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MARRIAGES

DALY—McGRATH.—On January 30, 1918, at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Auckland, by the Rev. Father Murphy, John Daly, youngest son of Mr. M. Daly, Cork, Ireland, to Mary, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. McGrath, Wexford, Ireland.

HAYES—McCABE.—On Wednesday, February 6, 1918, at St. Michael's Church, Palmerston South, by the Rev. Father Kavanagh, Francis, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes, South Dunedin, to Hannah, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McCabe, Palmerston South.

DEATHS

CASEY.—On March 23, 1918 (accidentally killed), Thomas, beloved husband of Margaret Casey, and ninth son of the late James and Mary Casey, Leith Avenue, Dunedin; aged 35 years.—R.I.P.

DONOVAN.—On March 18, 1918, at the residence of her niece (Mrs. John Stapleton), William Street, South Invercargill, Margaret, beloved wife of Patrick Donovan, Orepuki. Fortified by the rites of Holy Church.—R.I.P.

REARDON.—On March 13, 1918, at the residence of her niece (Miss Flynn), 11 David Street, Palmerston North, Hannah Reardon; aged 69 years.—R.I.P.

IN MEMORIAM

BRICK.—In loving memory of Winifred Brick, who died on March 28, 1914. On whose soul, sweet Jesus, have mercy.

COFFEY.—In loving memory of Michael Joseph Coffey, who died at St. Bathans, on Good Friday, April 6, 1917. O crucified Jesus, have mercy on his soul.

COYLE.—In sad and loving remembrance of Edward (Edsie) Coyle, who was killed in action "Somewhere in France" on the 24th of March, 1917, dearly loved eldest son of J. and J. Coyle, of Kyeburn and Paerau. On whose soul, sweet Jesus, have mercy.—Inserted by his father, mother, brother, and sisters.

MAHONEY.—Of your charity pray for the repose of the soul of Denis Mahoney, who was killed in the Upper Hutt explosion on the 29th of March, 1914.—Inserted by his wife and children.

FOR SALE

UPPER RICcarton, Christchurch, 5 or 10 Acres, with MODERN BUNGALOW RESIDENCE. We have instructions to Sell at a Low Figure, as the owner leaves Canterbury this month, positively. **J. MEAGHER & CO., 155 Cashel St., Christchurch.**

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MESSAGE OF POPE LEO XIII. TO THE N.Z. TABLET.

Pergant Directores et Scriptores New Zealand Tablet, Apostolica Benedictione confortati, Religionis et Justitiæ causam promovere per vias Veritatis et Pacis.

Die 4 Aprilis, 1900.

LEO XIII., P.M.

TRANSLATION.—Fortified by the Apostolic Blessing let the Directors and Writers of the New Zealand Tablet continue to promote the cause of Religion and Justice by the ways of Truth and Peace.

April 4, 1900.

LEO XIII., Pope.



THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1918.

HOLY THURSDAY



HOLY WEEK, with its ineffable memories, is the centre of the liturgical year. Its lesson is renewed with all the beautiful symbolism of the devotions dedicated to its commemoration. Not only in the panting heart of Rome but in the humblest churches of Christendom do the faithful congregate to renew their faith in the mysteries which thronged the last week of the Saviour on earth. And although the climax of His life was reached when He expired on the Cross on Calvary on Good Friday, it was on the preceding night that He left us the greatest memorial of His love for mankind by the institution of the Blessed Eucharist. In the beginning God made man to His own image and likeness. His love for man went yet further when He united the Divinity to the soul by sanctifying grace. It was not even then satisfied, for God so loved the world that He sent His only Begotten Son amongst us, and in the pure womb of Mary Christ became our Brother by taking upon Himself a human nature like ours. Even yet Love was not at rest. He had made man like to Himself; He had united Himself to the soul in the state of grace; He had joined humanity to the Divinity in a personal union; and He still sought another means of becoming closer united to man whom He loved with such an infinite Love. This means was the Blessed Eucharist whereby He gave Himself to become our spiritual food, and in which He is eaten and drunk under the appearances of bread and wine.

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Having loved His own who were in the world He loved them to the end. Seated among them for the last time He took bread into His hands and brake it with the words: "This is My Body which is given for you." And a little later, taking the cup, He gave thanks and gave it to them, saying: "Drink ye all of this. The chalice of the new testament, which shall be shed for you unto the remission of sins. Do this for a commemoration of Me." What a mystery these

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