

... of the 18th October last he met the  
er; he was under the influence of liquor;  
me with me to my stall and asked me for  
e of a £5 note.

cross-examined.  
e constable proved the arrest.  
s closed the case for the Crown.  
Barrington—Is there a case, my lord, to go  
jury?  
Lordship—There is; but if I were the jury  
ld acquit the prisoner (loud laughter).  
e prisoner was then acquitted, and the Court  
rned to 10 o'clock on Monday morning.

### CLARE INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Ennis, Saturday Morning.

#### A FATAL ICE ACCIDENT.

Thursday night about six o'clock intelli-  
reached town of a fatal accident, through  
g on Ballyalla Lakes, having occurred,  
ing in the death of a young man named  
s Butler Irwin, son of the rector of Tempe-  
e, Moneymore, County Derry, a promising  
student, for four years pupil of Mr R H  
t, head master of the Erasmus Smith's  
ls in this town. While enjoying the skating  
r Irwin, being short sighted, slid along  
opening where a rivulet separated the solid  
and immediately went down, coming only  
to the surface. A young man named Griffin,  
ving the occurrence, plunged in after him  
rope which was on the surface for use in  
se of danger, but failed in his attempt to  
s, as the drowning youth had sunk 25 feet

Darkness setting in, a search to  
er the body was abandoned, but  
dy morning at seven o'clock, Mr  
e, County Inspector, with a number of the  
abulary, proceeded to the lake with the  
ary grapplings. After dragging over an  
the County Inspector, who held the  
lings, succeeded in drawing up, exactly in  
pot where he was seen to sink, the body of  
nfortunate sufferer, whose remains were  
liately conveyed to the Erasmus Smith  
ny to await an inquest.

seven o'clock this evening Coroner Frost  
ded the inquest on the body of Irwin, not  
arrived until half-past five. The verdict  
cidental death, with high testimony to the  
y Inspector for his exertions, and laudatory  
Griffin in having plunged into the water  
he unfortunate young man.

34 loads of turnips, 18s 10 20s & 20s.  
[BY TELEGRAPH.]  
CORK BUTTER MARKET.—(Saturday.)—(Ordinary—1sts  
140/; 2nds, 116/; 3rds 105/; 4ths 98/; 5ths, 84/; 6ths 00/  
Superline 000/—Fine Mild—1sts 142/; mild 122/; 2nds 00s.  
Kegs, 2nds, 2s over: 3rds & 4ths 4s under. Mild 6s under.  
Firkins in market 933.

### BIRTHS.

Stanhope—On the 10th inst, the Hon Mrs H Stanhope,  
Gasworth Rectory, of a daughter.  
Watson—On the 7th inst, at Courtenay-place, Teignmouth,  
the wife of Captain F Watson, 1st Battalion 11th Regt.  
of a daughter.  
Hope—On the 10th inst, at 9 Upper Rutland-street, Dub-  
lin, the wife of the Rev R J Hope, A M, R.D. Vicar of  
Drung, County of Cavan, of a son.

### MARRIAGES.

Fitzgerald and Hawley—On the 25th November, at St.  
Michael's Church, Paddington, London. Dr. Robert  
Fitzgerald, jun., eldest son of Dr Fitzgerald, of Altona,  
Bray, to Rosa Eva, only child of the late John Alfred  
Hawley, Esq., of Brenchly, Kent.  
Brooke and Byres—On the 9th inst, at St Michael's Chester  
square, by the Rev A Anson, Harry Vesey, late Captain  
92nd Highlanders, son of the late Sir Arthur Brinsley  
Brooke, Bart, to Patricia Byres, only daughter of James  
Gregory Moir Byres, Esq, of Tonley, Aberdeenshire.

### DEATHS.

Staunton—On the 11th inst., at No 4, Castle View, Garth  
Bangor, North Wales, in the 38th year of his age, T. T.  
Staunton, Esq, second son of the late Henry Conyn  
Staunton, of this city. R.I.P.  
Dezonche—On the 11th inst., at Richmond, Limerick,  
Rebecca Dezonche, aged 89 years.  
Kennedy—On Thursday, 11th inst, at his residence, 1,  
Wellesley Building, Daniel Kennedy, aged 73 years.  
Browne—On the 10th inst. at Armagh, accidentally drowned  
while skating, Charles Hawthorne Browne, the beloved  
second son of Major M Browne, Staff Officer of Pen-  
sioners, Dublin.

### ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Archdeacon of Limerick thankfully acknow... es £3 for  
the suffering poor from E.W.G.W.  
The Dean of Limerick acknowledges with tha. ks, £2 for  
the poor of his parish from E.W.G.W.  
The Committee of the Lying-in-Hospital, Ballford Row,  
gratefully acknowledge one ton of coals from his Worship  
the Mayor.  
Miss Dartnell, thankfully acknowledges the following  
sums for the Dorcas:—Mrs Armstrong, The Crescent, 5s;  
Mrs Hickson, Dublin, 5s; Miss S Russell, Upper Mallow-  
street, 2s 6d; A Friend, 2s; A Fr end, 5s.  
The Rev. J. F. Gregg thankfully acknowledges the follow-  
ing contributions for different charities:—The Dowager  
Lady Massy, £5; Mrs Ievers, £10; Col St Leger, £10;  
Lord Inchiquin, £2; Mr R O'Donnell, £1; Miss Armstrong  
£1; Mrs Hartigan, £1.  
Mrs Ward thankfully acknowledges the following contri-  
butions in aid of the Kilmurry Clothing Association:—  
Mrs Matterson, (Castle Troy House), 10s; Mr. Wm Gough  
Gubbins, (Castle Troy), 5s.

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