

## ASSISTANTS' ASSOCIATION.

Meeting of the above Society, held in Henry street, the President, Mr M P their, several assistants having been present, the following resolution was proposed, seconded by Mr Ranchan, and unanimously:—Resolved—“That we the Limerick Grocers' Assistants' Association, pledged ourselves, by the 6th rule of our bye-laws, to aid and assist by every means in our power, any member out of employment, provided that such member will be subject to the strictest conditions of such; do hereby request every employer who wants an assistant to apply to the Secretary of the Association, and we do hereby request that the preference of such situation be given to members only.”

We expect that the few grocers who might be seen by the Mayor, will not be a cause of preventing filling their engagement. They are of the grocers are too honourable to do so, and they hope to see the business done to 8 p m, generally adopted on instant.

Transactions connected with the Society, completed, the meeting adjourned.

## THE MINISTRY.

(“Daily News” of yesterday).

and that the following important resolutions have been made in Her Majesty's Government:—Lord Ripon and Mr Childers, who have long been anxious, on account of their advanced age, to retire from office, have taken advantage of the opportunity afforded by the end of the session to resign their offices. Lord Ripon will be succeeded in the Council by Mr. Bruce, who has been appointed to the office of peerage, and Mr. Childers will be succeeded in the Chancellorship of the Duchy of Lancaster by Mr. Bright. The latter change will have effect for some weeks. Mr Bruce will be succeeded at the Home Office by Mr. Gladstone, who will hold the office of the Exchequer together with that of the Treasury. Mr Dobson will be succeeded as Financial Secretary to the Treasury in consequence of the extra work thrown upon his office by the commencing of the offices of the First Lord and Chancellor of the Exchequer, who will be assisted by Lord Randolph Churchill, who will join the Treasury in the position superior to that of the Financial Secretary. Mr Arthur Peel has accepted the position of Parliamentary Secretary to the Treasury, and his services will be recognized by the Government as a not unimportant post. Mr. Green has been asked to succeed him in the position of the Treasury. A few other changes are in contemplation.

**DISPOSABLE BUTTER MARKET.**

This day (6th August instant) 602 firkins were sold at prices from £3 8s to £3 10s, and in a few cases £3 12s per firkin was paid. Mr James Carmody bought 194; John Egan, 110; Mr McKnight, 79; Mr Hogan, 78; Mr Howard, 73; D Dwyer, 24; A Buyer, 24; William Moore, 20; total, 604.—

## NEWCASTLE WEST BUTTER MARKET.

At Thursday's market there were 1128 firkins of butter presented for sale, this number being in excess of that in market the corresponding day last season, by 482 firkins. The highest prices given were 96s 6d for 3 qrs (mild), and 71s for 3 qrs (ordinary), with 1s 10d for every additional lb in the firkin, and which price were obtained by Messrs G L Sheehy, McCoy, L J Curtin, J Noonan and several others. The usual buyers were in attendance from Limerick, Tipperary, Kilmallock and Tralee; they bought up very quickly, and the entire quantity in market disappeared with the train at an early hour.—Con.

## TARBERT BUTTER MARKET.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT).

**TUESDAY, 5th AUGUST.**—There was a larger attendance of merchants to day than for the past three weeks, and notwithstanding the fair in the neighbouring town of Glin, and this being the pig fair day in Listowel, there was a good supply of butter in market, which was quickly bought up at prices ranging from 76s to 79s 6d, not more than a dozen firkins having left the market unsold. Mr D Ryan bought the largest number, Mr Slattery and Mr Longbottom being the next largest purchasers. The butter brought into Tarbert market is of superior quality and cannot be exceeded in any other market in Ireland. A large attendance of buyers and a considerable increase in the supply of butter are expected on the next market day, viz: next Tuesday, 12th inst.

## CORONER'S INQUEST.

An old woman, named Mary Neiland, was found dead in her bed on yesterday morning in Mary street. She was last seen alive at half past 10 o'clock the previous night in her room where she lived by herself. M J De Conoy, Esq., (sol.), City Coroner, and a respectable jury after inquiring into the circumstances found the deceased died from natural causes.

## ENNISTYMON WORKHOUSE.

THROUGH the courtesy of Mr Clancy, Master, we have been conducted through the various departments of this institution, and have to record our unreserved approval of the order and cleanliness everywhere observable throughout the entire of the establishment. The house in all its arrangements is a model of perfection, evidently well managed and reflects great credit on the officials who are in charge under the superintendence of the truly judicious and efficient Master.—CORRESPONDENT.

1—E. Eyres, 9 7  
3—D. Blue, 10 6

S.  
“Neptune Rowin White.”  
1—A. Carson, 10 3  
3—J. Baxter, 11 0

C: N  
“Commercial Rowin”  
1—B. Bloomfield, 11 6  
3—A. Lang, 11 6

G. O  
“Queen's College Red and Black.”  
1—F. Thompson, 9  
3—S. Cotton, 10 4

The race extension “way-House” to Wel what over two miles from buoys, to which held on by a line, at river. The signal bows of the steamer had places, was at moment the boats left the “Spitane Tower” was fired from the commencement of the spectators along the the very start. “After ready?” and the quarter the five light boats, dually for the north the calmest. The Neptune away, and, rowing a yards gained some, then getting gradually began to improve the even terms with the who were slowest in settle into a long even ter of a mile, and the petitors headed them. In this order all of rington's quay—a from home, which rick. Neptune, Sham College, following a thing like a length the boats by this time with water, and the working hard to clear in the next quarter several efforts for it, and began gradually following suit. The stroke gradually rec after disposing of the Neptune and Sham arrived within half settled into position race finished. The Neptune second, Sham tane fourth, and Boat Club won by