

DON'T DRINK TO-NIGHT.

I left my mother at the door, My sister at her side... My mother now is resting sweet In the graveyard on the hill...

IRELAND'S CAUSE IN ROME.

A Clear, Cold Statement of the Facts.

The Pope Strictly Neutral—Sir John Simmonds' Mission Concerns the Isle of Man and Malta—Discussion on the Boycott

Correspondence of the N. Y. Evening Post.

ROME, December 27th.

It is curious to see how long the newspapers have kept up the superstitious pressure of the English Government on the Pope to induce him to "pacify Ireland."

NOT A PERMANENT PLENIPOTERIARY.

This statement is as positive as anything which can be said in opposition to it, because the presence of any person for the purpose of such intercourse in Rome could not escape the habitual observers of affairs which are watched with much jealousy...

THE POPE NOT AGAINST IRELAND.

And the facts of the case accord with this a priori view of it. Not only has the Government never desired the intervention of the Pope to "pacify" Ireland...

I am not going to enter into a discussion of Irish affairs on their merits—I am only stating facts of Irish history. In the discussion of the nature of the disturbances in Ireland...

favor of it. The Church has, therefore, no interest in the political side of the Irish question, or, if they have any, it would be due to the Irish ecclesiastics, who are mostly in favor of Home Rule.

MONSIGNOR PERSECO'S MISSION. To clear up the doubts of the authorities of the Church, called on to judge in such a conflict of interests, the Pope sent Monsignor Perseco to examine on the spot all the elements of the problem.

W. J. S.

THE TRUE REPUBLIC.

Princes of the Church Raised from Peasant Poverty to Royal Magnificence.

The most remarkable feature of the splendid funeral of the late Cardinal Princes Archbishop of Vienna, December 19th, was the presence, beside the Emperor, at the head of the bier, of the dead Prelate's brothers, sisters and nephews...

A large number of the Princes of the Church are of an origin quite as humble as that of Cardinal Gangelbauer. Thus Monsignor Kremetz, the Prince Archbishop of Cologne is the son of a butcher at Coblenz...

standing with heads bowed low, until the venerable Prelate has taken his seat. He has a vast retinue of Monsignors, chamberlains, gentlemen-in-waiting and equerries, all persons of noble birth.

Catholic Journalism.

[From the Liverpool Catholic Times]

"Mgr. Doppelbauer, Bishop of Litz, has published a pastoral letter on the importance of the press. Citing the declaration of Mgr. Kistler, June 19, 1871, and of the eminent prelate's appeal to all Catholics to support Catholic journals."

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A CHILD OF MARY.

The Influence of His Wife on an old soldier.

An old American general was once asked by a friend how it was that, after so many years spent in the camp, he had come to be so frequent a communicant, receiving several times a week.

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The Post says—While it was not doubted that the Times would lose its case, yet the array of counsel had raised hopes that some extenuating circumstances would be brought out.

HOW CAN THE LONG BE THE SHORT

A line may be a very long one and yet be the shortest between two points.

AN APPEAL TO AMERICANS COMING.

CHICAGO, February 4.—"It simply shows how our enemies have been working," said John Fitzgerald, of Nebraska, president of the Irish National League of America, when informed here last evening of the result of the Parnell trial.

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Personal.

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St. Louis Mo., March 28, 1888.

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Very sincerely yours, G. H. GRANNIS, Pastor of 3d Cong'l Church, of St. Louis, Mo.

Andrew Carnegie has offered to send \$1,000,000 for a central free library and branches for Pittsburgh, Pa., provided the city will maintain them.

The free library for Allegheny City, on which Mr. Carnegie expended over \$300,000, will be opened by President Harrison next week.