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THE POPULATION OF IRELAND

The report of the census commissioners

repeats the old story of decay in Ireland.

In the last decade the population of the island has been reduced from 5,174,836 to 4,704,750, a decrease of 9.08 per cent. During this period the registered births numbered 1,147,321 and the deaths 879, 412. According to these figures the natural increase should have been at least 267,909, but no fewer than 768,105 persons emigrated thus decreasing the population by nearly half a million. In 1841 Ireland contained 8,066,500 people. Since then the decrease has been steadily going on until to-day we find a population of only about half that number. Hardly a decade since 1851, however, has had a heavier emigration account to show than is shown by the return of the last ten years. The discontent with existing conditions which prevails on all parts of the island is fast robbing it of its population. America offers an inviting prospect to the rising generation in Ireland, and they are daily leaving the land of their forefathers to make a new home for themselves on this side of the Atlantic. But while the native Irish population are abandoning their homes strangers are taking their places. Though the general population decreased 9.08 per cent, the number of English born increased 7.4 per cent., the number of Scottish born 22.4 per cent., and the number born outside the United Kingdom 9.02 per cent. Since 1841 the foreign element must have added at least half a million to the population. The heaviest decrease as shown by the returns is in the Roman Catholic population, which shows a loss of 10.4 per cent. The Protestant Episcopalians decreased only 6.2 per cent. and Presbyterians 5.5 per cent., while the number of Methodists increased 13.6 per cent., and all other denominations 3.8 per cent. With regard to the leading industries a corresponding decrease is shown with that of the population. The acreage of waste land has increased by 174,000 acres, the extent of land under crops is less than in 1881 by 377,000 acres, and there has been a decrease of 61,000 in the number of persons engaged in agriculture. In manufacturing lines the flax-linen industry gives employment to 10,000 more persons than at the time of the last census, but the woolen industry shows a slight falling off, while those engaged in the manufacture of cotton have decreased nearly one third. The figures dealing with the state of education in the island show that learning is making rapid progress among the people and that illiteracy is fast decreasing. Apart from this feature, the report is not calculated to give much satisfaction to Irishmen who take an interest in the Green Isle and its affairs. If the present state of affairs continues the time will come when old Ireland will pass from the possession of the native Irish to the control of people of a different race and creed.

FEARFUL MORTALITY AMONG DRUNKARDS IN HAMBURG.

Those who believe in "fortifying"the system against contagious and infectious got a tenth class if this were possible. diseases by a liberal use of alcoholic When you find one like I have described liquors, will be surprised to read the fol- he is always willing to sacrifice himself lowing cable dispatch dated September 6, for the good of his country. We have one from the plague-stricken city of Hamburg: such in our mind as we write that would In the hospitals to-day the mortality has justly fill Darwin's idea of the missing been especially large among inebriates. link, the step between a monkey and a The death of 89 heavy drinkers, 12 of man. In conclusion we will quote one them women have been reported and am- sentence from A. C.'s letter and leave it ong the fresh cases a corresponding in- to the people who have watched and have crease in the number of inebriate persons | had to do with elections in Kent for the persons has been noticed. The newspapers | last twenty years. They can decide. "As have printed innumerable warnings against the excessive use of beer during the plague but they have passed unheeded in the in the lower districts where the epidemic has done its worst. While the consumption of all liquors except wines has practically ceased in the middle-class population. schnapps and beer have been taken in exceptional quantities by the poor. In the harbor district in fact, the drunkenness among the unemployed has exceeded anything before seen here. Families spend their last copper for liquors to still their hunger and apprehensions.

THE NEW ORLEANS PRIZE FIGHT.

The great glove contest at New Orleans is over, and John L. ullivan, Sthe Boston slugger, is no longer the champion of the prize ring. Probably no previous contest of this nature has ever excited more interest than last week's battle. weeks before the battle took place, whole "Poor John Sullivan is knocked out. He columns in daily newspapers were devoted | is a goner, and booze did it."

to reports concerning the expected fight, the condition of the contestants and speculations as to the probable result, and it is safe to say that during the past week J. J. Corbett was a bigger man than Benjamin Harrison or Grover Cleveland. It would be wrong to assume that this deep interest in the affair was confined to the lower classes. The excitement was shared by those of all classes. Clergymen even are said to have exhibited the greatest degree of interest Items of news from any place will be thankfully in the result, and to have awaited the news with as much impatience as ordinary laymen. While public sympathy was largely in favor of Corbett, very few hoped to see him whip the bully from Boston. Bets of 5 to 1 on Sullivan did not find as many takers as would be supposed, though the amount of money that changed hands in consequence of the result must have reached millions. News that the Californian had won caused many a heavy heart and light pocket. To the promoters, the affair was a grand success. The charge for admission was placed at a figure within the reach of those only who were possessed of more than ordinary means. In the McAuliffe-Meyers contest on the first day the fees for admission ranged from \$10 to \$75; on the second day, when Dixon and Kelly met, admission cost from \$7 to \$60. To see the Sullivan and Corbett contest for a prize of \$25,000 and the championship of the world it cost from \$20 to \$150. The arrangement for three days accomodated 25,-000 spectators and every seat was taken. As the amount given in prizes was only \$42,500 the speculation must have realized to the promoters a handsome profit. The ex-champion has not that sympathy in his defeat that would have been bestowed on one having a better reputation. Reports of his drunken brawls and brutal conduct to inoffensive persons have lost him public respect and people will be glad to know that the new champion is, outside of the prize-ring, a man who is held in high estimation.

To the Editor of The Review:

I see in your issue of Sept mber 8th a

letter signed A. C. Who that gentleman

may be we do not know but presume it is

one of those who at election times whispers

in the ears of the ignorant Acadien electors "vote for your blood." One of two things is sure, he either knows very little of political affairs in Kent or he would as soon write false as true. Speaking of the Roman Catholic clergymen of this county we have every respect for them believing that they are educated christian gentlemen and have the best interest of their people at heart. Therefore as a majority they are Liberals for these reasons. Being christians they cannot countenance the wholesale robbery that is being carried on by the Conservatives at Ottawa, and having the best interests of their people at heart they advocate freer trade relations with the United States. And as to whether the Liberals are gaining in strength in this county. If they take two respectable Acadien farmers-one Liberal and the other Conservative and nominate them for Ottawa there is no doubt they will be more than satisfied. Some parts of A. C.'s letter put me in mind of the old story of Who builds our great workhouses and prisons, who fills them, etc.? There is one thing we all should be thankful for it is this, That the Conservative Acadiens in their choice of a man to represent us at Ottawa can do no worse in the future than they have done in the past, that would be impossible. With them two things are necessary and two things only, viz :-- That he be an Acadien and a Conservative, brains or principle are not "in it." Some poor old farmer may starve himself for years keeping his aspiring son at college trying to educate him and then send that son to Fredericton to take a course in the Normal School and after all the trouble that has been taken with him he comes out of that with a third class licence, and no doubt would have

you for space Mr. Editor I am Yours truly MOSSBACK.

Kent, Sept. 12th, 1892.

LONDON, Sept. 9.—Special despatches to the Times from Shanghai say that a European missionary and a number of native Christians have been massacred in PURE MAPLE SYRUP in small cans. the province of Shensi.

a rule our clergymen take little or no in-

terest in political struggles." Thanking

Mr. John L. Sullivan is picturesque in PURE TABLE VINEGAR in bottles. his language, even in the moment of defeat. When the concluding ceremonies of MACARONI. the revival of the Olympian games at New Orleans were over, the eminent play-actor and author was assisted to his room. The simplicity of the man was revealed again to his friends and admirers. There was no idle lamentation; there was no rash charges of foul play. But Mr. Sullivan then pronounced his epitaph for all time:

MEETINGS.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.-Rev. Wm. Hamilton, pastor. The usual services will be held on Sabbath first, viz :- Kingston at 11 o'clock a. m., and Richibucto at 7 o'clock p. m.

Jev. F. A. Wightman's appointments for Sabbath 18th inst., are as follows: Harcourt, 10: Mill Branch, 3.

Lodge St. Andrew, No. 16, F. & A. M., meets Monday on or after full moon, Masonic hall.

Richibucto Division, No. 42, S. of T., meets Wednesday evening in the Temperance hall.

Divine services in the English Churches next Lord's day, 18th inst., by the Rev. H. Hackenley, as follows :- St. Mary's, Richibucto, at 11 a. m.; St. John's, Kingston, at 7 p. m.

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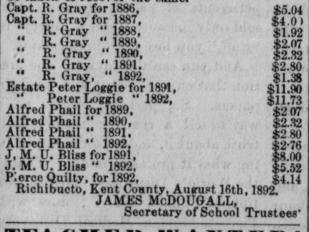
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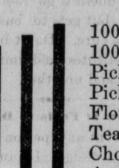
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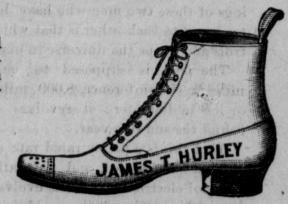
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