MAROLD PREDERIC TELLS OF A MOVEMENT IN FAVOR OF MR. HEALY—PERHAPS ONLY A FALSE RUMOR.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Harold Frederic cables from London to the Times: The most important event in Irish politics for a long time is to be chronicled tonight. Justin McCarthy, who has been of late deplorably ductile in the hands of the gang who, since Parnell's death, have nearly sucked the life-blood out of Nationalism, permitted himself Thursday to make an extraordinary personal attack on T. M. Healy at Newport, South Wales. This has turned out to be the last straw on the back of the extremely long suffering, patient camel. To-day some friends of Healy's, indignant at This wanton onslaught, met here in London and subscribed \$250,000 for a new daily paper in Dublin, to be started at once, with Healy in control. They guarantee him a great loss for ten years, up to an annual \$25,000 limit, which practically makes the paper a great propesty from the start.

This will entirely change the face of Irish politics and turn the scales heavily against the incompetent lot now in control of the organ. The impression is that the paper is to be called the Nation, but this is not settled yet. A good deal of the money is put up by Florence O'Driscoll and Patrick Chance, who religid great fortunes in the Winter alized great fortunes in the West Australia mines recently. There is no country in the world where a daily paper may have such an immense influence as in Ireland, and the lack of one was the only thing which prevented Healy from controlling the politics of the island long ago. Even without it he held practically half of Ireland, and with it now he will be irresistible. This means, at least for the first time since the Divorce court crash of 1890, some real hope for the Irish cause.

I hear from a Belfast Unionist of pro-

mainence that the main lines of the new Irish policy have been settled between Gerald Balfour and the more liberal of the Northern Irish Tories, and it is believed that the assent of the Tory party in Parliament will be obtained for it. It will be outlined in the forthcoming number of the National Review, and its spirit is already defined for us in the new Irish Secretary's remark the other day about killing Home Rule with kindness. It abounds in well meant projects for easing the agrarian difficulty, stimulating the agricultural and other industries. reforming the administration of local affairs, sweeping away Dublin castle altogether, spending great sums in new roads and public improvements, and remodeling the educational institutions to suit the more moderate demands of the Catholic hierarchy. I am assured that Orangemen in the North do not like it at all, which speaks well for it, and it is, moreover, asserted that Balfour is deeply in earnest and will spare no effort to make a thorough lasting job of it. His friends, indeed, speak confidently of its dishing the Home Rule movement for a whole generation. Healy, on the other hand, tells me that it is all moonshine and that it will fail as flatly and absolutely as all the previous attempts of outsiders to coddle Ireland failed.

OBITUARY.

THE LATE MRS. JOHN O'NEILL.

With deep regret we have to announce the death of one of Montreal's most highly respected citizens, in the person of the late Catherine Hurl, beloved wife of Mr. John O'Neill of this city. The sad event took place on Saturday last, the 19th instant, at her late residence, No. 14 Delorimier Avenue. The regretted and universally beloved lady was in her seventy-fifth year when the final summons came. On Tuesday morning, at a quarter to eight o'clock, a large and most representative gathering of relatives, friends and acquaintances accompanied the remains to St. Mary's Church, where a solemn and imposing requiem.

Mass was chanted. Rev. Father O'Donnell was the celebrant, assisted by Rev. Fathers Heffernan and Shea, as deacon and sub-deacon. In extending our sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband and family we pray, with the Church, that the soul of the good and noble-hearted lady may rest in eternal peace.

THE LATE MR. J. R. PHELAN. Sad, like bad, news travels on rapid wings. From Los Angeles, California, on the 3rd October instant, flashed the sorrowful information that Mr. Joseph Richard Phelan, the beloved son of our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. James Phelan, of the Grand Trunk, and brother of Mrs. S. Kavanagh, Daniel, Patrick, Thomas, Ellen and Maggie Phelan of this city, had departed this life. Hundreds of miles away from the relatives he so loved, and by whom he was so dearly be-loved, away from the scenes of his child-hood and the home of his affection, it pleased God to call the good and promising young man to his reward. The funeral left his father's residence, 55 Manufacturers street, on Saturday morning, the 12th instant, to St. Gabriel's Church, where a solemn Requiem Mass was sung by Rev. Father O'Meara, the pastor of the parish, assisted by Rev. Fathers Heffernan and Shea, as deacon and sub-deacon. The edifice was filled with mourning relatives and a throng of sorrowing friends and acquaintances. The deep sympathy evidenced on that sad occasion must have lifted, to some degree, the heavy veil of grief that the irreparable loss had cast over the parents and relatives of the departed. To the father, brothers and sisters the TRUE WITNESS extends this humble but sincere expression of condolence and unites with the Church, of which the deceased was a faithful child, in praying for the repose of his soul.

THE LATE MR. MATHEW MURPHY. THE LATE MR. MATHEW MORPHY.

We record with deep regret the death of a good and popular citizen of St. Patrick's Hill, Tingwick, P.Q., in the person of the late Mr. Mathew Murphy, who has been summoned to his eternal reward, in his eighty-tifth year. Deceased was a native of Tipperary, Ireland, came to Canada when quite young, and afterweighing in Onebec. Montreal and, after residing in Quebec, Montreal Square.

and Vermont, settled down in Tingwick, where he has ever since resided and where he was looked upon as a leading citizen by all who knew him. He was a true and devout Catholic as well as a fervent patriot, and he leaves a large family and a host of friends to mourn his loss. His remains were taken to Manchester, N.H., for burial, and were followed, from his late residence, by a large concourse of people—all friends and acquaintances. The bearers to the station were Messrs. Wm. Gleason, John Gogin, Wm. Welch, and Patrick Nolin. The son of deceased accompanied the remains to Manchester, N.H., where they were laid to rest in St. Joseph's Cemewere laid to rest in St. Joseph's Cemetery. The funeral service at the grave was conducted by Rev. Father O'Neill, in presence of the accompanying friends and the four sons of deceased—John H. S. of Tingwick, Patrick A. and James H. of New Hampshire, and Mathew of Manchester, N.H. In extending our sympathy to the relatives and friends of the departed we pray that his eternal reward may be peace and glory. may be peace and glory.

CATHOLIC SEAMEN'S CLUB CONCERT.

The musical and dram tic section of the Young Irishmen's L. and B. Society kindly gave their talented services last week to the concert of the above Club, and made it a great success. Their songs, choruses and recitations, were all in turn splendidly rendered, and enthusiastically applauded by the large audience present, a great number of whom were, as usual, the ever kind lady friends of the Club, who have so graciously encouraged this good work all summer. Mr. J. P. Curran presided on this occasion, and presented the thanks of the audience to the Young Irishmen for their excellent programme.

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