great Northern rallway line near a cattle train passed. The body appeared to have been dragged for twenty yards. The driver and guard stated that they did not see any person on the line, nor did they feel any shock Mr. Irvine, solicitor, who represented the railway company, and there was a still near the place where the accident occurred the acommodation of certain per-THE HELD THE COMME IN SECURE tion with the evidence and attached a stacked as seen a stacked as seen as see

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Pholan served his apprenticeship with Callan & Murphy, 23 Andrew street. Dublin, and Dundalk, and was award ed distinguished places in examinations. He intends practicing in Car-

TYRONE.—The anniversary of the Manchester martyrs was celebrated in Coaliziand recently by a torchlight procession, in which Old Engine, Derrycor. Derrytresk, Carnan and Dungannon bands and all the divisions of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, Irish National Foresters and Gaelle societies took part. Coalisiand's division of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, No. 3 and Stewartstown division of the A. O. H., No. 17, had masses celebrated for the repose of the souls of Allen, Larkin and O'Brien.

Very Rev. Canon McCartan, Donaghmore, was one of the pilgrims to the battlefield of Fontenoy last summer. The canon has written a letter to Barry O'Brien inclosing subscriptions to the proposed memorial on the famous field from Dean Byrne, Dungannon, Father O'Neill and Father Taggart, Donaghmore, and himself.

Munster

CLARE-James Markham of street, Ennis, died on Nov. 10. The death of Miss B. Hogan, Chape street, Killsloe, occurred on Nov. 17 at an advanced age.

On Ney, 29, at the cathedral, Ennis, by the Rev. C. Stuart, administra-.tor, Sergeant John Burke, permanent staff. Clare. R. G. A., was married to Mary Kate Considing, Fergus row, Ennis. At the cathedral, Ennis, on Nov. 21, by the Rev. Father Hannon, Katle Guerin, the Square, Ennis, was married to Martin Collopy, Boherload, Lim-

The Lisdoonvarna and Billingtasken branches of the Gaelic league have been re-established under very favorable auspices. Denis O'Leary, league organizer for Clare, visited the locality, and the result of his labors has been that two fourishing branches now exist in the united parishes of Touclea and Toobahara

CORK .-- A branch of the Gaelio league has been established in Castletownroche. The officers are: The Very Rev. Canon Higgius, president; vice presidents. Rev. Father Twomey and J. Lenihan, N. T.; honorary secretary, J. Butler.

A venerable and much esteemed member of the Middleton Presentation community has passed away in the person of Sister Mary Agnes (Hyland), whose demise occurred at the convent on Nov. 18, after a comparatively brief illness, at the age of eighty years.

Lately at Shanakee, ten miles from ran fired at in the wichlity of his employer's residence, and one shot took velopment association. On the motion effect in the thigh. The injured man is of Mrs. Warren the mayor of Clonnel, an employer of John Smith, handlord, who occupies a farm at Shanakee, from which Daniel Higgins was evicted some tion, was called to the chair. Among years ago, and the place has been under police protection. The police arrested Daniel Higgins on suspicion.

A very enjoyable concert, having for its object the lessening of the debt on the Cloyne new technical hall, was held in Cloyne recently. The annual general meeting of the

Lee branch of the Gaelle league was held lately at the class rooms, 88. Peter and Paul's schools, Cork city. The president, J. O'Reilly, occupied the chair, and there was a large attendance, including Misses O'Connor. Murphy. Cotter, Drummey, Cabill, Smith, Duggan, Walsh (3), O'Connell, Mc-Sweeney (2), Buckley, O'Nelll (2), Sheehan, O'Hea, Alen, O'Donoghue, Reidy, Sheehan, McCarthy, Flynn, Walf, Morris. O'Riordan, McAuliffe, O'Donnell, Lynch, O'Sullivan (2), Forde and othera. The reports read proved the branch to be flourishing. The election ceeded with and resulted as follows: President, W. Lynch; vice president, J. Duggan; honorable secretary, E. Reidy, treasurer, D. Nolan; committee, Missis J. Murphy, A. O'Counor, M. Cotton Mesors, P.J. Walsh, J. O'Relly P. O'Neill, D. Sheeban and M. Walsh. Recent Deaths in Cocker-HANLON-On Nov. 26, at her residence. Cooledust, Inniscarra, Catherine Hanlon. --SHEA-On Nov. 25, at the Mercy bome, Cork, Ellen Sheet, Middleton,— RIORDAN-On Nov. 26, at Shanakiel, Klicorney, Jeremiah J. Riordan, vint-MAROLD-On Nov. 27, at Bal-Hagelik Mode, Crookstown, James A. Haroid BYAN-On Nov. 26/at Ballybeg, Kilbrittalm, Patnick Ryan, aged Menty-two.-HAROLD-On Nov. 27. at Enockshausvee, Crookstown, Rebecce Harold.—HEGARTY-On Nov. 27, Denis Hegarty, Milshaus, Cloyne.-BARRY-On Nov. 28, Daniel Berry, Bullyspillane BRITH-On Nov. 28, at Rathmaher, Kanturk, Katle Smith. daughter of the late Jeremiah Hegarty, Mill street, aged thirty-eight years. MAGUIRE-On Nov. 19, at Welt View, Sunday's Well, Margaret Maguire, relfor of the late John Francis Maguire, M. P. for Cork city.—BUCKLEY-On Nov. 20, Mary Anne Buckley, 4 Strand street, Youghal. - BARRETT - On

Nov. 18 at Gardiner's Hill. Ellen Barrett-BARRY-At St. Patrick's bospital Wellington road. Blush Maria Berry, late of Ballintemple. QUIN-LAN-On Nov. 18, at Lough View terrace, Margaret Quinlan, at an advanced age. MURPHY On Nov. 18, at Clooneen, Carrigtwohill, John J. Mirphy of Gloutine McCarthy, Boherbee. CUMMINS On Nov. 18, at Properitu square, Jame Cummins.—MOR-GAN-On Nov. 20, at 7 Femalice Villag. Cork, George B. Morgan.---O'NEILL -On Nov. 29, at Ballinrea, Owen lavitta quay Mary Anne Mayne -SMITH-On Nov. 80 at Kilmichael.

notte. Ellen Bourne. DWYER-On Nov. 30, at 48 Grattan street, Annie Dwyer.-GALWAY-On Nov. 30, at generosity. Castlemartyr, Mary Galway.---CAL-NAN-On Nov. 30, at Castle View, Michael Caluan. --- RYAN-On Nov. 80, at Ballinamona, Kilmallock, Bridget Ryan, daughter of the late Michael Reidy, Ballinagoule, Charleville,-KENNEALLY-On Nov. 29, at Rosnascalp. Edmond Kenneally.

KERRY-On Nov. 23 the ceremony of the religious reception of a nuntook place at the Presentation convent, Castleisland, the young lady being Miss Josephine Shanahan (in religion Sister Mary Albertus), daughter of J. Shanahan, Fullamore, Listowel.

LIMERICK .- On Nov. 27 at St. John's cathedral, Limerick, the ceremony took place of inducting the Very Rev. T. R. Shanahan, St. Munchin's, into the office of dean of the diocese. The ceremony took place with all the formulae prescribed by the ritual and was most impressive throughout. Dr. Shanahan entered the cathedral attended by the parochial clergy, kneeling at the right altar, while the bishop took his seat on the throne. The dean then proceeded to hear the rescript from the pope appointing Dr. Shanshan to the high office by Father Murphy, administrator, St. John's, and next Dr. Shanahan, advancing to the episcopal throne, knelt before his lord ship and made the act of faith.

At Limerick terminus lately on the arrival of the train from Sligo the engine, when shunting back from the carriages to the shed, struck a pointsman named Michael Connery, who was picked up dead. The only injury was a scar on the forehead. Death his death is reached. was caused by shock. Deceased, who was sixty years old, lived at Dixon's way company.

TIPPERARY-Sister Veronica (Con-Thurles, died very suddenly on Nov. 20 at the age of sixty years.

On Nov. 20 the dead body of Robert Broad, a resident of Tipperary, was found on the ralls 150 yards from the lipperary station. Deceased: who was about twenty six years of uge, lived with his uncle, ('harles Sloan, who is contractor for the milk supply to the Tipperary union. He was last seen alive about 7 o'clock, when he delivered his uncle's milk at the workhouse. The donkey and cart returned to Mr. Sloan's residence. Deceased had not been in good health for some months.

A largely attended meeting of the in connection with the Industrial De-Alderman Thomas Skehan, president of the Cloninel branch of the associathose present were: Mrs. J. Byrne, Quay House; Mrs. Tydd, Miss Quinn, Miss Casey, Miss O'Donnell, Market street: Mrs. E. Burke. O'Connell street: Misses Scanlon (two), Miss Mitchell, Parnell street; Miss Cook, Prior Park; Mrs. Mathews, Mrs. P. Gough, Mrs. Henderson, Queen street; Miss Grubb, Brighton place; Mrs. T. Phelan, Spring Gardens; Mrs. T. Cambridge Grubb, Mrs. J. F. O'Brien, Mrs. William Clarke, Mrs. Bourchier, the Misses Bourchier, Miss Grubb, Mrs. Dr. O'Flynn, Misses O'Donnell, Cashel street: Misses Fitzgerald, Parnell O'Sullivan, Ryan, Crawford and Messrs. street, and others. The organization was founded.

WATERFORD.-Mise Hannah Galvin: of Brenan, Stradbally, was professed a member of the Presentation order in the convent at Waterford city. Her title is Sister Mary Augustine.

"On Nev. 18 a sad obsurrence place at Passage, resulting in the loss of officers and committee was then pro- of a resident of the village. James Hearne and Thomas Henry went to a welr, and in drawing in the net Henry was thrown into the see and disappeared in the darkness before his comrade could render help. The death of Mrs. Arnold, Bally-

bricken, Waterford city, occurred on Nov. 28.

John Redmond, M. P. for the city of Waterford and chairman of the Irish Parliamentary party, received a most enthusiastic reception on Dec, 1 when he visited the city. He delivered a fine oration in the theater to a vast audients. On the motion of Alderman took place Nov. 18, aged seventy nine The Avondale (Connorme) combination Hearne the Very Rev. W. B. O'Donnell, St. Patrick's, took the chair. The public bodies and civic organizations presented addresses of confidence and welcome.

Leinster

CARLOW....A mosting of the committee of the Father John Murphy memorial, Tullow, was held lately in the town hall, Thomas Bolger, chair noids. man, presiding. Also present were: Mesers. J. Murphy, vice chairman; G. O'Toole, T. C., treasurer; M. P. Maher. honorable secretary; Charles F. McNally, Joseph M. Murphy, J. Donohoe, Terence Halligan, William L. Maher, P. Kavanash. Patrick Dawson, P. O'Rellly, Patrick Aughney, Thomas Brophy, Denis Deering, Denis Corcoran. The following subscriptions were handed in: Five Dounds, second subscription, per Terence Halligan, from John J. Murphy, late of Bridge street, Tullow, 147 Fifth avenue, New York; £4 10s. per C. F. McNally and James Murphy, collected in Tinryland and district; 10 shillings per Patrick Donohoe, Rathvarron, from John Kelly, U. S. A.: 3 shillings from E. O'Brien, Knockeen; 4 shillings from John Kelly, Raheen, and 2 shil-O'Nell MAYNE-On Nov. 29, at 25 lings from J. Byrne, Killalongford, per James Murphy. The chairman proposed and Mr. McNally seconded a Crossaven: Annie Smith -- BOURNE vote of thanks to the subscribers, per-On Nov. 30 at the Little States of theulasty to Mr. Murghey, New York,

write to Mr. Murphy thanking him on the behalf of the committee for his

The death of Mrs. Daniel Kennedy, Craan, took place at the residence of her son Thomas, Kilcarry cottage, Clonegali, Nov. 14. Mrs. Kennedy had reached the age of eighty three years.

DUBLIN .- On Nov. 21, the Feast of the Presentation, an interesting ceremony took place at the Convent of the Cross, Boscombe, Bournemouth, England, when Miss Nellie Mulligan, daughter of Laurence Mulligan of Dublin, had the happiness of being received as one of the religious of the cross. The ceremony was performed by the Most Rev. Dr. Couer, auxiliary bishop of Portsmouth, assisted by the Rev. Father Forbesieit, S. J.; Rev. Father Payne, S. J., and Rev. Francis Farrington, Dublin.

One of the quaintest bequests on record is in the will, recently proved, of Thomas Hayes of Leopardstown Park, Stillorgan, Dublin, Mr. Haves was a director of T. Lyons & Co., drapers, and left personal estate valued at \$205,000. By his will, which consists of 100 folios of 9,000 words, the testator left his estate in trust for such persons as his daughter Gertrude Frances Talbot Power, wife of James Taibot Power, shall appoint in default of such appointment Mr. Hayes directed that \$1,000 should be paid to his said daughter on the first day after his death (should she so long survive him) and \$1,000 on the second day after his death (should she so long survive him). This phrase is repeated throughout the will for each day until the two hundred and fiftieth day after

Recent Deaths in Dublin,—BLAKE-

-Nov. 29, at the hospice, Haroldscross, lane, Limerick, and was upward of Mary Blake, late of 7 Annesley square forty years in the employ of the rail, and widow of the late James Blake, mineral water operative. - BURKE -Nov. 28, at 7 Harbor road, Bray, street. - CARRICK - Nov. 20, Willin, aged sixty-one years. - CAR borough. ROLL-Nov. 28, at the Mater Miseri cordine hospital, Mary Carroll, 30 Up. place Nov. 22 at the age of eighty-one per Camden street.--- HEALY-Nov. years. 29, at 45 Victoria street, 8. C. road, Middleton, a herdsman named Magner of appointing a ladies' committee, etc.; Mary Harvey, widow of the late Ruben H. Harvey, late Ranelagh.— -Nov. 28, at Ruth Ville, Fairview, gan, Kildare. Kathleen Mary Anne Butterly.— Allen, Larkin and O'Brien of their cross, Mrs. Elizabeth Ellison.

ing accident occurred at Ardreigh, street, Bridge street, North street, Athy, as the result of which Margaret Mary street and the Irishtown, the Rice, mother of the miller at the four band, under F. Butler, S. S. O., played mills, Ardreigh, lost her life.

terevan, which lapsed some time since, around the papal cross and offered. has been restarted. The hall of the prayers for the eternal happy repose of earnestness shown throughout the en-tional airs were played on the return the proceedings made" one believe from the cemetery. as far as the knowledge of their old wired, father of the Rev. J. Rowe, Elltongue was concerned as well as in ev- more, a popular member of the Wexment of the common cause that all Nov. 24. Irlahmen should have so much at heart. The chair was taken by the Rev. Fa- touching function took place in Rathther Kavanagh.

Tubrid, Mooncoln, died Nov. 23, at the patriotic paster, to present him with an age of seventy-three years. The death of a well known and re-

spected former teacher of Muchale

KING's.—The death of Father Kinsella, P. P., of Edenderry, took place on Nov. 19 at the parochial house at the Ji Kennedy, gosi; J. Jordan, P. Mcage of seventy-two.

LONGFORD .- Co Nov. 80 Mr. Neary. Bublin street, Longford, was united in the bonds of wedlock to Miss Janie corner; James Byrne, Thomas Byrne, Pitselmons, buttermaker in the Longford Co-operative dairy. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. P. Rey-

The death of Miss Kate Leonard, sigfer of Mrs. Ward, Granard, took place at her father's residence on Nov. 23. Philip Green of Edgeworthstown died

on Nov. 23. A meeting of the members of the Mullinalaghta branch of the U. I. L. was held lately. John Fulham, chairman, presided. Present: B. Briody, vice chairman: P. McCabe, tressurer; J. Kyne, T. Coyle, J. Rellly, P. Leonard, Kiernan. Three of the above named gentlemen-viz, B. Briody, J. Kyne and E. Klernan-were congratulated on the John Quinn, Kinvarra. way in which they exerted themselves in defending the interests of the ratepayers at the hearing of the malicious injury claim before Judge Curran. Mainly owing to the evidence given by them, the claim proved to be a most abortive failure.

LOUTH The death of Rev. Brother Pitepatrick of the Christian schools.

the Poor Home For the Aged, Monte | and the secretary was instructed to | Dunctolk, occurred on the 29th of November.

> At a resent meeting of the committee of the Droghada branch of the Gaelic league. Father Finegan presiding, it was resolved that the annual Cuirm Ceoil be held soon. The past reunions of the Gaelic league have been generously patronized, and the programmes appeared to please the very large audieles who attended, and it is hoped a still more attractive programme will be presented this time, so all are requested to look forward to a real genuine Irish night.

MEATH.—Christopher Darcy, Trim, was married recently to Miss Nellie Malone, second daughter of Michael Malone, Ballyboy, Athboy. The ceremony took place in the Catholic church, Athboy, the officiating priest being the Rev. Father Tierman.

A venerable and estimable figure passed away rather suddenly at Trim on Nov. 25 in the person of John Ryan. Wellington street. Decensed was for thirty years the Calthful of the Trim Catholic church. He seemed in his usual good health on the previous evening, when for the last time he tolled the solemn Angelus bell, and later concluded his day's work by locking up the church doors and other duties and then handing the keys to Father Woods. In a few hours more he was battling with grim death, being suddenly seized with an attack of heart disease. A priest and doctor were hasfily summoned, but he died soon after, fortified by all the rites of the hely Catholic church, of which he was ever a devoted member.

QUEEN'S. - At Bailinghort, seven miles from Mullingar, on Nov. 19 Mary Anne Smith and two children, aged four and six, daughters of Michael Kearney, farmer, were burned to death. The girl took a lighted candle to put the children to bed, and, falling asleep. the candle ignited the bedclothes.

On Nov. 8 the marriage of Laurence Keegan, Coolbanagher castle, Erno, to nolly) of the Presentation convent, James Burke.—BYRNE-Nov. 28, at Miss Margaret Angela Coyle, daughter 26 Eccles street, John Gerald Byrne, of the late James Coyle, Abbeyleis, was late of J. J. Byrne & Sons, Henry solemnized at St. Patrick's church, Philaborough. The ceremony was perliam J. Carrick of 9 Fleet street, Dub-formed by the Rev. C. Coyne, Mary-

The death of Edward Purcell took

WEX FORD. - At the Presentation Mary J. Healy, daughter of Nicholas convent chapel, Kildare, on Nov. 21, and Mary Healy.—O'SHEA-Nov. 27, Feast of the Presentation, Miss Murat 105 Sorrento road, Dalgey (former phy eldest daughter of Stephen Murly Albert road). Sandycove, Letitia pby of Rosslare, had the happiness William O'Shea --- O'TOOLE - Nov. of making her final vows and assuming 28, at the residence of her son, L. J. the habit of the order, her name in O'Toole, secretary Central Council, G. religion being Sister Mary Columba. A. A., 29 Mountpleasant square, Rath. The Right Rev. Dr. Murphy, vicar genmines. Catherine, relict of the late eral of Maryborough, presided and perladies of Cloumel and district was held in the town hall lately for the purpose in the town hall lately for the purpose of appointing a ladies' committee, etc.;

Mary Harvey, widow of the late Ru.

There were present: Very Rev. J. De
a garden near his house, Higgins was laney, Rathvilly; Very Rev. P. Cam-O'HARE-Nov. 27, at 12 Rosemount pion, Kildare; Rev. J. O'Gorman, Kil-Boyle election petition on behalf of the road, William O'Hare. BUTTERLY dare; Rev Father Loughlan, Rathan-

CASEY-Nov. 26 at Old street, Mala. Reel, Edital and Cause was celebrathide, James Casey.—CURRAN-Nov. ed in New Ross A torchlight proces-27 at Montebello, St. Alphoneus road, sion, participated in by thousands of Drumcondra, May Curran of 198 North the townspeople and many from the King street.—DUNGAN-Nov. 27, at outlying districts, formed in Newtown the hospice, Haroldscross, Mary Anne and consisted of a hearse drawn by Dungan, 8 Foster terrace, Ballybough two black horses followed by a young road. — KAVANAGH — Nov. 25, at lad nounted on a horse and attired in Coolmine cottage. Bianchardstown, the dress of a forester. The young Elizabeth (Lizzie) Kavanagh.—KAV- fellow also had a large harp, and be-ANAGH-Nov. 26, at 17 Lower Mount- hind him came the St. Mary's brass pleasant avenue, Rathmines, Annie band in uniform. Their bats were Kavanagh. — ELLISON - Nov. 25. at draped in mourning, and on either side. the Hospice of the Dying, Harolds- before and behind them, were the torchbearers. En route to St. Stephen's KILDARE,-On Nev. 23 a sad burn- cemetery, through South street, Quay the "Dead March." Arriving at the The Gaelic league branch in Menait cemetery, the processionists kneit Christian Brothers was filled and the the souls of the martyred three. Na-

that those present desired to be Irlant The death of Stephen Rows, Barnaerything that tended to the advance ford Rural district council, occurred on

WICKLOW-A very interestings and drum recently when a committee wait-KILKENNY.-- Mer. Mary Dunpley, ed on the Very Rev. John Steples, the address on behalf of the parishioners. Another tie in the Wiekley county championship matches was played off S., Thomas Tynan of Cloughrinks, lately, Enniscorthy Deing the venue. again met the Wickley Dark Blues. The teams were: Avendale-Connective, Rathdrum, John J. Bremain, captain; Donnell, C. Byrne, B. Doyle, L. Musphy, R. Byrne, W. Appleby, J. Byrne, T. Smith, Hugh Byrne, James Byrne, Thomas Butler, James Fogarty. Wicklow, Dark Blues, J. Dunne, captain; George Byrne, goal; M. Malone, J. Nicholson, R. Gregory, J. Walker, D. Finlay, P. Redmond, M. Hanlon, G. McGaban, A. Roche, W. Ronan, J. Kavanagh. Baltz: T. Murphy, E. Bunn, J. Doyle and Matthew Turner. The result: Avondale-Connorree, 1 goal 11 points; Wicklow, 1 goal 3 points.

Connaught

GALWAY .- Sister Mary of Heroy of the Convent of Mercy, Dundalk, Coun-P. Dolan, P. Reilly, E. Kiernan and J. ty Louth, died Nov. 23, aged twentyseven years, and in the second year of her religious life. She was daughter of The death of Mrs. Margaret Roche

occurred at Cloontoo road, Tuam, on Nov. 16, at the age of eighty-siz years. On Sunday, Nov. 26, the new organ in St. Augustine's church in Galway city was solemnly blessed by the Most Rev. Dr. McCormack, bishop of Galway. A very largely attended meeting of

the members of the Kilrescie branch of packed juries.

the United Irish reague was held recently, Patrick Monahan occupying the chair. Over a hundred members were present for the purpose of electing a committee for, the ensuing year. The following were elected: Martin Daniel, J. Finn, P. Duane, Eartley, Monahan John Cavanagh, Patrick Brogan, John Barrett, P. Monahan, Jr., John Farrell, P. Monahan, P. Broderick, P. Cuniff. John J. Manton.

Most Rev. Dr. Healy, archbishop of Tuam, has appointed Rev. Michael Donlon, C. C., of Monivea to the Curacy of Moylough, rendered vacant by the removal of the Rev. James Ronayne, appointed P. P., Moore, Ballinasioe. The people of Monivea, Abbey and Killererin deeply regretted his removal

E. Cosgrave of Portumna died Oct. 3' at the age of thirty-four years.

LEITRIM.-The death of Mrs. Andrew McNabola of Prughlish occurred on-Nov. 26, after a very short-iness. MAYO .- Mrs. William O'Malley or

Bouris, Louisburg, died on Nov. 27. ROSCOMMON.-At a meeting of the Castlerea board of guardians, John Fitzgibbon, chairman, presiding, Mr. Webb proposed a resolution, unanimously adopted, appealing to the congested districts board to start useful works on the late De Freyne estate, such as roads and drainage works for the improvement of the estate, to assist tenants decreed for rent by the congested districts board and to better the tenants in general to meet the rent demanded by the board.

The sale of the estate of O. W. O'G. Foung, Harristown, Castlecrea, was completed lately with the estates commissioners. The tenants made agreements with W. E. Holmes, the agent, to purchase their holdings at twentytwo years' purchase of first term rents, reduced by a voluntary abatement of 6 shillings 3 pence in the pound. The tenants stipulated that two grass farms on the estate, containing eighty acres. and Cloonavendon farm, 180 acres, should be split up, John Fitzgibbons to take the two farms, pending their sale, in his own hands for providing grazing for the small tenants in the habit of putting out cattle for the summer six months and to prevent the system of putting grazing stock on the eleven months' farms in the district. Mr. Holmes has notified that the farms have been sold to the estates commissloners. One of the estates commissioners' inspectors, Mr. Wilson, visited the estate and informed the tenants who adjoin the farms that the two farms would be stripped up immediately for division among them.

An awful shock was occasioned in Boyle on Nov. 26 when it became examined on the previous Friday in the respondent, having been one of the parties alleged to have received a bribe in the course of the election. Since the petition started he had been in a depressed state of mind, and since he gave evidence his family noticed that his manner was strange. Sunday morning he got up about 4 o'clock and went out of the house. Not returning, a search was made for him and some hours afterward his dead body was found in an adjoining garden.

SLIGO.—The syllabus of the next Sligo feis, which will be held on the 17th and 18th of April, 1908, has been published. The organizers are not going to rest content with the high standard attained by Feis Shligigh as an educative agency. The distinctive feature of the syllabra is a striving shead. an appeal for progress-that steady progress founded on sound principles which brings the competitor each year a good year's work ahead of his pre-

vious efforts. A very interesting event ecourred at Glenn recently, an event which shows how strong is the bond of love and devotion which binds together a priest and his faithful people. The good people of this district showed how much they appreciate a Catholic church and priest in their midst by presenting Bev. B. Crehan with an address of welcome. None but those who know the want of it can adequately realise the great blessing a church and a priest in their midst are. This want the faithful of Glenn long felt, and their gladness at having their fondest wish at last fulfilled found expression in the beautiful address read to Father Crehan immediately after mass. The address

was written in the Irish language. James Cilgan, Bresogue, Knocknareg, died Nov. 22

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When traveling recently to Slige to attend the winter assisse on, a charge of conspiracy, Conor O'Kelly, M. P., Claremorris, and James Miss. Beimullet accompanied by T. R. Kirwan, solicitor, were met at the station by the fife and drum band of the Killeran branch of the U. I. L., and a large number of the inhabitants of Coolancy and were accorded a most enthusiastic reception. The assembly was headed by Peter Cawey. Mr. O'Kelly thanked them for the welcome to the county of Sligo. He desired especially to thank his old friend, Peter Cawley, who was always to the front when there was work to be done for Ireland. They were going to Sligo to stand their trial upon an alleged charge of conspiracy. If they got fair play he had no doubt as to the result, but if a jury were packed then there was no doubt as to what the issue would be. If they could not get a fair trial by jury their voice would be heard in condemnation of the system in which such a state of things was possible; and if juries were to be packed against them they would make the jury packers remember their work as long as he (Mr. O'Kelly) and his friends had it in their power to do so. No matter what would be the result of the trial in Sligo, they would never desist from condemning jury packers and