

ROLL OF HONOUR.

LIEUT F MAYBURY, R.M.F.

Intelligence has been received that Lieut Frank Maybury, R.M.F. son of the late Mrs Maybury, Youghal, has died of wounds received at the front last week.

LIEUT H G NOLAN.

Lieut Harry Gratian Nolan, Alberta Regiment, Canadian Army, only son of the late Mr P J Nolan, K.C. Calgary, Canada, and formerly of this city, was wounded in action at the front recently, and is now in a London hospital progressing favourably. Lieut Nolan was awarded a Rhodes scholarship by the Alberta University.

SECOND LIEUT W H ROCHE.

Second Lieutenant W H Roche, Royal Irish Fusiliers, who has been missing since March 27th, is now reported killed in action on that date. He was the second son of Mr and Mrs W A Roche, Castleview, Newcastle West.

LIEUT E J MAHONY.

Lieutenant Edmund J Mahony, Royal Munster Fusiliers, the eldest son of Mr and Mrs James Mahony, Raglan road, Dublin, was killed in action on September 27th.

REV JAMES RENTOUL

Killed in Action.

The Rev James Rentoul, eldest son of Rev B W R Rentoul and Mrs Rentoul, the Manse, Clonmel, was, it is announced, killed in action in France on 29th ult. He had been Pastor of the Presbyterian congregation at Rostrevor, and in May last joined the R.A.M.C. The news of the gallant and rev officer's death has been received with great regret in Clonmel, and general sympathy is expressed with his parents, and widow and children in their bereavement.

Two other of Rev E W R Rentoul's sons are serving in the war—Captain W W Rentoul, Adjutant of the 4th King's Regiment, and Mr Alexander Rentoul, who is engaged in Y.M.C.A. work.

An Episode of Prince Max.

The "Pall Mall Gazette" points out that "there is one episode in the career of Prince Max of Baden which those who regard him as a man of peace may be invited to recall. In 1915 he undertook a mission to Stockholm to discuss certain questions connected with the Red Cross. It sounded well, but under the cloak of that mission Prince Max also carried a message from the Kaiser to the King of Sweden inviting him to attack Russia. He went on that errand simultaneously with the Duke of Mecklenburg's similar diplomatic excursion to Sofia, and this is the moment to remember it."

DATE OF THE GENERAL ELECTION.

The two dates now given approximately for the general election, says a London Correspondent, are November 16 and 30, with strong probability that it will be the latter. Much depends upon the position of affairs at the front, although they are working out much on the lines anticipated.

AEROPLANE EXHIBITION.

The Aeroplane Exhibition announced to be opened at Messrs Christy's Garage, 58 O'Connell street, yesterday, had to be postponed in consequence of the delay occasioned in the transit of the material parts of the machine, and other accompanying exhibits. The exhibition will be opened to-morrow, and will be on for a week, during which time it is hoped that it will be visited by those who are interested in the branch of mechanical science, and the public generally.

The claim of Clyde workers for a minimum weekly wage of £5 was heard at Glasgow yesterday, at the sitting of the Committee on Production, over which Sir David Harral presided. The decision will be given in a few days.

(12) The Turkish portions of the present Ottoman Empire should be assured a secure sovereignty but the other nationalities which are now under Turkish rule should be assured an undoubted security of life, and an absolutely unmolested opportunity of autonomous development; and the Dardanelles should be permanently opened as a free passage to the ships and commerce of all nations under international guarantees.

(13) An independent Polish State should be erected which should include the territories inhabited by indisputably Polish populations, which should be assured a free and secure access to the sea, and whose political and economic independence and territorial integrity should be guaranteed by international covenant.

FUNERAL OF MRS EGGERS.

The funeral of the late Mrs M A Eggers, widow of the late Mr Paul Cadmore Eggers, took place on Tuesday afternoon from her residence, 20 Glentworth-street, to the family burial place at St. Munchin's. The late Mr Eggers was a lady of a very bright and genial disposition, and was held in the highest esteem by a wide circle of friends, who deeply regret her demise, and sympathise with her family and relatives in their bereavement. The officiating clergyman was Canon Swain, Rector of St. Michael's, and the Very Rev the Dean was also present. In the church the hymn "Now the labourer's task is o'er," was sung, and at the close of the service the Dead March in Saul was played. Mr Brisbane presided at the organ.

The chief mourners were—John Eggers (son), V R Dowley, and A J Hayes (sons-in-law), A Hayes (grandson), and W T Hayes.

Amongst the general public were—A Barnatt, J G Wilkinson, E A Wickham, A J Eskine, J McKiernan, A Molloy, J Clarke, J Beckett, J Thompson, H A Falconer, A B Hamilton, M Caffrey, J Mitchell, H W Ashe, T Ledger, J W Whately, R McCarthy, James Joynt, W R Reid, J Reid, G Pike, R McCutcheon, E Lynch, R Hanna, T Leonard, Jackson Harris, S Jordan, J A Baldwin, John O'Malley, A Bruce, G Bruce, B O'Leary, C O'Leary, W Benn, R Joyce, G Creany, J E Galbraith, W Shanahan, W Jevers, W Byrne, J Byrne, L Griffiths, G Cromer, Wm Gullen, etc.

KING MANOEL IN DUBLIN

King Manoel arrived at Kingstown by the mail steamer yesterday evening. There was no demonstration on the pier, and King Manoel motored to Powerscourt House, where he will be the guest of Viscount Powerscourt.

THEATRE ROYAL.

The Irish Players.

Mr Arthur Sinclair, the renowned actor, presents the Irish Players next week at the Theatre Royal in a series of popular works. On Monday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday evenings "The Lord Mayor," a Dublin comedy in three acts, will be played, followed by "Duty," a very taking melodrama. "The Suburban Groove," portraying life in a Dublin suburb, will be presented on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and at a matinee on Saturday, followed by the ever-popular farce "Tactics."

The King has appointed Lieut-Colonel Robert Stewart Roy, Royal Air Force, a C.M.G. in recognition of distinguished service during the war.

Mr J H Thomas, M.P. is undergoing a rest cure at Bournemouth. According to the "Railway Review" nervous exhaustion has brought on a recurrence of the eye trouble, necessitating a rest with very little reading.

Synod of the Church of Ireland was held in the Synod Hall, Christ Church Place, Dublin, to hear a petition lodged by the Rev F R Montgomery Hitchcock, D.D., Kilmilly Rectory, Co Meath, and others, the respondent being the Most Rev John Baptist Crosier, D.D.

The Archbishop of Dublin presided, and the other members present were—the Lord Chancellor, the Bishop of Cashel, the Bishop of Killaloe, the Attorney-General, M.P.; Mr H D Connor, K.C. and Mr G W Walker, K.C.

Mr John Leech, K.C., and Mr A B Babington, K.C. (instructed by Mr H D Vaughan) appeared for the petitioners.

Mr W Jellatt, K.C. and Mr Gerald Fitzgibbon, K.C. (instructed by Messrs Maunsell, Farley and Urpen) appeared for the respondent.

The petition states that prior to the session of the General Synod, held on May 14th and following days, the petitioners lodged with the secretaries a Bill to amend Canon 22 of Chapter IX of the Constitution of the Church of Ireland, 1909, by inserting after the word "ministers" and before the word "and" the words "and in such examination shall be included a course of theological study approved by the General Synod."

The petitioner's notice of motion for leave to introduce the Bill was duly entered upon the agenda for the first day of the session, on which day the motion was called to be moved, but the respondent, who presided, ruled it out of order and refused it to be moved. Petitioners contended that the motion and Bill were properly before the meeting, and that it was their right to move it and save the opinion of the Synod taken upon it. The ruling of the Chairman was, it was contended, wrong, and contrary to the Constitution of the Church of Ireland. The petitioners desired that the respondent may be duly brought to trial on the charges made in the petition.

The respondent denied that the motion and Bill were properly before the meeting, and contended that the subject matter in question was outside the scope of the authority of the General Synod, and that the Synod had no power to entertain or deal with it. The respondent also submitted that it is not competent for any individual member or members of the Synod to proceed by petition before the Court of the General Synod in reference to questions of a legal nature which have arisen in the course of the proceedings of the General Synod.

The Court retired to consider its decision. After consideration, the President announced that the court was unanimously of opinion that the charge in the petition in this case did not constitute an ecclesiastical offence, or breach or violation of any Canon or other law of the Church of Ireland within the Constitution, and that accordingly the Court had no jurisdiction to entertain the petition, and made no order as to costs.

DEATH OF MR PATRICK MOLLOY

The death occurred on Tuesday of Mr Patrick Molloy, builder, after a comparatively brief illness. The deceased, who was in his seventy-second year was concerned in the erection of a number of buildings in the city as contractor or clerk of works, and he also took an active part in the promotion of the housing scheme which, it is understood, will form a part of the pending Government measure already foreshadowed but still in the embryonic stage. Mr Molloy held advanced political views but he was most tolerant as to how others might differ with him. The remains were removed to St Michael's Church last night, and the funeral for Mount St Lawrence Cemetery took place this afternoon. It was largely attended.

HEALTH EXHIBITION.

The Health Exhibition will be opened in the Diamond Hall, Cruise's Royal Hotel, on Thursday, October 17th, at 12.30 p.m., when the Marchioness of Aberdeen and Temair, who has taken such a deep interest in the Health Movement, will be present.

INFLUENZA IN DUBLIN.

The Central News reports that influenza of a virulent type has broken out in Dublin. Many deaths are reported.

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