









EDITORIAL NOTES.

It has been determined to hold a national convention of the Irish National League of America in Chicago, on January 28th. Mr. Parnell will attend the convention, accompanied by a strong deputation from the Irish Parliamentary party, including T. D. Sullivan, Lord Mayor of Dublin.

SADLIER'S DIRECTORY.

Preparations are being made to issue at the usual time this well-known and useful book of reference. For twenty years it has been the only work of the kind. At the outset it was an undertaking that involved considerable expense, and the prospect of profit was very doubtful. Be this as it may, however, the late lamented Denis Sadlier manfully undertook the task of supplying the clergy and laity of America with a work that gave general satisfaction.

divine Lord, born and living in poverty, and dying in excruciating agony, gave a value to poverty and suffering, and gradually dispelled the prejudices of pride, cruelty and selfishness. For the first time men of different grades, conditions and countries were united in one common brotherhood.

CATHOLIC PRESS.

Mrs. Morgan O'Connell, who now complains that her tenants boycott her so mercilessly, seems to imagine that her name should give her the right to do as she pleases. In his day the Liberator was undoubtedly the foremost man of all Ireland.

SERMON BY REV. FATHER WALSH.

On last Sunday evening a very large congregation assembled in St. Peter's Cathedral, in this city, to hear a lecture by Rev. Father Walsh, the lecturer being for the purpose of making an appeal to the generosity of the people in aid of the funds of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul.

Mr. Kelley and resign, "at his own request"—or at least Mr. Bayard's insistence, which is much the same thing. Lake Shore Visitor. The father or mother, who, in the presence of their children, will not only condemn what the priest says from the altar, but at the same time will perhaps speak disparagingly of him and the Church, should know that they are not teaching their children respect for authority.

ATTENDING THE SHOWS.

Mr. P. J. Woods, farm foreman at the Agricultural College, had a very pleasant experience while attending the different fairs, in charge of the model farm stock. The St. Thomas, Cayuga, and other exhibitions, asked as a favor of Hon. Mr. Ross, that the Government cattle be exhibited at their shows.

PERSONAL.

We had the honor this week, of a visit from Mr. and Mrs. John Ryan, of Brantford, who have been enjoying their honeymoon trip. We hope a large share of the joys and happiness of this life may be theirs in the holy bonds of wedlock.

CATHOLIC NOTES.

Very Rev. D. J. Quigley, Vicar General of the Diocese of Charleston, has been appointed by the Pope Domestic Prelate, with the title of Monsignor. This is the first priest in the South so honored. Rev. Father Kelly, Secretary to His Lordship Bishop Cleary, recently presented a beautiful chalice to the church of the House of Providence on the Feast of St. Edward.

CATHOLIC NOTES.

On Sunday last the new Cathedral of Hartford, Conn. was solemnly dedicated to the service of Almighty God. A large number of bishops and priests were present as well as an immense concourse of the laity. Archbishop Ryan preached the sermon at high Mass and Bishop McQuaid preached at Vespers.





