

being dropped in order to secure the *Pall Mall Gazette* says the reason why it is not to become a free port is it is to become Russian.

THE INDIAN FRONTIER.

Condition in which 22 of the bodies of dead men killed in last Saturday's unfair on the Afghan border were Monday, some annoyance was from the enemy, especially as the retiring, and there were several casualties. General Sir William was about to come to England on for the sake of his health, previous duties of Commander-in-Chief in order to remain in India in order to position on the frontier.

FITT'S GRAZING LETTINGS. Total sale fixed by Mr Wm B Pitt of different lots of grazing was 7, and all points proved most satisfactory, and it convenient attending to the old style of letting lands is nearly exploded. There attendance of purchasers. The was Carnane, in four divisions are the prices—Lot 1, 75 acres, Mr P Foley, at 40s per acre and 4 acres, purchased by Mr Michael 2s 6d per acre and fees; lot 3, 35 ed by Mr P Sheehan, at 55s per ; lot 4, 51 acres purchased by Mr en at 51s per acre and fees. Second 11th Demesne, in four lots are the prices:—Lot 1, 45 ad by Mr Jas Barry at 40s per acre and fees; lot 2, 14 acres, purchased Devane at 72s 6d per acre and fees; purchased by Mr Michl Marshall r acre and fees; lot 4, 26 acres, Mr Richard Sadlier, at 47s 6d per Third sale—Grange, in six lots. the prices: Lot 1, 81 acres, Mr P Sheehan, at 45s per acre and acres, purchased by Mr P Sheehan, e and fees; lot 3, 42 acres, pur P Sheehan, at 75s per acre and 21 acres, purchased by Mr D S 2s 6d per acre and fees; lot 5, 20 d by Mr P Sheehan, at 80s per acre 3, 41 acres, purchased by Mr T B 6d per acre and fees.

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BIRTHS.

Archer—January 11, at Olds, Alberta, Canada, the wife of Robert Meredith Archer, B A, T C D, of a daughter.
Boyd—January 31, at Bray, Co Wicklow, the wife of Walter Boyd of a son.
Brown—February 1, at 9 Sandycove avenue, E, Sandycove, the wife of Walter Brown, Staff Engineer H M S Melampus, of a son.

MARRIAGE.

Gibbon and Alcock—February 2, at Killiney Church, by the Rev Maurice Day, assisted by the Rev Anthony Elliott, Edward Acton, only surviving son of William Monk Gibbon, Esq, Templeshelin, Co Wexford, to Eleonora, elder daughter of Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel Alcock, Bellevue, Ballybrack.

DEATHS.

Blennerhassett—On 27th January, 1898, Augustus Walter Blennerhassett, youngest son of the late John Brooke Blennerhassett, of Rockfield, Kilpeacon, Co. Limerick aged 35 years.
Carson—February 1, at 18 Fitzwilliam place, Dublin, the Rev Joseph Carson, D.D, Vice-Provost of Trinity College.
Oswald—Jan. 31, 1898, at the Rectory, Clogheen, the Rev Will am Hamilton Oswald, for 26 years Rector of Clogheen, Co Tipperary, only surviving son of the late William Oswald, C E, of Pentland, N.B.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Secretary Protestant Orphan Society thankfully acknowledges from—Kilmurry Branch (per Rev R S S Ross-Lewin), £12 5s 6d; Cahircorlish Branch (per Mr S Winter), £3 1s; Miss L Garrard, collection, £1 7s 6d.
Miss Russell, 26 Mallow street, Secretary County Infirmary Work Meeting, acknowledges with thanks the following contributions:—A Friend, 5s; Miss White, 71 George 2s 6d.
ST JOHN'S HOSPITAL—The Hon Treasurer gratefully acknowledges the following donation to above charity:—A County Limerick Parish Priest (per Most Rev Dr O'Dwyer), £50.
FUEL AND BLANKET FUND—The Hon Treasurer gratefully acknowledges the following donation—Courtenay Croker, Esq, Corbally, 10s.

The Objects of the Society are Clergymen, Catechists, and Schoolmasters, wherever they are to be found; to send Chaplains to the wants of British Sailors in foreign ports; to assist French Settlers, the Aboriginal and Coloured Population in Canada. The Agents Employed are: Clergymen, Catechists and Schoolmasters, Teachers, 78. Total, 264.
Feb 3

Methodist Church, George's Quay

REV. WM. H. SMYTH
Of Cork, will Preach in abode
ON NEXT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7th
At 11.30 a.m and 6.30 p.m.
COLLECTION IN AID OF CHURCH
Mr Smyth will deliver a Lecture on
Evening, 7th Inst., on "St Patrick's
Irish Christianity." Chair to be
at 6 o'clock. Tickets 6d each.
Feb 3

ROYAL COMMISSION LICENSING LAWS

THE ENQUIRY into the Working of the Licensing Laws will shortly be published. Information as to defects, lax administration, &c., will be gladly received by
WM. WILKINSON,
Secretary Irish Temperance Society,
20 Lombard Street,
Feb 3

CORGRIG FARM FOR SALE—The Tenant's Interest of Corgrig Farm, containing 200 acres of rich soil, well watered and fenced, with a residence looking out on the Shannon. Particulars, apply to Corgrig House, Foynes.
Jan 15

FOR SALE—FOX TERRIERS—"The King" (born November, '96) three firsts, Limerick '97; 1st special, and 15 guinea cup and silver medal price, £5 5s; also others, of bluish and white, £3 3s each. Wm Ferguson Kelly, Clontarf, Dublin.
Jan 29