

Limerick Bishop's Death

Right Rev T. J. Crowley Passes Away in India.

The death has taken place at his diocesan residence of the Bishop of Dacca, India, Right Rev Dr T J Crowley, c.s.c. He was a native of Kilmallock, County Limerick.

Born in 1880 the future Bishop was educated at the local national school. He then studied in France and America, where he attended the University of Notre Dame and the Catholic University, Washington. Ordained in 1906, he was appointed Professor of Notre Dame, but in 1907 left on missionary work for Bengal. In 1915 Father Crowley was made Vicar General of Dacca, and eight years later became Superior of the Mission (Congregation of the Holy Cross). In 1927 he was appointed Coadjutor Bishop of Dacca, and in 1929 succeeded to the Bishopric. Right Rev Dr Crowley paid a number of visits from India to his home county.