

Impressive Obsèques

Funeral Of Rev. C. Halpin, P.P., Glenroe.

Following the chanting of Solemn Office and Requiem High Mass at the Parish Church, Glenroe, on Saturday, the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery of the remains of the late Rev. C. Halpin, P.P. The priests of the diocese, the parishioners of the late pastor, and a large number of his friends from outside areas made up a congregation that filled the church and that demonstrated the very great measure of esteem in which Rev. Fr. Halpin was held by all classes. During his six years as parish priest of Glenroe he had exhibited, as indeed he had done in former fields of his sacred ministry, the universal favourite. Apart from the deep abiding concern that was his for the spiritual welfare of his flock, he manifested also a striking personal interest in their material affairs. The splendid new schools that are such an asset to the parish to-day were built by him. The improvements carried out to the churches of Glenroe and that of the joint parish of Ballyorgan are other testimony to his activities. He was about 68 years of age, and, what was something of an unusual nature, he was the first parish priest to actually die in the parochial house at Glenroe. All his predecessors had passed away in the hospital.

The Mass was celebrated by Rev. D. Riordain, C.C., Minister, the deacon was Rev. T. Mortell, C.C., St. Munchin's; sub-deacon, Rev. Fr. Kennedy, C.C., Glenroe, and the master of ceremonies was Rev. Fr. Rea, C.C., Tournafulla. Ven. Archdeacon Begley, P.P., V.G., Bruff, presided at the church ceremonies and subsequently officiated at the graveside.

In the choir were—Very Rev. S. Canon Connolly, P.P., V.F., Newcastle West; Very Rev. W. Canon O'Dwyer, P.P., V.F., St. Munchin's; Rev. R. Donovan, P.P., Cappagh; Rev. T. J. McNamara, P.P., Patrick's Well; Rev. J. J. Lane, P.P., Cratloe; Rev. W. Harty, P.P., Bulgaden; Rev. T. Wall, P.P., Ballingarry; Rev. E. Punch, P.P., Mungret; Rev. I. Carroll, P.P., Ardpatrick; Rev. D. O'Brien, P.P., Effin; Rev. J. Carr, P.P., Killfinane; Rev. J. Moloney, P.P., Fedamore; Rev. J. Casey, P.P., Ballyahill; Rev. M. Fitzpatrick, Adm., St. Michael's, Limerick; Rev. J. Wall, P.P., Croom; Rev. P. Thornhill, P.P., Adare; Rev. J. Wallace, P.P., Donoughmore; Rev. C. Mulcahy, P.P., Kilmallock; Rev. P. Finn, C.C., Coolcappa; Rev. W. J. Carroll, C.C., St. Michael's; Rev. J. White, C.C., do.; Rev. W. J. Meade, C.C., Abbeyfeale; Rev. W. J. Creed, C.C., St. Patrick's; Rev. E. R. McCarthy, C.C., St. Mary's, Limerick; Rev. M. J. Leahy, C.C., Cloncagh; Rev. D. Martin, St. Munchin's College; Rev. E. Condon, C.C., Kilmallock; Rev. M. J. McCarthy, C.C., Effin; Rev. M. Minihan, C.C., Martins-town; Rev. J. Curran, C.S.S.R., Limerick; Rev. P. J. Crowley, C.C., Ballylanders; Rev. T. Cussen, C.C., Killfinane; Rev. P. J. Coleman, C.C., St. John's, Limerick; Rev. J. McDonnell, C.S.S.R., Mount St. Alphonsus, Limerick; Rev. J. Houlihan, C.C., Abbeyfeale; Rev. H. O'Connor, C.C., Bruff; Rev. T. Riley, C.C., Fedamore; Rev. Wm. Boyce, C.C., Knockaderry; Rev. J. Lynch, C.C., Rathkeale; Rev. D. Costello, D.I.; Rev. W. O'Grady, C.C., St. John's; Rev. J. Leonard, C.C., Dromin; Rev. J. O'Byrne, C.C., Killfinny; Rev. P. O'Callaghan, C.C., Foynes; Rev. C. Moriarty, C.C., St. Michael's; Rev. J. Kelly, C.C., Granagh; Rev. J. Godfrey, C.C., Kilmeady; Rev. J. Wilmot, C.C., Ardagh; Rev. J. Ronan, C.C., Ballylanders.

The chief mourners were—Miss Halpin, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Frawley (sisters), Mrs. Hayes (niece), and Messrs. T. and J. Frawley (nephews).

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GUIDE TO ATHLONE.

Interesting Items.

TO-DAY

- 1.30-3.0—Gramophone Concert
- 5.30—Gramophone Concert.
- 5.45—Myra Feis Winners—Phyllis Stapleton, May Haris (soprano), Thomas Furlong (bass baritone), Charles Burges (tenor), Binkie Flood (mezzo-soprano), Agatha Archbold (piano), Nell Kane (violin).
- 7.0—Progress?—Yesterday and To-day—No. 2 Journalism. Compiled by W. A. Beers.
- 7.20—P. J. Duffy (baritone).
- 7.35—Talk on Irish National Association of Hospitals—By Dr. J. P. Brennan.
- 7.45—Relay of Symphony Concert from B.B.C. Conductor, Godfrey Brown.
- 9.0-9.30—Passion Music relayed from St. Paul's Retreat, Mount Argus.

WEDNESDAY.

- 1.30-3.0 p.m.—Gramophone Concert.
- 5.30—Special Sacred Concert.
- 6.5-6.20—Leo Rowson (Pipes).
- 7.0—Irish Radio Orchestra.
- 7.40—Michael MacAodhagáin (Amhrain).
- 8.0—F. R. Higgins—Review of Some Recent Books.
- 8.15—Feis Atha Cliath Prize Winners—Padraig O Modhrain (Rheifhlin); Caitlín NiChinneide (Soprano); Aidan MacFualáin (Amhrain).
- 8.30—L. Clarke—Talk—The Passion Play at Thiersee, Bavaria.
- 8.45—Alice Yoakley (Piano), and Vera Wilkinson (Violin), in Chamber Music.
- 9.15—The Cyrenian's Day—A Passion Play—Adapted by Geo. Walton from the Story by Cathal O'Byrne. Produced by Gerald O'Flaherty.
- 9.45—To-night's News.
- 10.0—National Anthem.

THURSDAY.

- 1.30-3.0—Gramophone Concert.
- 5.30—Special Sacred Concert (Records).
- 6.20-6.35—F. O'Higgins (Violin) in Slow Airs, Irish and Scotch.
- 7.0—Religious Songs of the Gael—Maire NiScolaidhe, with script by R. O'Farachain.
- 7.30—Introductory Talk by Professor Fleischmann to the Office of Tenebrae. Relayed from St. Mary's Cathedral, Cork. Office chanted by Clergy and Seminarians, his Lordship the Bishop presiding.
- 9.15—A Talk on the Traditions of the Passion.
- 9.25—"One Thing is Necessary."—A Passion Play by Alan Downey. Produced by Gabriel Fallon.
- 9.45—To-night's News.
- 10.0—"The Holy Hour."—Conducted by Rev. Laurence O'Neill, O.F.M.
- 11.0—National Anthem.

GOOD FRIDAY—CLOSED DOWN.

MOURNERS TAKE PLACE OF GRAVEDIGGERS.

Mourners attending funerals on Saturday at Glasnevin, the biggest cemetery in the Dublin area, took up the duties of gravediggers.

A lightning unofficial strike of 52 gravediggers had taken place, and when the corteges reached the cemetery gates officials informed the mourners of the position that had developed.

The graves had been dug on the previous day, however, and only required to be slightly altered owing to the heavy rain the previous night, and filled in.

The strikers had agreed to supply instruments to enable the burials to take place. So mourners took off their coats



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 - Sausages, at — per lb.
 - Cigarettes—"Clubs" and "Wild Woodbine," at — per 1,000
 - Oranges (Jaffa), at — per dozen.
 - Biscuits (Puff Cracknell), at — per lb.
 - Biscuits (Arrowroot), at — per lb.
 - Rice Flour, at — per 140 lbs.
 - Salt (Fine), at — per cwt.
 - Salt (Coarse), at — per cwt.
 - Port Wine (Sandemans), at per doz.
 - Oat Meal (Irish) at per 140 lbs.
 - Corn Flour at per lb.
 - Pepper (Best White Ground), at — per lb.
 - Quaker Oats (Irish Made), at — per 2 lb Packet.
 - Pearl Barley, at — per lb.

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