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# Current Topics.

Barron Russo of Kil-Lord Russell lowen, Lord Chief Jus-Is Dead. tice of England, died as the result of an opration. Baron Russell, who had been ill for about Baron Kussoli, won had need life about a forthight, suffored from gastric catarri. The fact of his illness was not generally known until it was announced that at a consultation it was decided that an operation was importatively necessary. It ation was imporatively necessary. It was afterwards said that the patient had stood the operation well, and that his strength was maintained. However, Lord Russell took a turn for the worse, away peacofully a short time afterwards. The War Office telegraphed the nows of the Chief Justice's death to his nows of the Chief Justice's death to his youngest son. Hon. Bertrand Joseph, who is at present serving as a houten-ant of the Royal Artillery in South Africa. Hon. Charles Russell, another son of the deceased, is in Canada.

AN IRISH "BNGLISHMAN."

AN IRISH "REGULSHMAN."

In Lyd Russoil of Killowon the legal profession of the Empire and the world has been deprived of its most illustrious light. It is an ancient joke that very few great English and has peen to be English at all. Lord Russoil of Killowen was always and above all things Irish. One neight pass days in his company without suspecting that he was born ontside of England. The Irish trace was not in his speech, or his voice, or his face, upless he desired it to be there. The Russells were in County Down when the topographical survey was made at the close of the sixteenth contury. There are numerous Protestant families of the name in the North, but the particular Russells of Nowry have always been Catholics. They were almally of small gentry, allied by genericons of marriages to the Celtic Catholic families of Ulster, and were distinguished for their beut toward the religious vocation. The uncle of Lords gious vocation. The uncle of Lord Russell was in his day one of the most Russoll was in his day one of the most influential of Irish elergymon—the Vory Rov Dr. Russoll, president of the Maynoth College, of whom Cartelian Newman spoke in his "Apologia" as "the dear friend to whom, under heaven, I am indebted for my conversion." A brother of Lord Russoll was among the best known of the Jesuit priests in Great Britain. His sister was Mother Mary Baptist Russell, superioross of the Sisters of Morey at San Francisco, she having gong out with six other young ters of Morey at San Francisco, having gone out with six other young devotees from Kinsale in 1854, to found branch of that order on the Pacific a branch of that order on the Pacific clope. His Lordsbip himself was for lany years the most active Catholic lyman in Lordon, delivering lectures and addresses, unveiling memorials, residing at meetings, with as much seal as if he were a prelate instead of an overworded lawyer.

HIS CAREER.

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Born in 1833, young Russell, after some local schooling, went through Trinity College, Dablin. He mads no special mark there, and returned to Ulster with no higher ambition, apparently, than to be a country atterney. He was atticled to a solicitor in Dandlik, and, after he had been on the roll, went to Belfast to practice. Here there was not enough business to support two leading solicitors. The story is always told in Belfast how that though "young Charless Russell" was a tolerably smart man, there was another solicitor there who was very much smarter, so that he had no chance. So young Mr. Russell decided that he could be something better than the second solicitor in Belfast. He went to London and entereds a student for the Bar at Lincoln's and the second solicitor in the second solicitor in the second solicitor in the life. as a student for the Bar at Lincoln's as a student for the bar at lineous as a student for the bar at lineous tary reporting and other work, partly journalistic, until he was called to the Bar in 180, ladeed, for some time after that he had to toil for his bread at Bar in 1869. Ladeed, for some time atter that he had to toll for his bread out now than at any previous ported of the campaign, and the weekly percentage of canalities has grown steadily almost he compation of Protoria. In fact, Lord Roberts' army requires to be came such an important figure in his profession that he "look silk"—that is, became a Queen's Counsel—and shortly after was closen a Bencher to his land. However, the was a leader there for a long time before the law courts in London acknowledgeh his primacy. In 1874 he tried insuccessfully to get a soat in Parliament from Dundalk. It was not until 1861 that he appeared in active politics having won Dundalk, and, it was six years later still that he began his edited acreect. In the general election of 1885 he abandoued his Irish seat, and was elected for the London constituoney of the constantly stell. The Frames which are the same was a cleeked for the came of the constantly replenished, and a large draft of Oursile left London to embark for the busiless of Cape.

Torpedo De. French ficet off Cape St. troyer Sunk Vincent, a collision occurred between the first class battleship Bromus, and the torpedo-boat destroyer Framec. The Frames sank immediately. The sociol dent was due to the right when or dored to the loft. It is believed that no fewer than fifty were lost, and great arrively is felt. The Frames, which elected for the London constituoney of the constituence, which is the companied of the came and provided the constituence of the constantly replenished, and a large draft of Oursile left London to embark for the thus beec Athenses (Input During manceures of the Cape.

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a disorganized and ineffectual lot, and it was understood that Mr. Charles Pussell, bosides doing a great deal of hard piktorm work to help them, had taken in hand the task of introducing a spirit of solidarity among his metropolitan colleagues. When Gladstone, in February of 1886, formed his first Homo Rule administration, the defection of Sir Houry James to the Liberal Unionist camp, had left a vacancy at the head of the Liberal list of Law officers, Mr. Russell was so obviously the chief legal was understood that Mr. Charles Itus the Liberal list of Law officers, Mr. Ressell was so obviously the chief legal figure in the party, and was, mercover, so identified with the new Irish plank in its platform, that his claims came first. He could not be made Lord Chancoller because the "keeper of the Queen's consciones." cannot be a Catholic, so that great prize went to Sir Farrar Horschell, who had the fortune to be the Protestant scien of a Jowish family, and Mr. Russell became Attorney-Geueral and a knight. It was said that out the provious year his professional income had reached \$100,003.

EUSSELL'S GREAT CHANCE,

RUSSELLS OREAT CHANCE.

It was not, however, until 1889, after Home Rule nad been rejected, and the Gladstonian party reduced to a beggarly opposition, that the great man's chance came. Sir Charles Russel was in his fifty-sixth year when the Parnell Computation hear the secretary and he may be the secretary and heart nity-sixth year whon the Parnell Com-mission began its cossions, and he on-tored upon the eight months' campaign of advocacy which was to sea, its fame. No other living lawyer, porhaps no lawyer of any time, won such enormous individual prestige from a single case as accrued to Sir Charles at the close of the Parnell Commission trial. When Mr. Gladstone formed once more a Min-Mr. Gladstone formed once more a Ministry in 1802, the great lawyer became again Attorney-General, but this time it was well enough understood that the appointment was but temperary. When a vacancy occurred among the Law Lords, he scoepted a life poorage and went to the other House. Lord Coleridge, the Chief Justice, died, and at the age of oil Lord Russell of Killowen became Lord Chief Justice of England—the first Catholie to hold the position in over 300 years.

AS A DIPLOMAT.

Lord Russell was well known in Can-ada, having visited this country in 1890, and the United States in 1899 also. His and the United States in 1899 also. His death is another blow to the Joint High Commission appointed to discuss the subjects in dispute between Great Britain, Canada and the United States, for upon the death of Lord Horsebell Inst year Lord Russell was appointed to succeed him. He, however, never took up the work, as the Commission has not met since. Lord Russell did great work for Canada and the Empire in his capacity as connect for the British claims before the Behring Sca Commission, and was British arbitrator to the Vouczulan boundary arbitration tribunal which met boundary arbitration tribunal which met in Paris in 1899.

Kitchener and Mothuon
The Boer have succeeded in dislodg
ing De Wet who is in full
flight. Skirmishes are of
daily cocurrence. General Buller is
moving northward, with the enemy giving way before him. As a result of Boer sniping at a train, Lord Roberts ordered the firing of all farms within a radius of ten miles. The week's campaign has practically cleared the Boers out of the Free State. The chief event of the week was the discovery of a plot in Protoria to shoot all the British officers toria to shoot all the British officers there, and make Lord Roberts a prisoner. Ten of the leaders have been arreated. The plot is believed to have been the outcome of a conspiracy, or which the Johannesburg attempted rising was the first indication. The rayes caused by sickness are more serious now than at any previous ported of the campaign, and the weekly percentage of casualties has grown steadily since the occupation of Pretoria. In fact, Lord Roberts' army requires to be constantly replenished, and a large draft of Guards left London to embark for the Cape.

recent addition to the French navy. It is known that out of the Framco's crew

Disquieting news k The Chinese coming in from China.
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The French CounsulGeneral at Shanghai reports that 7000 nativo Christians have to the number of 20,000 are making proparations to attack Tren Tsin, Ting Ku parations to attack Tron Tsin, Ting Ku and Taku which are in possession of the allice. Oopios of Imporial Edicts have been discovered instigating the people to destroy the "foreign devila." Meauwhile the powers have agreed long enough among themselves to appeint, at England's suggestion, the German general, Count Yon Waldersee, as Commandor-in-Chief of the allied forces in China, and he is already well on his way to the scene of hostilities. Russian forces to the number of 60,000 have already started for the front by railway, forces to the number of 60,000 have already started for the front by railway, and many more will be sont by way of Boessa by sea. The magnitude of the Russian forces is causing some uneasiness among the other powers. The legations continue sending despatches showing the desperate position in which they are placed, and arging the immediate hurrying forward of troops to their rolled. In the meantime missionaries are being murdered throughout the length and breadth of China. A despatch to Washington essy:—Indications of the desire of China for a peacoful settlement of her present difficulties have been multiplying for several days. In the form of an edict promulgated by the Emperor, Kwang Hou, appointing Earl Li Hung Chang as envey pleuipotentiary to negotiate with the powers for an "immediate occasation of hostilities" pending a solution of the problems which have grown out of the auti foreign uprising in the empire. Earl Li is to act directly for the Emperor. A belated message from Minister Conger was transmitted to the War Department by General Chaffee should come to his relief." A special despatch from St. Petersburg attributes to Russia the Intention to fill Manchuria with troops and not to let go of that territory when the present chullition is over. The Russian War Office expects to have 142,000 men and 242 guns in Siberia by the end of September. ready started for the front by railway,

expects to have 142,000 men and 242 guns in Siberia by the end of September. The total number of allies in the pro-vince of Petchili is 88,000 with 114 guns. The total by August 80 is expected to be 78,000, with 280 guns. The real ad-vance on Pekin was to have begun yest-

The Magog cotton mill difficulties are onded. Most of the hands have returned to work, but the ringleaders were refused admission and left town. The company promises to expedie the allowed given now. The and left town. The company promises to consider the alleged grievances. The two companies of the Sherbrooke regiment have returned to the city. The two men who were brought to Sher-brooke on charges of intimidating, were brought up before the justice and re-manded for trial to the October Court, being allowed out on bail. Two oth men are still held on the same charge.

A Methodist arrangement has been reached under which the promoters of the Century Club. the newly-formed organization representative of the various Methodist Churches in Toronto, have agreed to take over the premises of the Athenceum Club on Church street. Ever since its inception, the latter irestitution has been going behind financially. The transfer of the proporty, it is said, will be made in October 1, when the Athensom Club's financial year terminates. The terms of the deal have not been divulged, but it is said that the Century Club, limited, which is the title of the new organization, have agreed to pay \$50,000, which covers all the liabilities on the Athensoum Club building. They thus become the owners not only of the Athensoum Club, but of the two zdjoining houses. eum Club on Church street. Ever sinc

The identity of the The Shah's Shah of Persia's assail.
Assailant. As these been established His full name is Franceis Salson. He is a Frenchman, and was born in 1876. He was regarded as a dangerous Anarchist, and in October, 1898, was condemned to three months' invariantment for reaching anything imprisonment for preaching anarchy. In June, 1899, he was condemned to

The Shappon develop To Harness the Shannon. well under way, is one which must attract the greatest inforcest, as it is fraught with immense possibilities as regards the industrial fature of Ireland. It has long been thought of, this project of harnessing in "the lordly Shannen," and utilizing its waters as the molive power to work a great system of manufactures and industries. Electricity is the coming power of the industrial world, and will undenbtedly, sooner or later, oust steam from the position it has held so long. An expert lately gave it as his well-weighed opinion that the country which has the greatest amount of water power will, in time, be the wealthiest in the world. What a vista does this open up for old Erin! greatest interest, as it is fraught with

the heart of the Italian settlement. Less than four months age an important conference was held in this room by Anarchists from New York City, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Paterson and West Hoboken. It is learned that the assessin Breesel was a member of what is known as the "International Group" of Anarchists. This brand have the reoutation of being good rife shots, as well as handy men with rovolvers. Captain McClusky is looking into this matter very thoroughly. If there is any rifle practice going on he intends to put a stop to it. Breesel's aim was so pro that he evidently had had practice and plonty of it.

The C.P.R. makers and fitters omStrike. ployed by the C.P.R.
shops in Winnipeg, Fert William and
other divisional points west to the Faolife coast went out on strike to the
number of about 500. About 275 men
were discharged by the company, owing,
the officials explained, to the prospects
of hard times and the loss amount of
work that would naturally follow with
the reduction in the traffic. The officials pointed out that with only half
the freight shipped cast, and following
the shortage there would be a corres-The machinists, boiler the shortage there would be a corres-ponding falling off in the imports. Against this the men's case is presented ma follows: "At a meeting of a committee of boilermakers, machinists blacksmiths and allied mechanics, it was resolved that the reduction of the staff

The sum of \$205,000,
Arbitrator's fixed in the award of
Award. the arbitrators between
the Dominion and the
province, is in inextinguishment forever
of any future claim of the Dominion
on account of payment of increased annutices to Indians under either of the
treaties mentioned. In addition, the
arbitrators fix \$17,202 as the amount
due to the Dominion for arrears under arbitrators fix \$17,202 as the amount due to the Dominion for arrears under the Lake Superior treaty. These two amounts bring the accounts down to Droember \$1,1802, the date sot for the arbitrators, and those three amounts are included in the statement which shows the balance due by the old province of Casada of \$212,304, which balance has been apportioned between Cotario and Quebee in the came shares as under the award of September \$, 1870.

The Catholic Hungarian Magyars of St. Elizabeth's church, Cleveland, recently celebrated the nine hundredth anniversary of the official introduction of Christianty late Hungary and the coronation of St. Bephess as first bishop of Hungary, whom Bephess as first blahop of Hungary, whom had concerned to the spectral of the spectral to acknowledgment of the spectral of the spectral had done for his people. At the same dime the Pope gare unto him the right and title of Apostolic King, with the privilege of having the cross carried before him in all selemities. It was St. Stephen who gave to Hungary ize constitution, which has been the loundation ou which the property flungary has rested even down to our own times.

Information from Romo printed in New York in America. effect that an Italian has confessed complicity with Brosci. It affirms that the plot as laid involved simultaneous assassination of Queen Margherita, but that Brosci moved too quickly. Detectives have found the from in which it is claimed that the plot to kill King Humbert was formed. It is on the second floor of a West Hoboken resort for Anarchists in the heart of the Italian sottlement. Less than four months ago an important Information from Rom

resolved that the reduction of the staff was a direct blow by the company against the tunions, under false pretoness of business; that the company ignored whatever overtures were made to them for better conditions in the reduction of the staff; that preference was given to non-union man that efficiency and length of service were totally ignored. The resolutions were indorsed by each of the unions, and it was on these grounds that the strike was declared. No settlement in sight It is auticipated that other unions will go out in sympathy.

CALENDAR OF THE WEEK.

Thursday-St. Roch, Confessor. Friday-Octave of St. Lawrence fortyr. Saturday—St. Hyaciath, Confessor

(Fast day).

Sunday—Solomnity of the Assump-tion of the Blessed Virgin: Feast of St Joachim, Confessor.

Monday—St Bernard.
Tuesday—St. Johanna Francis de
Chantal, widow,
Wodnesday—Octavo of the Assump-

SAURED HEART INSTITUTION

SACRED HEART INSTITTIONS.

Morning Offering—O my God. I offer
Thee my prayers, works and sufferings
of this day, in union with the Sacred
Heart of Josus, for the intentions for
which He pleads and offers Himself in the Mass, for the petitions of our asso-ciates, especially this month, for peace among Nations.

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Thursday—Bearing our Cross—152,
688 for the Ciergy.
Friday—Spiritual Pilgrimages—677,
601 for Religious.
Saturday—Justice—163,707 for Seminarians and Novices.

Sunday-Love of Our Lady-123,492 or Vocations. Monday-Quiet of Mind-115,124 for Parishes.

Tuesday — Equanimity — 47,800 for Schools.

Wednesday — Frankness — 1,215,208 for Superiors,

#### A BROTHER HONORED.

Brother Amadeus, superior general of the Brothers of Charley, was recontly decorated by the King of Spain with the cross of the Order of Charley II., as a tribute to a noble religious, who has undertaken so many works of charley for relieving human misery and distress. During his administration, which covers twenty-three years the order has made wood crip progress. He has found and the state of the covers twenty-three years the order has and we wonderin progress. He has found and the covers twenty-three years the order has founded to the country of the state of the country of the state of the country of the countr

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The new Archibishop of Cologue, Mgr. Simar, has just had a pleasing experience similar to that of the late Cardinal Manning. On Jene 26 the was waited, as he was a late of Cologue, headed by the president of the synagogne, Herr Jakob de Jonge, and the Specialty of the Specialty of Monsigner by the Pope. While or younger, the synagogne, Herr Jakob de Jonge, and the Specialty of the Specialty in the Middle Ages, when the Jowes on the Rhine sufficient positions towards the Jewish community. Especialty in the Middle Ages, when the Jowes on the Rhine sufficients are specialty in the Middle Ages, when the Jowes on the Rhine sufficients. It of Falkenburg. This tradition of good will on the part of the Cologue Archibishop to the Jowes as mount and the Specialty of the Jewish common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful conceptionate of the Jewish common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful conceptionate of the Jewish common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful conceptionate of the Jewish common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful remorbance of the Jewish common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful remorbance of the Jewish common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful remorbance of the Jewish common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful remorbance of the Jewish Common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful remorbance of the Jewish Common Cardinal Kromentz, Ives in the graceful and respectful remorbance of the Jewish Common Cardinal Kromentz, of Cologue, true to his motto, 'Caritas urget, year two processes, and to see the processes of the past,' The speaker then referred with doli.

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cate approciation and sympathy to the now prolate's work at Honn University as a teacher of dogmetic theology, as well as his pastoral labors in Paderbary, and concluded his certial message of Isaiss Ivili., 5: "The Lord chall give theor cest continually, and wil' full thyseof with brightness, and thou shalt be like a watered garden and like a Kentella whose waters shall not fail." No less cordial was Arabbishop Simar's roply, and particularly happy his quotation from "one of the greatest men of the Ilchrow race two thousand years ago"—St. Paul in his Epistle to the Romans—in which he dwells upon the priviliges of the Jownsh peopie as the possessors of God's Word and the possessors of God's Word and the possessors of the Carlotte Church.

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The following story bears out the truth of the adage that good example, even shown by little ones, can sometimes officed wonders. Some months aga a little English girl of non-Catholic parontage was sent to a Preston Catholic parontage was sent to a Preston Catholic parontage was sent as a considerable of the control of the control of the control of the control of the will be none at the control of the cont result sook the child to withest the First Communion function, with the result that the father promised his little one that she should be instructed and have the privilege of making her First Holy Communion on the saliest possible occasion. Last were not only did the little child have her sacred wish graticed, but she received Holy Communion along with her father and mother, while the younger children have also been received into the Catholic Church.

Put Under the Ban.

Attorney J. Wilinitz of Jollet, Ill., has been placed under the ban of the Church by Father P. A. Palowski for the part he took in the presention of Frank Sobrefiler, Accused of murdering his wife. Mrs. Julia Sobrefiler, and the Seenstein Sobrefiler, accused of murdering his wife. Mrs. Julia Sobrefiler, and the Seenstein Sobrefiler Sobrefiler, and the Seenstein Sobrefiler, and the Seenstein Sobrefiler Sobrefiler, and the Seenstein Sobrefiler, and the Seenstein Sobrefiler, and the Seenstein Sobrefiler S