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STOP PRESS.

LIMERICK CHRONICLE Office, 8 p.m.
WATERLOO PETITION.
(BY SPECIAL TELEGRAM)
The question is declared duly elected. The question yet to be decided.

Mr. Tait, D.L., and Mr. Ambrose Hall have in, the former as High Sheriff, and the latter as Sub-Sheriff of the city of Limerick. The Sheriff has appointed Mr. Doyle, sol., returning

Next page will be read a farewell address of the prisoners of Raymochy, co. Donegal, to the late Mr. Gould, and his reply. They require a report from us, for they in the strongest terms the real pastor is appreciated and beloved by whom he has ministered with an unselfish reply of the Venerable Archdeacon is a piece of composition, not less for the simple of the language it contains as the modest which pervades it. We to inform our readers that the accom- Miss Holt, will take her benefit at the Royal on Thursday evening, and we anticipate that occasion a crowded house. A storm raged over Limerick yesterday, and ended with great fierceness all last night.

UNIVERSITY INTELLIGENCE.

TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN—HILARY TERM.
Scholarship Prizes—Junior Freshman Class.—Hill, *Weir, W. M., Hunter, Kaufman.
—Honor Examination—Junior Freshman Class.—First Rank—Byrne, James; Richardson, Benson, Ralph; Abelschauer, John G.; Christopher. Second Rank—Pim, William; William M.; Dunne, M., Hamilton, Edwin, Cotter, Florence; Salmon, George M.; Dean, Samuel P.; Ellis, William D.; Dean, M.; Casement, Rodger, equal; Erskine, John. Appears from the above list that the son of Weir, Esq., A. M. Proprietor of the College Academy in this city, has obtained 3rd scholastic prize—and 2nd of the second rank in Science. He has also, we understand, a high honor in classis, but the list of honors is not yet published.

The recent competitive examinations at St. Vincent's College, Master Hugh, son of the Rev. Dr. Maguire, Rector of Killeedy, greatly distinguished himself, having taken the senior scholarship, of 5 guineas per annum, for four years. This gentleman was prepared for the above examination by Mr. Lorenzo B. Switzer, of the Villiers School, Henry-street.

banquet annually given by the Lord Mayor of Dublin to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, inaugurated the civic year, took place last evening in the King's Room, at the Mansion House. The occasion was distinguished from its predecessors by the presence of her Excellency, Countess Spencer, and a large number of ladies. Amongst those who sat at the head table, along with their Excellencies the Lord and Countess Spencer, were Cardinal Cullen; Mr. Tait, D.L., and Lady Tait; Alderman and Mr. Joynt; the Right Hon. Sir Colman O'Loghlin, Judge Advocate General; and the Hon. J. P. Maguire, the Solicitor General and Mrs. Barry. The ceremony in responding to the toast of his health was the usual statistics in proof of the prosperity of the country, but his reference to the Irish Church must be accepted with that reservation which is self placed on them. "It would," he said, "be most improper for him to touch on that subject, or to attempt to shadow forth what her Majesty's Government would do" with regard to it. However, "he felt sure that they were prepared to meet the question generously, yet with impartiality." This repetition of Mr. Gladstone's formula, however, must be taken only for what it is worth. Any value can be attached to these phrases, and their practical application should be strictly defined.

placed over some paper saturated with oil; Mr Hall gave a description of the premises, he said that the prisoner's house, Meskell's next door, O'Connell's on the Mall, and the store at the rear formed one large block of buildings; and between Mr. Kearney's pawn office and the prisoner's house a narrow lane runs; at the rear of the stores attached to prisoner's house there are other inhabited houses on the Mall. To Mr Doyle—O'Connell has a shop on Lock-quay, but he could not say if any one lived there.

Mr James M'Mahon was examined—He said he was Clerk to Mr Murphy, agent for the Sun Insurance office; he produced an entry in the office book of an insurance effected on the property in his house for £1,000, which was effected in October, '67; that policy was allowed to lapse, but the prisoner renewed the insurance in November last, the shop goods for £700, and the furniture for £300; there was no insurance on the house.

To Mr Doyle—The prisoner has an insurance for £300 for a place in Scariff, but the Limerick house was not insured to witness's knowledge; it was at his solicitation the prisoner renewed the insurance last November.

Mr Kenny proposed to re-call Mr Cox, and ask him if he examined a table in the drawing-room.

Mr Doyle objected to the question on the ground that if illegal it might be prejudicial ultimately to the prisoner.

The Bench decided on allowing the question to be put. Mr. Kenny to Mr. Cox—Was your attention called to the table in the room.

Mr. Cox—I don't think it was.

Mr. Belshaw, a clerk in the office of Messrs. Robt. Hunt & Son, was also examined. He said he went to the place on Saturday morning to inspect it, and give a report to the company, which the Messrs. Hunt, represented in Limerick, the North British Mercantile Insurance Co., and asked leave of the police to allow him to examine the place, and they gave him permission. He then gave general evidence in corroboration of that already given, and published, that he had seen traces of fire all over the house, and in the drawing-room a mahogany cabinet quite singed with the veneering burnt off; and in another room he saw a child's cradle with the straw in it saturated with paraffin oil.

Mr. Moriarty asked Mr. Belshaw if he examined the furniture, and valued what he saw there, and he said he did not.

To Mr. Doyle—Is not an auctioneer, or valuator, or a cabinet-maker. Took a memorandum of what I saw, but it contains no valuation of furniture or stock.

Alderman Mahony—Could you give an opinion as to the value of the furniture?

Witness—I could.

Mr. Moriarty asked the witness what was in his opinion the value of the furniture he saw in the house.

Mr. Doyle objected to the question being answered.

Mr. Moriarty said the Court should get evidence of the quantity of furniture in the house, or its value.

It was plain that if the man had £1,000 worth of property in the house there would be no desire on his part to burn the premises; if only worth £100 it would be different.

Mr. Doyle asked if in the 19th century they were to obtain evidence against his client on hypotheses of that kind?

Mr. Moriarty replied not at all, but it was legal evidence which could not be withheld.

After a little discussion the Chairman said the Bench were unanimous in allowing the question to be put.

Mr Moriarty to witness—To the best of your opinion what was the value of the furniture you saw in the house?

Witness—Not more than about £30; I saw three stock casks in the shop—one of them with a small quantity of whiskey in it, the others were empty; could find no other spirits in the shop; saw about nine apparently half ale or porter barrels; one of them empty, but he could not say what the others contained; there was a hogshead half full of sugar, and a barrel of bottle wine, or a wine barrel containing corked bottles, such as wholesale merchants send to retailers, but he could not state what they contained, or whether full or empty; would not like to give a valuation of the contents of the shop, as he could not say what the half barrels or the wine cask contained, and there may have been brandy there for what he knew.

Mr Doyle cross examined the witness as to what he knew in the valuation of property, and he said a half barrel of porter was worth 3s (a laugh).

Mr Doyle—After that you may go down.

Mr Connell, who lives on Sir Harry's-mall, was examined, and he gave evidence to the effect that three families occupy apartments in his daughter's

of 10s per head. Mr Tom M'Donnell, Scart House, sold 42 to Mr Tuomy, Cork, for £3 each; Mr Royce's steward sold 20 at £2 6s each; the Messrs Russell's steward sold 50 ewes to Mr Murphy, Cork, at £2 13s each; Mr Bright, Newcastle, sold 64 to Mr O'Connell, Cork, for £2 8s each; Mr Timothy Sullivan, Knockderry, sold 50 to Mr Thony, Cork, at £2 4s each; Messrs Russell's steward sold 50 widders to Mr Hannan, Charleville, at £3 2s each. Mostly all lots on sale were sold to great advantage from last fairs.

The pig market last Saturday was well supplied, the usual buyers from Limerick and Waterford attended, but in consequence of the great expectation sellers had to get higher prices than buyers could afford; buying was slack during the morning, when the day advanced sellers gave way; buying commenced brisk, and most of the lots on sale were bought up at the rate of £3 per cwt., 150 were sent by train to Limerick and Waterford.

The horse fair was well supplied with strong carriage and working horses, and with numerous good colts, but in consequence of strange buyers not attending sale was dull, the few which changed owners were confined to local buyers and spring work. Mr. Martin Heenihan, Limerick, bought a few good working horses.

CORK BUTTER MARKET.

	ORDINARY.		MILD CURED.	
	145s	142s	147s	144s
First quality, ...	145s	142s	147s	144s
Second quality, ...	145s	142s	147s	144s
Third quality, ...	127s	124s	140s	137s
Fourth quality, ...	112s	109s	—	—
Fifth quality, ...	97s	94s	—	—
Sixth quality, ...	—	—	—	—

3rds, 4ths, 5ths, and 6ths of Kegs, 4s. per cwt. less.
Currency—Ordinary Butter, 10s per cwt. less.
Mild-cured 0s do.
Sponged Butter ... 2s do. do.
Repacked and Dairies — 00
1sts, 2nds, 3rds, 4ths, 5ths, 6ths.
Feb '8 - 0 4 94 51 1 0—150 firkins.
Mild-cured—0 1 2 0 0 0—3 do.

CORK CORN MARKET.

Black oats, 8s 0d to 8s 4d; white oats, 8s 5d to 9s 4d; tawny oats, 0s 0d to 0d 0d; bere, 0s 0d to 0s 0d; white wheat, 00s 0d to 00s 0d; red, 00s 0d to 00s 0d; barley 0s 0d to 0s 0d.

BIRTHS

At Rathfriland, the wife of J. M. O'Clenehan, Esq., J.P., of a daughter.
At Kingstown, the wife of Frederick Wise, Esq., late 6th Dragoons, of a daughter.
At Middle Gardiner-street, Dublin, the wife of James S. Hawkins, Esq., of a son.
At Coolamona Park, Cloughjordan, the wife of Edward Kennedy, Esq., of a daughter.
At The Parade, Kilkenny, the wife of W. S. Jeffares, Esq., agent of the Bank of Ireland in that city, of a son.
At Lisle, Courtmacsherry, the wife of Mr. Heber Coghlan, of a son.
At Albert-gate, London, the Countess of Feversham, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES

On the 6th inst., at St. Ann's Church, Cork, by the Rev. Mr. Mangan, Florence O'Connell, Esq., of Hill View, Newcastle West, to Prudence, third daughter of the late Edward Hodges Goggin, Esq., of Burton Hill.
On the 8th inst., at the Church of St. Peter and Paul, Cork, Thomas Hewitt, Esq., M.D., of Tipperary, to Margaret, daughter of Thomas Meloney, Esq., of Spring Lodge, county Limerick.
On the 8th inst., at Ennis Church, by the Ven. Archdeacon of Kilfenora, the Rev. S. L. Breakey, rector of Magheracross, diocese of Clogher, to Frances Mand, youngest daughter of the late John Crowe, Esq., Captain 93rd Highlanders, and granddaughter of the late Thomas Crowe, Esq., D.L., of The Abbey, Ennis.
On the 6th inst., at Carregarra, Catholic Church, by the Rev. Mr. Smyth, C.C., Anthony J. O'Dwyer, Esq., of Anagh, to Honoria, only surviving daughter of the late James Kelly, Esq., of Lodge, Six-mile-Bridge, co. Clare.
At St. Mary's Church, Nenagh, James A. Going, Esq., V.S., of Abbey House, Nenagh, third son of James Going, Esq., M.D., of Mount Harden, Mullinahone, to Sarah, second daughter of the late Gabriel Prior, Esq., of Nenagh.

DEATHS

This morning, at his residence, Mungret-street, in this city, after a long and painful illness, which he bore with patience and Christian fortitude, Mr. William D. Wilkinson, deeply regretted by his many friends and a large circle of acquaintances.
On the 6th inst., at Adare, Helen, aged 12 years, daughter of Gerald Doherty, Esq.
At Oldtown, Templemore, co. Tipperary, John Bennett, Esq.
At Upper Johnson-street, Clonmel, Catherine, daughter of the late Dr. Greene, of Powerstown.
At Ballyhamlet, co. Waterford, James Parker, Esq.
At Cloheen House, Freeman Crofts, Esq., J.P., eldest son of the late Rev. Freeman Willis Crofts, of Churchtown, co. Cork.
At Wellington-road, Dublin, John Eyre, Esq., J.P., of Eyre-court, co. Galway.
At Lauerstown, the Rev. John M. O'Brien.
At Market-square, Kiltush, Mr. Edward O'Brien.
At Herbert-place, Dublin, George P. Mulvany, Esq., R.H.A., Director of the National Gallery of Ireland.

Decree, I having ... and you having ... in Court, and ... sum. I have to the not pressing this ... apologise and to ... caused you any ... to pay you all costs ... expenses of publish

Signed in presence of SAMUEL ... The Reverend Jo

JOHN FRANCO
"AMERICA IN ... Will ... On THURSD

Front Seats, Back Seats ... N.B. Members Maguire at Dinner Next, will please WARD'S HOTEL, instant.

Feb. 6.

ELMES ... Add ... Per ... A Friend ... Per

John Neiland (2nd Feb 9

Limerick and

NOTICE is her Yearly Gen this Company will Limerick, on Sat inst., at the house Directors' Report Company, for the last, to elect Direc the other Ordinary The Transfer Be from the 20th to, 1869.

Limerick, 9th

I HEREBY Credit to my Margaret Henne will not be accom Dated this 8th Feb 9.

IN A C RESPECT understand Pastry, and Gen a small Dairy; the Established C Address to R

BY a retired Irish Con Foreman, or Ma is accustomed to satisfactory testi Apply to "X