

GREAT SAINT LIVED OVER ONE CENTURY

St. Patrick, Born in Scotland, Worshipped by Irish All Over World.

Today, March 17th, is one dear to all Irish hearts as it celebrates the anniversary of the death of the great Irish patron saint, known as St. Patrick.

St. Patrick was born in Dunbarton, Scotland, in the year 387, A. D. His early life was spent there and at the age of 16 he was captured and enslaved by a man by name Milchu, where he remained under the hands of slavery for six years. He then escaped and left the southern part of what is now county Antrim, and tramped to Westport, on the west coast of Ireland, two hundred miles from the scene of his six years' servitude.

St. Patrick then sailed to France, where he became acquainted with Bishop St. Germain, who became interested in the young man because of his intense ambition to see Ireland free from druidism and install Christianity into the Irish heart.

Under the kindly help of St. Germain, St. Patrick became educated and fitted for his work of conversion and at the close of this period of his life, he departed for Ireland, landing on the coast of Wicklow, near the mouth of the River Boyne. An old legend describes his landing in the face of the wrath of a powerful druid chieftain who raised his sword to strike the Christian missionary down but was unable to lower his arm until he subjected to St. Patrick.

St. Patrick covered practically all of Ireland, visiting the country down, and many other parts, converting the Irish people and destroying the druidic worship.

His old master, Milchu, burned his house and committed suicide to escape from being converted by his former slave.

For a considerable period of time St. Patrick retreated to the hill of Tara, where he fasted and prayed. Here it was that he converted a large number to the Christian faith and also kindled a fire on Tara, symbolic of Christianity, which has never died out in the hearts of the Irish people. This hill is described as the Mt. Sinai of Ireland.

St. Patrick continued his missionary work for many years, establishing many churches and cathedrals, chief among them being a great cathedral he erected on a hill near the sea of Ormish, called the Down Patrick. A new cathedral, one of the finest in all Ireland, marks the spot where the original Down Patrick once stood. The great patron saint passed on at the age of 106 years, on March 17, 493. His influence had been felt, not only in Ireland, but over all the Christian world. For a period of three centuries Ireland was the higher educational seat of Europe, this being solely due to St. Patrick's Christian endeavor.

Now there is an apparent tendency toward leniency on the part of President O'Connell, many churches have been reopened and several previously confiscated have been returned. There is no restriction as to service and the Roman altar and the altar's symbols are seen again in public.

The late Pope Benedict XV, several months ago dispatched to Mexico as the apostolic delegate, Monsignor Ernesto Fillipi who in his short time there has done much to better church conditions in the republic. It is perhaps significant that only a few days after the coronation of Pius XI, the Monsignor was hurriedly called to Rome "to confer with the pontiff relative to Mexico," according to a statement. It has already been announced that five new bishops are to be established in Mexico as part of the intensive church campaign.

The state of Yucatan which is admittedly radical in its government is a determined foe of Catholicism and several laws have been passed which are being considered looking to restriction of worship.

Iowa School District

IOWA SCHOOL DISTRICT, Mar. 16.—Among the number who spent Saturday in La Grande were: Mr. Hulce, Mr. Williams and Mr. Terry.

Mr. Campbell and son, George, and Mr. Posey were business visitors in La Grande Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erickson and Mr. Durand spent Tuesday in La Grande.

Mrs. Posey visited the Williams family one day last week.

Mr. Salisbury was a caller at the Posey home Tuesday.

The Terry family were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dierks Wednesday.

The pupils of the district school enjoyed the sixth month examinations Friday.

Miss Amy Hulce spent the week-end with her parents in this vicinity.

William Pullin was an early morning caller in La Grande Monday.

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(By Associated Press)
JERUSALEM, Mar. 17.—New hope has been aroused in the hearts of Arabian people in Palestine by the publication here of a statement made by the London Morning Post that the British government intended to give a new interpretation to the Balfour promise to make Palestine a Jewish homeland.

That declaration has been a thorn in the flesh of natives of Palestine who are fighting tooth and nail the idea of a "Jewish Home" in the Holy Land. Their delegates have roamed Europe in an endeavor to influence public opinion in favor of Palestine for the Palestinians.

It is rumored here that a large measure of self-government will be accorded the Arabs, that they will

be allowed permanent majority in all departments of the government and that the government jobs so far occupied by Englishmen will be opened to them.

Toward all such concessions the attitude of the Arabs seems to be regarded as far as it goes, but we want more. We want the Jews out of Palestine.

That dissatisfaction with the present political situation is widespread is evident. Both Zionists and Arabs are complaining bitterly in their respective press that what they call the "double faced policy" adopted by the administration has put the greatest obstacles in the way of the country's development.

Haarta, a Zionist daily, is openly demanding the removal of Mr. Storrs, governor of the Jerusalem district for his pro-Arabism, while Falatin, an Arab daily, declares that the British government's "Pro-Zionism policy" is allowing 500,000 people to be sacrificed on the altar of Jewish capitalism.

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In the case of legal offenses, the Cheka (police) agents make a severe distinction between communists and non-communists, the former being often held to strict account on the ground that as a communist his code should be higher.

GHOST WAS A CHILD

HALIFAX, Mar. 17.—Mary Ellen Macdonald, foster daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Macdonald, was the ghost of Adligonish, Dr. Walter Franklin Prince, scientific ghost hunter, declared in a report on his investigation of the "haunted" Macdonald home at Caledonia Mills, made public Wednesday night.

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VATICAN TO PROBE MEXICO

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, Mar. 17.—Affairs of the Catholic church in Mexico are to be given serious consideration by the Vatican within the next few months, say observers here, many of whom predict that the elevation of a Mexican prelate to cardinal will be one of the first acts of Pope Pius XI to make for closer relations.

The Archbishop of Zamora, a venerable church dignitary, is mentioned as the most likely candidate for the red hat.

For some years priests and nuns were not allowed to appear on the Mexican streets in clerical garb and churches with their furnishings were confiscated by secret.

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We quote you the National Petroleum News, which is conceded to be the most authentic newspaper on oils in the United States.

"The Pennsylvania production at this time is around 21,000 barrels daily constituting something like one and one-half per cent of the total production of the United States."

Mr. Laurence E. Smith of the Petroleum News also says: "I have herewith selected two grades of Wyoming crude oil for comparison with Pennsylvania and mid-continent light crude (Oklahoma), these being the most representative of crude oils east of the Rocky mountains." You will appreciate that many grades of crude are inferior to the latter two but these are paraffin grades of high refinable properties and I think will furnish you with the proper basis for comparison."

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