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A resolution adopting and approving the report and declaring the Institute worthy of the support of the Christian public, was proposed by Rev. Canon Daunt, Queenstown, seconded by Mr. G. F. Hare. Canon Daunt spoke of the varied and world-wide work of the Y.W.C.A., giving instances of its helpfulness in Cork to many young people who reside in the Home there, of the advantages of the Travellers' Aid Department and Employment Agencies—of the special efforts now being made to care for girls coming to work in the Industrial Exhibition, and of the great spiritual blessing the Y.W.C.A. has been proved to be.

A resolution appointing the Committee for the ensuing year was proposed by Rev. J. T. Waller, seconded by Rev. T. B. Robertson.

The meeting closed with the Doxology, after which the Committee entertained their visitors with tea, and all left, feeling there is much cause for encouragement connected with this work.

## FUNERAL OF THE LATE MRS. FAHY.

On Saturday last, 15th inst., the interment took place at Waterville, in the presence of a large number of sympathisers, representing every class and family in the district, who attended to show their sympathy for those bereaved, and sorrow for a young life cut off in the midst of usefulness, for since she came to the parish she closely identified herself with her husband's work in any movement made for the improvement of the church or the schools. Seldom, if ever, was seen such a large and sympathetic crowd in the sea-side churchyard and the church (even though the recent addition was for the first time utilized) could hardly hold the numbers who attended the burial service. The church was suitably draped, and the service was performed by Rev. M. Fahy, Rector of Toom Bridge, Co. Antrim. She who was mainly instrumental in having the church enlarged and beautified for the service of her Lord, did not live to see the completion of the work, but those who sorrow for her most do not sorrow as those without hope, for they trust she is in the presence of Him who will wipe away all tears, and where there shall be no more death, and they feel that their loss is her gain.

The chief mourners were:—Rev. J. G. Fahy, husband; Rev. M. Fahy, brother-in-law; N. F. Beere, uncle.

The coffin was covered with floral crosses and wreaths.

Flowers were sent by Miss B. Bunbury, floral crosses by Colonel Shuttleworth and family, Mrs. O'Connell (Derrynane) and family, Mrs. West, Stoughton; and Mrs. Blunt, and one from the Waterville Church Choir, in which she took such a deep interest.

The wreaths were from her husband and mother, Mrs. Gabbett, the Superintendent and Staff of the Waterville Cable Company, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Topping, Rev. W. and Mrs. King, the Catholic members of the Cable Staff, the members of the Presbyterian Congregation, the children of the High School, and of the National School.

Amongst those who attended the funeral were: Major Creswell, Colonel Echilaz, Mr. D. O'Connell, J.P.; Mrs. and the Misses O'Connell (Darynane), Mr. Maurice Fitzgerald, Mrs. Trent Stoughton, Mrs. Blunt, Miss A. Butler, Mr. J. J. Butler, J.P.; Mr. E. Lloyd, R.M.; Rev. Canon Hallanan, Rev. Father Moriarty, Rev. Father Crowley, Dr. Franks, Dr. Healy, J. Cullinan (Superintendent of the Meteorological Observatory), T. J. Wilmot, Superintendent of Cable Station and Staff, F. W. Topping and Staff, the Coastguards of the district, Mr. J. Shuel, Mr. W. Leslie, Mr. E. Fitzgerald, Mr. A. M. Huggard, and representatives of every family in the parish.

The number of letters of sympathy received from all parts of England and Ireland show how universal was the feeling of sorrow.

## DEATH OF MR. THOMAS O'RIELLY.

Local sporting men and indeed all interested in the horse trade will regret to hear of the death of Mr. Thomas O'Reilly, late of Sarsfield Street, which took place yesterday at his residence, Thomas Street. For some forty years Mr. O'Reilly had been managing the business of prominent Veterinary Surgeons in this city, first for the late Mr. Fraser, and then for 26 years for the late Mr. R. H. Dyer. He was a familiar figure in connection with the Munster Fairs, when in the height of bustle and business at the Repository he was always the same—courteous and obliging to everyone. He was an excellent man in his calling, as evidenced by the skill and judgment which he displayed in the selection and management of thoroughbred stock, and it may be remarked in passing, that he pioneered the now famous Royal Emperor through all his successes. Mr. O'Reilly has for some years past been living in well-earned retirement. Latterly his health has been giving way, and his demise was not unexpected. We sympathise with his family in their keen bereavement. The funeral will leave St. Michael's R. C. Church to-morrow (Friday) at 3 p.m.

Lord Lytton will introduce into the House of Lords next week a Bill for the inspection of laundries, with a clause for the inspection of convent laundries.

A Toronto telegram says that the Toronto Lacrosse Club team, consisting of fourteen players, will sail on March 29th to play fifteen matches in England and Ireland.

The Canadian Government has reduced the duty on news paper from 25 to 15 per cent., investigation having shown that the combine of manufacturers will enhance the price.

The Paris Courts have decided that the employment of theatrical claquees (otherwise paid applauders) to secure the success of a new piece or to encourage a performer, is legal.

The steamer "Pioneer," from Cannes, having been wrecked on the rocks near Marseilles, a tremendous explosion of acetylene occurred, which killed the captain and one passenger.

According to a Parliamentary white paper issued yesterday the total number of killed since the war began is 5,231, while 13,733 have died of disease or wounds, and 20,937 have been wounded.

After his splendid display yesterday, Mr. M. Fitzgerald, the Irish amateur champion billiard player, who is a Kerryman, is a warm favourite for the billiard amateur championship of England.

Two brothers named Geldehuisen, local rebels, have been found guilty of high treason and attempted murder at Graaf Reinet. The elder was sentenced to death, and the other to penal servitude for life.

The Bishop of Hereford, at whose instance the Betting Commission was appointed, has now introduced a Bill prohibiting the hunting of tame deer, the coursing of bagged rabbits, and pigeon shooting competitions.

The Pope has entered on the twenty-fifth year of his Pontificate. The solemnities in celebration of the jubilee will, however, not begin before March 3rd, the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Coronation of his Holiness.

News has reached Derry of the death at Jersey, where she was staying for her health, of Miss Chadwick, eldest daughter of the Bishop of Derry. The intelligence was a terrible blow to the Bishop, who only about three years ago lost his wife.

Frank Kershaw, thirteen, a mill-worker, was sentenced to ten years' penal servitude at Liverpool Assizes yesterday for manslaughter on evidence which was purely circumstantial. Mr. Justice Bucknill, in passing sentence, said that had prisoner been a year older the jury would have found him guilty of murder.

The most important shipbuilding order that has reached the Clyde for a long time has just been booked. It is an order to construct two twin-screw passenger liners, each of about 10,000 tons, with triple-expansion engines of 10,000 horse-power, for the North Atlantic service.

In the House of Lords yesterday, Lord Avesbury moved the second reading of the Shops Early Closing Bill, which proposed to give power to two-thirds of the inhabitants of a district to prescribe the hour at which shops should be closed. The Bill was rejected by 57 votes against 20.

## FUNERAL OF MR. AND MISS SEYMOUR.

This morning the funerals of Miss Catherine Seymour, aged 76, and her brother, Mr. Harris Seymour, aged 86, who, as reported in our last issue, died on Monday night within a few minutes of each other at their residence, Clifton Ville, Ennis Road, took place for St. Munchin's Church. It was a truly touching spectacle as the coffins containing the mortal remains of two people devotedly attached to each other through a long life, and who in death were not divided, were being removed from the house to the hearses in waiting.

The chief mourners were—Messrs Seymour (2) Cardiff, nephews of the deceased. Amongst the general public were—Rev. B. E. Gentleman, and Rev. R. Lee Cole, Methodist Church; Dr. Myles, Medical Attendant; Mr. Wm. M. Beauchamp, Clerk of the Crown and Peace; Mr. B. Barrington, solr.; Mr. Archibald Murray, Mr. R. Hanna, Mr. W. E. Hanna, Mr. John Russell, Mr. W. Owens, Mr. W. H. Owens, Mr. James Goodwin, Mr. E. G. Pitt, Mr. J. G. Wilkinson, Mr. W. Pike, Mr. Woodhouse, Mr. W. Christy, Mr. W. Christy, junr., Mr. C. Hill, Mr. F. Mitchell, Mr. David Begley, Mr. H. Martin, Mr. Belsher, Mr. Waterstone, Mr. O'Sullivan, Mr. T. Grubb, etc.

The Rev. Mr. Gentleman and Rev. Mr. Cole officiated at the graveside. Service was also held at the house immediately previous to the funeral.

HARRIS'S MACHINE-MADE BREAD

When Kelly and Stiles were placed in the dock at the Old Bailey to-day, speculation was rife as to whether they would plead guilty in view of what happened to Burge on the previous day. When the Judge took his seat they, in reply to the Clerk of the Court, said they would withdraw their pleas and plead guilty. They were both very nervous, and had to be directed by their counsel as to what to say.

Mr. Gill told the Judge he was prepared to accept the pleas of the prisoners of conspiracy to defraud, and not proceed with the other counts on the indictment. There was a difference between the crimes of Burge and these prisoners, because he latter had not put any pressure upon Goudie to bet, whereas Mances and Marks appeared to have done so. Counsel said Kelly had altogether received from Goudie £39,000, and Stiles £35,000.

Mr. Rufus Isaacs and Mr. Marshall Hall addressed the Judge in mitigation of the prisoners sentences.

The Judge remarked that what would affect him was what amount of restitution these men would make to the Bank.

The sentences were postponed till Saturday.

## SPANISH STRIKE.

Madrid, Thursday.  
Great efforts are being made for a general strike to be proclaimed throughout Spain.

## WILSON AND UNION TUBE COMPANY.

THE RESULT OF COMPETITION.  
At the annual meeting of Wilson's and Union Tube Company, Glasgow, to-day, it is stated that owing to very bad results of the year's working, the works at Govan are to be closed because of American competition. A large number of men will be affected.

## MORE TYRANNY IN ROSCOMMON.

At a United Irish League meeting held at Elphin, County Roscommon, to-day, a resolution was adopted calling upon the farmers who have taken evicted farms to surrender at once. Considerable local excitement prevails, and large forces of police are being drafted into the districts.

## BARCELONA RIOTS.

Barcelona, Wednesday.  
A troop of Cavalry was attacked by persons on the balcony of the Santa Madona Theatre, and was obliged to fire. Several persons were wounded. The soldiers forced the Theatre doors and arrested the assailants, who made a violent resistance with their revolvers.

Barcelona, Tuesday.  
The strikers have murdered three workingmen who decided to resume work, also a master baker who raised the price of bread. There are no provisions on sale.

## SMALL-POX IN LONDON.

There were 24 fresh cases of small-pox in London this morning. Two fresh cases of smallpox were notified in Liverpool. One case was reported in Bootle to-day.

## CONDITION OF LORD KIMBERLEY.

Lord Kimberley passed a restless night, and was not quite so well this morning.

## DIVORCE SUIT.

In the Divorce Court to-day, Sergeant Edwin Robert Chapman, of the 6th Battalion Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, of Devonport, was granted a decree nisi because of his wife's adultery.

## TREASON COURT.

Kimberley, Tuesday.  
The Treason Court to-day passed sentences of seven years in one case and two and a half years in another. Fourteen other rebels received sentences varying from two years to six months' imprisonment.

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A RATEPAYER WHO DR  
Limerick, February 20th, '02.

## THE TAILORS' POST

TO THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK  
Mechanics' Institute, B  
February  
SIR,—Allow me space in the colu much read paper to correct an error in the Tailors' posters, for which I a to blame. It is T. Donovan, which A. Donovan, 17 Patrick Street. T in anticipation.  
Believe me, yours faithl  
P. HAYES, S

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