

## O'Curry's Birthplace Memorial.

As stated in a previous number of the JOURNAL the Archæological Section proposed to mark the birthplace of O'Curry at Doonaha by a suitable memorial—Clare county being within the district worked by the Limerick Field Club—and subscriptions were invited. The project met with general approval; but the subscriptions have not flowed in as freely as desired. However the members in this section of the Club are not numerous, and the Committee believes that after the publication of this number of the JOURNAL, an appeal to some of the admirers of O'Curry outside the Club will in a very short time succeed in procuring the small sum necessary.

It is not intended to erect any imposing monument. O'Curry's memorial should be in the metropolis. It is only proposed to mark his birthplace in a simple way. Its ornamental character will depend very much on the funds at the disposal of the Committee. A few blocks of that fine "Shamrock" stone from the Moher cliffs, if cut to a suitable design, with an inscription in Gaelic, would be perhaps the most appropriate way to mark this interesting spot.

Mr. P. J. Lynch has recently visited the ground, and reports that such an erection on the roadside is quite practicable. The Committee hopes to be in a position to report its completion, and publish a photograph of it in the next number of the JOURNAL.

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