

in the midst of long imprisonment was the punishment accorded... the means by which England forwarded her manufacturing industry...

de l'Irlande, qui par fidele se condannaient... 'Restons toujours fides messieurs a cette religion du passe...

The toast was followed by the reading of a French version of the "Battle Eve of the Brigade," read with great effect by the talented translator, Viscount O'Neill...

Sunday, 22d ult. witnessed the interesting occasion of a charity sermon being delivered by Rev. Mr. M. Laughran...

New AUGUSTINIAN CHURCH, DUBLIN.—A very numerous and influential public meeting of the friends and benefactors of the Augustinian Fathers...

It is with extreme pleasure that we place before the public one of those philanthropic acts which are the distinguishing traits in the character of the venerable Archbishop Gould...

A great number of the poor of Drogheda were present at the meeting of the Guardians of the Poor Union...

LANDLORD EXTORTION.—"Peers and gentry representing one-thirtieth of the rental of Ireland, have been sold out by the Incumbered Estates Court..."

It is strange fact that the machinery by which England exterminates the Irish race is doomed to suffer by a species of retributive justice...

IRELAND IN THE YEAR 1864.—On Wednesday week there was read, at 34 Molesworth street, before the Statistical Society...

That Memorialists are informed, and believe, that the country is well situated for the growth of the plant industry...

The Chairman said he did not think the Memorial could be improved on at all. It was then unanimously resolved to have it printed and sent to the different boards of guardians in Ireland...

THE WEATHER AND THE CROPS.—Never did the country present a more hopeful aspect. Cereals of all kinds give promise of a good yield, unless, indeed the season change for the worse...

DINNER OF THE DESCENDANTS OF IRISH EXILES IN PARIS, ON THE 16TH OF MAY. (From the Paris Correspondent of the Nation.) Half a century ago, and even much later, the descendants of the men who preferred exile to dishonor...

M. le Colonel O'Shee, Officer, Legion of Honor, &c. M. le Comte Dillon, Augt. Knight of Malta. M. le Comte Dillon, Officer Supérieur. M. le Comte O'Donnell, Officer Legion of Honor...

MISSION IN CASTLEBAGNEY.—On Sunday last the Jesuit Fathers opened a mission in the Catholic Church of Castlebagnay, and already its fruits are visible in the great attendance and earnest devotions of the laity...

MISSION IN RANDALSTOWN.—The mission of the Dominican Fathers at Randalstown, county Antrim, concluded on Sunday last, and has been productive of vast spiritual benefits to the Catholics of the parish...

It is many years since we have had such really splendid growing weather in May. The temperature has been about eight degrees higher than the average of the same period in other seasons...

Such, too, has been the case to-day, when the sons and grandsons of the heroes who shed their blood for France, and sleep with their honored dead, met to do homage to their virtues and glory, and to the land of their ancestors...

The solemn and imposing ceremony of ordination took place in the Cathedral, Carlow, in the course of the present week, when the gentlemen whose names appear below received the holy orders of sub-deaconship, deaconship and priesthood...

APPOINTMENT OF DEAN TO THE CHAPTER OF DUBLIN.—His Holiness the Pope has appointed the Very Rev. Mgr. O'Donnell Dean of the Chapter of the Catholic Cathedral for distinguished services rendered to the Church all over the world during his career on the mission.—Freeman.

CULTIVATION OF TOBACCO.—Ballymahon Union.—At a weekly meeting of the guardians of this board, held on the 19th instant, Mr. Griffith rose and said:—Gentlemen, I have been considering the subject of growth of tobacco in Ireland, and I think there is no apology necessary to the guardians for the introduction of this subject...

The weather for the past week has been exceedingly warm and fine. The thermometer registered in the shade, on a north wall, 80 degrees Fahrenheit, which is, we believe, unprecedented for the month of May. The grain crops are doing well. The potatoes are looking remarkably fine...

At the dessert, as is the custom in France, the toasts were given, and all political subjects being naturally excluded, they were not numerous, nor was there any of the speech-making which has done more harm than good in Ireland...

His Grace the Archbishop of Tuam, accompanied by the Rev. James Waldron, O.A. Jeff St. Jarlath's and proceeded to Claremorris, where His Grace held a visitation of that deanery. He also visited Castlebar, and proceeded to Westport, where Miss Lynch (Stier Mary) made her solemn vows before his Grace the Archbishop.

One of the grandest and most enthusiastic public demonstrations that ever was witnessed in Drogheda took place on May 24, in honor of Benj. Whitworth, Esq., J.P., of Manchester, who, it will be recollected, generously made a princely gift of upwards of £3,000 for the erection of a magnificent hall for the people in one of our principal streets...

The well-known painter, Edward Hayes, R.H.A., died on May 21, of bronchitis. He was a native of Clonmel, and resided there some years, whence he proceeded to Dublin, where his death took place. Mr. William Hamilton, Killenny, died in the 104th year of his age, having retained all his faculties to the time of his death...

The Dublin Corporation have readied the vote by which they assigned a site on College Green, in front of the old Parliament House, for a statue of Prince Albert. The weather for the past week has been most propitious, its effects on the crops of all kinds being highly beneficial...