

...would appear in every hamlet, every town of the United Kingdom to summon your sons or brothers, or of your youth and manhood, to lose as in this European conflagration." And, he said, any British Minister who engaged in a European war except under the direst necessity would be a traitor to his country and his position."

...very clear and emphatic speaking, he said of Hawarden and some others it is only they may regret they have not had a more favorable occasion to speak. But Lord Rosebery had stated already Mr Gladstone's speech was only the last straw. He said he had kept his position although beyond the conditions of dignity and of respect. He did not resign after the election when a large number of his supporters had their backs upon his advice and the party was at a low ebb, and it looked as if he were deserting "the sinking, or almost sunken, ship." Ever since the general election his resignation had been the subject of his colleagues. He laid down the conditions for the purpose of producing unity and it did not produce unity the sacrifice would be in vain. Not the least important part of Lord Rosebery's speech is the admission in which he referred to the resignation of his colleagues who were present at the meeting. He gratefully acknowledged the resignation of Mr Asquith, Sir Henry Fowler, Mr Balfour, and Mr Arnold Morley, and then he said Mr Asquith from these four as the one with whom he had been in most intimate connection, who had been unjustly attacked as not in unison with the majority, but who possessed that rare combination of head and heart which will conduct to the highest office of the State." These remarks seem to suggest Mr Asquith as being the most suitable to occupy the vacant leadership.

It is not at all unlikely that Lord Rosebery's speech may arouse such an expression of confidence in him that he may be asked by the majority of the party to resume the post he had vacated. As Mr Asquith said the Leadership was a position which involved reciprocal relations between Lord Rosebery on the one hand and the Liberal party on the other. Lord Rosebery had spoken his word, and now it remained for the Liberal Party to give their answer to him.

...the incorporation this week, Alderman ... properly directed attention to the ... inconvenience which is being

and 324lbs, on October 6th.

ROYAL MUNSTER FUSILIERS.—The Command of the 2nd Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers, vacant by the retirement of Lieutenant-Colonel W L Brereton owing to ill health, is about to be filled by the transfer of Brevet-Colonel F J Kempster, from the 1st Battalion at Fermoy. Colonel Kempster will shortly embark for India to join his new corps in Dum Dum, Bengal, where it is at present stationed.

THE QUEEN'S REIGN.—The well-known fashionable journal, the *Gentlewoman*, has presented its readers with a magnificent *souvenir* portrait of the Queen in connection with the recent celebration of the fact that her Majesty has now reigned longer than any previous British Monarch. The portrait, in which the Queen is represented as wearing her crown, and various Orders, is very richly colored, and rests on a white satin ground. It is enclosed in a handsome gilt edged frame, and altogether it is a *souvenir* which will be highly appreciated at the present time.

DEATH OF MR. C. H. STERLING.—We regret to announce the death of Mr C H Sterling, which occurred at 15 Barrington street, on the 7th inst. Mr Sterling was an old and highly esteemed citizen, and for many years carried on a large jewellery and watch-making house in the city. He passed away full of years and honor, and is mourned by a large circle of friends. The interment took place this morning at St John's Churchyard, the Archdeacon officiating. The funeral was very large and representative. Mr H Sterling, son of the deceased, and Mr John Jorleson were chief mourners.

ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL.—Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity.—Morning Prayer, 11.30; Venite, Goss in A; Chants, Morley (D), Kelway (D); Service, Te Deum and Jubilate, Sir Henry Smart in F; Hymn, No 319; Communion Service, Smart and Barnby; Preacher, The Precentor; Evening Prayer, 8.30; Chants, Cooke in C mi, and Heyward in B flat; Service, Magnificat and Nunc dimittis, Parry in D; Anthem, "Hearken unto Me, O my people." Is. 1.4, Sir A Sullivan; Preacher, The Dean; Hymn after Sermon, No 494. Weekday Services at 11 a m and 3 p m; daily Litany on Wednesday and Friday.

FIRE AT PENNYWELL.—At three o'clock this morning it was reported at the Fire Station by Night-watchman Russell that a fire had broken out in the stables owned by Mr Ryan at Pennywell. Captain Wyld and his men at once proceeded to the scene with the hose engine, and after some delay in locating the fire-plugs which in this district are of an antiquated kind, commenced to work the hose, but the pressure of water was not at all adequate. The building was completely gutted, but the adjoining stables on which there is a thatched roof were saved. There was a corrugated iron roof on the building, which has been destroyed, and fortunately there were no horses in the stables, nor any feeding stuffs. The place was safely locked up last night at nine o'clock, and it is unknown how the fire originated.

SALE OF WINTER COWS, &c., AT THE AGRICULTURAL HALL.—Messrs Ebrill Bros, auctioneers, will hold a special sale of winter dairy cows, store cattle, &c., as above, on Saturday next 17th October. Intending purchasers cannot fail to make their selections at this sale, as the stock will include some very superior lots. Particulars in our advertising columns. Sale hour, one o'clock.

repertoire consists of "The Old Guard," "The Brother Pelican," "Pepita," and the musical comedy, entitled "The Queen's Intervention." We may be assured of the houses, all the more so as it will be the company are at present filling a most successful engagement in Cork, and speak "Pepita," a contemporary says—"Mr Lingard and the Misses Presano, and Marston, share honours of the evening which were not having regard to the picturesqueness, and otherwise, of 'Pepita.' Mr Lingard had of course ample scope for his 'bubbling,' which can never be resisted, no matter familiar."

CATHOLIC LITERARY INSTITUTE.
The session of the above will practically on Wednesday next, October 14th, when Mr T Lee, Adm. St. John's, will deliver inaugural address on the absorbing topic, "Irakus in Europe." Father Lee's ability as a tured and interesting lecturer is widely nised, and, no doubt, a large gathering will advantage of the occasion to improve their ledge of a subject which so long has held which still continues to hold, the keen at of Christendom. The first concert of the will be given in the hall of the Instit Friday evening, October 23rd, under the c torship of Mr John F Murray.

THE PARNELL ANNIVERSARY.
The fifth celebration of the Parnell versary will take place to-morrow in Dubli from Limerick and other centres excursion trains will run. The will attend, and a large contingent is ex to travel from the city. The Parnell Men's Brigade are to attend, and will c the procession a well-executed model Treaty Stone, with various inscriptions.

THE NUNAN FUND.
It will be seen by advt. that an appeal i made on behalf of the three daughters late Mr Michael Nunan, who for many ye a travel for the firm of Mr Michael Patrick street. Mr Nunan died suddenl months ago while "on the road," and th family were left unprovided for. The d gentleman was an excellent business m was held in the highest esteem by his e and all who knew him during his lo honourable career in commercial life. amply proved by the response already a the appeal, and we trust that eventual amount subscribed will be in every wa worthy of the object.

DAUNT'S ROCK LIGHTSHIP DRIFT EASTWARDS.
Queenstown, F
The Press Association Queenstown corres telegraphs, in connection with the Daunt's Rock Lightship, that intelligence been received there to-day from Ballycote a fisherman named Walsh, at 8 o'clock y morning saw a small vessel with three sho drifting to the eastward. He says tha time he was struck by the strange app of the vessel. The vessel, when he saw about seven miles from Smith's Buoy, Ball

WATER SUPPLY.—No house should be a reliable filter. The only perfect fil patent, from 2s 6d each, at Goosewri Glass, China and Lamp Warehouse, 6 William street.