# THE TRUE WITNESS AND CATHOLIC CHRONICLE.

An admirable organization for mutual instruction lincollig proceeded to the scene on hearing of the has been got up by the young men of Dublin, under the title of the "Dublin Commercial Improvement Society." It has been instituted for the purpose of imparting a knowledge of languages and practical commercial acquirements to young men whose career looks to the counting-house, the ledger, commercial travelling, or mercantile correspondence. We wish the institution every success. It is much wanted in Dublin, where mostly all the foreign shipping business is conducted through foreign interpreters; and but few commercial houses possess good linguists .-Telegraph.

LOUGH CORRIB DRAINAGE WORKS .- Those works are proceeding with the utmost possible rapidity, to a close. Vast numbers of laborers and tradesmen are employed upon them, and every dispatch is being used to bring them to a completion. Excavations are at present being carried out on a ve v extensive scale in that part of the river which fro.'s Wood-quay. A new quay is in course of erection at the head of Woodquay, and it is intended to continue the mall round to the regulating weir. The whole work is of a stupen-dous kind, and stands unequalled by any other public undertaking in Ireland .- Golway Packet.

ELOPEMENT OF AN HEIRESS .- A fair maiden, still in her teens, worth 15,000!. ready money, and enjoying in her own right in addition 1001. per annum-residing in her uncle's house near Athy-eloped on the afternoon of Wednesday with a young gentleman, a J. P. -Leinster Express.

PROVIDENTIAL ESCAPE FROM POLIONING .- A few days since, Mr. and Mrs. Garry, their governess, six children, and two servants, had a most providential escape from being poisoned by arsenic, at Mooretown, near Kildare. The circumstances connected with the case are as follows :- Mr. Garry is in the habit of getting in arsenic for sheep-dressing, &c., and had some of that mineral mixed with flour and laid on a shelf in his pantry for the destruction of mice. A servant who had been hired recently, was sent to the pantry to bring some flour which had been in a plate on the shelf; she took a large table spoonful of the arsenical mixture, and blending it with some butter, it was served up as a sauce with some fowl for dinner. On pouring some of the drawn butter on the fowl when dished, it turned the skin of one of them to a saffron color. At table, it was laid aside, on account of its discoloration ; and subsequently given to young dogs, but did not produce in them any apparent affection. Of the fowl sent to the dinner-table, every one who partook of them was seized with a violent vomiting in about thirty minutes after. It commenced with the governess, and then with all the others except two (Mr. Garry and the elder servant.) Medical aid was immediately sent for, but could not be obtained until a lapse of three hours. Happily no death has resulted-all the parties affected are quite restored .- Leinster Express.

HOSTILE CORRESPONDENCE.-Since the late election for this county Capt. Mervyn Archdall, M. P., and Henry D'Arcy, Esq., of Necara Castle, have been firing Epistolary missives at each other through the medium of Colonel Barton, of the Waterfoot, Pettigo, and occasionally availing themselves of the Post Office. The rivals, we understand, were to have brought matters to a consummation at Belgium, a few days ago, but discretion, which is the better part of valor, dictated a more prudent course .- Fermanagh Mail.

ORANGE ASSOCIATION IN ULSTER -The Downpatrick Recorder states that the Orange institution in that district is in "a state of great prosperity, new lodges having been formed, whilst the numbers of old lodges are

increasing." IRISH PROVISION TRADE.-The Cork Constitution mentions that sheep continue to be imported from England for that market, whilst cattle are exported, and the trade in butter is vastly increasing.

The new corn market in Downpatrick was opened on Saturday, September 18, and the pork market is to be opened in the first week of October.

How to TEACH LANDLORDS A LESSON.-There is a small farm of fourteen acres of land at Carrickedmond, within two miles and a half of Dondalk, on the estate of Mr. Ogle, of London, the agent being Mr. William Robson, of Redbarn. A couple or three years since the enormous rent of fifty-five pounds a year was paid for it by a tenant. It is now in possession of the landlord

them .- Southern! Reporter.

Forty of the reserve constabulary are to proceed to the barony of Tireragh, county Sligo, which was pro-claimed on the 11th inst., under the Crime end Outrage Act The expense of this extra force is to be borne by the occupiers of land in that barony.

A LOVE POTION.—A Very melancholy occurrence took place in Ennis last week. A young man of good character, engaged at the Ennis Mill, named Thomas Meany, became acquainted some short time since with a young girl of the name of Honora Keane. They frequently walked together, but a few days since the girl fancied she was slighted by him, and as she was anxious to keep him to herself, she consulted some woman in the neighborhood how she could accomplish her desires. The doctress, according to her skill, made up, a draught for the girl, and on Sunday last, the parties having, as customary, taken a country excursion, she induced him to take it, which he did after some persuasion. He very soon found himself unwell, and hastened to his house, when he complained he was very ill. Medical aid was called in, and, upon the young man being closely questioned, the physician declared his belief that he had taken poison. He was immediately taken to the county infirmary, where he died on Thursday evening. The girl is in custody.—Clare Journal. Killarney Cathedral has been built from the designs of Mr. A. W. Pugin; it is roofed in, but remains un-

finished. It is a cross church, very lofty, and singu-larly grand in its proportions. The style is the lancet. The circular columns which carry the clearstory of the nave are of a grey basaltic stone. The central piers to carry the spire (not yet built) are somewhat crushed. Externally the weather has caused the stone "to run" into stalactites. The edges of the mouldings at the doors, windows, buttresses, &c., are fringed with it in the most extraordinary manner.— The Builder.

One of the queerest pieces of information we have had this week is an item from an Irish southern contemporary. It is worth reproducing. A man named Lonergan, a farrier (place of abode not stated), had been for some time back " laid up" with a sore finger, which suddenly became swoollen, as well it might. On yesterday (that is, Tuesday last, September 21, by the date of our contemporary), "the swelling broke, when, singular to relate, a full grown leaf of holly, with seven thorns thereon, was taken from the finger, which is now considerably better. On two other occasions, we have been informed by credible persons, leaves of ivy were, after undergoing a like painful process, taken from the same finger.<sup>27</sup> Brother Jonathan may now drop his sea-serpent to bring out some-thing to beat this "Christmas Tale" of " holly and ivy went to"-Lonergan !-Ibid.

#### GREAT BRITAIN.

THE LATE DUKE OF WELLINGTON .- At a meeting of the city of London Common Council to-day, (Thursday, September 23) it was resolved to appoint a com-mittee, composed of the Lord Mayor, and a number of the court of each ward, to consider the most suitable manner of testifying their appreciation of the great merit of the Dake.

RUMORED INDIAN APPOINTMENT OF LORD STANLEY. -The Madras United Service Journal says that a report is current at the club that Lord Stanley is likely to succeed Sir Henry Pottinger as Governor of Madras, adding that the young gentleman has made good use of his travels, and collected a vast fund of information while he was in this country. It ought to have been added, that if the report is well founded, it will be one of the grossest jobs ever perpetrated by the most corrupt of our political parties. Lord Stanley is just 26 years old, he has not the slightest official experience, and his knowledge of India, though embodied, as our Madras contemporary says, in copious notes, must be just as complete a qualification for high employment n this country as a summer tour through France would be to make him Prime Minister to Louis Napoleon. -Englishman, August 6th.

Emigration is greatly increasing at Bristol. Several first-class vessels are now taking in passongers. It is estimated that in addition to 1695 passengers who have already left, the number of emigrants, during the present year, will be upwards of 4000. In addition to its who sowed it with oats this year, and the crop having own immediate district, a number of emigrants leave been sold in the stock a few days since, realised only the port of Bristol from the Midland counties, Devon, 49/. 16s. 12.1. It is said that the expense of seed and Cornwall, and South Wales ornwall, and South Wales. Such is the furor for emigration from the Highlands to Australia, that a clergyman near Fort-William signed, within ten days, upwards of 1000 certificates, or parties desirous of leaving the district .- North British Mail. For the present it appears that her Majesty's govern-ment has resolved to discontinue sending convicts to Van Diemen's Land. It has, however, been determined to make Freemantle, in Western Australia, a convict settlement, and early next month the first batch of 250 transports will be dispatched. A superior class of convicts will be sent to the penal colony. They will consist principally of persons who have served three years' probation in the Dartmouth and Pentonville prisons, and whose conduct there has entitled them to favorable consideration. Each couviet, on landing, will receive a ticket of leave, which will be available only within the limits of Western Australia. The transports will be accompanied by a body of enrolled Chelsea pensioners, who will go out as a convict guard. As the nensioners will take with them their wives and children; they will remain in the country as military colonists.-Liverpool Mercury. PERSONATING LORD JOHN RUSSELL.-On Saturday information was received that a man who bears a strong resemblance to the ex-Premier had, by inducing the proprietor of a livery stable in Pimlico to believe he was that noble personage, obtained the hire of a tilbury to proceed to Hounslow barracks to visit his nephew in the 8th Dragoons; passing through Kensington, he favored several of the tradespeople with his custom, obtaining goods and cash. At Hounslow he left the tilbury and servant, and taking a post-chaise at the George Hotel, went on to Windsor on important business. Here he found himself short of cash, the driver gave him the contents of his pocket, £3 14s., with which he went off, and no more was seen of him. Wanted a Chancellor for the Oxford University; as the only duty of the office will be to reflect dignity upon those who elect him, no other qualifications than those of high birth, and a good position, necessary .-then attacked Keeffe, Jeremiah Horigan, and Patrick | The last indispensable, as the electors will desire to make use of it, when need requires. Duty-none; capabilities (with the above exceptions)-none. Sa-lary-none. "Judicious bottle-holding" between

BRUSSELS, BEFORE WATERLOO.-Brussels from the

beginning of April to the middle of June was the scene of great and untiring festivity. Dinners, soirces, balls, theatrical amusements, concerts-in which Ca talani, then in her prime, played a prominent part-caused the streets of that beautiful and picturesque city to echo with sounds of gladness, while the fields and meadows around were alive all day long with mi-litary parade and reviews. There was not a grove or wood within six miles of the place but afforded shelter as the summer advanced, to frequent encampments. The troops lay, for the most part, in quarters, or were distributed through the villages as they arrived ; but the artillery, with the wagons and tumbrils belonging to it, was parked, and pickets slept, and sentries kept guard beside them. Moreover, the whole line of road from the sea coast to the capital, was kept in a state of constant bustle. Travellers, hurrying to the focus of gaiety, passed, at every stage, corps of infantry, or cavalry, or guns, on the march, and were enchanted, as darkness set in, with the spectacle, to them as new as it was striking, of bivouacs by the wayside, such as Teniers delighted to represent. Nor were they more delighted than astonished to find that amongst the gayest of the gay, in all the festive scenes to which they were introduced, the Duke and the principal officers of his army took the lead. They did not know -what to his followers in the Peninsula was a matter well understood-that the Duke of Wellington never felt more thoroughly unembarrassed than when cares under which other men would have sunk, demanded his attention ; and that the mind which was found able to arrange plans for the preservation of Europe, could, while it worked, enter with perfect freedom and even zest, into every scheme of fun or enjoyment which might be proposed to it. Yet so it was. He who, at his own table, or as the guest of one or other of the leading fashionables of Brussels, was over the keenest promoter of that polished mirth which more than all others he seemed heartily to enjoy; suffered no point, however minute, to escape his notice, to which it behoved the commander of a great army to pay attention; while, at the same time, he conducted and brought to a favorable conclusion political and financial negociations, which, but for the skill and firmness displayed in his management, might have ended disastrously.

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OF JULIA HAGARTY, daughter to Jeremiah Hagarty,

labor amounted to 491. 4s.; so that Mr. Ogle has pro-fitted 12s. 14d. by his toil. This is the way to teach the rackenters of the country the true value of land .- Dundalk Democrat.

TILLAGE RETURNS .- The constabulary of Belfast have received orders from the Government to make out the quantity of oats, wheat, potatoes, flax, green crops, &c., under cultivation, in this district, for the present year. The men will commence this laborious duty in the several divisions of the district to-day.

The Kilkenny papers complain justly of the practice of quacks going through the country, inoculating children with the small pox. The people should be made aware that this fearfully-dangerous offence is severely punishable.

MURDER OF A SOLDIER OF THE 31ST REGIMENT IN FERMOY .- We regret to learn that two soldiers of this regiment, who had walked a short distance from their barracks in Fermoy, on last evening, were attacked by some of the country people, and one of them killed and the other so beaten that his life is in danger. We have no particulars of this sad occurrence; but we understand one of the parties accused of the death of the soldier has been taken into custody. - Cork Examiner.

DESPERATE AFFRAY .- On Friday last, about two v'clock, a. m., Mr. Thomas Scanlan, of this city, with a party of men, arrived on the lands at Corbally, five miles from Ballincollig, and were about removing John Connell's corn, for payment of a debt due to Mr. Scanlan, who gave directions to his party to prevent Connell, his sons, and the bailiff, who had been placed keepers over Connell's property, for rent due of the land, to Mrs. Louisa Cuthbert Carney, from coming out of Connell's house. However, in a few hours after, Connell, his sons, Thomas and Denis, armed with spades, with the two bailiffs, forced their way out of the house, attacked Mr. Scanlan and his party, knocked him and Thomas Keefle down. On the latter being assaulted by John Connell, he fired a shot, at him (Connell) without effect. Thomas and Denis Connell M'Aulifie of the party; who went away after demolishing with stones a large window in Connell's house.-From the wounds inflicted on Mr. Scanlan's head, the doctor who is in attendance on him has pronounced Church parties—very requisite. Inquire at the Uni-his life to be in danger. A party of police from Bal- versity of Oxford.—Daily News.

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Carnavan, within five miles of the City of Cork, Ireland. She was left at Lachine sheds in 1847, her father being driven from her by the authorities of the emigrant sheds at Lachine. Address, Jeremiah Hagarty, Picton, Conved Wort s, d. 26 Canada West.

OF MARY GINNETY, who remained after her parents, 1 104 Patrick and Ellen Ginetty, in Quebec last summer. They came from the parish of Carrickmacross Co., Monghan, Irecante from the parish of Carriekmacross Co., Monagona, Ire-land. The Pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Quebec, would confer a favor on disconsolate parents by inquiring for the above mentioned M. Ginnety. Any information of her where-abouts will be thankfully received by her parents, addressed to the Rev. Mr. Timlin, Cobourg, Canada West. - 3 3 Ō

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