The look, the air, that frets thy sight,
May be a token that below
The soul has closed in deadly fight
With some infernal flery foe,
Whose glance would scorch thy sn And cast thee shuddering on thy face !

The fall thou derest to despise—
May be the angel's slackened hand
Has uffered it, that he may rise
And take a firmer, surer stand;
Or, trusting less to earthly things,
May henceforth learn to use his wings

And judge none lost; but wait, and see,
With hopeful pity, not disdain;
The depth of the abyas may be
The measure of the height of pain
And love and glory that may raise
This soul to God in after days?

NEWS FROM IRELAND.

Probably in the anals of the historic Round Room of the Rotundo no such gathering ever filled the building as assembled, on July 28th, to pay tribute to the veteran Irish exile, James Stephens, and to listen to Mr. Davitt's lecture, undoubtedly one of the best ever delivered within its walls. As an instance of the unprecedented success of the meeting, we are dented success of the meeting, we are the lands of the National League on Sunday, July 26th. A serious riot followed, and were it not for the intervention of the police, the disturbers would probably have fared badly.

Tory majority in the Kinsale Board hibited, once more informed by the secretaries that the sum of seventy-one pounds was taken at the doors. It is confidently expected by the committee that the net proceeds, after defraying incidental expenses, will reach a total sum of two hundred pounds. Such a large amount of money was never before taken at a public meeting in Dublin, and, although the tickets were priced at what was generally considered a prohibitive figure, the fact remains that at an early hour the house was so fully filled the hour the house was so fully filled the stewards considered it advisable to close the doors, and a very great number of people who bought tickets were unable to gain admission.

The Rev. James Ryan, P. P., Durrow, died on July 25th, in the 75th year of his age, and the 44th year of his ministry. Born at Newtown, county Kilkenny, of respectable parents, educated at St. Kieran's College, Father Ryan was appointed to the curacy of Durrow, from which after a short time he was transferred to the parish of Galmoy, where he labored as curate with indefatigable zeal for twenty-eight years. On the death of Father Dempsey, in 1869, he was promoted to the pastoral charge of Durrow. During the sixteen years of his ministry there he was revered and beloved by all for his holy life and his devotion to the duties of his office.

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at Kilmacoliver stands finished. It is a lasting monument of the faith and piety of the good people of the entire parish of Windgap, who have nobly contributed towards its erection. It was solemnly dedicated by the Right Rev. Abraham Brownrigg, D.D., on August 2nd.

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apathy in the City of the Confederation, but it made a start on July 27, which promises work and renown in the near future. The spacious hall of the Tholsel could not hold half the people who made a rush for a laborer named O'Neil, who was recently evicted for a heavy rent. Many the energy and spirit of the speeches, Ireland is given a pledge that Kilkenny will do its duty without fear of consequences. Mayor O'Donnell expressed his surprise that the "marble city" was, to that moment, without a branch of the National League, and he promised that his best efforts would be devoted to prove that the country might rely on earnest help from the ancient city. Clergymen and Town the ancient city. Clergymen and Town and seconding resolutions, and at the close and laborers was given, at Shanaway, in the parish of Mullagh, and four miles from Miltown-Malbay, when upwards of 300 farmers assembled to build a cottage for a leavy rent. Many hands made light work, and in a few hours or adults, than Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

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Wexford.

On the question of the payment of the members, Wexford, with that earnestness which has always characterized it, has taken a more advanced position than any taken a more advanced position than any other Irish constituency has yet done. Last year the handsome sum of £1,200 was collected, and this was divided evenly between the four members who represent the county. Next year, however, Wexford will have only two representatives in the House, as New Ross and the borough of Wexford will have ceased to exist as Parliamentary, constituencies. Parliamentary constituencies. In that event only £600 would be required to pay the members, but at a county convention held on July 29, it was decided to continue the collection of the £1,200 and apply the balance to the payment of representatives of poorer constituencies. If this spirit prevails all over the country the movement to create a members' fund will meet with very few obstacles.

Queen's County.

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Queen's County is apparently determined to lead the van of the Irish constituencies which have made up their minds to recompense the men who are serving them in the House of Commons. The patriotic men of the Queen's County were amongst the first to recognize the justness and expediency of the principle of paying the members. This year's collection has just been made, and it gratifies us to learn that the subscriptions already received are fully up to the standard of former years. The parish of Maryborough alone has up to the present subscribed over £60.

King's County.

charged with the Barbavilla murder conspiracy, has ledged at the Chief Secretary's Office, Dublin Castle, a memorial signed by the Rev. Mr. Curry, P. P., Collinatown, county Westmeath, praying for an investigation into the case in such manner as His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant may think fit.

Longford.

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The prospects and present condition of the crops in the county are most cheering. The potatoes are splendid looking, and those already of early kinds firm and good. The beautiful weather and warm sun is advancing this and every other crop. Hay-making is going on at a great rate, farmers taking advantage of the sunshine. The meadows appear to be heavy. All kinds of fruit are abundant, with the exception of gooseberries, which are a failure to a great extent. Turnips are doing well. Vegetables plentiful. On the whole, the harvest prospects are most encouraging. encouraging.

The Nationalist members of the Bandon

The Nationalist members of the Bandon Board of Guardians acted magnanimo usly over the election of a clerk. There were three candidates—one a Tory, the second a Nationalist, and the third a sort of neutral. After the first poll, the Nationalists, seeing the chances of their man looking blue, dropped him, and casting a solid vote for the neutral, so ousted the Tory.

The Tory majority in the Kinsale Board of Guardians have exhibited, once more, their old bigotry. A proposition came before them for the third time at their

their old bigory. A proposition came before them for the third time at their last meeting, respecting the introduction of the Nuns into the Workhouse, and the said Tories, assembling in full muster from all quarters, again rejected it.

One of the finest and most magnificent National League meetings held for some time past was that which assembled at Barryroe, near Bandon, recently. It must have been a source of great gratification to the worthy parish priest, Father Hill, who presided. He and Mr. Lane, T. C., of Cork, having delivered two admirable speeches, the feature of the day followed in the appearance of Father William Murphy, P. P., Kilbrittan, who, robed in a green sash, delivered a spirited address in the Irish tongue. This took the audience immensely, while the discomfiture under which the Government note-taker consequently labored, amused them hugely.

Limerick.

arrest. He was also charged with the lar-ceny of a cow, but the owner, a farmer, withdrew it, stating he would proceed against Higgina's employers, the Land Cor-poration.

Ciare.

A splendid proof of the spirit of brother-hood which exists between the farmers and laborers was given, at Shanaway, in the parish of Mullagh, and four miles from Miltown-Malbay, when upwards of 300 farmers assembled to build a cottage for a laborer named O'Neil, who was recently evicted for a heavy rent. Many hands made light work, and in a few hours a very substantial house was erected for O'Neil. The Miltown-Malbay Juvenile Fife and Drum Band and the Kilmurry-Ibricane Fife and Drum Band discoursed a selection of national airs during the pro-

nuns attached to the Clogheen Workhouse Infirmary was laid: The ceremony was most imposing, and an eloquent address was delivered by the Rev. Father Dorney, of Elphin, in which he dwelt on the great good which had been accomplished by the Order of which the nuns were members—the Steters of Marcy.

the Sisters of Mercy.

At the North Tipperary convention, the difficult question of where the rent is to come from, was discussed in rather gloomy terms. Seven years ago the judicial rents might not have been exorbitant, but at present they are rack-rents, and the landlords' look-out for the Michaelmas gale is yeary blue. As cattle and care the the landlords' look out for the Michaelmas gale is very blue. As cattle and corn and butter are likely to fall still lower in value, the geocrat may go whistle for his rent. The farmer cannot pay. This was the unanimous opinion of the Nenagh Convention. If a creditor cannot take the "breeks" off a Highlander, he may give up his debt. The landlord can dispossess the tenant, but no one will buy his land, and we doubt if he can get a grabber in North Tipperary to run the risk attached to backsliding in these days.

Antrim.

The task of organising Ulster thoroughly in order that the Nationalists of the province may be able to confront both Whigs and Tories, with a fair prospect of success, at the general election, is being pushed forward with great energy and success. Just at present the all-important question of registration is properly monopolising the attention of the Branches of the National League. National League.

Armagh. On July 26th, a largely attended Nationalist demonstration was held at a place called Derrytagh North, about six miles years. The parish of Maryborough alone has up to the present subscribed over £60.

King's County.

At the last meeting of the Tullamore Board of Guardians a motion was carried to have the erection of laborers' cottages in the Union proceeded with at once. The action of some local landlords in previously opposing a similar proposal was strongly spoken of by some members.

Meath.

The Irih Antiquarian and Historical Society of Dublin are making arrangements for the coming historical pilgrimage to Tara Hill.

Westmeath.

Mr. Gerald Byrne, solicitor, who was engaged for the defence of the prisoners as the discontinuous many contents of the peace by an extra police force of one hundred men.

The value of organization could be seen in a case which recently occurred near Castleblayney. The Rev. Mr. Hogg, late Protestant Incumbent of Broomfield, was put out of his farm on the Bath estate, because he would not continue to pay. a protestant incumbent of Broomfield, was put out of his farm on the Bath estate, because he would not continue to pay a rack-rent. For the same cause nearly twenty holdings on the Bath property are lying idle, and no man in Monaghan would think of clutching one of them. To the astonishment of the people of Donaghmourne, four men were seen, one morning, recently, cutting the hay crop on the Rev. A. Hogg's fields. The drums beat, and the bugles sounded a rally of the inhabitants, and straight up to the workers the crowd rushed. Suddenly the mowers dropped their scythes and marched off with the multitude. The lesson had its effect. At a meeting held on July 26, Mr. McMahon presented himself, and publicly expressed his sorrow for having offended by purchasing the hay. Father Gaughran, president of the local branch of the National League, gave the penitent absolution, and once more McMahon was received into the society of the people. The broad liberality of the National movement was strikingly exemplified in the foregoing case. The Rev. Father Gaughran, addressing the meeting after the restoration of Thomas McMahon, noted the fact that case. The Rev. Father Gaughran, addressing the meeting after the restoration of Thomas McMahon, noted the fact that though the Rev. Dr. Hogg was antinational in his politics, they would fight for his cause against tyrannical landlordism. The action of the people on the occasion was an eloquent sermon upon toleration, liberality, and the brotherhood of all Irishmen. In the support given to the Rev. Dr. Hogg against his evictor, the Protestants of Monaghan have an evidence of the justness and fair play which they may expect from their National fellow-countrymen.

Galway.

July 26, the Most Rev. Dr. Carr, Bishop of Galway, blessed the new chapel erected at Kenure military barracks by Colonel Hercy, of the Connaught Rangers, for the use of the men of that regiment.

His Grace the Most Rev. Dr. McEvilly, D. D., Archbishop of Tuam, visited Errismore, about four miles outside Clifden, on Jury 30, and administered confirmation to over one hundred and fifty children.

Mayo.

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What; is this Disease that is Coming Upon Us?

What; is this Disease that is Coming Upon Us?

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A Ballad of Things Beautiful.

What the spell in the rimpled rill is Who can tell? or the charm of roses? What the secret hidden in lilles Own the song the nightingale knows is? On the song the nightingale knows is? The eyes of the day, and veils his face, and lays on his heart two sunset roses? The beauty thereof, the unspeakable gra

He that made marble all but speaking, partered all that ruder men treasure, To win for himself this pearl of his seeking to crown Art queen of his heart's hi pleasure. What drew him, and draws us in our me

To bow to the might of a perfect face, and make of its memory a life-time's tree ure? The beauty thereof, the unspeakable grad

He that in silver-cliffed Colonus
Sang, and his holier head who chanted
The songs that the world's fair morn h
shown us,
And he to ricense who tred undaunted
The hairs of Dis and the terrible place:
What i the charm in the songs th
The beauty thereof, the unspeakable gra-But fairer far than lovely faces, with bonds that are stronger to bind th

the golden,
Bonds that are woven of all the graces
Of Art and Song, are the pure hearts mold
Like to that heart wherein is holden
The whole wide world, in a sacred place
And teey hold us, too, by the same che
golden,
The beauty thereof, the unspeakable gra L'ENVOY.

Now, the beauty of these and their grains have birth

In the spiendor that beams from God high place,
And falls on the thousand things of earth
The poem, the flower, the heart, the fall of the worth;

FIVE MINUTE SERMONS FOR EARLY MASSES

worth; The beauty thereof, the unspeakable gra-

By the Paulist Fathers. Preached in their Church of St. Paul t Apostle, Fifty-ninth Street and Nin Avenue, New York. TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST.

"Which of these three, in thy opinion, we neighbor to him that fell among robber But He said, he that showed mercy to him—Gospel of the Day. We are taught in the Gospel of to-d to love our neighbors as ourselves. No if we have this love it shows itself if we have this love it shows itself deeds. If, when we see our neighbor distress we pass by, thinking someone e may help him, but we cannot, we are li the proud priest and the Levite, not li the good Samaritan. Our Lord, aff describing the charity of this Samarits asy: "Go and do thou in like manner We cannot pass by our neighbor when is in extreme necessity without ain; at if his necessity be great, we must he him—at least out of our abundance. It a mistake to think that we are free

him—at least out of our abundance. It a mistake to think that we are free obligation in this matter. St. John say "He that hath the substance of this won and shall see his brother in need, and she abut up his bowels from him, how do the charity of God abide in him?"

Are not all men the children of God Are not all men the children of God Are not all men redeemed by the blood Christ? Does God give more of the world's goods to one man than to anoth because He loves one more than anothe Not at all. The poorest in this world goods may be rich in God's grace. It plain, then, that if God has charity for men, we cannot have His grace and n exercise charity towards all and particularly our neighbor in distress. We mit

larly our neighbor in distress. We mulove those whom God loves, if we lo God, and this love must be active—"not word nor in tongue," says St. John, "b in deed and in truth." in deed and in truth."

We all pray to God for mercy; but, we would find mercy, we must aho mercy. "Bleesed are the merciful," as our Lord, "for they shall obtain mercy But, says St. James, "judgment witho mercy to bim that hath not done mercy Mercy shall be granted to the mercif but it shall be denied to the hard of hea "Deal thy bread to the hurger" as

"Deal thy bread to the hard of hea "Deal thy bread to the hungry," as Isaias, "and bring the needy and the hi borless into thy house. Then thou sh call and the Lord shall hear." St. Jerome says: "I have never known amerciful man to have a bad death St. Jerome says: "I have never known a merciful man to have a bad death. The word of God encourages us "to: deem our sins with alms and our iniquities with works of mercy to the pool It says, further, "For alms deliver from all sin and from death, and will not suft the soul to go into darkness." We staught, also, in Holy Scripture, that Chromaiders as done to Himself what we for the poor, but that if we refuse to he those in distress, it is as if charity we refused to Christ Himself. The senter which shall decide our eternal happin or woe will be according to our behave towards our neighbor in distress.

Let us take care not to be deaf to tries of the suffering poor; let us rathembrace with affection the lovely virt of mercy. Bishop Challenor says: "was mercy which brought the Son of G down from heaven to us, and it is men which carries us up to Him." He comercy the favorite daughter of the grey the poor lendeth to the Lord, and He vrepay him."

Those of us who labor in the saci

the poor lendeth to the Lord, and He v repay him."

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