

The Weekly Messenger.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22.

IRISH NEWS.

A demonstration, in which several well-known agitators participated, was held in Waterford last Sunday week, under the auspices of the Irish National League. The object of the League was stated by Davitt to be the achievement of national independence for Ireland. In replying at a banquet to the toast "Ireland as a nation" Mr. Richard Power, M. P. for Waterford, said that England was a nation insulted by France, hated by Europe, and harassed and embarrassed by Ireland.

The purchase in Glasgow by Terence McDermott, several weeks before the explosions there, of two lots of glycerine has been discovered by the police, and that the glycerine was carried to Whitehead's factory in Birmingham for the probable purpose of being converted into nitro-glycerine.

Over thirty thousand persons attended the demonstration in Waterford last Sunday week. The city was profusely decorated. Resolutions demanding a parliament for Ireland "not only in name but in reality" were passed amid loud cheers. The Land Act was denounced by Mr. Davitt as quite inadequate to Ireland's needs. He stated that when all the land cases had been settled a million pounds would cover the reductions made in rent.

A caretaker named Sullivan was fatally shot at Killarney last Thursday night by an unknown person.

A man by the name of Farrelly successfully resisted the attempt of officers to evict him at Kells, in the county of Meath, on Friday last. Having strongly barricaded his windows and doors he awaited the arrival of the officers who were received with a shower of stones and sticks, and boiling water was poured over them from above. They had to retreat and Farrelly retained possession.

Dynamite cartridges to the number of 197 have recently been discovered and seized by the Cork police.

The mortgage on Mr. Parnell's estate, amounting to £13,000, has been paid off from the proceeds of the testimonial fund.

Further evidence has been adduced against Doctor and Patrick Connolly and their sister Catherine, charged with being implicated in a conspiracy to murder a rent warner, named John Carroll, for the purpose of obtaining his property, and they were all fully committed for trial.

O'Donnell, the slayer of James Carey, has arrived in England. On leaving the vessel at Southampton he remarked, in a laughing tone, "Have you got 'Number One' this time?" He was taken to London under a strong escort of police and was arraigned at Bow street Police Court and charged with the murder. He pleaded not guilty and was remanded for trial.

REPORTS FROM EGYPT indicate that the False Prophet needs another putting down, and Hicks Pasha has been sent out to the desert with five thousand troops. A telegram has just been received by the Khedive from Hicks that the False Prophet's religious influence is broken. As his military influence depended chiefly upon his religious, Hicks ought not to find it very difficult to destroy that also, and put the holy disturber where he will do no more harm.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

Colonel J. J. Hickman, of Kentucky, is doing heavy work in Prince Edward Island. His meetings have in many cases amounted to great temperance demonstrations, and below we give a list of Lodges instituted by him, with their officers.—At Head of St. Peter's Bay, a Lodge with a membership of fifty—Chas. Way, W. C.; Maggie McLain, W. V.; W. E. Scott, W. S.; S. D. Anderson, W. F. S.; Mary E. McLean, W. T.; Rev. W. B. Hinson, W. C.; M. McInnis, W. M.; Helen D. McCallum, W. I. G.; C. Hayden, W. O. G.; Laurinda Webster, A. S.; Jemima Coffin, A. M.; Mrs. C. Wayne, R. H. S.; Elizabeth McLaren, L. H. S.; J. Webster, P. W. C. T.; Lestock Anderson, L. D. At Montague Bridge, one with a membership of ninety—J. M. Aitken, W. C.; Mrs. D. McLeod, W. V.; E. Campbell, W. S.; G. Gillis, W. F. S.; Isabella Johnson, W. Treas.; Rev. W. Wass, W. Chap.; P. W. Dewar, W. M.; Emma Lemon, W. I. G.; J. Campbell, W. O. G.; D. Forbes, P. W. C.; N. J. McDonald, L. D.; J. Campbell, L. S.; M. Moore, A. M.; M. Dewar, R. H. S.; P. Johnson, L. H. S. At Mount Stewart, one with a membership of fifty, the ninth Lodge since he began his mission on the 23rd ult.—E. Leemon, W. C.; Bessie Coffin, W. V.; Victor Coffin, W. S.; J. Partridge, L. S.; Horace McEwen, L. D.; Mrs. H. McEwen, Treas.; Rev. D. H. Lodge, Chap.; Kemble Douglas, W. M.; Margaret Birt, I. G.; A. Matheson, O. S.; Lorinda Clark, A. M.; Mrs. T. Douglas, A. S.; Phoebe Douglas, R. H. S.; Mrs. E. Anderson, L. H. S.; Horace McEwen, P. W. C. At Bay Fortune, two Lodges—one "Ark of Safety," with fifty-four members for Bay Fortune, and the other "Fortune," for Rollo Bay, with sixty-one members.—Officers of "Ark of Safety;" H. McKie, W. C.; Lettie Needham, W. V.; W. H. Underhay, W. S.; L. Needham, W. F. S.; Ella Underhay, W. Treas.; J. Mills, W. Chap.; B. Coffin, W. M.; Mary Underhay, W. I. G.; W. Dingwell, W. O. G.; W. B. McInnis, P. W. C.; J. C. Underhay, L. D.; Sophia Dingwell, R. H. S.; Gertrude Dingwell, L. H. S.; Mrs. J. Mills, A. S.; S. Coffin, A. M. Officers of "Fortune;" J. A. Dingwell, W. C.; Margaret Aitken, W. V.; J. A. Morson, W. S.; W. B. Webster, W. F. S.; Mary McKie, W. Treas.; C. Aitken, W. Chap.; L. McCormack, W. M.; Clara Dingwell, W. I. G.; A. Dingwell, W. O. G.; A. McPherson, P. W. C.; A. A. Morson, L. D.; Maggie Townsend, A. S.; Eliza A. Simmons, A. M.; Edith Simons, R. H. S.; Elizabeth Dingwell, L. H. S. At Souris, a Lodge with a membership of eighty;—Mr. Peter Stewart, W. C.; Mrs. J. J. Coulter, W. V.; Mr. L. Brehaut, W. S.; Mr. J. D. Coffin, F. S.; Miss Hattie Maskell, Treas.; Rev. R. B. Kinlay, Chap.; Rev. J. J. Coulter, P. W. C.; Mr. Archibald Lord, W. M.; Miss B. McIntosh, A. M.; Miss Jane MacCormick, J. G.; Mr. James Nowlan, O. G.; Mr. William Mellet, L. D.; Gabriel Macdonald, W. A. S.; Miss Laura Stewart, R. H. S.; Miss Maggie MacCormick, L. H. S. At Eldon, one with ninety-six members.—J. St. C. Moore, W. C.; Davina McLeod, W. V.; W. Mutch, W. S.; W. H. Lord, F. S.; Florence Nicholson, Treas.; John S. McDonald, Chap.; M. J. McLeod, W. M.; M. J. Finlayson, I. G.; M. Anderson, O. G.; J. M. Nicholson, P. W. C.; N. Laraby, A. S.; T. Lantz, D. M.; Isabella McDonald, R. H. S.; Mary Morrison, L. H. S.; J. M. Nicholson, L. D. At Pownall, one with seventy members.—F. H. Campbell, W. C.; Lavinia Clark, W. V.; A. Murchison, W. S.; J. J. Gay, F. S.; Wm. Lane, Chap.; Rosie McRae, Treas.; Albert

Gay, W. M.; Lilly Moore, I. G.; F. S. Drake, O. G.; G. Wood, P. W. C.; Sadie Jenkins, D. M.; N. Cousins, A. S.; Mary E. Jenkins, R. H. S.; Elsie Acorn, L. H. S.; Samuel Brown, L. D. We are at present without particulars of the remaining Lodges organized by Col. Hickman. He organized eleven in all, and delegates from these assembled in Charlottetown on the seventh inst., and were organized into a Grand Lodge for Prince Edward Island. Following is a list of the delegates. From Charlottetown, Rev. C. O'Meara, Rev. J. M. McLeod, Mrs. D. Farquharson, and J. A. Lawson; from Summerside, Rev. J. S. Allen, D. Stewart, and Annie Ackerman; from Bredalbane, J. A. McLeod, A. J. McLellan, and A. W. Delaney; from St. Peter's, C. Wayne, M. McInnis, and L. Anderson; from Souris, W. Mallett, J. Maskill, and Hattie Maskill; from Bay Fortune, J. C. Underhay, L. H. Needham, W. McDonald, and M. B. McInnis; from Rollo Bay, J. A. Morson, Maggie J. Aitken, M. McKie, and S. McInnis; from Montague, E. Lane, P. A. Dewar, D. C. Campbell, and Miss M. McVane; from Mount Stewart, Rev. D. H. Lodge, Mrs. H. McEwen, and Victor Coffin; from Pownall, F. H. Campbell, J. J. Gay, A. Gay, and R. J. Wood; from Belfast, J. St. C. Moore, J. M. Nicholson, M. Anderson, and A. J. Campbell. The following officers of the Grand Lodge were elected and installed.—J. C. Underhay, G. W. Chief; Rev. J. M. McLeod, G. W. Cr.; Mrs. D. Farquharson, G. W. V.; J. A. Lawson, G. W. Sec. and Tr.; Annie Ackerman, Supt. Juvenile Templars; Rev. J. S. Allan, G. Chap.; C. Wayne, G. Marshal; Maggie Aitken, G. Guard; J. A. McLeod, G. Sentl; Miss H. McEwen, Asst. G. Sec.; Miss M. McVane, D. G. Marshal; J. M. Nicholson, G. Messenger. It was decided to hold the annual and semi-annual meetings in Charlottetown on the second Thursday of July and the second Thursday of January in each year. On motion of the Rev. J. S. Allen, seconded by the Rev. J. M. McLeod, a vote of thanks to Col. J. J. Hickman for his untiring zeal in working up a live temperance sentiment in the Province, was unanimously passed, to which he gave a most effective reply. The probably unparalleled amount of work effected in so short a period by Col. Hickman in this case—the institution of eleven strong subordinate Lodges and a Grand Lodge—need be our only apology for devoting as much space as we do to the Order in a single Province. Every friend of temperance, as well as every Good Templar, may well rejoice at the grand achievement of our Southern brother in the smallest Province of the Dominion.

BUSINESS AND LABOR NOTES.

An extensive factory is to be erected at once at Parkdale, adjoining Toronto, by the India Rubber and Gutta Percha manufacturing Company of New York, for the manufacture of mechanical rubber goods for the Canadian market. About \$250,000 will be the cost of the building and machinery.

Middlesex and Elgin is reported to be severely injured by the late frost. It is the opinion of some farmers that it will be quite impossible for the crop in those counties to ripen at all.

The great cranberry fields of Cape Cod have had great havoc caused them by the protracted drouth and the worms. Vegetation is so far gone on many farms that even frequent rains would fail to revive it, and the poor pasturage is causing suffering among the cattle.

In the getting out and manufacture of

lumber in Canada about one hundred thousand men are engaged. These men support families forming a total of half a million, or about one-ninth the population of the Dominion. The amount of capital invested in land and lumbering outfits is about \$50,000,000 altogether, or more than one-third of the amount invested in all other industrial establishments. The total product of lumber in 1881 was \$38,541,752 or \$9 for each inhabitant of the country, of which sufficient was sold abroad to bring into the country \$23,991,052.

THE WEEK.

ADMIRAL PIERRE, lately in command of the French naval expedition to Madagascar, and who conducted the bombardment of of Tamatave, is dead, and will be given a public funeral by France.

COUNT DE CHAMBORD, the late proposed king of France, bequeathed four hundred thousand francs to the Peter's Pence fund of the Roman Catholic Church.

WINDSOR CASTLE is to be, by the Queen's orders, partially illuminated with the electric light.

AT A FANCY BALL at Baden, a famous watering place in Austria, the Prince of Wales, Lord Charles Beresford and other members of the royal party were attired as cooks, chambermaids, and other domestic functionaries.

AN EMINENT COMMERCIAL AUTHORITY, M. Lourdelet, has been commissioned by the French Minister of Commerce to go to the chief cities of the United States, to study American manufactures with a view to transplanting methods into French manufactures whereby the formidable competition of American with French products throughout the world may be counteracted. Perhaps the better plan would be to buy American machinery and get American workmen to operate it and show the natives how to do so.

THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION of Philadelphia has raised two hundred thousand dollars to pay off its unfunded debt. Wealthy men came forward handsomely—Mr. John Wanamaker giving fifty thousand dollars; Mr. George W. Childs, the famous journalist, five thousand; an unknown friend, twenty-five thousand; another, twenty thousand; two others, ten thousand each, and James Talcott, five thousand.

LORD DUFFERIN, British Ambassador to Turkey, has been recalled. Being about the best diplomatist in the service of the Empire, his recall may mean that he is wanted in connection with the str now manifest on all hands in European affairs.

MR. CLIFFORD LLOYD, one of the most hated of Irish landlords by the revolutionary Irish, has gone to Egypt as the representative of the British Government. He has there formed a new Egyptian police, of which all the chief officers are Irishmen. Some volunteers with whom he is personally acquainted have been offered to have places kept open for them, as head constables, for a year, to give them time to decide whether they will stay in Egypt or not.

DAYTON, OHIO has the lowest death rate of any city in the United States—fifteen in the thousand. New Orleans and Memphis have the highest death rates. The favorable condition of Dayton's health is due to advantage having been intelligently taken of excellent facilities for drainage.