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knock his chin against her chin, on which she fell.— Michael was fined 6d. and costs, and cautioned against permitting his chin to interfere with other people's chin's in future; Michael Downey was fined 5s. and costs for being drunk, and shouting in Watergate, on Saturday night; Thomas Quan, of Singland, who was drunk and whose conduct in the strong room, was according to the watchman's account, extraordinary, was fined 5s. on the alternative of 48 hours' duration. John Shea, a tall hulking vagrant, was sent to jail for a month for begging in the public streets, and John Connors alias Garratt Barry was sent to jail for gambling in the street. Ellen Burke and her mother, Frances Burke, of Ballinacorra, in this county, were sent to jail to abide the result of a coroner's inquest on the body of a male child supposed to be suffocated, and to which the former had given birth, and which the latter was attempting to conceal, but was detected in the act by Constable Nash, who brought the case before the court. Mr Costello, the coroner, will hold an inquest on the body to-morrow. Informations were ordered against Mary Oshin, who was charged with robbing a Mr James Hanrahan, a Dublin traveller, of his purse, containing 5l. and also of a handkerchief in George-street, on Sunday night. The handkerchief was found in her possession, but the case and purse were non est.

collection was made in aid of this which is one of the most useful working charities in Ireland. The Bishop of Derry has contributed £10 for the new roof of St. Mary's Cathedral, and wrote—"I hope I have a grateful and lively recollection of my connection with Limerick Cathedral, both as Bishop and Dean; but you could not have made your appeal at a worse time than the present, inasmuch as I have deeply dipped in the renovation and improvement of my Cathedral at Derry, involving, as its restoration does, a sum considerably above £3,000. However, that your appeal may not appear to be made to a heart of stone, I authorize you to put down my name for £10, with the assurance that the sum would have been larger, had I not on my shoulders so great a responsibility." The constabulary of this city were confined to barracks on Sunday last (much to the annoyance of congregations attending the various places of worship, who were importuned by beggar's at every point) in consequence of apprehended disturbance at Castle-Connell, arising out of a rumour that scripture readers were to preach in the streets of that village, but which report proved untrue. The police were sent on city duty in the afternoon. On Monday, at 4 o'clock, a meeting for prayer, in connexion with the revival movement, by the members of the established church, was held in the Protestant Hall, in this city. The services were conducted by the Rev. James Allen, rector of Doonass, diocese of Killaloe, Rev. Benjamin Jacob, rector of St. Laurence, and Rev. John Elmes, vicar of St. John's, the latter of whom read an interesting letter detailing the happy results of the revivals in the north. We are assured that the congregation comprised several sincere christians, and was also attended by antiquated profligates, the scoffers of Holy Writ, and other dubious characters who, it is hoped, will be brought from darkness to light, and henceforward pursue a new course of life. The Rev F. C. Hamilton has received 13l. 15s from various persons for the poor of the parish of St. Mary's. An excellent organ has been erected in the church of Balingarry, in this county, where an efficient choir is also established, under the able direction of Mr. O'Donoghue, of Adare, whose professional abilities have proved most valuable throughout the district. A meeting of the friends of the deaf and dumb institution, Clermont, was held in the parochial school house, Nenagh, on Thursday last, Captain Otway, R.N. occupied the chair. A mute was examined in scripture, history, geography, and arithmetic, and displayed such an amount of intelligence and positive erudition for a lad of his years, as to astonish the meeting and to reflect the highest credit on the establishment. The Earl of Roden, a leader of the Revival movements in the North, is daily preaching to numerous congregations. He is a sincere christian, without hypocrisy or humbug. The new Bishop of Bangor, on visiting his parish, was introduced by the Rector to Mr. John Jones.— After the interview he requested the Bishop to introduce him to his (Mr. Jones') rector, who did not call upon him for 15 years. The proceedings connected with the annual meeting of the Evangelical Alliance, which is this year held in Belfast, commenced on Wednesday, under the presidency of the Lord Bishop of Down and Connor and Dromore. The opening address was delivered by Professor Gibson, moderator of the General Assembly. The Bishop of Meath and family has arrived at Edinburgh. The Quakers are beginning to muster very largely in California. At the general ordination on Sunday last, the following gentlemen were ordained:— By the Bishop of Worcester—Deacon: Samuel Franklin Hiron, B.A., Trinity College, Dublin, master in Edgbaston School. By the Bishop of Chester.—Deacons: William Theophilus Giles, B.A., Trinity College, Dublin; John Kennedy, B.A., Trinity College, Dublin. By the Bishop of Durham.—Priest: Rev. F. E. Freeman, B.A., Trinity College, Dublin. The Bishop of London, has it is said, applied to the Queen to dismiss the rector of St. George's, East, London, which is left without a congregation, owing to the persevering exertion of the rector in the principles of Puseyism. The Bishop of Derry is daily expected here, on a visit to his son-in-law, Rev. Mr. Rodwell. MONEST.—A young man, a member of an evangelical church, advertises in a local country paper for board in a pious family, where his Christian example would be considered a compensation for his masticatory performance.

Henry Watson, Esq., locum tenens for the Mayor, presided in the police court on yesterday. Constable Walker who captured, after a well contested chase through the city, and brought captive, not to his bow and spear, but to his 'baton and his legs,' a juvenile, but well known pickpocket, of the name of Murphy, who was caught in the fact. He was sent to jail for two months, and left the court shouting. Wm. Scott was sent to gaol for two months for obtaining money under false pretences from a recruiting sergeant, with whom he enlisted, and to whom he alleged that he had never been in the army although he had deserted from the 2nd Battalion of the 19th Fusiliers, and was marked with the letter, D.— Edward Lee, Denis O'Keeffe, Michael Conery were fined 1s each and costs. Eliza Dempay, who was operated on by the stomach pump in the City Hospital, was sent to jail for fourteen days. Thomas O'Halloran, from Crasloe, whose nose was seriously damaged, and whose eyes were blackened, was charged with being drunk and falling off his horse—fined 5s and costs. Ellen Mack was drunk and disorderly, and John Flynn, who was also drunk and interfering with the watchman, who arrested Miss Mack, were sent to jail—the former for three and the gallant Mr Flynn for seven days.

On Monday evening an Inquest was held on view of the bodies of James Dooly and Thomas Martin, in the County Court-house, before Thomas Costello, Esq. Mr. Robert Sikes sworn and examined—I live in the City of Limerick; I left this about a quarter to nine on Sunday morning; we went down the river in company with James Dooly, my brother, Henry Sikes; we went in our Yacht; Thomas Martin, John Jones, and Thomas M'Namara also; we went as far as Sod Island, sailing down the river, and returning we were caught in the hole in a squall; Sod Island is below Grass Island; it is ten or twelve miles down; we remained there about an hour and a half, and then returned home; we were abreast of Mr. Mousell's place when the accident occurred opposite the brick holes, at Tervoe; a sudden squall caught us, and the boat went down under it; the boat did not upset—she went down; my brother and I were the only persons that got ashore; I swam ashore with my brother; I saw James Dooly struggling hard, at a distance—swimming towards the shore; I saw no more of him; and I saw none of the others; we were perfectly sober; we had drink; I had for myself two bottles of porter, but for the rest, to the best of my knowledge they had no more than a glass of whiskey each; I saw James Dooley take a glass of whiskey, and Thomas Martin take half a glass; Johnny Jones took nothing as he was a teetotaler; I believe they were all perfectly sober at the time of the accident; we remained an hour and half at Sod Island; it came on raining, and we remained in the cabin of the boat; it was squally, two, and we got under the lee of the island; it was rather squally, and we anchored there to get out of the squalls; it was not squally when we left it; we could not go up with the rain and the tide; I saw no drink to my knowledge at Sod Island. The Jury said they did not wish to ask the witness any question. To a Juror—The wind was S.W. when we went to Sod Island. We went into the North Channel. Mr. Henry Sikes sworn—I live in this city; I am brother of the last witness, Robert Sikes; we left Limerick about a quarter before nine o'clock, a.m., on Sunday, and went down to Sod Island, in my brother's yacht, who was also in company with me; there were also James Dooly, Thomas Martin, Thos. M'Namara, and John Jones; we sailed down to Sod Island; we cast anchor there for some time; I could not exactly say how long we were there; I could not say a quarter of an hour, or half an hour. Coroner—Were you there five minutes?—We were there five minutes. Witness—I had no watch; I can't tell; I will say half an hour; we had something to eat there; I had a bottle of porter; I did not see the deceased James Dooley, or Thomas Martin take any liquor while there; I was down in the cabin; after the half hour we made up again for Limerick; while beating through the hole, about Tervoe, all went right until we came there a sudden squall came on there and upset the boat; after the upset of the boat I saw Thomas Martin on the boat, and I saw James Dooley swimming after me towards the shore; Martin was on the deck of the boat just as she was going down; the boat went down by the stern; she filled with water; I jumped off the stern as she was going down; I saw nothing more; when I went ashore on the mud I just saw James Dooley, but he disappeared almost immediately after. I am prepared to say that those men who were drowned were perfectly sober at the time—perfectly. Coroner—It is a very pleasant thing to hear that those men were perfectly sober—they met so awful an end. Juror—We have nothing to ask Mr. Sykes; it was all an accident. Coroner—What sort of people were those men? Witness—James Dooley was a painter by trade; I knew him three years; Thomas Martin was in care of my brother's yacht; he was a sailor—a pilot; not a licensed pilot; he was in charge of the boat for the last two years; Jones was a licensed pilot, and M'Namara was a porter in Mr Nolan's shop. John Martin sworn—The deceased is an uncle's son of mine; I live in the city; at the Wind Mill; I am a pilot; I found the body on the mud; I went in search of it; the body I found was Thomas Martin; it was lying on the slob when I found it; I did not find the other body; I found it near Tervoe, at Cooper Hill; it was lying on its face and hands; no marks on it. A Juror (Christopher Farrell) said it was he that found the other body. The juror was sworn—I am a fisherman on the Strand; I went in search of the body last night, and I found James Dooly about half past twelve o'clock at night in the mud overright Tervoe; Dooly's body was lying on his face and hands without marks; the deceased was about 28 years of age. The Coroner said that it appeared that this was an accident—a dreadful accident, indeed; but they had the evidence of those two respectable young men that the deceased were sober, and this was a most gratifying fact. Christopher Farrell (the juror)—What made me make the remark was, that Dooly was a cousin of mine, and Mr. Sikes last night accurately described where they were lost, and finding the body proved the truth of his statement. The jury then returned the following verdict:—"We find that the deceased were accidentally drowned in the river Shannon, on Sunday, the 25th instant, by the upsetting of Mr. Robert Sikes's boat, which was caused by a sudden squall of wind." The proceedings then terminated.

The Sisters of the 'Good Shepherd' acknowledge the receipt of 2l. from the very Rev. Dr. Braban, P.P. of Newcastle, and 1l. from the Rev. P. Quaid, P.P. of Callaghan's Mills, towards the Bazaar. The Roman Catholic Parishioners of Tralee have presented their worthy curate, not twelve months in the Parish, with a Purse containing 50 sovereigns. The parish Priests of the diocese of Kerry under the very Rev. Robert Cooke, Provincial of the oblates made, this year, their annual retreat in the railway hotel, and on Monday the curates commenced their retreat in the same locale. The Roman Catholic young men's society in Dun-garvan have engaged the celebrated and popular lecturer, Mr. Parsons, to deliver a course of lectures in that town, from the proceeds of which assisted by a donation from the Duke of Devonshire, and subscriptions from the towns people, they hope to build a Town Hall. The four R. C. Archbishops with two suffragans from each province, met on yesterday in Dublin, to devise means conducive to the future efficiency of the Catholic University.

The Mayor, with Henry Watson, Thomas Boyse, R. M'Mahon, Wm. Johnston, and P G Barron, R.M., presided in the City Police Court this morning. Three girls of the pace, and who, being barefoot, were, it seems, providing some little articles of comfort against winter, stood charged with stealing a number of stockings from a gentleman's bleach at Victoria Terrace; the man of many stockings did not appear, the nymphs were discharged, and the police got the fruits of their industry; two French sailors and a half dozen of Paphian lasses, were charged with singing, dancing, and capering in the streets at a late hour last night; the captain attended on the part of his men, and paid 10s and costs on their account; Michael Sandes and Wm. White, of the 3rd Buffs, were sent to jail, the former for three days, and the latter for 7 days, for assaulting a watchman. Mr Lynch applied on the part of Mary Cushen, who was charged with robbing Mr Hanrahan, the Dublin traveller, to have the money taken from her restored to her; Alderman Watson objected; there was no doubt a robbery had been committed; money was found on the person charged; the person robbed wanted to get the money without prosecuting, but that could not be done; a felony could not be compromised; and as Mr Hanrahan had thought proper to go to Dublin, a letter should be written to the magistrates, asking them to compel, if they could, Mr Hanrahan to attend here; Mr Cruise charged two lace sellers with annoying his establishment; they were fined 1s each, and the police were instructed to arrest all those who would trespass in this way again.

IMPORTANT DECISION.—At the last petty sessions of Birr, Mr J T Hill, sub-inspector, read a communication from Mr Lawson, Q.C., the law adviser to the crown, in reference to the employment of the police in executing warrants for the recovery of poor rates. The law adviser is of opinion that, unless violence is apprehended the police should not interfere in such cases, and that in case of their executing such warrants it is a question whether the rate collector is entitled to the poundage. At the petty sessions held at Dunmore, Co Galway, the case of James Martin, Poor Law auditor, against Martin M'Donnell, Mal. Kearney, and Gerald Burke, guardians was again proceeded with. It was for the recovery of a sum of 20l. 0s 0d. the amount of a cheque signed by them in favour of the Rev. Mr M'Namara, acting chaplain to the workhouse. The Magistrates on the bench were Wm. Downes Griffith, John J. Bodkin, J. F. Butler, and Walter Burke Esqs., a great body of evidence was gone into, but after a patient hearing the magistrates were divided in opinion, and there was no decision arrived at, and the case remains for a third hearing. The central Kerry farming society is in its last stage of existence and will go off unless sustained by subscriptions. The Earl of Listowel has subscribed to the North Kerry farming society. At Kilorglin Petty Sessions several butchers who sold meat on Sundays were cautioned against a repetition of the offence as fines will be imposed for a violation of the law relating to the Sabbath. Would it not be well if those who employ the people about the country could enable them to make their marketing

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