

New 1916 Exhibit at Consulate

THE new exhibition "1916-2016 Proclaiming the American Story" opened at the Consulate of Ireland New York on Thursday, September 22.

The exhibition presents a retelling of the 1916 Easter Rising, with a focus on the American connection.

On Monday the 26th, a panel of historians, including Professor Miriam Nyhan Grey, Geoffrey Cobb, Kate Feighery and John Ridge, discussed the important role of Irish America, and especially New York, in the insurrection.

The conversation was moderated by journalist Terry Golway.

The exhibition is on display at the Irish Consulate through October. To check related programs or to visit by appointment, visit www.turloughmcconnell.com.

Irish Consul General Barbara Jones, Turlough McConnell and Irish Foreign Minister Charlie Flanagan at the opening of the exhibition. (Photo by Elizabeth Hunter)

