THE CATHOLIC RECORD.

Pat Power, of Daragle, was a fat, ro-bust man, much distinguished for his in-temperance, and generally seen with a glowing red face. He on one occasion fought with a fire-eating companion named Bill Brisco. When taking aim he said he still had a friendship for him, and would show it. So he only shot off his whisker and part of his ear. When traveling in England Power had many encounters with persons who were attracted by his brogue and clumsy appear-ance. On one occasion a group of gentle-men were sitting in a box at one end of a coffee-room when he entered at the other. The representative of Irish manners at this time on the English stage was a tissue of ignorance, blunders and absurdities ; and when an Irishman ap-peared off the stage he was always supposed

An Irish Humorist and Duelist.

peared off the stage he was always supposed to have the characteristics of his class, and to be a fair butt for ridicule. When Power took his seat in one of the boxes the waiter

come to him with a gold watch with a gen-tleman's compliments, and a request to know what o'clock it was by it. Power took the watch, and then directed the waiter to let him know the person who sent it. He pointed out one of the group. Power rang the bell for his servant and directed him to bring his pistols and fol-low him. He put them under his arm and with the watch in his hand walked up to the box; presenting the watch, he begged to know to whom it belonged. When no one was willing to own it, he drew his own silver one from his fob, and presenting it to his servant desired him to keep it; and putting up the gold one he gave his name and address, and assured the company he would keep it safe till called for. It was never claimed. On another occasion he ordered supper; and while waiting for it, he read the news. came to him with a gold watch with a gen-

and while waiting for it, he read the news paper. After some time, the waiter laid two covered dishes on the table ; and when two covered dishes on the table; and when Power examined their contents he found they were two dishes of smoking potatoes. He asked the waiter to whom was he in-debted for such fare; and he pointed to two gentlemen in the opposite box. Power desired his servant to attend him, and directing him in Irish what to do, quietly made his supper of the potatoes, to the great amusement of the Englishmen. Presently his servant appeared with two more covered dishes, one of which he laid down before his master, and the other before the persons in the opposite box. before the persons in the opposite box. When the covers were removed there was found in each a loaded pistol. Power took up his and cocked it, telling one of the others to take up the second, assuring him "they were at a very proper distance for a close shot, and if one fell he was ready to give satisfaction to the other.' The parties immediately rushed out with out waiting for a second invitation, and

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