MISSION OF THE GAEL

FATHER P. C. YORKE LECTURES AT THE CATHEDRAL

Eloquent Tribute to the Irish Race for Their Devotion to a Great

Father Peter C. Yorke, of San Fran-cisco, lectured last night at the Cathedral large and approving audience on Gael and His Mission."

This was appropriate to St. Patrick's Day, as St. Patrick was named as the great preacher who first introduced into the Emeraid Isle the principles that have made the Celtic race famous. The scope of the lecture was very broad. Religious contentions between the Catholic and Protestant faiths were freely reviewed, colonizing and government-founding work eceived almost equal attention, a few omprehensive remarks were made on the life and work of the patron saint, and the lecturer came to modern affairs, when the speaker dwelt with bitterness on what the Anglo-Saxon race was doing at the

In the sanctuary near where the speak or's pupit stood were seated Archbishop Christie, Rev. J. H. Black, Rev. E. P. Murphy, Rev. A. J. O'Relliey, Rev. D. Curley, Rev. L. R. Desmarals, Rev. James Rauw, Rev. W. Moore, Dr. McNully, Rev. L. Brosseau, Rev. L. L. Conrardi, Rev. A. Luzon and Rev. W. R. Hogan. Father Dominic, President of the Mount Angel College, manipulated the big Cathedral organ with skill, bringing from it some fine Irish melodies. Before the lecture he played a medley of Irish airs and followed with others familiar to every one. In-troducing his subject, Father Yorke said:

"On this day, the world over, Irishmen and sons of Irishmen celebrate the memory of him who first brought their fathers tidings of great joy. The day has ceased to be merely the festival of a nation, and ome the festival of a race. As the Irish people and their sons are scattered all over the world, they have carried their reverence for this day with them. As in olden time the scattered sons of Israel, whether on the banks of the Nile or in Babylon, turned their faces towards Je-rusalem and God's holy mount when they lifted their hearts in prayer, so all the world over today, and that of vaster extent than the territory then bordering upon the Seven Seas, Iriehmen and the children of Irishmen worship with their faces towards their saint.

"And, ladies and gentlemen, neither the day nor the observance of the day seems to decrease. In spite of sneers and in spite of jeers, in spite of the promptings of a false pride and of avarice, the children of the Gael still do honor to the day and do honor to it with increasing solemnity. The reason that the day is immortal is that it represents something that cannot die. It is not a mere sentimental observance, it is not a mere political or a mere patriotic observance. The day stands for a great truth. It stands for a principle that is above all earthly policies, and it is because the Celtic race feel that and understand that principle that the day still

ontinues and grows more popular."
Father Yorke said there are some peoples whose pride is in the achievement of their nation as soldiers or sailors in war-like deeds, and their young grow up with such ambitions. There are nations that regard patriotism as the great ideal, and their young learn such lessons first. There are others to whom commercial enter-prise, cities teeming with wealth and grandeur are the great aims in life. To none of these do the Irish belong, al-though the Gael contributed its share to all and could claim a fair share of honors in each. The ideal of the Irish race is justice and truth, and their hands are always against the oppressor, injustice and

Following up the mission of the race, the speaker said it had been proven by time that Irishmen are content to regard all the glittering attractions of the world as naught, that they might be the great expounders of holy laws, thus denving them. selves that which is on this earth for the glory of the kingdom to come.

A beautiful picture was drawn of the lone Celtic boy seized by violence and transported to the barbarian isle of Ireland; his life there, return to Gaul, 40 years of preparation, and final call through a vision to perform his life work on the island, where his name became immortal. The great wave of religious faith consequent to St. Patrick's teachince, the dark ages on the Continent when learning sank beneath might but was preserved by the ark of Ireland, the immense number of saints sent from Ireland to bless the rest of the world and firmly essliess the rest of the world and firmly es-tablish the true faith in every land, the schools and industry there prior to Anglo-Saxon conquest, the bitter periods follow-ing this effort, penal laws, riots, murders and bloody warfare, prices upon the heads of wolves and priests, and many other events of history, were enumerated to prove the purity and strength of the Irish and the woeful consequence of the effort to subjugate them.

In answering the charge that Catholics were intolerant and disposed to keep the masses in ignorance, was where the speaker became sharpest. He reviewed all the severe measures of England against Papists, and came down to Amer-ica, where he showed the intolerance of early Protestants. He said that, despite boasts heard 100 years ago that Catholi-cism was fast decaying, the church was getting strongest in the lands where the English tongue, which was the church's ancient enemy, was now dominant. And this presence of Catholic faith was not ascribed to tolerant beliefs on the part of its opponents, but to the fact that the Catholic religion has to be reconstant. Catholic religion had to be recognized. The inception of the Revolution in America was credited to a spirit of intolerance which actually drove the Catholic of the Canadian territory beyond hope of united action against the mother country.

Father Yorke said it was painful to think of all these things, but such thoughts and arguments were forced by the proud position constantly being assumed by the transition of the shurch. He predicted that arguments were forced by the proud po-sition constantly being assumed by the enemies of the church. He predicted that if the Protestants should ever get in the minority, they would never suffer at the hands of the predominant Catholics such penal laws as had been enacted for the latter. He said the Celtic race had always opposed the divine right of Kings to rule people, and the divine right of the English people, and the divine right of kings to rule people, and the divine right of the English race to rule the Celtic race. It today op-posed the divine right of one race, "es-pecially the mongrel race known as the Angio-Saxon," to rule black or brown men. The speaker also, in connection with the wearing of the Shamrock, spoke of "the mercenaries who, hired by English gold, do England's bloody work in South Africa." The same principle, he said, applied down under the Southern Cross, where another flag was being thrust over a people. Irishmen did not believe in the right of this or any people to thrust upon brown men "rot-

ten government," or the right to slay and kill thousands for mere "greed."

The speaker was applauded several times during his address, particularly when mak-ing the bitter references to the Angloing the bitter references to the Anglo-Saxon. When he entered he was greeted with applause, but raised his hand deprecatingly, and said: "Although the Holy Sacrament has been removed, I do not believe in applause in a church."

Father P. C. Yorke will lecture this evening, at 8 P. M., in the Cathedral. There will be no admission charged, and those who were unable last evening to

those who were unable last evening to hear the talented speaker will doubtless avail themselves of the present oppor-

PREPARING TO RECEIVE DEAD Meeting Today to Arrange for Burial

of Volunteers.

shipped to him here in Portland. The bodies will arrive Wednesday morning. A meeting of the Volunteers' committee assisting in arranging for the funeral will be held today at noon, in room 308 Cham-ber of Commerce Building, to complete whatever remains to be done.

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General Beebe and Major Jubitz, of the Guard, will co-operate in every possible manner to give the funeral to be held proper dignity, and will furnish guards for the bodies while lying in state and escorts to or from the depot. A plan for the funeral will be announced within a day or two. All of the members of the Volunteers' committee are requested to be at teers' committee are requested to be at the Chamber of Commerce for the noon

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Says That Mr. Sewall and His Deputy, Mr. Giltner, Have Done Their Work Well.



"All Mixed" will be given for the last time this season tonight and at the mat-inee this afternoon. The Sunday matinee feature, which is an innovation, is proving a popular feature at the Metropolitan

FOR SEAMAN'S INSTITUTE.

Benefit Concert by the Caledonian Club, Next Friday.

Following is the programme for the concert next Friday evening, March 23, by the Caledonian Society, for the benefit of the Seamen's Institute:

Seamen's Institute:
Selection on happipes—Professor Moon.
Remarks—Chief Henderson.
"Scotch Reel"—Misses Forbes and Black,
Messra. Forbes and Robinson.
Song, "Angus Macdonald"—Miss Bailey,
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Song, "Walting"—Miss Schroeder.
Recitation—F. W. Grant.
Song, "Walting"—Misses Black and
Forbes and Professor Robinson.
Tenor solo, selected—Albert Reiflinger,
Recitation—Mrs. Hamm.
Song, "Kathleen Mayourneen"—Miss Hobln.

n. Tenor solo—Judge Bullock. Song—Master Eddle Steele. Sword exhibition—Professor Cathcart. "Sailors" Hornpipe" — Professor Robin

EXTRA MUSIC TONIGHT.

Orchestral Concert at Cordray's, Be ginning at 7:30.

Tonight, Manager Cordray inaugurates the new feature of giving orchestral concerts while the audience is assembling programme will begin promptly at It is Manager Cordray's intention to give such a concert every night during the present season. Following is the programme for this evening: March—"Tannhauser" Wagner
Overture—"Zampa" Heroid
Selection—"Carmen" Bizet

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ing of the Winds" ... S. Driscoll, director.

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Owing to the heavy travel about to set in from America to Europe, persons who contemplate visiting the Paris exposition or any part of Europe, should make application for steamship accommodations (first or second cabin) at earliest date possible, to secure desirable berths and safting. Full information resemble activities ings. Full information regarding cabin rates, diagrams and saling dates via all trans-Atlantic steamship lines, may be obtained at the Union Pacific ticket office. Accommodations reserved promptly on ap-plication. Don't forget the number, 125 Third street. GEORGE LANG, City Passenger and Ticket Agent, J. H. LOTHROP, General Agent.

BUTSAMETELEPHONENUMBER

General O. Summers received a tele-gram last evening that the remainder of Oregon's dead at the Presidio had been as now. L. Mayer & Co., leading grocers.

JUDGE GEORGE PRAISES WORK OF DISTRICT ATTORNEY.



Georgie Cooper, in addition to her pop- lowed with conviction and punishment. ular coon songs that have been so heartily Business is kept up promptly, and, so far received all the week, gave a selection in honor of Ireland's patron saint. The earnestly and successfully.

transaction either corrupt or irregular, or questionable. As to the Chinese lot-tery ticket-selling cases, all indictments found by the grand jury, with the ex-ception of two, have resulted in convic-tions. One case was tried by the court, and five, I recall, by a jury, and all con-victed and fined up to \$160 in the worst

"The attorneys for the Chinese have fought each case hard, and appealed four

"The object of the city officials in prosecuting these lottery cases as city cases was commendable in their desire to secure, if possible, for the city the fines, whereas under the state law the fines go to the state. A new ordinance carefully drawn may and probably will reach this

James Wilson, Secretary of the United

presentation of the farce-comedy was one of the best yet given, and the funny situations as delineated by the company kept the audience in a continuous roar of and efficient in prosecution. No instance has ever come to my knowledge of any

to the Supreme Court. The two others are awaiting the result of their appeal. These cases, to my personal knowledge, were vigorously and effectively prosecut ed by Mr. Giltner. More cases could probably have been presented in the State clicuit Court, had it not been for the city trying to punish this evil through city agencies under a city ordinance passed May 17, 1897, which was first held by me, as Circuit Judge, and then by the Supreme Court of this state, on appeal, as

TO PROTECT CATTLE.

Notice to Rallroads by Secretary Wil-son, Department of Agriculture,

States Department of Agriculture, has is-sued notices to the railroad companies regarding the transportation of cattle within the United States. Local lines have received a generous consignment of these, to be posted up in conspicuous places. Secretary Wilson directs the attention of all railroad companies engaged in the transportation of cattle from one state or territory to another to certain statutes of the United States. He states that the provisions of the statutes are not lived up to; that complaints are made that cattle and other livestock are conhours, and that at times when they are unloaded they are not allowed the five consecutive hours for rest required by statute. Secretary Wilson declares that the fallure of the railroad companies to consecutive hours for rest required by statute.

form to this law causes the animale great suffering while in transit to points of des-tination, which it is the intent of the law

The Secretary directs that the railroad companies make such arrangements as are necessary in their train service, and pronecessary feeding and watering The penalty for non-compliance

stations. The penalty for non-compliance with the law is thus set forth in section 4588, revised statutes of the United States: "Any company, owner or custodian of such animals who knowingly and wittingly falls to comply with the provisions of the two preceding sections (sections 4886 and 4387 covering the matter), shall, for every such failure, be liable for and forfelt and pay a penalty of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500. But when animals are carried in cars, boats or other vessels in which they can and do have proper food, water, space and opportunity to rest, the provisions in regard to their being unloaded shall not apply." ed shall not apply."

IN THE BUSINESS 47 YEARS Salmon Packer Talks of This Season's Prospects.

P. J. McGowan, who has been in the saimon-packing business on the Lower Columbia since 1852, is at the Perkins. Fishermen, he says, are taking advantage of the close season by repairing their boats and nets for the Spring onsiaught, which is to begin April 10. If the run of fish should be good this year, fishermen fish should be good this year, fishermen will make money, as the prices paid for the raw article by the canners and cold-storage men will be higher, if possible, than last year, when 5 and 5½ cents a pound was paid. The demands of cold storage will tend to increase the fishermen's earnings, and besides this, the combine is already in the field offering extra inducements in the way of twine significant. inducements in the way of twine, etc., and endeavoring to hire the old hands at

an advance from the price paid in 1898.
"Of course, we will pay as much as anyone for the catch, but the price of the canned product must go up as a result," said Mr. McGowan. "The combine is try-ing to buildoze the outside canners into joining with them, but this object is not likely to be effected, as the combine plainly lost money last season, in spite of the 2½ per cent dividend declared on its watered stock. I am pretty sure the money paid out on this dividend was borrowed by the combine for the purpose, and so it was a wind dividend on wat-

ered stock.
Mr. McGowan has grown old in the salmon business, having celebrated his 84th birthday yesterday, but he is still hale and hearty, and attends personally to the details of his firm's business, which is that of conducting four canneries—two on the Columbia River; one at Shoalwater Bay, and one at Gray's Harbor. This keeps him on the move all the time, as he keeps him on the move all the time, as he visits each of his distant canneries several times a year. When he first began preparing salmon for shipment, the fish were packed in barrels, covered with brine and shipped by sailing vessels for distant ports. Salmon is still being packed in this way, he says, for the German markets but very little sail is used as the kets, but very little salt is used, as the salmon is washed off and smoked before being placed on sale in Germany.

When he began packing, there was sup-posed to be but one fishing ground on the Columbia, and that was at his present home, Chinook, near the mouth of the river, on the Washington side. After a few years, Oak Point and Baker's Bay became favorite fishing points, and finally seines and nets were spread everywhere

on the lower river.

This year he thinks will tell the tale as to whether artificial propagation is a success or not, and if the run does not increase over that of last year, in June and July, he will lose faith in propagation. Present indications point to a light Spring run, judging from that of January of this year, which was lighter than that of January, 1899. The catch last year amounted to 300,000 cases, and the largest catch in the history of salmon packing on the Co-lumbia River was 900,000, several years

MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS.

First Baptist Church Pays a Tribute to Rev. Claude Raboteau.

The following memorial was adopted by the First Baptist Church of Portland upon the life and character of Rev. Claude

Raboteau, its former pastor:
"Whereas, word has come to us that our Heavenly Father has called home our dearly beloved brother and former pastor, the Rev. Claude Raboleau; it is by this

"Resolved, That we desire publicly to record our deep appreciation of his great worth as a minister of the gospel, and our profound sense of personal loss of one who has so thoroughly endeared himself to us during the short time that we held to each other the relations of pastor and peo-

"His pure, Christian character, his selfsacrificing spirit, his gentle and loving disposition and his noble life drew all hearts to him, and when his long-continued, serious illness compelled him to leave us, we felt that it had been good

to have known him, and we parted with him with sadness.
"We sorrow that we shall see his face no more, but we rejoice in the expectation that we shall meet him again, where sickness and pain cannot enter and where part-

ing is no more.
"With our dear sister, his bereaved wife, we mingle our tears, and share with her the great loss that has befallen her, and extend to her our sincere sympathy.

To the 10,000 Riders of Portland. Rudyard Kipling said of the streets of Portland, that they would disgrace an Irish village.

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