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meeting succeeds agitation nunciatory language uttered of the Land League assumes more force and defiant. It is as if the climax of boldness had, and the highest speed. The position of the leaders would appear to be similar driver of an express train who meets an obstacle in his course. Impossible, and the only chance in still more impetuous, neck and neck. At length the Government, to a tardy sense of its real position, grasped the lever, and the aim and its over confident leaders. Will the leaders and the leaders of the movement and they will slyly follow for policy sake, and fast the bullets and they will be consigned to one common fate. The active measures of the will undoubtedly be followed in ordinary fashion. It perceives, ought to perceive, that playing the very worst policy to adopt in a country. It was only on Friday the Government definitely decided on the prosecutions, and the names are to be rendered amenable to the law. It was only on Saturday that of the Land League took the work of preparing for the worst, regard as inevitable, namely, execution and possible imprisonment, that we are right in saying that has the Government taken of those names singled out for but that it has also before it a gentlemen holding commissions who have, directly or indirectly, identified themselves with the Parnellite cause. What wailing and gnashing of teeth we not witness throughout the history of our esteemed J.P.'s were to be a testimony of their patriotism by commitment into private life. This should prove a salutary lesson, and should prove efficacious for all future

Crocker have returned to the city, Crocker, and Kilkee.

We have been requested to state that Mr Thomas Boyse, J.P., was prevented attending Major Gavin's funeral on account of illness.

THE LAND COMMISSION OF ENQUIRY.

Yesterday, the Earl of Besborough, Mr Shaw, M.P., Mr A. Kavanagh, Baron Dowse, and The O'Connor Don, Land Commissioners, arrived at Cruise's Hotel, where they are holding their inquiry in private.

Mr McDonnell, the secretary to the Commission was engaged yesterday revising the names of all who desired to give evidence. Upwards of 50 farmers proffered their evidence, and a large number of country gentlemen, including Mr E. L. Hunt, Mr J. H. Weldon, J.P.; Mr W. U. Townsends, J.P.; Mr J. B. Hewson, J.P.; Lieut-Colonel Maunsell, J.P.; Mr J. S. Barry, J.P.; Mr J. Finucane, Mr M. Meehan, Mr James Dundon, and Rev. Dr. Meehan, P.P.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MAJOR GAVIN, D.L.

On yesterday morning the interment of the remains of this most respected and lamented gentleman, as well as a gallant soldier, took place in St. John's, in this city, where the family vault is situate. The funeral procession, which was one of the largest seen in Limerick for many years, and which so fitly showed the general regret for the demise of an old and esteemed citizen, left his residence, Kilpeacon House, at 7.30 a.m. The remains were enclosed in a shell, and the latter in a solid polished oak coffin, worked in the Gothic style, and richly mounted—the breastplate having the following inscription:—"Major George O'H. Gavin, born 1808, died October 22, 1880, R.I.P." The coffin was borne in a hearse drawn by two horses draped in mourning. The following Roman Catholic clergymen, wearing scarves and hatbands, walked in front of the procession on the arrival of the cortege at the city bounds:—Rev. D. Fitzgerald, P.P., St. Mary's; Rev. J. McCoy, Adm., St. John's; Rev. Mr. Dundon, Prior, Dominicans; Rev. Mr. Quin, P.P., Fedamore; Rev. Mr. O'Connor, P.P., Patrickswell; Rev. T. Brown, P.P., Crocora, in whose parish the deceased's property is situate. To give an adequate idea of the length of the line of carriages and other vehicles, it may be stated that when the head of the procession turned the head of William-street into Mulgrave-street the end of it was still in George-street, not far from the Crescent. The chief mourners were—Mr Montiford W. Gavin, 21st Hussars, son of deceased; Mr Dawson Westropp, J.P., Mellon, brother-in-law; Captain Hartigan, nephew; Mr James Shire, J.P., Cooilyhenan; and Mr T. Knight Roche, solicitor, Dublin. The funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs M'Carthy, of George-street. On arrival of the procession at St. John's Graveyard, the Rev. Mr. Quin, P.P., Fedamore, of whom deceased was a parishioner, read the burial service, assisted by the other clergymen in attendance, after which the coffin was conveyed to the family vault amid the regret of those who knew the deceased and admired him, as well as his relatives, who loved him in life.

transfer of her house to the applicant, who now applied for a renewal of the first licence by Miss Wilkinson, as he took £700 with into the premises from which Miss Wilkinson was evicted.

His Lordship said in point of fact the application was for a new licence. The magistrate at the time Miss Wilkinson was evicted considered that she had not being by any means frustrated by her relative, so that the question of equity being on the side of the applicant, out of the case altogether, and as an additional licensed public-house was not considered necessary in a village of 250 inhabitants having already public-houses, they refused the application.

Patrick Flynn, of Doon, applied for a new licence. Mr Barrington, B.L., instructed by Kenny, supported the application, and stated in reality it was a transfer, as the house had previously licensed, the transfer having refused to Mr Flynn on the plea that he was a money-lender, and it was not considered advisable that a public-house should be held by a money-lender, and he had since abandoned the money-lending business. Since 1876 the village had 12 markets established in the village.

His Honour—In point of fact, this is a renewal of an application repeatedly refused by the magistrates.

Sub-inspector Turner stated that there were already six public-houses in the village of a 200 inhabitants, and that another was not necessary. So the magistrates refused the application.

John O'Donnell applied, through Mr Black for a new licence for premises in Bruff. Mrs O'Donoghue applied for another licence in the same town; and Michael Raleigh applied, through Mr Connolly, for a new licence in the same town.

It would appear that in the first case, through O'Donnell's, he purchased the interest of Mrs Sheahan in premises in Bruff, which she received from a Mr Roche; but she left Bruff some time ago, after selling her licence to O'Donnell after she was evicted from the premises on £19 rent. After the eviction of Mrs Sheahan premises were rented to the applicant Raleigh, the landlord, on condition that he obtained a renewal of the licence held by Mrs Sheahan. The question was whether in equity the licence should be granted to O'Donnell or to Raleigh. In the case of Mrs O'Donoghue, she was the lady of premises held by a party from whom she had gone to America, and she applied for a renewal of the licence to her. The question along with the magistrates whether an additional public house was required in the town.

The Constable of Police there proved that there were formerly sixteen public-houses in Bruff, there are now fifteen; and it was proved by Roche, the landlord's wife, and Raleigh, the premises were to be surrendered, and he would get back the money he paid for the place. The licence was refused to him.

The Court decided on granting the licence to Raleigh—refused O'Donnell, and also that of Mrs O'Donoghue, as she was not going to carry on the business herself.

The following was also granted:—Daniel of Hospital, transfer, for whom Mr Ryan appeared.