

SOLUTION OF LOVE.
 Just in the hurly-burly of the season when all are busily engaged in the cultivation of the soil and endeavoring to advance their temporal interests—may say, to combat the musing with which we are too familiar, and to corroborate the assertion of the noble Sir Robert that poor, alas! very Ireland, is still flourishing—we have witnessed a simple of the loyalty of Irish lovers, who are highly remarked as the most faithful anywhere to their King. A young man living in Carhamore, near this town, of perfect symmetry, noble bearing, and a pleasant appearance, of unexceptional good conduct, a member of an honest, ancient, and respectable family, formed an acquaintance with a Miss M——, residing near the town of Newcastle West, some distance, which lasted uninterruptedly for at least ten years, and the fair one being about to be betrothed to the pretty round sum of £400, a fourth of which the poor Michael—— could only get from his father. The authors of the amiable being became acquainted, and his elegance, and all I before mentioned were looked upon as any acquisition, whatsoever—and at times preferable would be, equalization of the "attempts," and all opportunities for an interview were prohibited, they were unable to glance smilingly at each other, as they were wont to do. But what decrees let no one attempt to counteract; attempts to do so in the present affair proved unavailing, the happy pair having met in the town of Newcastle on Tuesday last, cheerfully to present their departure for—God knows where! present it is a mystery to your

CORRESPONDENT.

Needy, May 8.

CITY PETTY SESSIONS.

The magistrates who presided at these Sessions yesterday were—Thaddeus McDonnell, Esq. (chairman); John O'Callaghan, L. Quinlivan, Wm. Phayer, J. Tinsley and Wm. Johnstone, Esqrs. The case of Prendergast was charged by Constable Mullen, of the Henry-street station, on suspicion of the person described in the *Hue and Cry*, who had attempted an assault and attempted a burglary at a house near Leith, in Scotland. The accused, whose appearance tallies with the description, except the colour of his hair and miserable crop of hair, admitted that he had just returned from Scotland, but denied the charge against him as it was in the *Hue and Cry*. The court remanded him until the authorities in Scotland are communicated with.

A young man who had been in the employment of Messrs. John N. Russell & Co., was indicted with the embezzlement of considerable sums of money, the property of his employers.

Patrick Lynch (solicitor), who appeared for Messrs. Russell, requested an adjournment of the trial until Monday next, on which day a material witness will be enabled to attend. The application was not objected to on the part of the accused, and was granted by the court.

John Mullen, of the Roxborough road, was held to bail in the sum of £5, and two sureties in addition, to keep the peace to Mr. Dwyer, and all other his Majesty's subjects, for twelve months. The plaintiff was clipping a hedge which divided his land from that of the defendant, when the latter fell from a shove and tumbled him into a furrow, in the process he'd bury him alive and *secula seculo* the hedge again touched the hedge.

Joshua Jacob summoned James Connors, a painter, for defacing his posters by posting bills on them and defacing them.

Howard solicitor defended the accused, and the case of *Coleman*, auctioneer, v. *Whelan*, solicitor, as an authority in his client's favour. In the latter case the Law Adviser to the Castle stated that no man could be indicted for a conspiracy for putting down auction bills out of date.

The Chairman read the clause of the Act of Parliament, which gives power to justices to impose a fine not more than £5, and in default of payment, to commit to imprisonment with hard labour, on any person convicted of conspiring to injure the property of another by defacing his posters, or of causing a

Howard observed that in this case there was no conspiracy, nor could a conspiracy be charged, as there was only one person accused.

The suggestion of Mr. Beauchamp, Clerk of Sessions, that the question has been submitted to the Law Officer to the Castle, and the investigation of the case postponed until the reply arrives. The case of disposing of a few unimportant cases the court adjourned.

THE REV. CHARLES WARD.—We present in our columns the address to the Rev. Charles Ward, A.B., from the inhabitants of Ennis and its vicinity, on the occasion of his removal from that town consequent on his preferment to the living of Kilmurry, in this vicinity. It clearly proves that the people among whom the Rev. gentleman has been labouring for the past 17 years have not failed to appreciate his worth. The service consists of two salvers, a coffee pot, and pair of candlesticks, manufactured by West and Son, of College-green, Dublin. Inscription on salvers—"Presented to the Rev. Charles Ward, A.B., Rector of Kilmurry, late Vicar of Kilmaley, and formerly Curate of Ennis, by the Parishioners of Dromcliffe and Kilmaley, and his numerous and attached friends throughout the county of Clare, as a testimonial of their esteem and affection, and of their appreciation of his professional and private worth, after 17 years' residence among them, spent in faithfully ministering to them the Word of Truth, in promoting the welfare of their charitable institutions, and in cordially co-operating in every benevolent and useful project connected with the town of Ennis. Easter Day, 20th of April, 1862."

The Twenty-sixth annual meeting of the County Tipperary Protestant Orphan Society was held in the Lecture Hall of the Mechanics' Institute, Clonmel, on Thursday, George Butler Stoney, Esq., J.P., in the chair.

The Rev. William N. Willis thankfully acknowledges donations of £1 from Mrs. Duffield, Rose Lawn, and 10s. from Frederick Evans, Esq., for the Columbia Mission. And for Protestant Orphans, Miss E. Hamilton, England, £1 1s.; William Nanson, Esq., £1; Friend to the Orphans 5s.; Master John Low, card, 11s.

At the meeting of Committee on Tuesday last, the Rev. William N. Willis resigned office as one of the Secretaries of the Limerick Protestant Orphan Society.

THE REV. DENHAM SMITH IN LIMERICK.—We are happy in being able to call the attention of our readers to the announcement which appears in our advertising columns of the intention of this justly distinguished preacher to favour us again with an opportunity of listening to that well-known eloquence which possesses the rare power of convincing the understanding while it charms the heart. Mr. Smith has been, hitherto, accustomed to preach in the Theatre in consequence of the greater space and accommodation it affords; but from the fact of its being at present occupied by Mr. King and his dramatic company, Mr. Smith will preach in the Protestant Orphan Hall on Thursday evening, 15th instant, when we have no doubt that crowds will, as usual, flock to hear him.

COLONIAL BISHOPS.—Dr. Claughton is gazetted Bishop of Colombo, and Dr. Welby Bishop of St. Helena.

LONDON MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

[The report of this meeting, which appeared in our last, was not supplied by our regular reporter; hence, some few trifling errors appeared in it, which are corrected in the report we now subjoin.]

The anniversary meetings of the above society were held during the present week, sermons being preached in the Independent Chapel, Bedford-row, on Sunday, by the Rev. Mr. Hill, Missionary from Calcutta, and the Rev. Alexander King, Irish Secretary of the Society. Also a public meeting, held in the same place, on Tuesday evening, Peter Tait, Esq., in the chair, when addresses were delivered by the Rev. Alexander King, Rev. Dr. Wilson, Rev. Mr. Hill, Rev. Mr. Kerr and Rev. Mr. Campbell. The Rev. Messrs. Giles and Conway also took part in the proceedings. The deputation gave a great deal of most valuable and important information, relative to the progress of the Christian Missions throughout the world. The address of the Rev. Mr. Hill was especially interesting, the intelligence he communicated being mostly hitherto unpublished, and what he had seen and heard during his residence in India since the year 1848. He illustrated the subject with a number of diagrams, as also by a number of native pictures and idols which he brought home with him.

The various addresses were listened to with intense interest by a large and respectable audience, and we are informed a considerable sum was raised at the collection.

The Rectory of St. Dunstan's-in-the-East, London, has become vacant by the death of the Rev. Robert Couper Black, M.A. who held it only a few months. The benefice is worth £350 a year, and is in the gift of the Archbishop of Canterbury.

At Harford Lodge, Norwich, the wife of Captain Bignold, of a son.
 At Canning-street, Liverpool, the wife of the Rev. John C. Erck, of a son.
 At Hyde-park-square, London, the wife of Robert Collum, Esq., M.D., of a son.
 At Aldershot, the wife of Lieut.-Colonel Sir Edward Fitz-Gerald Campbell, Bart., 60th Royal Rifles, of a son.
 At Burnham, Somersetshire, the wife of Charles F. H. Shaw, Esq., Bombay Civil Service, of a son.
 At Swansea, the wife of Thomas Evans, Esq., her Majesty's Inspector of Mines, of a son.
 At Cheltenham, the wife of Captain Stotherd, Royal Engineers, of a son.
 At Wavertree, Lancashire, the wife of Captain J. Tierney, of a son.
 At Fleetwood, the wife of Dr. R. T. Scott, Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, of a son.
 At Wilton, Wilts, the wife of the Rev. Dacres Olivier, of a daughter.
 At King William's Town, Cape of Good Hope, the wife of Colonel Staunton, commanding 2nd Brigade, of a daughter.
 In camp, near Poona, Bombay, the wife of Captain J. C. Farquharson, 3rd Irregular Cavalry, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

On the 7th instant, James Delany, Esq., of Grenanstown, county Meath, to Kate Celia, only daughter of the late Christopher Drake, Esq., of Roristown, in same county.
 At Castleisland, county Kerry, Daniel M'Sweeney, Esq., of Mulliakane, to Kate, daughter of Mr. P. H. Leary, Castleisland.
 In Dublin, Francis Browne, Esq., Capt. of H.M.'s Revenue Cutter Desmond, to Margaret Mary, daughter of Thos. Butler, Esq., Jordanston, county Dublin.
 At the Presbyterian Church, Lower Abbey-street, Dublin, Mr. A. Fitzpatrick, of Dublin, to Jane Gardner Wright, daughter of James Gardner Wright, of Glasgow.
 At Francis-street Church, Dublin, Mr. Matthew Joseph Kennedy, of the Midland Great Western Railway Company, to Miss Margaret O'Neill, of Camden-street, Dublin.
 At Walcot Church, Bath, Brevet Lieut.-Colonel Richard Parke, R.M., to Louisa, daughter of the late Hon. Edward Grey, D.D., Bishop of Hereford.
 At the Presbyterian Church, Regent-square, London, Robt. Bird, Esq., M.D., H.M.'s Bengal Army, to Margaret, daughter of the late John Cunningham, Esq., Ravensdowne, Berwick-on-Tweed.
 At St. Paul's Church, Knightsbridge, London, Henry B. Loch, Esq., C.B., to Elizabeth, daughter of the late Hon. Edward Villiers.
 At Willesden, Thomas Pearce, Esq., of the Royal Engineer Department, to Maria Susanna, daughter of the late Robert Finch, Esq., of Dolley's-hill, Willesden.
 At St. Mary's, Islington, London, James Smollett, son of Professor Donaldson, of Bolton-gardens, Russell-square, to Emily, daughter of J. F. Gruning, Esq., of Grove House, Highbury-grove.
 At the British Embassy, Paris, J. M. Coakesley, Esq., M.D., to Henrietta, widow of the late Lieut.-Col. Fisher.
 At Quebec, Hamilton Burnett, Esq., Lieutenant 17th Regt., to Emily, daughter of C. Kreighoff, Esq., of Quebec.

DEATHS.

On the 8th instant, at Farring, in this county, John S. Parker, Esq.
 On the 8th instant, at Listowel, county Kerry, to the inexpressible grief of her family and friends, Miss Bridget Marie O'Donovan, sister to the late Mr. Michael O'Donovan, of John-street, in this city.
 This morning, at the Ordnance Barrack, Upper William-street, Sergeant James Haggah, Royal Horse Artillery, deeply regretted by his brother non-commissioned officers.
 In Glasgow, after a short illness, much regretted, Matthew Langlands, Esq., formerly a resident of this city, engaged in mercantile business.
 At Carrigaline, county Cork, Thomas, son of the late Dr. Hungerford.
 In Dublin, Bernard Brady, Esq., secretary of the Grocers' and Vintners' Society.
 At Leinster-square, Dublin, John, son of Mr. John Smith, of Great George-street, Westminster.
 At North King-street, Dublin, Mr. Arthur O'Neill.
 At North King-street, Dublin, Sarah, daughter of the late Mr. Arthur O'Neill.
 In San Francisco, California, Margaret T. Stanton, niece of Denis Lyons, Esq., a native of Fermoy, county Cork.
 At the battle of Pittsburgh, U.S.A., Captain Harding C. Geary, son of John Geary, Esq., proprietor of the Columbus Capital City Fact, Ohio. He was a native of Dublin.
 At West Hawkesbury, Canada West, Anne McCann, widow of the late Captain John McCann, of the 4th Royal Irish Veteran Battalion.
 At Hamilton, N.B., Claude Houston, Esq., of Coneywarren, county Tyrone.
 At Seymour-street, London, Edward Scanlan, Esq., M.D. He was a native of North Kerry.
 At Dover, Caroline, wife of H. M. Fielden, Esq., and daughter of Sir Oswald Mosley, Bart., of Rolleston Hall, Burton-on-Trent.
 At Southsea, Hants, Julia Selina, daughter of Major-Genl. Poole, R.A.
 At Devonport, Mrs. Anne Rieks, relict of the late D. Rieks, Esq., 37th Regt.
 On the 12th April, at Torpoint, Cornwall, Commander Geo. Hanway Bourne, R.N., aged 76 years; and on the 2nd inst., Susanna, his wife, aged 81.
 At Pentonville-road, London, John Richard Farre, M.D., late Consulting Physician to the Royal London Ophthalmic Hospital.
 At Staines, Middlesex, James Adams, Esq.
 At Rawul Pindie, John Wilson, Esq., Assistant-Surgeon 13th Bengal Cavalry.
 At Burdwan, Bengal, Lieut.-Col. George Gladwin Dennis, 1st Bengal Fusiliers.
 At Kurrachee, Eliza Susan Annabella Bidwell, wife of Capt. Fredk. Talbot Cornwall, Major of Brigade, and daughter of Major Bidwell Edwards, K.H., of Cheltenham, and late of the 3rd Light Dragoons.
 At Landour, East India, Captain Charles Reid, of the late 20th B.N.I.

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