

which prevailed at the recent Clonmel election. A man named John Sullivan was set upon by some of the more turbulent of the mob, and beaten, declaring himself in favour of Mr. Bagwell's return. He died on Tuesday morning. An inquest was held on the next day by James John Shee, Esq., and a verdict of manslaughter was returned against some person or persons unknown.

Exactly twelve months have elapsed between the supposed suicide of John Sadleir, on Hampstead Heath and the expulsion of his brother James from the House of Commons.

Isaac Barnes, Esq. cashier for the last eighteen years in the Bank of Ireland at Youghal, has been appointed to the agency of that branch, vacant by the death of Thomas John, Esq.

On Tuesday last a young gentleman, named Glasgott, from the county Wexford, met with an accident while following the hunt with Lord Waterford's hounds at Windgap, by being thrown from his horse when jumping over a ditch, the horse falling upon him and severely contusing him.

On Thursday last, as a little boy named Whelan, was proceeding from Crooke to Waterford, he fell down on the road at Knockroe and expired.

A good many persons visited Tramore on Sunday last.

We beg to call the attention of dealers in every description of stock to the advertisement "Kilmallock Fairs," which are likely to rival the largest in Ireland.

A Commission is about to issue for the purpose of inquiring into the constitution of the Ecclesiastical Board. Its object is to ascertain whether by reductions, or in any other way, funds can be found to make good the amount now payable as Ministers' Money.

We have to announce the death of Sir Compton Domville, Bart., which took place in London on Monday afternoon. Sir Compton, who had reached an advanced age, was one of the Wealthiest Commoners in Ireland; and his conduct as a landlord, upon his extensive estates in Dublin, Meath, and other counties, had endeared him to a rich and comfortable tenantry.

Colonel Dunne's bill, now before Parliament, authorises Government to allow officers belonging to Lunatic Asylums in Ireland, to retire on full pay after 20 years service.

Messrs. Croker and Vereker are appointed assistants to the Birr branch of the Provincial bank.

Maryborough is about to be lit by gas.

This day Lieut.-Colonel Dickson, H. Considine, and John Franks, Esq., visited the District Lunatic Asylum, and after examining minutely the entire establishment, accounts, &c., expressed themselves perfectly satisfied with the manner in which it was conducted under the superintendance of Dr. Fitzgerald.

Major General Sir Duncan M'Gregor, K.C.B., Inspector General of Constabulary, has been pleased to promote 3rd Class Sub-Inspector Robert Simpson to the rank and pay of 2nd Class, dating from 3rd inst.

The important auction of cattle and farming stock, at Rathbane, came off on Monday, and was conducted by Mr. Hartigan in a manner most satisfactory to the seller and the purchaser. Heifers fetched from fifteen to twelve pounds each.

JUDGE CRAMPTON.—This amiable and excellent judge, who is the senior of our judges of assizes, and who is second Justice of the Queen's Bench, obtained a fellowship in the university upon first rate answering, in the year 1807, at the same time that the late Bishop Sandes was elected to that enviable honour, which is admitted to be the test of one of the severest and most searching trials of academic skill. He was advanced from Solicitor General to the Bench, though his emoluments at the bar must have been greater than that of a judge. Judge Ball, the second judge of assize on this circuit, was always esteemed to be a sound lawyer, and has proved himself to be an excellent judge, although it may be said that Clonmel, which he represented in parliament, lifted him, as it has done others, into station and emolument. Indeed, we might say, the two Boroughs in Tipperary have made more judges than any two counties in the kingdom for Cashel has had its share of the work as well as Clonmel.

Weight of Bread on 3d. Loaves taken this day by order of Rt. Hon. the Mayor—Henry Lyons, 1lb 7oz; Michael Dawson, 1lb 7½oz; James Bannatyne, 1lb 8½oz; Reuben Harvey, 1lb 6½oz; J. N. Russell, 1lb 7oz; Michael Ryan, 1lb 7oz; Harvey and Cree, 1lb 9½oz; Michael Kane, 1lb 8½oz; John Tierney, 1lb 6½oz; Widow Clelland, 1lb 5½; John O'Donoghue, 1lb 8½oz; Wm. Russell, 1lb 7½oz; Thomas Donnelly, 1lb 6½oz; Dennis Magrath, 1lb 5½oz; Wm. O'Donnell, 1lb 9oz; James Russell, 1lb 8½oz; Patk. Hayes, 1lb 8oz; Michael Mulcahy, 1lb 7oz; John Kearney,

29l. 3s 2d.; To the Commissioners of the Great Munster fair, to pay interest on the monies borrowed for that purpose, 175l.; The total sum applied for on the County at large was 8,747l. 18s 8d.

**DEATH OF "TERRY O'DRISCOLL."** The last number of the *Warder* newspaper was published as usual, but in it did not appear the well known signature—"Terry O'Driscoll." We believe that for some time past he had ceased to write for that journal; declining health which eventuated in consumption, incapacitated him for work, and on the 19th of the present month he died at his residence, Richmond-place, North Circular-road. No Irish writer, Carleton not excepted, equalled "Terry O'Driscoll," in his peculiar style, his spontaneous humour, sly sarcasm, graphic portraiture of character, vivid pictures of life and manners, and his succinct and pointed allusions to the political and local incidents of the day. His pen and ink sketches had much of the artistic ability of Cruikshank, the wit or earnest and useful purpose of Hood, and no writer was more thoroughly Irish in his phrases and style. He had infected a large portion of the reading public with his humour, and the *Warder* was as eagerly sought on each Saturday for "Terry O'Driscoll's" letter as politicians look for a budget or a royal speech. So great a feature to certain newspapers was his letter that a special messenger was despatched to procure the earliest impression of the *Warder* to print it in time for the morning's publication. The public generally are not acquainted with the name or antecedents of "Terry O'Driscoll." He was Mr. John Jackson, of Kilrush, in the county of Clare, and by profession was a writer, and a correspondent for public journals. He also filled an office in the Treasury, Dublin Castle. He was for several years a correspondent of the *Morning Chronicle* and *Morning Herald*, the *Limerick Star* and *Limerick Chronicle*. He also contributed to provincial newspapers, and the *University Magazine*. He left Kilrush in the year 1842, and became the correspondent of the *Morning Herald*. He had previously written sketches of the Kilrush Petty Sessions, many of which appeared in the *Morning Herald*; and the natural wit and humour by which these were characterised led to the consolidation of the two duties, and the facetious writer of the Sketches from Kilrush was afforded a wider range for his abilities—we may truly add genius—as the correspondent of the local and provincial intelligence in Dublin. He is, however, more extensively known by his letters in the *Warder* to Mr. O'Donohoe, of St. Giles's, in London, which were so life-like and natural that one was often disposed to wonder why the favoured resident of St. Giles's never answered the pleasant correspondence that was addressed to him. Some adventurous writers endeavoured to rival "Terry," others regretted they had not his facility of composition, but there was not any one who did not admire his kindly nature, and the rare and racy humour of the genial, warm-hearted and eccentric Irish writer. He had the tact or talent of enlisting the affection of his companions, and even the public. His letters were more continuously attractive than Douglas Jerrold's "Caudle" Papers, to compose which rare qualifications were required; for only a man of great talent and poetical impressionable nature could supply the weekly demand for an article which to be effective must be humorous and seemingly spontaneous and unrestrained, though written in the midst of sorrow and physical infirmity. The highest encomium that could be paid to his literary memory is to say that his place cannot be supplied. "Terry O'Driscoll's" mantle has not descended upon any one, not even on his real or imaginary heir; and those who shared his friendship and participated in his social enjoyments will have an equal difficulty in finding so pleasant, harmless, and generous a friend.

**WATERFORD AND LIMERICK RAILWAY COMPANY.**—Traffic for week ending Saturday, 21st February, 1857. Passengers, Parcels, &c. £437 12s 10d; Goods and Cattle, £583 11s 9d. Total, £1021 4s 7d. Corresponding week last year, £902 19s 3½d.

**LIMERICK AND FOYNES RAILWAY COMPANY.**—Traffic for week ending Saturday, 21st February 1857. Passengers, Parcels, &c. 55l. 10s 10d; Goods and Cattle, 23l. 8s 3d. Total, £78 19s 1d.

The following members of the County Grand Jury were yesterday elected Market Trustees for the ensuing year:—Stephen E. De Vere, M.P., foreman; Thomas O'Grady, Henry Lyons, Henry Maunsell, George Vandeleur, John White, Neal M'Donald, James Sexton, David Roche.

#### CHARITABLE ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul Conference of St. John, gratefully acknowledge the following donations in aid of the funds now exhausted:—William Purcell, Esq., T.C. £1; James Purcell, Esq. 10s.; Dr. Griffin, £1; D. Ryan, Esq. 1l.

The Rev. W. N. Willis most thankfully acknowledges the receipt of £91 4s. 2d. from Bruff Association

Henry Russell, Robert K. Sheehy, Roger Shine, Michael Shine, Richard Shaughnessy, W. Smithwick, Arthur Studdert, Richard Taylor, Thomas S. White, Alex. Yielding.

Robert Johnson, a convict, was murdered last week at Philipstown convict depot, by another convict named Patrick Downes, who smashed his skull with a spade, whilst both were at work in the prison. The Coroners' jury have returned a verdict of wilful murder against Downes.

The assizes of Limerick will last nine days instead of seven, consequently, the assizes of Tralee is altered from the 5th to the 7th of March. The business of the city assizes, at the Civil side will be tedious and heavy. The important case of Putland against the Knight of Glin, in which the jury disagreed on the occasion of its former trial, will be again brought forward. There are also two Nisi Prius cases, Dr. Pearse, of Newcastle, against Richard Conyngham Ellis, for libel, arising out of speeches made at the Newcastle board of guardians. Richardson against Richardson, a will case. The record of Lord Stradbroke against the representatives of Unthank, will be also brought forward. There are two libel cases between ladies at Newcastle; also the case of a process server against the driver of one of the public conveyances.

In reference to a paragraph in a police court report, which appeared in our columns a short time since, we are requested to state, as a matter of justice to Mr. Joseph Massy, of Newtown, from whom a sum of money was stolen, that on the night in question, as proved by Constable Doyle and the watchman, he was not in the slightest degree under the influence of drink, and that he believed that the house where he was directed to procure some refreshment, when about starting for home on the mail car, at 3 a.m. of a bleak and inclement morning, to be a proper, respectable, and well-conducted house.

At the City Police Court on Monday, the Mayor presiding, Mary Coleman and two children, vagrancy, 1 month imprisonment. Michael Fitzgerald and Edward Cusack, larceny of hay in the street, two months each at hard labour. Thomas Cleary, a supposed lunatic, seven days imprisonment. Denis Hayes, larceny of keys from Patrick O'Shea, Roche's street, one month at hard labour. John Keliher, larceny of a cloak, one month at hard labour. Edward Lee, drunk and disorderly in the streets, 14 days or to give bail. Michael Hayes, drunk and disorderly, one month or to give bail. Patrick O'Brien, receiving money under false pretences, by enlisting in the Clare militia, he being previously enlisted in the County Limerick militia—fined five pounds or two months imprisonment.

At the City Police Court yesterday, before the Mayor and Mr. Barron, R.M., Mary Meade, for larceny of clothes out of the shop of Messrs. Todd & Co, was sentenced to two months at hard labour. Thomas Laffan and Thomas Slattery, being concerned in the same robbery, were remanded. James O'Brien, Patk. Sheahan, and Patrick Flannery, drunk and disorderly in the streets, 10s. each and costs. John Egan, do., 2s. 6d or 48 hours. Patrick Nihill, do., 2s. 6d. and costs. Michael Mulcahy and Mary Mulcahy, assault on Teresa O'Connor, 5s. and costs and 5s. compensation or seven days.

At the petty sessions of Abbeyfeale, on the 18th inst. John Roche was convicted, at the prosecution of the Limerick Board of Conservators, and fined £5, for having a light on the river Feale, with intent to take fish. At the previous sessions, Francis Keefe was convicted in a similar penalty, for a similar offence. A complaint against Luke Halpin for a like offence, was adjourned to next court, and one against Cornelius Halpin was dismissed.

The town of Gort will shortly be lighted up with gas, and a branch of the National bank will be established in that town. This is a proof of the prosperity attendant upon Landed property getting into the hands of unencumbered and independent proprietors.

The board of guardians at Gort, and the poor law commissioners, still disagree with respect to the salary of the medical officers, and the expediency of retaining the services of an apothecary.

**CIVIL SERVICE APPOINTMENT, INLAND REVENUE, DUBLIN.**—Mr. Charles M'Carthy of this County, has been appointed after a strict examination which lasted 3 days, to the vacant Clerkship in the Solicitor's office in this department. For this vacancy, which has existed for more than 12 months, several candidates have been examined—but have failed.

One of the most remarkable proofs of originality of the Celtic genius in proving the strength of family ties occurred in this city within the past few days. A real Irishman, under whose frieze coat beat a warm heart, entered a printing establishment not a thousand miles from this office, and said he wanted to send a letter to his sister in Australia but he thought too much of her to send her a written one, he should send her a printed one, and he got his manuscript changed to talismanic types. The endearing expressions in