

state that the annual open  
tion with the Methodist  
y.) be held on Tuesday  
oon, in the grounds of the  
rown open for the occa-  
raven. Addresses will be  
E. Wedgwood and E.

y School examination was  
parishes of Adare, Croom,  
y. The examiners were  
the Rev. Messrs. Dann,  
wd. At the conclusion of  
children were substantially  
ake, &c., kindly provided

unstable Wilson v Mr James  
was charged at the New-  
a report of which appears  
th having been drunk and  
bles Wilson and Martin,  
d 10s and costa for being  
d to be imprisoned for one  
on the constables.

al.—Trinity Sunday, 4th  
o'clock; Venite, Tallis in  
ett in F; Service, J. L.  
225; Communion Service,  
Rev. W. B. Greer. Even-  
t, Sir J. Goss in A minor,  
of 23rd Psalm; Service,  
anthen, "I looked and be-  
Stevenson; Hymn, 228;  
er.

of the Limerick Garrison  
ake place in the Theatre  
s of the 8th and 9th insts.  
d evening the comedy of  
will be played, concluding  
of *To Oblige Benson*; while  
ening the comic drama of  
wed by the *Rough Diamond*,  
the boards. Full bumpers  
are anticipated.

requested by the Rev. J. M.  
enry, to state that the com-  
rom our correspondent, and  
impression, with reference  
orses belonging to the Earl  
quite authentic. One of the  
eman informs us) died from  
n; the other, which is not  
jagged wound in the sid-  
harp stone, and got it pro-  
brough a plantation.

the Board of Guardians of the  
ld on Thursday, the follow-  
s unanimously adopted:—  
Board continue to entertain  
of the professional abilities  
Mr. John Scannell, C.E., and  
services in connection with  
of the town of Rathkeale-  
be Guardians, and, in addi-  
s been most successful in  
erecting several other very

ning occurred in the docks a  
young lad named Patrick  
years, having accidentally  
and sunk immediately. A  
ie his body was recovered,

Goodeve, proceeded to the King's Island and fired  
the usual number of rounds.

### DEATH OF MR. JOHN LONG, C.E.

This gentleman, so long identified with the improvements of our port and harbour, and the development of our local resources generally, passed out of life on the 31st ult., at his residence at Clapton, near London, to the deep regret of all who were acquainted with his public and private worth. In the year 1849 the works of the Limerick floating dock having been abandoned by a contractor, and great distress consequently prevailing among the working classes, which, it was apprehended, would lead to disturbance, Mr Long was specially brought from the superintendence of the Upper Shannon, and, by desire of the Government, undertook the construction of our floating dock, a work which under many difficulties he completed with much skill in about 4 years, it being opened for the reception of shipping in October 1853. But, singular to say, such services were requited only with neglect, and (his appointment at Limerick ceasing) Mr Long was informed that he had lost his position as a permanent officer of the Board of Works, and forfeited his claim to a pension under that department, which he would have had if he had refused to come to the aid of the Government in their difficulty four years previously. During his residence at this time in Limerick Mr Long conceived the idea that Limerick, from its central position and other capabilities ought to be the emporium of the south for cattle sales, and at his suggestion, in an able pamphlet, the late Sir Mathew Barrington, by desire of the County Grand Jury, promoted an Act of Parliament establishing the Great Munster Fair, which has ever since conferred such advantages on the agricultural interests of this district. After a few years' residence in Dublin, Mr. Long returned to Limerick in 1865 as engineer of the Harbour Board, and having rendered invaluable service in the scheme for reducing the debt of the port, showing by his calculations that the Government claim of £230,000 ought to stand only at £55,000, the Act was passed which remitted the large sum of £175,000, and placed our port since in its satisfactory financial state. Our fine Graving Dock was then undertaken on his plans and constructed under his immediate and diligent supervision for the unprecedentedly small sum of £20,000. Such a man deserves to be remembered in the locality on which he conferred such advantages, as well as to be regretted by those many friends in private life to whom his unobtrusive and gentle disposition endeared him. Mr. Long leaves a widow and two daughters, and had a small pension from the Harbour Commissioners, which has now expired. By a strange coincidence this announcement of his death appears on the same day as that of the sailing of the first direct steamer from the Shannon to America—a project which he so ably advocated for many years.

### DEATH OF THE MARQUIS CONYNNGHAM.

We regret to announce the death of the Marquis Conyngham, which occurred at the family house in Belgrave-square, London, between five and six o'clock last evening. The late Marquis had a relapse on Monday night, since which he had been gradually sinking. The deceased, George Henry Conyngham, Marquis Conyngham, Earl Conyngham of Mountcharles, Earl

and neighbouring parishes, in the  
and first classes:—

#### LIMERICK. THIRD CLASS.

First Rank—Ellie Talbot, Ja  
Amelia Vokes, and Jesse Hackney  
berta Irwin, and Mary Simons (S  
Lizzy Whyte (St. Munchin's); M.  
Rosa Munroe, and Jane Cawthor  
John O'Malley (St. Patrick's).

Second Rank—John Taylor  
Susan Goggin, Phoebe Kavanagh, M  
and Caroline Foster (Trinity); Jo  
terre, Isab. Buchanan, and Lizz  
Michael's); Margaret Studdert  
Studdert (Chapel Russell); Tilly  
Gore, Fanny Richford, M. Greed,  
and Sarah Sheehan (Trinity); Lil  
Jos. Short (St. John's); G. Conway  
Ernest Angley (St. Mary's); Wm. I  
O'Connor, C. Switzer, and Fred. M.  
John Gaydon, and T. Bartholemew  
Lizzie Whelan (St. Munchin's).

#### SECOND CLASS.

First Rank—Eck. Angley (St.  
Sykes, Rachel Martin, B. Sheehan  
Briscoe F. Mills, and C. Mills  
Musgrave (Cahirrarry), F. Des  
Hailes (St. Munchin's); C. Flint,  
nor, H. Sykes, R. Goggin, John R.

Second Rank—Gideon Griffith, M.  
Wm. Thornhill (St. Michael's); M  
Alice Hawkins, K. Talbot, J. Gre  
Robinson, and A. McInerney (Tri  
pard, and J. Hailes (St. Munchin's  
(St. Mary's); Lizzie Bishop, I  
McCarthy, and S. Mitchell (Tr  
Young, and Jane Miller (St. John'

#### FIRST CLASS.

First Rank—Thomas Coulter, W  
R. Eringey, M. Connors, A. Gort  
W. Guilfoyle, J. Hurley, J. Monr  
Thomas Gale, G. Higgins, Harry  
Thompson, C. J. Bentley, J. Hool  
ston, Florry Simmons, Katie Gore  
Colborne, A. Wilson, Katie Brise  
A. Dunne, J. Ormiston, P. O'Brien

Second Rank—Dick Hallor  
Pickford, J. Carey, D. Sym  
Maguire, C. Hummell, S. O'Dell, E.  
McCann, Alice McCann, C. Hackn  
M. J. Halloran, E. Clarke, C. Myle  
M. McCarthy, M. Harman, Alice  
Rose Gaynor, Lena Thornhill, I  
Wood, L. Sheehy, M. E. Brown, L  
Stewart, B. Wood, A. Morris, J. Sh  
F. Hewson, M. Gabbett, J. Leslie  
A. McCann, L. Lennox.

#### ADARE.

In continuation of the examina  
rick, the appointed examiners proc  
on yesterday June 2nd. There wa  
dance of children and young pe  
parishes of Croom, Clarinda, Ard  
Russell and Adare. The followi  
been sent to the Secretary:—

#### FIRST CLASS.

First Rank—Eva Maary (Croom  
and John Long (Ardanny); S  
Gertrude Switzer, John Doupe,  
Robert Hewson, Bella Heavehor,  
Emily Doherty (Adare).

Second Rank—Maud Phillips, L  
McClatobey, and Henry Doupe (

#### SECOND CLASS.