

RIOTS AND BATON CHARGES IN LIMERICK

Attacks On Property Of Protestants

STRONG PROTESTS BY CATHOLIC CLERGY

Judge McElligott's Condemnation

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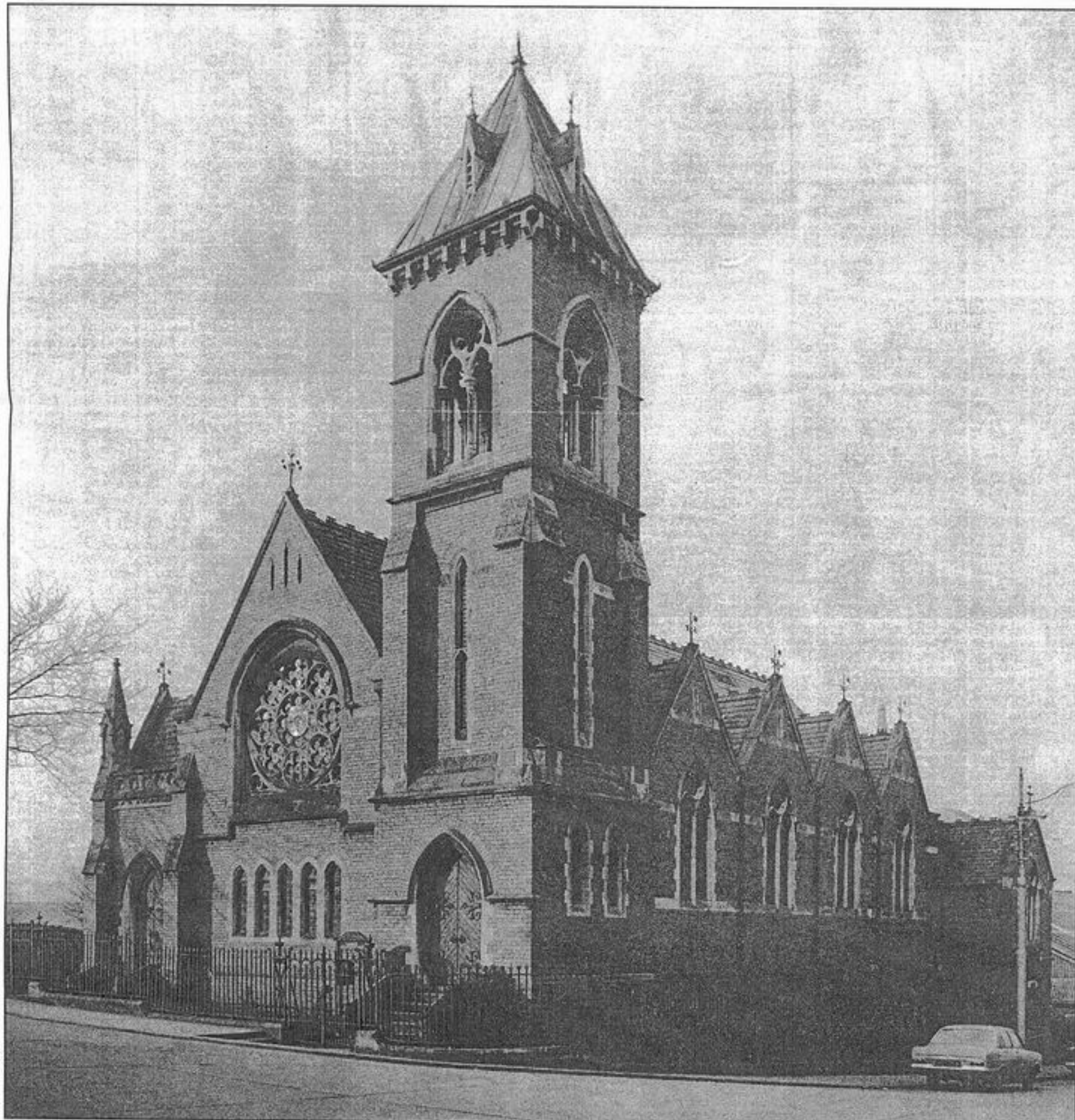
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The Presbyterian Church in Henry Street was just one of the many Protestant premises attacked during the riots in Limerick City and County in July 1935. The Protestant Church at Kilmallock was destroyed by fire and that will be included in next week's page.

custody are David McNally, Michael Tierney, William O'Neill, Thomas Dore and Joseph Gibbons. They have been remanded on bail to the City District Court on Friday next.

WINDOWS BROKEN
Windows in the following premis-

Goodwin & Co., William Street, and the residences of Archdeacon Waller, Mallow Street, and Canon Abbott, Barrington Street. Besides these, the houses of four Protestant families in Mary Street Garda District were attacked. It is reported that the knockers were taken off the doors

condemned by the clergy. Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, preaching in St. Joseph's Church, said the clergy had learned of the attacks on Protestant houses with a deep sense of shame and sorrow. Those responsible were guilty of a great sin against justice and charity and to think that the out-

which their Protestant fellow citizens were in no way responsible. They should all express their sympathy with their Protestant neighbours. Father Moriarty spoke in similar terms in St. Michael's Church and Father O'Donoghue, Prior, O.S.A., in the Augustinian Church.

sense of pain and humiliation that you heard this morning of the disgraceful scenes that occurred in the city last night, when the property of Protestant fellow citizens was destroyed, the windows of their houses smashed and of their places of worship. "It is deplorable that any Irishman and presumably any Catholic should degrade himself so far as to adopt the tactics of the Orangemen who are present subjecting the unfortunate

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