

aker had altered it.
 ed Mr Balfour] to give the
 depositions in Mr Dillon's
 month's imprisonment.
 he course suggested was
 h not without precedent.
 h justifiable in some cases,
 tly followed.
 l he would press the ques-
 he particular points of law
 ed at the trial were very
 sir William Harcourt put
 ther Irish cases, but nothing
 ill being read a third time,
 Committee of Supply.

NICK CHRONICLE.
 ENING, JUNE 21, 1888.

annual report of the Diocesan
 the Diocesan Synod to-day
 hat the financial affairs of
 a favourable position. As
 pected, the voluntary sub-
 ast year show a falling-off,
 a is not serious. If the
 had remembered that the
 the 31st of December, and
 collections on or before that
 ve been no diminution at all.
 re would have been a slight
 s collected during the pre-
 years have been very trying
 ortion of those who contri-
 ands. Some subscriptions
 ed, others have dis-
 Still, the result has been
 not suffered to any serious
 ne exceptions, it must
 that the several parishes
 assed through a very serious
 ng as yet been seriously
 pression. There is urgent

Big farmers beware. God save Ireland."

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION, GLASGOW, 1888
 —The Clyde Shipping Company have arranged
 to issue Excursion Tickets available for ten days,
 at the reduced rate of 22s 6d, including admis-
 sion to the Exhibition. For further particulars
 see time and fare tables, showing table tariff,
 circular tours, and all necessary information, to
 be had on application at their Offices, Dock Road,
 Limerick.
 (May 8)

THE EARL OF SEAFIELD—By the death of the
 Earl of Seafield, the title devolves on a gentleman
 whose family was well-known in the county of
 Limerick. The late Earl, when the Hon James
 Grant married Caroline, daughter of Mr Eyre
 Graves, of Ash Hill Tower, county Limerick, and
 Miltown Castle, county Cork. The present Earl
 was a stock farmer in New Zealand when he
 most unexpectedly came in for the title.

SALE OF THE PRIORY.—The sale of this very
 attractive residence was held to day at the mart,
 60 George street, but the interest in the lease, as
 advertised, was not disposed of. The sale
 continues yet with Mr F W M'Carthy, who has
 positive instructions, we are informed, to
 negotiate a sale at a very nominal reserve, on
 such terms as must commend themselves to any
 one requiring a truly handsome house and grounds.

DEATH OF DR ROBERT GLOSTER, PARTEEN.—It
 is with great regret we announce the death of
 Doctor Robert Gloster, fourth son of the late
 George Gloster, Esq, of Parteen. Dr Gloster had
 been suffering for many months from that slow
 and insidious disease which lays low the strongest
 and most athletic as well as the weakest and
 feeblest. The young gentleman bore his suffer-
 ings with patience and resignation and in the
 end passed quietly away. Much sympathy is
 felt for his immediate relatives, who have had
 more than their usual share of bereavement. The
 funeral will leave Parteen for St Munchin's
 churchyard at ten o'clock to-morrow morning.

CAROL'S OPERA COMPANY—A very enjoyable
 treat is in store for lovers of high-class music.
 As will be seen by our advertising columns
 Carol's fine English Opera Company will visit
 the city on Monday, 25th inst, commencing an
 engagement of six nights in the Theatre Royal.
 The company comprises a number of well-known
 artistes, among them being Mdlle Marie
 D'Alcourt, Miss Nellie Vaughan, Miss Marie De
 Simencourt, Mr Walter Gray, Mr Albert
 M'Guckin, etc. Some of the most popular works
 have been selected for production—"Maritana,"
 "The Bohemian Girl," "La Sonnambula," and
 "Faust." So attractive a bill of fare is certainly
 calculated to draw crowded houses.

the annual synod
 was held o-day in
 Cathedral. Previo
 Communion was cele
 The Right Rev D
 sided, and there was
 bers. The proceedi
 ther reading of a por
 by the president
 The roll was called
 to their names.
 CLERGY—Revs L
 Foley, B D ; Georg
 George M Luther, M
 (Pr) ; Edward G
 Adderley, M A ; Joh
 Read, Alfred G Dan
 T A P Hackett, B A
 Gubbins, M A (Chl)
 Vance, M A (C) ;
 Langbridge, M A ;
 Dean of Limerick ; V
 deacon of Limerick ;
 Hamilton, B A, Arch
 Hutchinson, B A ; V
 cliffe, M A ; J F Gr
 Patrick's National
 Jam's Dowd, B A.
 LAY.—P Fitzgerald
 Thomas Rennison,
 S Bennett, J Rus
 George Taylor, Knig
 Kearney, H D Spre
 Harris, Lord Massy,
 ford, Major Furlong,
 Poole Gabbett, S E
 Day, R Hunt, Sir S
 J C Delmege, W Boy
 W M Beauchamp,
 Maunsell, Captain V
 subsequently.
 The President nar
 and the Rev Edwar
 tary on the part of
 eagle as lay secretar
 The Rev J Dowd t
 Synod, which were s
 Rev L H O'Brien
 Hunt, were appointe
 The Financial R
 Missions, and Temp
 the table.
 His Lordship add
 My Dear Brethren c
 very important part
 the Synod of to-day
 of proper persons to
 kinds, for if there v
 of labour and res
 might be thought
 would almost cert
 choosing persons to
 discharge other func