LUCIE inty and system are the d if the maximum number once, the military authorie their ordered plans for training, and care of the Therefore mouths ahead. rranged that, while men at once may do so, there le latitude and considerarequire time to set their Everything that order. ision can suggest to facilihe willing recruit has been ord Derby's plan, and the hieved, augur well for its adon and the province have joined the colour few days, due to three g's letter to the people, heme, and last, though cans the least the murder e beroic Miss Cavell, which of indignation, not alone Inited Kingdom, but over d world. In Ireland where ing arrangements are profeel assured the response men, and still more men, be in every way worthy of the great cause for which

# NT COMMENT.

eral's Report

ual death-rate represented by ed last week as apportaining to ation Area and the twenty-six I Urban Districts of Ireland was f their aggregate population, urposes of these returns, is 1,380. The deaths registered veek, as appertaining to the lphabetically arranged, correswing annual rates per 1,000:-Ares. 20'3; Dublin City, 21 2 ck, 10'9; Londonderry, 12'7; Waterford, 152. The deatls mic diseases registere ' ' t'e

regrett d the absence of the Bishop from the Convention, and said that it was only a question of dire necessity that kept him away; nothing else would account for his Lordship's absence from that meeting. As they were aware they were holding their Conference during one of the greatest crivis in the history of the world, and anyone that had atudied modern Germany he thought should conclude that the cutcome of the war was due to an anti-Christian spirit in Germany. The doctrine of the superman was against the prinsiples of Christianity, and the wan was provoked with the idea of establishing a world empire.

Julius Cæsar, Alexander the Great, and other great men had endeavoured to establish a world dominion, but there was only one thing that could be universal and that was God's Kingdom on earth. That Mingdom the Church Missionary was trying to extend and enlarge.

The Rev Mr Haythornthwaite in the course of an interesting address on Missionary work, said the best thing they could learn while in this world was their true relationship with dar Lord Jesus Christ. They should learn the lesson of their responsibilities, and why God sent them into the world. The real reason why these Conventions were being held throughout the length and breadth of Iteland was to make the people realise and learn the lesson of the true merning of their responsibilities and to work for the Kingdom of God. The Church Missionary Society had now been established for a number of years, and he believed that good would spring out of this war, a d the people would learn to love God. In far off China the fruits of the Church Missionary Society were being reaped, and through the labours of their Missionaries the people of that country were being brought to the knowledge of God. In other parts of the world the Society had also established Missions, and he referred to a letter he had received which gave an interesting account of the work done in Labrador among the Eskimo. The rev peaker exhorted his hearers to a realisation of their responsibilities to God, and remarked that the sufferings and self sacrifice of the people to day, were ennobling the nation, and would continue to do so if they learned the lesson of their responsibilities and worked in the service of God.

The Rev Mr Phair, also addressed the mooting

which concluded with prayer,

A convention was held at Adare yesterday afternoon, at which interesting addresses were also delivered by the Rey Mr Haythornthwaite, and Rev Mr. Phair. There was a large attendance.

### DEATH OF MR RICHARD C. FLYNN.

We regret extremely to announce the death. which occurred at St John's Hospital this morning, of Mr Richard C Flynn, second son of Mr and Mrs James Flynn, Cruise's Hotel. Deceased, who was aged 24 years, had been ill for some three weeks, and the news of his demise has been heard of with regret in the city, sincere sympathy being expressed with his parects in their poignant grief. Mr Flynn, had been an officia Mr Flynn, the National Bank courtecus manner where his genial and made him highly popular, and all will deplore the outting short of a bright and promising career. There will be Office and High Mass at St. Michael's R.C Church, Limerick, at 10.30 a.m. on Naturday, and the funeral takes place imnediately afterwards.

## Four Steamers Sunk.

Petrograd, Wednesda It is officially announced that the British marides base suitk four more German steams the Baltic.

# DEATH SENTENCE AT LIEC

# Pope's Intervention Sough

According to the "Tyd," thirty-four more d sentences for alleged treason and espionage ! been pronounced by coordinactial at Liege. intervention of the Pope, the King of Spain, President Wilson on behalf of those conden has been besought by telegraph.

# German Spy Shot.

Press Bureau, 5 5 p.m. Tuesde It is officially announced that a prisoner was tried at the Central Criminal Court ( serious charge of espionage was found guilty. was sentenced to death by being shot.

The prisoner appealed, and the Cour Criminal Appeal, before whom the case heard on the 18th Ootober, dismissed the ap

The sentence of the Court was duly carried by the military authorities yesterday morning

## Arrest and Trial of Germa Agents.

Press Bureau, 5.40 p.m, Tuesde The authorities announce the arrest of following alleged German agents.

K. a German, with a forged American port

L. a person of Turkish extraction, wi

German name.

Of these K was tried by courtmartial under Defence of the Realm Regulations on the September. Sentence has been passed, and be promultated shortly. L will be brought t a courtmartial.

In both cases the charges are attemptic collect and communicate to the enemy inform regarding his Majesty's naval and military fo with the intention of assisting the enemy.

#### Brisk Recruiting in Engla

The publication of the King's message has a tremendous impetus to recruiting at Br where an unusually large number of enlisted in various Army units, especially it mechanical transport section. There were sti of recruits passing in and out of the recruits offices, keeping the officials busy until a hour. A considerable number of men, prefe being canvassed, attended by invite Colston Hall for the first time was opene recruiting

There was a remarkable increase in reon The progress Birmingham. made in enlisting men is surprising. Every the employers is affording every facility approaching eligible young men not engage

munition work.