

which had bent his neck. In reply to the interrogating regards of the audience, he gave a recital of his sufferings; then uplifting his hands, they were seen to be destitute of nails. The savages had plucked them out to punish him for troubling their idolatry. This apostle so cruelly tried, was invited to dine at the Tuilleries. The Court were desirous of compensating him for his sufferings, and pressed him to name what he would have. "Simply permission to return, as soon as possible, to the savages."

### General Intelligence.

#### DEATH OF THE REV. MR. FITZPATRICK, P. P., MOUNTBELLEW.

We deeply regret to announce that the Rev. Mr. Fitzpatrick, P. P., Mount Bellew, expired at Mount Bellew bridge, on Monday, the 16th inst. He was interred on Wednesday amid the prayers and tears of his sorrowing parishioners. There was a large assemblage of the clergymen of the surrounding neighbourhood present on the occasion. After the celebration of the Divine Office and Mass, his remains were consigned to the grave. He was 66 years of age, 40 of which he zealously devoted to the laborious duties of the mission. May he rest in peace!—*Dublin Freeman.*

#### REWARD OF BENEVOLENCE.

On Saturday last, a field of corn, belonging to Col. Pallisser was in a few hours cut down, bound, and made into shocks, by numbers of the poor laborers on his estate who wanted but the opportunity to evince their gratitude for the effectual relief afforded to them in the calamitous times. Among them were to be seen some of the neglected poor of an adjoining estate, whom he humanely permitted to partake of the relief provided for his own. He left no one unemployed, and relief committees had accordingly few applicants from his estate. Draining was extensively carried on since the 1st of March, and from 60 to 70 men were constantly employed since the 1st of October, building a magnificent mill now finished—he likewise raised the wages of the men always in his employment, and supplied them and their families with every necessary. If all Irish proprietors met the late visitation in the same spirit, the heart sickening accounts of death by starvation would never be heard. The poor reapers were plentifully regaled with bread and beer.—*Waterford Mail.*

#### CONSECRATION OF THE NEW BISHOP OF CORK.

Long before ten o'clock, the hour appointed for the commencement of the ceremonies, the spacious

church was filled to overflowing and amongst the congregation assembled were some of our most respectable Protestant fellow citizens. The cathedral which is, perhaps one of the finest churches in the kingdom, being of the purest and most elaborate style of Gothic architecture, was adorned in a manner befitting the solemnity of the occasion. On the left of the high altar was erected the archiepiscopal throne. It was ascended by three steps covered with rich carpeting; the seat was upholstered with black satin, in which were beautifully wrought with coloured silks the episcopal arms, and the canopy was draped with festoons of chastely watered crimson damask, and was surmounted by a richly gilt cross. The altar at the right of the high altar, was reserved for the Bishop elect, and was befittingly ornamented.

Shortly after ten o'clock, the procession issued from the sacristy to the sanctuary in the following order, the organ pealing in joyous tones the sublime music of Zingarelli's "Laudate :—

Two Thurifers,

Acolothist—Crucifer—Acolothist,

Mitre-bearer—Crozier-bearer—Mitre-bearer,

A long train of boys,

wearing soutans and surplices.

The inferior Clergy in soutans and surplices.

The Prelates preceded by their chaplains, bearing lighted tapers :—

The Right Rev. Dr. Walsh, Lord Bishop of Cloyne and Ross; Chaplain, Rev. Mr. Scannell, P. P., Glountane.

The Right Rev. Dr. Foran, Lord Bishop of Waterford; Chaplain, Dr. Fitzgerald, Waterford, in soutans, rochettes, and caps.

The Right Rev. Dr. Ryan, Lord Bishop of Limerick, assistant consecrating Bishop; Chaplain, Rev. Mr. Burke, Limerick.

Right Rev. Dr. Eaga Lord Bishop of Kerry, senior assistant consecrating Bishop; Chaplain, Rev. Mr. O'Sullivan in soutans, rochettes, copes, and white mitres.

Rev. John Falvey, master of ceremonies; Rev. Dominick Murphy, sub-deacon; Rev. John Brown, deacon; Rev. Dr. Barry, assistant high priest, in cope and cap.

Right Rev. Dr. Delaney, Bishop elect, in soutan rochette, cope, and cap; Chaplain, Rev. Alexander Mahoney.

Most Rev. Dr. Slattery, Lord Archbishop of Cashel, consecrating Bishop, in full pontificals; Chaplain, Rev. Michael Horrogan.

The Clergy, together with the non assistant Prelates, having taken their places in the lower choir, the consecrating Bishop ascended the high altar, when the assistant Bishops produced the apostolic mandate appointing Dr. Delany to the see of Cork, which was then read by the Very Rev