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HOUSING PROBLEM. ng of slum areas in the cities is a problem which has faced uthorities in this country for past. It is unnecessary to rehas been said again and again, ip to-date dwellings for the been provided the sources of discomfort cannot be eradicated, ral well-being of the country the extent one would desire it recent years the substantial ousing which have been made ee State Government, and the to private builders to co-operate chemes, have resulted in steady ough if building costs could be it progress would undoubtedly still greater. At all events, as Dublin. Cork, Limerick, ford are fully availing them-3 advantages so far as they go ng Acts. The metropolis is in e position that, as a result of tions now going on with the sum of one million sterling is raised for housing purposes in o the Lord Mayor stated at the erence of the Municipal Authori-

THE LATE REV. FATHER J. CLEERE. C.SS.R.

The remains of the late Rev. James Cleere, C.SS.R., of Clenard Monastery, Belfast, who died in Cork on Monday, arrived at Limerick on Tuesday evening at 6.30, and were received at the railway station by the Rector of Mount St. Alphonsus, the Very Rev. Father Deeny, and other members of the Redemptorist Community, as well as numerous members of the Archconfraternity, by whom the deceased clergyman was held in affection and esteem, he having been at one time on the mission here for a period of three years. The remains, which were conveyed to the church, were accompanied from Cork by the Rev. Father Cleary, C.SS.R; and Rev. Father Whelan, C.SS, R.

Requiem High Mass was celebrated yes terday morning at II o'clock, at which the Bishop, the Most Rev. Dr. Keane, presided.

The Most Rev. Dr. Collier, Bishop of

Ossory, assisted at the obsequies.

The celebrant was Very Rev J. Brady, Rector of Clonard, Belfast; deacon, Rev. Father Whelan, C.SS.R; sub-deacon, Rev. Father O'Toomey, C.SS.R; master of ceremonies, Rev. Father Brazill, C.C. St John's Chanters—Rev. Father Harty, C.C. St Michael's, and Rev. Dr. Cowper, C.C, do. There was a large number of clergy in the choir, and a big attendance of the laity.

The chief mourners were-W. Cleere (brother), Sister Scholastica and Miss A. Cleere (sisters), William, Eddie, and Gerard Cleere (nephews), Mrs W. Cleere (sister-inlaw), Rev Father Rice, Kilkenny (cousin).

The laity included the Mayor of Limerick (who represented President Cosgrave, a friend of the late Father Cleere), and Mr R. Healy and Mr R. Nolan, solicitors, Kil-

After the Requiem Mass the remains were interred in the crypt beneath the High Altar.

At the Arch-Confraternity meeting on Tuesday night the Spiritual Director, Rev. Father Maray, referred in touching terms to the death of Father Cleere, who, he mentioned, conducted a Retreat for the Confraternity two years ago. He asked them to remember him in their prayers.

Corporation Tribute.

YEAR OLD RO CAHERCO

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His Remarkable Adare C

At a special court at before Mr C. J. Kenny, statement from the def evidence, when Michael to have served in tl British Armies, and arrested in London, was with breaking into the l Patrick McCormack, at Limerick, and stealing a cash, postal orders, s property, valued at £1 the custom, had been re those premises by the wife of the licensee.

O'Donnell, who was further charged with the of whiskey and other licensed premises.

In his statement he s of Mungret street, Lim an entrance to Mr Me on Sunday morning, 6t moving a broken pane amongst other articles containing £5 11s in insurance, and unemple He took the money and s documents in the bag, and cashed the postage to Dublin, and also at and Dunleary.

Returning to Lime postal orders from the 1 into the river. race meeting, and stam guinea postal orders pepper tin, and tendere maker and won two rac to Cork he gave a G insurance stamps as sec pounds he got off him.

O'Donnell arrived in of August, 1930, and 1 post office stamp mad

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