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people were killed and thirty in a train crash which occurred any to-day, near Lake Con. This is the eight serious train within a week. As the result of accident yesterday, 132 people killed—almost twice the figure at announced. Altogether 293 people were killed in German train collisions recent weeks.

reported that two German station-holders have been arrested in connection with yesterday's tragedy.

Russia is seeking to explain the Retreat of the Red Army in the East by stating that conditions are unfavorable for troop movements, the Finns continuing their attacks with considerable success.

Finns are driving the Reds before them from Petsamo, and they have also driven from several important positions captured last week at the expense of many lives. So far, 5,000 Russian soldiers have been killed in the retreat, and the fighting was continued this morning. It was also reported that several Soviet soldiers have been shot for alleged offences.

IN MEMORIAM.

In ever loving memory of our dear and loving parents—Marion who died on Christmas Eve, 1909, and George Scott, who died on February 14, 1913. Fondly remembered by their children. Peace, perfect peace."

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

The family of the late Mr. Winder, Sexton St., Limerick, wish to return sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their sad bereavement, and who attended his funeral, particularly his workmen in G.S.Rly. for their presence, and beautiful floral tributes. Hoping this will be accepted by all as a grateful acknowledgment.

Mr. A. Mackey's Estate

Mr. Anthony Mackey, of The Fisheries, Cattleconnell, Co. Limerick, fishery proprietor, who died at Atlantic Hotel, Achill Sound, Co. Mayo, on August 7th last, left personal estate in England and Ireland valued at £32,291 (estate duty £2,870). Probate has been granted to the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., of South Mall, Cork. He left, amongst other bequests—£300 to Michael Mackey for improvements to Bennidine House; £1,000 each to John Cleary, Mrs. Mullins, John and Patrick Meskell; £2,000 to Emma McKeogh, and £500 each to her four children; £500 each to Anthony, son of Timothy Mackey, Joseph, Maureen, and Ellen Meskell, Mrs. Michael Mackey; £500 to Mrs. E. Duggan, and £500 each to her four daughters; £250 each to Michael Mackey and his sons, Anthony and Michael, Mrs. M. Mackey and her two sons, Henry McKeogh and Mrs. A. Egan; £1,500 to Patrick Joseph and Daniel Meskell to provide a proper fishing boat for the Lower River Shannon, and £500 for equipping it; £50 each to Nurse Redmond and Nurse Shaw for their kindness to him during illness; £1,000 to the Parish Priest of Cattleconnell to provide for the heating of the parish church and for an organ, and £250 for the poor; £1,000 to the Cistercian Monastery, Roscrea, for charitable purposes; £500 to the Benedictine Order at Glenstal for charitable purposes; £50 to the Archbishop of Liverpool for the new Cathedral; £50 for the poor of Kilaloe, and £50 for the poor of Tarbert; £250 for Masses. Several other bequests for religious and charitable institutions, and the residue between Andrew Mackey, of Tallaght, Michael and Sean Mackey, and John, Patrick, and Joseph Meskell.

DEATH OF CHRISTIAN BROTHER.

The death occurred yesterday morning in a Dublin nursing home of Rev. Bro. M. R. Ryan, Superior, St. Vincent's Orphanage, Glasnevin. He was a native of Murroe, Co. Limerick, and had been attached to houses of the Christian Brothers at Tralee and Galway. He also spent a period on the American Mission at St. John's, Newfoundland.

HAPPY CHRISTMAS

Seasonal Spirit

At the Limerick District Court yesterday, Mr. J. M. Flood, B.L., presided.

Mr. A. J. Blood-Smyth, who he wished, on behalf of the profession, to extend the Christmas season to the Justice, and a very happy and prosperous season.

Justice—I reciprocate your wishes not only to the legal profession but to the members of the Press, the Guards, and the general public. Times I have to deal harshly with members of the public, and in I cannot say, like the soldiers, that the penalties I impose are greater pain than they do have to bear them. (Laughter) I say, however, that I never impose a penalty with pleasure or regret.

Mr. Blood-Smyth—We have the proofs of that.

Justice—I hope it will be a very happy Christmas for all the citizens.

RUMANIA DOUBLES

Rumania has agreed to double the usual oil shipments to many. She promises to supply 190,000 tons monthly.

CANADIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER IN IRELAND.

Mr. John Hall Kelly is the Canadian High Commissioner in Ireland.

Detective Sergeant Mitchell left Clonmel on Thursday for duty at William Street Station to which he has been transferred.

Senator D. L. Robinson has been appointed to his post as Organiser of the Irish Red Cross Society, and has been appointed on the formation of the preliminary organisation about three months ago, which is now substantially completed.