

Large reward offered in our advertising every and conviction of the lawless in the Sabbath, and while the family gloriously entered the house Thomas J.L., at Nantenant, in this County, the resident country gentleman, magistrate, and who seized his fire-arms, off. Mr. Royse has been an active member of the local relief committee, benefactor to his tenantry, and farm could not save him from outrage.

County Inspector, was instrumental crowd from plundering a bread cart. Russell, in Henry-street, yesterday, a crowd of persons attacked a going to Mr. Dawson, in Cornwallis. the act of plundering its contents 70th Regiment from John's barracks to assist the carrier in protecting party. Subsequently the police from arrived, and having taken charge of military returned to barracks.

apprehended Mary Carmody, on act of stealing flour from a provision street.

conveying bread from town, was by a dozen men near the terminus of Waterford railway, on the Roxboro' 30 loaves.

els with bread stuffs arrived in port

aged eight years, who had been nts, who reside in the Irishtown, t, was found drowned in the canal g, and owing to the delay given to a quest on the body, which was de- ily and friends were put to great

ames Real, grocer, of Mary-street, self with play fellows in St. Francis' , fell from a wall and broke his leg. e Employment Committee has been A meeting was held on Tuesday, g gentlemen attended:—Colonel nel Dunne, Sir Colman O'Loughlen, W. S. O'Brien, Esq., M.P.; anley, Monck, R. A. O'Reilly, Cunningham, Ellis, Chamberlayne, Butt, Q.C.; Richard O'Gorman, a Massy, Peter Geale, &c. The ttee is to be changed—the meetings d the rules re-modelled so as to e of discussion.

is in the hands of the Board of vement of Lough Corrib, but all rs interested in the work have not t thereto.

apital authorised to be raised by sed in 1845 and 1846, was e amount actually raised is yet to be raised to complete those

ntion of postponing the summer y and City Limerick, which it is ck next week, to be held on or

port of the Limerick Lunatic Asy- fourth page, and we are much ere is a just tribute to the skill ost deserving professional gentle-ghan.

heat is not favourable to the ng crops, for the frequent and con- moted too great luxuriance in the en gardens.

es of bere, and the same quantity ear at Kilcornan, on the property Esq., Under Secretary, the stalks s high.

DEATH OF JAMES WATSON, ESQ.!

Those sad words will startle many of his anxious friends, but for this consummation a sympathising public must have been prepared since Wednesday afternoon, when it was declared that the physicians had left him in a state of insensibility to everything but pain and suffering of the most acute nature. The family and friends of Mr. Watson were eager to catch at any, even the faintest hope, from hour to minute, of his recovery, striving even against hope; but it was not in humanity to survive such horrid mal-treatment as he endured at the hands of his merciless assassins. The fatal shaft had sped too surely to its innocent victim, and pierced a heart which beat responsive to the finest feelings of Christian excellence. After lingering nearly five days under a mass of deadly wounds, one of which was enough to destroy life, Mr. Watson quietly resigned his pure spirit last evening, at 7 o'clock, surrounded on his dying bed by a most afflicted widow and her little orphans—departing in perfect peace with all the world, and as one who knew his intrinsic worth observed, if he could but articulate at the last moment of his parting breath the memorable words of his glorious Redeemer, the prayer for his murderers would also have been "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do." This beautiful exposition of a christian soul in the stage of transition from a finite world to eternity, is in the abstract a model for contemplation, but in justice and mercy to the whole frame of society in this life—which depends for common safety upon the strict observance of established principles of morality and law, the murderer should not go unpunished. Judgment follows crime not for vengeance, but for example. Therefore, it is essential to deter the vicious, and punish the guilty, from a sense of imperative necessity alone. It can be no reparation whatever to the family of a good and virtuous man, in which amiable light all persons deeply lament Mr. James Watson, if his murderers are made to suffer the penalty of death. What, is it can restore the peril above price which his widow and orphans have lost? To save other innocent families in the community from a like desolation is the duty and interest of the governors and governed. Avert the fatal calamity from our neighbour, and he will struggle to render a mutual service to us. At present the loyal and peaceable subjects in Ireland are utterly defenceless and without protection—the honest and industrious are cheated and robbed with impunity—the idle and dissolute are up in arms and reckless of life or property—yet no adequate precautions are taken to break this formidable organized confederacy, which threatens the violent dissolution of social order, in the excesses of riot, plunder and bloodshed.

We perceive that the magistrates of the barony are summoned to meet at Killaloe, on Wednesday next, to consider what means it is fit to adopt in consequence of the murder of Mr. Watson, and the dangerous state of the country. Her Majesty's Government has offered a reward of £100 for the apprehension and conviction of the guilty parties.

A friend of the deceased gentleman writes from an adjoining county to his wretched family:—The word 'gratitude' may well be erased from the Irish language, for in the number of murders which have of late occurred, it invariably happens the victims are those amongst the gentry who are exerting themselves most for their unfortunate countrymen. No doubt the blood of the murdered will cry to Heaven for vengeance, but a far more dreadful calamity than famine or pestilence may soon, under the just retribution of an offended Deity, visit Ireland and the Irish, with a scourge long to be remembered.

The late Mr. Watson was assiduously attended throughout his short and painful struggle between life and death by Drs. J. Wilkinson and J. Russell, of this city, and Dr. Purdon, of Killaloe.

Michael Lacy, from the neighbourhood of Glenomera,

The celebration of her Majesty's birth day for Thursday next, the 27th inst., the troops comprising a Brigade of Royal Horse Hussars, 55th and 59th Regts, with the Companies of Out-Pensioners, will assemble on the Military road at 12 o'clock noon, and fire a salute in commemoration of the auspicious event.

Colonel Cator, Royal Artillery, was sworn in a magistrate of the City of Limerick.

Captain Renwick, Royal Engineers, arrived here on Thursday, to replace Lieut. Grierson, R.E., in this district, and who departed Monday for Jersey, to superintend the new fort.

Lieut. Smith, 59th Regt., arrived in general Rathkeale, having resigned the office of Adjutant to the detachments, and Lieut. W. join his company at Adare. Ensign Coppin, Rathkeale.

This week detachments of the 59th in district were engaged escorting convoys of meal, rice and biscuit from Croom to Ballinacorney route to Newcastle. Parties of the 59th Regt. were also employed escorting convoys from Croom to Newcastle.

A serjeant and 25 rank and file of the 59th have been withdrawn from Carass mills.

Lts. Fairtlough, Werge, and Carr, and Ensign 55th, are at Clare Castle with Captain's company, under command of Major Davidson.

Lieut. Snowe, 55th, is in command of a detachment at Tulla.

Captain Pitman's company 55th, from the 1st joined head-quarters yesterday in this garrison.

Capt. Granville's company 55th, from the 1st moved to Corofin.

Lieuts. Schaw, and Shipley, 55th, are in command of a company at Ennis.

The Grenadier company of the 55th, under Major Cuddy, with Lieut. Lloyd, continued their tour of duty at Rathkeale, Newcastle, and gave a "pic-nic," to the neighbouring parishes the beautiful demesne of Adare manor, on Tuesday.

The acting Inspector-General of Hospitals here to visit the hospitals in this garrison.

Capt. Dallas's troop of the Queen's Bays, at Killaloe from Nenagh.

Lieut. Gabbett, 31st, has arrived here on duty.

Lieutenant Jeffery, 64th, is stationed with a detachment at Thurles.

The Countess of Elgin sailed from Limerick Wednesday, by the Halifax mail steamer, to her husband, Lord Elgin, Governor-General of Canada.

Lieut. Gabbett, Royal Artillery, and Major have left Woolwich for Canada.

Doctor Mahony, late 7th Fusiliers, is now in the Medical Staff in Canada.

Ensign O'Donnell, of this city, 96th, left at an hour's notice on Tuesday, to take command of a detachment of the 65th conveying the "Joseph Somes," to New South Wales.

The Commissariat have announced a supply of bread to supply the troops in Westmeath for the next months.

Major Warde and Major Ingilby, who commanded troops of the Horse Brigade in the 1st, are promoted to the rank of Lieut.-Colonel in the Royal Artillery.

Lieut.-Colonels Arbuckle and Freer, Royal Artillery, have retired upon full pay after 40 years service.

Second Captain J. C. Francklyn, R.A., who was the late Poole Gabbett, Esq. an officer whose death we anticipated last week, is since gazetted to the command of a company in the Royal Artillery.

Captain Campbell's company 83d, has been stationed at Bagnalstown, county Carlow, from Dublin to the 1st.

Captain Browne's company, 44th, have been stationed at Armagh.