

Constable Nash, were remanded for Petty Sessions.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

Dr. Enright, coroner, held an inquest on Monday, at the City Court-house, on the body of James Purcell, of Meelick, who died in the City hospital on Saturday evening, from the effects of a murderous assault made upon him, in Castle-street, on the evening of the 1st November, when the unoffending man was returning home from this City, with his family. On that occasion we published the particulars of the attack, which were again detailed in evidence by the son and daughter of deceased, before the following jury sworn by the Coroner:—Gilbert Dowling, David Johnston, David Beverage, William Wright, William St. Laurence, Patrick Bourke, Thomas Hanly, George Spong, James Rowand, Paul Creaghe, Joseph Sheehy, and Thomas Morrison.

The prisoners in custody for the homicide, and who were present at the inquest, are John, Patrick, and Michael Hayes, of Coonagh, labourers.

Margaret Purcell deposed that she was in Limerick with her father on the 1st inst.; deceased, witness Motty Quin, Patt. O'Dea, Patt. Frost, and John Mara were for some time that evening in O'Farrell's public-house, in Quay-lane; saw two of the prisoners (Patt. and John Hayes) come into the shop, but were prevented by Mr. O'Farrell from entering the apartment where deceased and his friends were; the Hayes's left before witness and her father; her father was an old man, about 67 years of age; he was leading his horse by the head when he was attacked by the three prisoners in Castle-street, and knocked down with a stone; she was walking behind at the time, and ran around to her father's assistance; he was kicked repeatedly by John and Patt. Hayes, who also flung stones at him; witness was unable to save her father from their violence; saw a knife in John Hayes's hand (a large knife similar to those used by seamen was here produced by Head Constable Joynt); to the best of her belief that is the knife; when her brother and friends came to her assistance, the three Hayes's ran off; her father was conveyed to the toll-house on the bridge, but was bleeding so profusely it was impossible to stop the blood; the nose of deceased was hanging off, and there were cuts on his face and head; had him carried to Surgeon Frith's, and from thence to Barrington's hospital, where he died on Saturday evening; deceased was a temperance man, and had only drunk two samples of cordial at O'Farrell's; cannot assign any reason for the attack on her father further than that a brother of her's assisted Motty Quin in arresting their cousin, Patt. Morrisy, for debt.

Thomas and Bridget Purcell, children of deceased, corroborated their sister's testimony.

Dr. Gelston, who made a *post mortem* examination of the boy, and who attended deceased from the period he was admitted to hospital up to his death, deposed there were three wounds on the head, one of which, inflicted with a sharp instrument, was of a dangerous nature, having nearly severed the nose from the face; there was also a complicated fracture of the temporal bone on the right side of the head; when received into hospital Purcell was in a dangerous state, and daily got from bad to worse; is of opinion he died from the effects of the wounds described.

The jury, without hesitation, returned a verdict "that James Purcell came by his death in consequence of injuries received on the night of the 1st November, and which were inflicted by John, Patrick, and Michael Hayes, of Coonagh."

The prisoners were accordingly fully committed to abide trial at next assizes.

presenting a formidable array of resistance or obstruction, which and his men were busily engaged and received a large sum, although every village and hamlet were unable to pay, paid their rates, and had removed the barricades so that thirty of the principals concerned have been arrested by the Police at Bridewell."

Extract of a letter from K... last the military and constabulary collecting poor-rates, under Sir... accompanied by two Resident Magistrates a considerable extent of barren and many a desolate village, the... having experienced no resistance.

The Ecclesiastical Commission... issuing sequestrations against... who are in arrear for Glebe... heavy pressure of poor-rates... this step will bring utter ruin.

The Rev. Francis Kane is... Kilmore to the vicarage of Ru... (nett value, £41,) vacant by... Rev. James Lyster to the union.

The Rev. John Harris, per... has been promoted to the liv... Lord Bishop of Kilmore.

The Rev. Stapylton Bree, e... Edwin Thomas, in the union... having left for England, his p... plied at Aunascall and Lack... The Dean of Ardferit will do... and reside at the glebe.

Lord Waterford and the in... presented an address to the Rev... important services during th... for his defence of the police ba... agents' attack.

The Rev. Mr. Powel has... ministry of the Carlow Scots'... removal of the Rev. David M'T...

The Rev. JW Hallowell and... Galway college, and preparati... mediate opening of this in... repairs on an extensive scale.

INDEPENDENT CHAPEL, B... cluding services connected wi... Rev. Wm. Tarbotton, were h... Sermons were preached by th... Dublin. The discourses wer... impressive; and formed a m... delightful engagements of th... congregations were exceeding... evening being a larger one, ... ever assembled in the Chap...

Last Saturday, a fine young... Mr. Franklin, of Clonmus... wounded in the face by sever... piece, discharged in a careless...

The society of St. Vincen... acknowledge a donation of £... Broad street, and one sack o... Esq. Clare street.

An active horse, value £... Daniel Cullen, was killed ye... Bridge, having come in con... car, the shaft of which enter...

A conditional order for... issued against Mr. R Murphy...