

LOCAL AND DIOCESAN.

FORTY HOURS—Tuesday, St. Margaret; Thursday, N. D. du Mont Carmel; Lacolle Village; Saturday, St. Arsene.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOME.—Good St. Anthony has sent to the home during the past week the following donations, which have passed through the kind hands of Rev. Father McCrory: One tin corn beef, one tin maple syrup, one tin of coffee, two bottles pickles, 4 lbs. raisins, one doz. packages of jelly, one stone of flour, 5 lbs soap powder. Mr. P. O'Connell sent ten dollars; Mrs. J. Gribbin one dollar, for all of which the management desires to express heartfelt thanks and wishes for more.

ST. ANN'S PARISH.—Rev. Father Hanley, C.S.S.R., rector of St. Patrick's, Quebec; Rev. Father Duke, C.S.S.R., rector of St. John's, N.B.; Rev. Father Auth, C.S.S.R., rector of North East, Pa.; Rev. Father McDonald, C.S.S.R., of Portland, Ore.; Rev. Fathers Conroy and Caron, C.S.S.R., of St. Louis, Mo.; Rev. Fathers Gullian, Hamel and Heenan, C.S.S.R., of Saratoga; Rev. Fathers Denolf and Hubert, C.S.S.R., of Ottawa; Rev. Fathers Daly, Walsh, Somerville, Giroux and Chaineux, C.S.S.R., of St. Ann Beaurap, were among the guests at St. Ann's presbytery during the past week.

CATHOLIC SAILORS' CONCERT.—Wednesday evening's entertainment at the Catholic Sailors' Club was in the hands of the ladies of St. Gabriel parish, and no effort was neglected to make of the event all that could have been expected. Mr. P. Monaghan acted as chairman. The programme was an exceptionally fine one, and mention is due to Mrs. Payette, the members of the ladies' choir, and Master Burns, as well as to Messrs. Hanley, Dunne, Brown, Sharpe, Asselin, Powell, McKenna, Jones, Williams and Dr. Atherton. The evening was an ideal one and the promoters thereof are to be heartily congratulated upon the success attained.

ST. PATRICK'S A.A.A. EXCURSION.—On Thursday afternoon, July 15th, St. Patrick's A.A.A. will hold their first annual excursion to Lake St. Peter. The steamer Three Rivers will leave Victoria Pier (opposite Bonsecours Church) at 2 p.m. sharp. Special music and a fine concert has been arranged. As the tickets are limited, those intending to take in the day's outing should secure their tickets and staterooms in advance. At McKenna's, Cor. Guy and St. Catherine streets. The excursion is under the patronage of the following ladies: Mrs. A. Menzies, Mrs. Felix Payette, Mrs. A. Maher, Mrs. C. O'Brien, Mrs. J. O'Keefe, Mrs. T. H. Collins, and Mrs. H. E. Borden, assisted by the following young ladies: Misses M. McMillan, G. Collins, F. Bickstead, L. Bradley, J. O'Keefe, Z. Dalton, M. Ryan, K. Quigley, L. Gradden, M. Monahan, A. Borden, K. Monahan and M. Burke.

OBITUARY

MRS. PETER MCGAHAN.

Catherine McGahan, widow of the late Peter McGahan and sister of Messrs Richard and Matthew Gahan and Mrs Pugh, of this city, died at a ripe old age on the twenty-third last month at the Dominican Convent, Albany, N.Y., where she had been living for the past few years. She was born seventy-four years ago in New Ross, Co. Wexford, Ireland. May she rest in peace!

REV. MICHAEL LYNCH.

The oldest priest in the diocese of Peterboro, in the person of Rev. Michael Lynch, died at his residence there on Sunday last. Father Lynch had been in failing health for some time, hence his retirement from active work in the ministry. He was born in the County Cavan, Ireland, in 1827, came to Canada, and studied for the priesthood, and was consecrated a priest at Ottawa by the late Bishop Guise. His first parish was Kitley, Leeds County, and his other parishes were Smith's Falls, Douro, Cornwall, Peterboro, and Port Hope, at which last named place he served till his retirement, three years ago.

MR. FRANCIS H. PURCELL.

The death took place at the residence of his brother, Butte, Montana, on June 17, of Mr. Francis H. Purcell, at the age of 69 years. Mr. Purcell was a pioneer of the west, having answered the call with so many others to the placer diggings of Helena some 43 years ago. He lived for some time in both the southern and western states, and during the latter days of the war he was employed in laying lines in the wake of the Northern army. After a stay in Nashville, Tenn., he went west again, where he found employment on the large steamers plying between Helena and Deer Lodge. He was favorably known in both these cities as well as at Butte. About a week previous to his death Mr. Purcell contracted pneumonia, from which he could not rally, and, perfectly resigned, he passed away, fortified by the rites of holy Church and surrounded by his brother and his family. The funeral took place from the residence of his brother, Mr. John Purcell, 1634 Delaware Avenue, Butte, Montana, to St. Joachim Church, where a solemn requiem was celebrated. Mr. Purcell was the son of the late Mr. William Purcell, in his lifetime school teacher at St. Polycarp and Ottawa.

NO POPERY RIOTS STIR MOTHERWELL.

DISTURBERS WERE ARRESTED.

Priest Was Mobbed—Lecturer Arrested and Found Guilty.

Despite the stern measures adopted by the police, the religious bitterness that has been aroused in Motherwell for some time past has increased on the part of the Protestant and Orange orators who have invaded the burgh from all parts of the country, writes a Freeman correspondent from Glasgow. So well have these speakers beaten the anti-Catholic drum, and roused the latent bigotry of the Protestant section of the community that life for Catholics in the burgh is made well nigh unbearable. "A second Belfast, with the Ulster capital at its worst," is the apt description given to Motherwell, and in proof of this, Catholics walking the streets are bawled at, and in some cases stones are thrown at them.

PRIEST WAS ATTACKED.

An ugly scene was witnessed in the burgh last night, when the Rev. Father Henry Gray Graham, M.A., was mobbed. Father Graham, who is a noted convert to Catholicity, was a few years ago a leading minister of the Established Church in one of the churches in the suburbs, and since he became a Catholic he was ordained priest. He has been most zealous in the discharge of his duties, and recently delivered a series of lectures to non-Catholics in Motherwell. He is curate at the Mission of Our Lady of Good Aid in the "Steel Burgh," and last night while visiting a number of the parishioners in the south end of Motherwell, the rev. gentleman was mobbed by a large crowd of men, women and children. He was hooted and howled at, and although no violence was attempted, he had to take refuge in a house. After he had gone into the house a telephone message was sent to the police office and a force of constables arrived on the scene. Father Graham was then enabled to mount his bicycle and take his departure, the police seeing that no attack was made on the rev. gentleman.

LECTURERS WERE ARRESTED.

The two Protestant lecturers—the Rev. John Caplin and Jas. Macdonald—who were arrested in Motherwell on Sunday while addressing a meeting in the public park, though ordered by the police not to do so, were brought to trial in Hamilton Sheriff's Court. The case, which lasted throughout the entire day, aroused intense interest, and the courtroom was crowded. Sheriff Thomson occupied the bench. At the outset of the proceedings the Assessor intimated that respondents' agent had lodged in court on their behalf a minute declining his lordship's jurisdiction in respect to the Sheriff having had an interview with the Chief Constable prior to the pleading diet, and also because at the pleading diet his lordship had by word and gesture displayed a bias against the accused. Sheriff Thomson said he refused to sustain the minute of declination, which, however, he marked as received, and stated that the interlocutor would be pronounced. Mr. Caplin, who was tried first, then pleaded "Not guilty" on a charge, which was to the effect that he had at large gatherings in Motherwell Public Park made violent and disorderly speeches antagonistic to the views of the Roman Catholic population, and had used offensive expressions with the premeditated purpose of provoking and exasperating Roman Catholics. He was also charged with having disobeyed and defied the warnings by the police in attempting to address the meeting in the public park. There were nearly 50 witnesses.

WAS FOUND GUILTY.

James D. Gracie, Superintendent of Police, Motherwell, spoke to the intense feeling in the town on account of the anti-Popery and anti-Protestant lectures by rival religionists. As the result of these meetings serious disturbances had occurred, and altogether 17 Protestants and 35 Catholics had been arrested in consequence of these happenings. Acting upon the instructions of Chief Constable Despard, witness intimated that there was to be no further speaking in the public park, but the order was disobeyed by the accused, who were apprehended on the 14th. Other police officers corroborated. Several Catholic witnesses gave evidence as to the inflammatory expressions used by the accused and to the damage by stone-throwing. After lunch a number of witnesses were examined for the defence. At the close of the evidence against the Rev. Mr. Caplin, the Sheriff asked him if he would give an undertaking not to address any meeting in Motherwell for the next six months, but the accused declined to do so. His Lordship then convicted him of both charges and bound him over in caution for £25 to keep the peace for twelve months, and in default of finding caution to be imprisoned for one month. Mr. Caplin indicated that he was willing to go to prison. The charge against Macdonald was found not proven.

Grandson of the late Lieut. Donald Duncan McDonald, of River Beaudette, and brother of Miss Elizabeth E. Purcell, 271 LaGauchetiere street west. May he rest in peace.

FATHER P. McKENNA BISHOP OF CLOGHER

HAS HAD A VERY BUSY CAREER.

Was Leader in His Class When at Maynooth and is Strong Scholar.

News was received in Monaghan on Saturday morning of the appointment by the Holy See of the Very Rev. Patrick McKenna, Professor of Theology, Maynooth College, as Bishop of Clogher in succession to the late Most Rev. Dr. Owens. Dr. McKenna was born January 10th, 1869, in the townland of Moy, in the parish of Errigal Truagh, Co. Tyrone. His father, a well-to-do farmer, died in 1901, but his mother still lives. Even in the local National School where Dr. McKenna received his primary education, he was distinguished; and when in 1883 he entered St. Mavart's Seminary, Monaghan, a brilliant intermediate course was before him. He was a high Exhibitioner in the junior grade and obtained high distinctions also in the middle and senior grades. But it was only when he entered Maynooth in 1887 that his ability won adequate recognition.

LEADER AT MAYNOOTH.

During his seven years' course he maintained his place as "leader" in nearly every subject of study, and it is only a Maynooth man who can realize what such a record means. At the end of his ordinary course he was appointed to the Dunboyno, the post-graduate course to which it is the ambition of every brilliant student to be called. He was ordained to the priesthood on Oct. 14, 1894. The chair of English Literature becoming vacant by the appointment of Dr. Clancy to the See of Elphin, Father McKenna was named Lecturer to fill the vacant place and for the greater part of his two years' Dunboyno course he conducted this class with great success and distinction. Many priests throughout Ireland retain pleasant recollections of Fr. McKenna as a Lecturer. Having completed his Dunboyno course, Fr. McKenna turned to missionary work, and after a short spell of temporary work in Monaghan he was appointed curate of Currin in November, 1896, where he remained for a little more than a year.

FURTHER ACADEMIC SUCCESS.

One whose collegiate career had been so distinguished was not likely to remain in an obscure curacy for long, and a vacancy occurring in St. Kieran's College, Kilkenny, Fr. McKenna was asked by Dr. Brownrigg, and was permitted by Dr. Owens, to take up the Professorship of Dogmatic Theology and Sacred Scripture. He occupied this chair for four years, during which he won the same high degree of admiration and affection from all with whom he came in contact, as he had already won in the earlier periods of his academic and missionary life. At the virtual command of Dr. Owens he returned in 1902 to his own diocese, and resumed missionary work as a curate in Enniskillen. He labored for two years in this capacity and it may safely be said that Enniskillen never had a more efficient and more popular curate. In 1904 a vacancy—rather two vacancies—occurred in the Faculty of Theology in Maynooth, and after a brilliant concursus both Fr. McKenna and his competitor were appointed at the October meeting of the Bishops.

THE ACT OF UNION IS IN REQUISITION.

In the House of Commons, on going into Committee on the Finance Bill, the Speaker said that there was a notice of motion in the name of Mr. John Redmond, "That it be an instruction to the Committee that they have power to insert clauses in the Bill, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Union, to allow Ireland the special exemptions and abatements provided for in that Statute so as to ensure that her taxation capacity as compared with that of Great Britain, is open to the hon. member in either of the Committee of the Bill, either by a single clause or by raising the question as an amendment upon the first clause which he considers affects the interests of Ireland.

MR. REDMOND'S POINT.

Mr. Redmond—On a point of order, may I ask you whether in giving that ruling you have taken into consideration the fact that it was rendered impossible for me to raise a general discussion on this question because of the amendment to the second reading of the bill moved by the official opposition, whether it would not be impossible to raise a general discussion upon the clauses of the bill unless I proceeded piecemeal from one clause to another right through the Bill, which would be not only an over-embarrassing form of procedure for the House generally, but an ineffective way, from my point of view, and whether there is any other opportunity open to me of raising a general discussion on these points, except by a new clause at the end of the Bill, which is postponing the matter, I am afraid, for a very long time (Irish and Opposition cheers).

THE SPEAKER'S DECISION.

The Speaker—There is no doubt that the hon. and learned member

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