

CHRISTIAN BANNER.

"If any man speak, let him speak as the oracles of God."
"This is love, that we walk after his commandments."

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On the 23rd of April, seven "Clergymen of the Church"—Episcopal—sent the following note to Dr. Cahill, in Ireland, a Catholic champion of full size :

The Rectory, *Sligo*, April 23rd, 1855.

TO THE REV. MR. CAHILL: Rev. Sir,—As you have visited this town with the avowed purpose of preaching doctrines which we believe to be erroneous, and impugning doctrines which we believe to be true, we invite you, and as many Priests of the Church of Rome as you may choose to associate with you, to meet us for the public discussion of the points on which we differ.

We remain, Rev. Sir,

Your faithful servants

EDWARD DAY, Rector of St. John's.

EDWARD NANGLE, Rector of Screen.

SAMUEL SHONE, Curate of St. John's.

WILLIAM JEFFCOTT, Incumbent of Lissadell.

WILLIAM C TOWNSEND, Irish Church Mission.

GEO. W. DALTON, Irish Church Mission.

A. T. GILMOR, L.L.D., Incumbent of Cally.

CAHILL'S RESPONSE.

Sligo, May 5th, 1855.

REVEREND SIRS.—You seem totally to forget the recent apostacy of the founders of your sect in supposing that I could so far lose sight of my official position as to meet you in public discussion on matters of faith. The idea of the followers of Luther, Zainglius, Calvin, and Beza, being the judges of sound doctrine might excite a smile of mere surprise in those who count over the discordant progeny of early Protestantism ; but the man whose duty it is to defend the Gospel of Christ against daily incredible innovations, can with difficulty repress his legitimate indignation when he beholds