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THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE

THURSDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 22, 1863.

The rumour of the intended resignation of Sir Robert Peel as Chief Secretary for Ireland had no foundation. The Right Hon. Baronet is engaged in the duties of his office at Dublin Castle.

We are glad to state that Lord Inchiquin, of Dro-molad Castle, has been elected a representative Peer in room of the late Lord Downes.

The title to the new Peerage assumed by Sir William Somerville is Delvin, not Colville.

CITY POLICE COURT.—The justices who presided yesterday morning were—J. T. MacSheehy, Wm. Johnstone, J. O'Shaughnessy, M.D., and E. J. Collins, (B.M.), Esqrs., but no case of any importance was brought before the bench, except that of a man named Dwyer, who was fined 1s. and costs for the strange offence of removing dirt off the street.

John Thomas MacSheehy, and E. J. Collins, (R.M) Esqrs., presided this morning in the City Police Court, but had only a few cases of drunkenness to dispose of, after which the Court adjourned.

COUNTY LIMERICK PETTY SESSIONS.—At these Sessions to-day, D. M. Maunsell, Esq. presided. The other Magistrate present were John W. Mahony, Henry Maunsell, John E. Delmege, M. R. Ryan, John C. Delmege, and E. J. Collins, R.M., Esqrs. Patt Hayes, and Edward Ryan were fined in light penalties and costs for having illegal weights. Michael Crowe was fined 2s 6d. for being drunk.—John Leonard was fined 2s 6d. and costs for assaulting Thomas Quinlan, and the Constabulary prosecuted a few persons for various breaches of the road act; the defendants were fined small sums with costs. There were a few publicans' certificates for renewal of licences granted and signed. After disposing of some other business of no public importance the Court then adjourned.

We are glad to announce that Master Christopher William Keays, eldest son of our fellow-citizen Robt. Keays, Esq., T.C., and one of the pupils of Mr. L. B. Switzer, Henry-street, has just passed his matriculation examination at the Queen's University, Cork, after two days answering, in a most satisfactory manner, reflecting credit on Mr. Switzer, the success of whose pupils in such cases has been without parallel.

NEW MUSIC ACADEMY.—At the present the announcement of the opening of a new Musical Academy in this City will be received with much gratification by the nobility and gentry, as well as by the citizens of Limerick generally, so favourable to the cultivation of so charming and requisite a science. In this instance we refer to the advertisement of Messieurs F. P., and L. De Prins, formerly pupils of the Royal Conservatory, Brussels, who are also to have the aid of Madame De Prins, of Paris, and whose professional acquirements are of a very high order. The central position of the Academy, 58, George-street renders it exceedingly convenient to the aristocracy, and from the well merited repute of the principals we doubt not they will receive that patronage their deserts deserve. Monsiur L. De Prins is well known to the musical world, in several parts of England, where he has given concerts, with unprecedented success, and to the entire satisfaction of the leading professors of the day. His compositions have been pronounced of the highest order.

The steamship AMERICA, from New-York on Thursday instant, arrived at Southampton this morning. News anticipated.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

(From the Daily News.)

The demand for money has subsided, and the supply has increased. Good bills were yesterday more readily paid at 3½ per cent. The Contre-lettre loan was not influenced by the later news via Londonderry.

LONDON FUNDS—THIS DAY.

OPENING PRICES.

Money	93 to 1
Account	93 1
Three	91 1

1 P.M. PRICES.

Money	93 to 1
Account	93 1
Three	91 1

2 15 P.M. PRICES.

Money	93 to 1
Account	93 1
Three	91 1

CLOSING PRICES.

Money	93 1
Account	93 1
Three	91 1

DUBLIN FUNDS.

Money	92
Account	ditto.
Three	91 1

LONDON PRODUCE MARKET.

Sugar, strong market, with many transactions; good demand for refined; low lumps, 47s 6d; coffee business limited at about previous prices, demand rather better; rice, several parcels sold at recent terms; saltpetre wanted for arrival, on spot, however, little done; tallow, slow sale; new P.Y.C., 44s to 44s 6d spot.

LONDON CATTLE MARKET.

Beasts, 1,060; cows, 85; sheep, 4,190; calves, 401; pigs, 210. Beef, 3s to 5s; mutton, do; veal, 3s 2d to 4s 8d. Dutch beasts, 83; ditto, sheep, 1980; ditto, calves, 315; trade generally rather slow, but prices rather about same as Monday; veal, a shade lower.

MANCHESTER CORN MARKET.

At this day's market dry samples of English new wheat were held for the currency of Thursday se'night, while damp parcels would have been parted with at less money, but only a very limited business transacted; good runs of foreign were saleable to a moderate extent at fully previous rates, but other kinds were neglected; flour was exceedingly difficult of sale, and most be quoted 6s to 1s per sack lower; oats and oatmeal firmer, but with, however, limited business doing; English new beans were 6d per qr. lower, while Egyptian, on the contrary, were rather dearer.

BIRMINGHAM CORN MARKET.

Fair supply of wheat from the farmers, which sold freely at last week's rates, and American held for more advance; barley and oats 6d to 1s per qr lower; beans and peas unaltered.

DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET.

The supply at this day's market was large, and the quality generally inferior; prices of top quality remain unchanged; inferior moved slowly under last week's quotations. Prime beef 60s per cwt; second class, 50s to 54s; coarses and inferior, 40s to 48s per cwt sinking offal; sheep also in large supply, and demand good for prime mutton; best widders 7d per lb; ewes and inferior, 6d to 6½d per lb sinking offal. Wool demand at 2s 3½d to 2s 4d per lb for mixed parcels.

CORK BUTTER MARKET.

Firsts, 103s; seconds, 97s; thirds, 89s; fourths, 85s; fifths, 66s; sixths, 45s. Mild Cured—Firsts, 106s; seconds, 99s; thirds, 89s. 1,850 in market.

QUEENSTOWN SHIPPING.

Wind, S., thick.

Arrived—Canada, from Quebec, for Cork; Mary and Martha, Ibrail; Village Pride, Marseilles; Janius, Sulina; Sei Figlia, Odessa, Prospensius, Sulina; Hecla, s. Liverpool for New-York, and proceeded; City of Manchester, s. New-York for Liverpool, and proceeded.

The melancholy accident which happened to Mr. Molloy the horse trainer, and the particulars of which we recorded in last Saturday evening's CHRONICLE, and alluded to in our publication of Tuesday, has resulted in death. The poor sufferer succumbed on yesterday evening at 6 o'clock, and was buried this evening, attended by his relatives and a large concourse of friends. Several shops throughout the city to-day had shutters up as a token of respect for the deceased.

last bill I paid was, I think, 6s. 1½d.

Court—I see here a credit of 15s. entered as paid by Mr. Grubb's servant.

Mr. Grubb—I never paid that 15s., nor did I authorise it to be paid. I know nothing about it.

Mr. Murphy here handed in several receipted bills for milk, paid for by his client.

Court—I ought to have the servant-maid here.

Mr. O'Donnell—I can't have her here, but I will call upon a Mrs. Toole, who formerly lived as servant with Mr. Grubb, and she will prove that she got whiskey from the plaintiff by the defendant's orders.

Mr. Grubb—She did not live with me those six years.

Mrs. Toole, on being sworn and examined by Mr. O'Donnell, said that it was over five years since she lived with Mr. Grubb, but she recollected that she went for a little spirits, and ale to the plaintiff's, for Mr. Grubb; but if she did, she then and there paid for them.

Court—I would not be safe in pronouncing a decree against the defendant without the evidence of the servant-maid Travers, and I will therefore dismiss this civil bill on the merits.

MEDICAL FEES.

Cahalan v. Wm. Glynn.

Mr. Cleary, on the part of the plaintiff, who is medical officer of the Caherconlish dispensary district, said that this was a civil bill to recover from the defendant the sum of £4, due to the plaintiff for professional attendance on the defendant's wife.

The doctor was examined, and stated that he was called on by the defendant to attend his wife, who was ill of fever, and that he did so, and paid her eight or ten visits, until she finally recovered. The defendant offered him £1, which he refused to take.

Mr. O'Grady cross-examined the learned doctor, in order to show that he had often fever patients in the defendant's neighbourhood whom he was bound to attend on dispensary tickets, and that when visiting them he used to drop in to see Mrs. Glynn. The doctor admitted all this to be the fact, but contended that being called in to attend a fever patient he was bound to continue his visits until either of two circumstances occurred, namely, discharge from attendance by the husband, or the recovery of his patient.

The defendant deposed that he called on the doctor to attend his wife, but conceived that two visits were enough, and for these he offered to pay a £, but the doctor refused to accept the fee, insisting upon £4 to which he (defendant) did not think he was entitled, as the last time he visited his patient she was on her legs attending to her business about the house.

The Court held that the doctor was entitled to his fees. If the defendant did not want the visits of the doctor he ought to have told him so. It was no excuse against a just demand to say that the doctor had other patients in the neighbourhood, for it was the duty of a doctor, once called in, not to cease his visits until he saw they were no longer necessary. A decree should, therefore, issue for £3 with costs.

Thomas Clarke v. Thomas Kane.

This was an action for the recovery of £3 cash paid on account of the defendant, and for a further sum of £2 cash lent. The defendant pleaded that the £3 was a joint concern, and that the £2 was expended by the plaintiff himself in defraying the funeral expenses of their mother-in-law.

The plaintiff on being examined stated that the £3 was paid to Mr. Lynch, the solicitor, to defend the defendant at Casteconnell petty sessions from a charge of making illicit whiskey, and which defence was successful although malt and burned beer were found on his premises. On being cross-examined by Mr. Lynch he admitted that he, himself, had a hand in making the potteen, but denied that the material or any part thereof for its manufacture were his property. The £2 he deposed were positively lent, and his wife corroborated his evidence.

The defendant deposed that the plaintiff's wife laid out the £2 with him to buy funeral and waking materials for her own mother, and that he contributed 7s. 6d. additional for her mother as a decent woman, and did not leave the lotkes of herself behind her.

The Court gave a decree for the £2 cash lent, but dismissed the bill as to the £3 lent to defend the smuggling transaction, as it was a joint concern.

HOW TO KEEP ACCOUNTS.

Thomas Donohue v. James Hayes.

This was a civil bill to recover a debt due by the defendant for goods, whiskey, and porter, sold and delivered to him in 1860. The defendant denied the debt in toto.

The plaintiff was examined to establish his claim, but on being cross-examined by Mr. O'Donnell he stated that it was the defendant's daughter who bought the goods, and that he entered them in his day book against her, but when he came to charge