



IN SACRED CONCLAVE.

Opening of the Fourth Catholic Provincial Council of New York.

CARDINAL McLOSKEY PRESIDING.

Solemn Cathedral Services.

VOTIVE MASS OF THE HOLY GHOST

The Throne of Priests and Laymen—Gorgeous Effects of Melody and Color—Impressive Ceremonial—Ten Prelates in Procession—Formal Organization Perfected—Bishop McQuaid's Discourse.

New York, Sept. 25.—To invoke the inspiration of the Holy Ghost for their deliberations during the Provincial Council of the Cardinal Archbishop, his coadjutor and the suffragan bishops of the Province of New York joined yesterday in a solemn votive mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral.

After the mass and a sermon by the Right Rev. Bishop McQuaid, of Rochester, in which the purposes of the Council were outlined and its policy to some extent foreshadowed, the august body was duly organized according to immemorial forms.

The observances of the day were carried out with all that pomp and circumstance with which the Roman Catholic Church surrounds her sacred rites.

Touching above all else was the presence of the spiritual father of this great assemblage. Feebly bearing the weight of his years and labors, the venerable Cardinal McLoskey went through the trying task of presiding over the ceremonies.

The great Cathedral filled up silently, but rapidly. For an hour before the ceremonial began, people poured in through the great western doors in hundreds until every seat in every pew was occupied.

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The strain of the chancel organ ceases, but before its last breath is dead, the voice of the grand choir instrument is heard in tones of solemn appeal.

In the middle of the chancel, before the altar, the Cardinal kneels—oh, how feebly, how painfully—and the voices of the choir float overhead, "Lord, have mercy! Christ, have mercy!"

But now the Cardinal rises, and leaning heavily upon his deacons, Chancellor Preston and Father Bacicot, he goes to his throne. There he sits with peaceful countenance and downcast eyes.

The mass solemnized was that known as the Solemn Votive Mass of the Holy Ghost. It was celebrated especially to invoke the Spirit of Wisdom to guide the proceedings of the Council.

After the communion the prelates and participants in the ceremony sat and the mass came to a close in the usual manner.

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THE O'DONNELL TRIAL.

OPENING OF THE CASE FOR THE PROSECUTION—CAREY'S SON SWEARS THE PRISONER SAID HE WAS BENT TO DO IT—INTERVIEW WITH MRS. CAREY.

London, Sept. 25.—O'Donnell was brought to the Police Court at two o'clock. The room was filled with a large crowd of spectators. Special precautions to prevent rescue were taken.

Mr. Sullivan, M. P., counsel for O'Donnell complained that his solicitor had been refused access to the prisoner. The magistrate allowed the prisoner to retire and consult with his solicitor.

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tragedy. Mrs. O'Donnell hinted to her on shipboard that O'Donnell was dangerous, but asked her not to tell her husband.

London, Sept. 28.—O'Donnell was brought into Court under a strong guard. The Court room was crowded.

Witness maintained, however, that his statement on Tuesday was correct that O'Donnell used the words "I was sent to do it," until he was closely pressed by the cross-examiner, when he said it was not quite clear what the words used by O'Donnell really were.

Cross-examination failed to shake Mrs. Carey's testimony. She denied she had talked to her son about his evidence.

New York, Sept. 28.—It is stated that Judge Fullerton and Gen. Roger A. Pryor have been retained as American counsel for O'Donnell.

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ORANGE RIOTS IN IRELAND.

Home Rule Members Assailed by a Dangerous Mob—A National League Meeting Protected by the Soldiers and Police—Narrow Escape of Messrs. Healy and O'Connor—The Outbreak.

DUBLIN, Sept. 29.—The Parliamentary campaign in the North of Ireland is daily becoming more exciting. The extremely high state of party feeling has already led to bloodshed in several instances.

At Danganmona a monster League meeting was held, at which Thomas Power O'Connor, member for Galway; William O'Brien, M. P., editor of United Ireland; and Mr. Healy, M. P., were the speakers.

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KING ALFONSO.

The King's Reception in Paris.

Paris, Sept. 29.—Immense crowds of the workmen of the lower classes of this city congregated to-day outside of the railway station, where King Alfonso of Spain was expected to alight.

At an interview between King Alfonso and President Grevy, the latter apologized for the behavior of the mob in the name of the French people who, he said, should not be confounded with the authors of a hostile manifestation.

Paris, Oct. 1.—King Alfonso is perfectly satisfied of the good faith of Minister Ferry, as representing the French Government.

Madrid, Oct. 1.—The hostile reception to the King in Paris has considerably increased his prestige at home.

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A PROTESTANT OPINION OF MR. FULTON.

From the Springfield Republican.

The onslaught of Rev. Dr. Fulton of Brooklyn on Monsignor Capel deserves particular attention as a flagrant instance of recklessness in the pulpit.

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THE MATCH.

THE TORONTO WIN THE LA-CROSSE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Shamrocks Defeated by Three Games to One.

A resume of the play—Ross McKenzie on his mule—An excited crowd—The Betting.

That the result of the championship match on Saturday between the Shamrocks and Toronto was a surprise to everybody, not excepting the Toronto themselves, but poorly expresses the feeling when the last ball was thrown through the Shamrock flag.

There were about five thousand spectators present. The first game opened in the liveliest manner, a scrimmage ensuing which lasted fully a minute, the ball being finally forced down towards the Toronto goal.

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THE COMING OF LANSDOWNE.

WHAT A QUEBEC PAPER HAS TO SAY.

Quebec, Sept. 27.—The Daily Telegraph, of this city, has the following about the coming of the Marquis of Lansdowne to take the place of the Marquis of Lorne at Ottawa.

The citizens of Quebec, through a City Council, which rejected the resolution of Councillor McLaughlin to examine into certain scandals, has decided to draft an address to a bitter, offensive Irish landlord, who is sent out to Canada by Gladstone, to govern the people.

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The election of the successor to Peto Beck, General of the Order of Jesuits, has terminated. The successor, whose name is kept secret, has been presented to the Pope.