

THE MOTHERLAND

GENERAL IRISH NEWS.

Every parish throughout the length and breadth of Ireland has been busy during the past month forming League branches. This movement is spreading rapidly to surpass even the great Leagues of times gone by.

Mr. Stanley Johnston, Commissioner of National Education, has been unanimously elected president of the Cork Literary and Scientific Society.

The news as to the beatification of the martyred Sister of Charity, Alice O'Sullivan, was received with gratification by the Catholics of Clonmel, and especially by the nuns of the Presentation convent, where she received her first religious and ecclesiastical education.

With feelings of deep regret we announce the death of Mrs. Ellen Guinness, whose sad demise occurred at her residence, Ballinrobe, on Friday night, August 11th, 1899.

Daniel an Irish pig at the age of 102 is no more than a curiosity. According to the Milford correspondent of the Cork Examiner, the feat was accomplished some six weeks ago by Thomas O'Keefe, born in the county of Kerry.

Latest Mails from ENGLAND IRELAND and SCOTLAND

death, after about three weeks illness of the Rev. Thomas Kennedy, Rector of the parish of St. John's, Ballinacorney, who died on the 11th inst.

In the detachment of Irish Yeoman recently captured by the Boers in Mr. G. B. O'Connell's house in London.

Mr. Robinson, the Chief Locomotive Engineer of the Waterford and Limerick Railway Company, has been appointed to the post of Chief Locomotive Engineer of the Central Railway of England.

Very Rev. Canon Kearney has in contemplation some important improvements in the Monte Church in the near future.

The new church of St. Patrick, Lisburn, was solemnly dedicated to the Virgin Mary on Sunday, July 8th.

The members of the Aughnagower branch, who are members of the West-Connacht branch of the League, proposed to Army and Labour League.

of tolls by all persons selling horses on the streets during the Munster Fair.

Lord Morris, who he retains the title and rank of Lord Morris of Salford under the life peerage patent of 1890.

The inauguration of the work of the Catholic Truth Society in Ireland took place on Sunday week.

A meeting of lady delegates representing the various tables in connection with the National Bazaar for the completion of the National Cathedral has just been held in Armaing Synod Hall.

Cardinal Logue in his address to the students of Maynooth College at their annual ordination made the following remarks: "The lessons learned in the ecclesiastical history of the country will correct me if I am wrong, but as far as I can recollect, I never knew of any heresy growing up in Ireland since the days of the Shamrock and never flourished on the same soil (appears) and I am sure when this heresy (turning graduates in the country) (sisters) they will not only see that the people keep the Faith, but that they know the Faith, they will be leaders among the teachers of the country."

A meeting of the Joint Committee of County and Borough Councils was held in the town hall, Enniscorthy, on the 10th inst.

Holyroos College, Clonliffe, Rev. John Healy, secretary to the Archbishop of Dublin, Rev. J. Black, Dean of the Cathedral, and the Rev. G. O'Donnell, C.C. Dublin.

Debate on Irish Antiquities. On the vote to complete the sum of £100,250 for the British Museum.

Mr. A. J. Balfour—The Hon. member who opened the discussion (Mr. Redmond) said with perfect truth that there was a very strong feeling in Ireland on this subject.

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IN THE CURIA. His Eminence Cardinal Macchi has formed the marriage of his nephew Count Pietro Macchi, with Miss Woodworth, of New York.

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