

OBITUARY

MRS FRANK GARLICK, OXFORD.

With sincere regret (writes a correspondent) I record the death of Mrs. Frank Garlick, an old resident of Oxford, who passed away on Saturday, June 16, after a serious illness extending over many weeks, which was borne with true Christian patience and fortitude. The Very Rev. Dean Hyland attended her throughout her illness, and she died at the age of 63 years, happily, having received all the sacred rites and consolations of holy religion. The deceased lady arrived in Oxford in June, 1894, and was married in the following October. She leaves a family of eight sons and four daughters to mourn the loss of a true, loving mother. She was noted for her goodness and kindness extended to all—friends and neighbors. Two of her sons are at present on active service in France, and a third in camp for the reinforcements. Also left to mourn their loss are 25 grand-children, a sad circumstance, which added greatly to the widespread sorrow at her death, was the much lamented fact that the victim of the late View Hill tragedy was a grandchild. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Wednesday, June 20, after Requiem Mass, celebrated in the Church of the Sacred Heart by the Rev. Father O'Boyle, who also officiated at the interment in the Oxford Cemetery. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved husband and family on the sad loss they have sustained. R.I.P.

MR. WILLIAM HAYWARD, SEN., CHRISTCHURCH.

There passed away on last Monday morning, at his residence, Cashmere Hills, Christchurch, one of the best-known and most respected Catholic laymen of the Dominion, in the person of Mr. William Hayward, sen., at the age of 76 years. He was an old colonist, having arrived in New Zealand in 1892. Until laid aside by an illness which proved protracted, the late Mr. Hayward was always of the most active and cheerful disposition. A man of intense individuality, his character was one of absolute integrity, and whilst practicing his religion even to its minutest details, he ever respected the feelings and opinions of others. Kind hearted and generous to a degree, he was the most lovable of men, constant in friendship, and essentially just in all his dealings. As a citizen he was regarded with esteem by all classes of the community. Apart from being a Justice of the Peace, and identifying himself with most public movements, he never sought distinction at the hands of his fellows, preferring always to do his part quietly and unassumingly. As a colonist, the late Mr. Hayward had a strenuous, varied, and interesting career. We intend, however, to treat of this phase of the subject in another connection. He was one of the first councillors of the borough of Sumner, and filled the office of Mayor during the year 1892. He was for many years a member of the Federal Club, also of the Canterbury Jockey Club, and Metropolitan Trotting Club, in which he took a lively interest, being a committeeman and steward for several years, and also served for a time on the N.Z. Trotting Association. The late Mr. Hayward was a most devout and fervent Catholic, and his benefactions to the Church and its numerous activities were exceedingly generous. He had a deep respect for the sacred office of the priesthood and the utmost reverence for the episcopal heads of the Church. Even when enfeebled by illness, he endeavored to attend Mass, and when ultimately unable by infirmity to leave his home, the Cathedral clergy were constant in their attention, as were visiting priests from time to time. The late Mr. Hayward considered the greatest privilege of his life was a visit paid to him by his Excellency Archbishop Cerretti, Apostolic Delegate, when in Christchurch last year. He was prominent in all Catholic movements, and well known from end to end of the

Dominion. He was head of the Hayward family, who include his wife, Mr. W. Hayward, jun., Messrs. J. R. and G. C. Hayward, of the firm of Hayward Bros., Ltd., merchants; Mrs. Arthur Mead, the notable vocal artist, and Miss Nellie Hayward, an ardent worker in all Catholic and charitable movements. The youngest son, Henry, died a number of years ago. Also to mourn their loss are grandchildren—the family of Mr. W. Hayward, jun., and son of Mr. J. R. Hayward. Fortified with all the sacred rites of Holy Church, his death was a happy one.—R.I.P.

THE LATE CHAPLAIN-MAJOR McMENAMIN

SOLEMN REQUIEM MASSES.

On last Wednesday morning at the Church of the Sacred Heart, Petone, there was Solemn Requiem Mass for the repose of the soul of the late Chaplain-Major McMenamini. The Right Rev. Mgr. McKenna was celebrant, Chaplain-Captain Connolly deacon, Rev. Father Quealy subdeacon, and Rev. Father O'Connor, S.M., master of ceremonies. The solemn office was sung by the choir of clergy, among those present being the Very Rev. Dean Holley, S.M. (Provincial), Very Rev. Dr. Kennedy, S.M. (Rector St. Patrick's College), Rev. Fathers T. McKenna, Hurley, S.M., McManus, Travers, Doolaghty, Maillard, S.M., S. Mahony, S.M., Smyth, S.M., Mangan, C.S.S.R., Bowden, S.M., Dignan, S.M., O'Sullivan, S.M., Forrestal, Guinane, Kimbell, S.M., McDonnell, S.M., Gondringer, S.M., J. J. and A. Cullen, S.M., Ryan, S.M., Outtrim, S.M., Schaefer, S.M., F. Cullen, S.M., Campbell, S.M., O'Beirne, Chaplain-Captains Dore, Minogue, and O'Flynn. The sermon, which was an eloquent eulogy of the deceased, was preached by the Rev. Father Hurley, S.M., from the text "Thou art a priest for ever." His Grace Archbishop O'Shea gave the Benediction at the catafalque, and at the close the organist played the "Dead March" from "Saul." The church was draped in black and white.

On last Wednesday morning there was Solemn Requiem Mass at the Basilica, Hill street, Wellington, for the repose of the soul of the late Chaplain-Major McMenamini. His Grace Archbishop O'Shea, S.M., was celebrant, Very Rev. Father T. McKenna assistant priest, Rev. Father O'Connor, S.M., deacon, Rev. Father Quealey subdeacon, and Rev. Father Hurley, S.M., master of ceremonies. The clergy present included all those who attended the solemn ceremonial at Petone on the previous day.

There were also in attendance Mrs. McMenamini, mother of the deceased padre, and members of the family, the Hon. G. W. Russell, and the Mayor (Mr. J. P. Luke).

The military authorities were represented by Surgeon-Colonel Purdy, representing the Medical Service; Major Sleeman, representing the Commandant; Captain Hill, Provost Marshal; Captain Cross, representing the Adjutant-General; Captain Gibbs, representing Colonel Hume; Major A. A. Corrigan, Wellington district; Colonel J. D. Purdy, and Lieutenant Jervis.

Apologies for unavoidable absence were received from Sir James Allen, Acting-Premier, and Surgeon-General Henderson.

The front seats were occupied by fully a hundred members of the Forces. Many people travelled from Petone and the Hutt to pay their last respects to the memory of the deceased. The Camp Commandant gave leave to men at Trentham Camp desiring to be present.

The music of the Mass was sung by St. Patrick's College Choir, under the conductorship of Rev. Father Schaefer. Mr. G. O'Meehan presided at the organ.

The occasional sermon was preached by the Rev. Father Gilbert, S.M., M.A., St. Patrick's College, who took as his text—"Be mindful, O Lord, of Thy ser-