

upon the face of society, whom society would, doubtless, tion and every sacrifice. But to emigration scheme by taking se usefulness can be badly dis-ust be pronounced a movement ant cannot have the sanction of or reflecting mind.

l Russell, M B, A M D, has arrived t, from India.

Ievers, A M D, and Mrs Ievers, a Dublin, from England.

C Hickman, R A, has been pro-ak of Captain, vice W H Screll.

Grand Jury will be sworn in for s on Wednesday next, at two

Deverell, the Norfolk Regiment, his Majority, vice C H Shepherd, service as an Adjutant of the ces.

athly Catechising (children's ser- held (N.V.), as usual, to-morrow 3.30 p.m., in St. Michael's Church, er part of the Apostles' Creed.

perceived by advertisement that a be held at Tralee on Tuesday next, to encourage the fair, free stabling ed for all horses arriving the even-

meeting of the Bible Class in connec- Prot-stant Young Men's Associa- held on Monday evening next, com-ght o'clock. Subject—"Confession

call attention to the closing of all e run for at the Limerick Steeple- next, 6th inst., with Mr Bryan William-street.

again to call attention to the lecture J. C. Jennings on Thursday next, s a great attraction. The subject is, e interest all hearers, and will be e who is peculiarly fitted to do it

igation into the case of a young ed Dubh, charged with infanticide, day before Major Evanson, E.M, in -street Police Barrack. The accused rged in consequence of insufficient

been requested to call attention to isement which appears elsewhere that the annual general meeting of k Amateur Athletic and Bicycle Club l on Monday evening at the Fire che's-street.

l monthly meeting of the Rural Sanil was held to-day in the Council oun Hall—Mr E. B. Powell, J.P., in, Also present—Mr A. Harte, Mr T. r Madden, and Mr P. Knox. The posed of was routine.

t, the agent at Galway of the Messrs. arrived in this city for the purpose of arrangements for the shipment of and fifty female emigrants, who will "Austrian" from Galway on the 9th er the auspices of Mr Crawly, of ets, United States.

W. McCarthy, auctioneer, sold at his this day the interest in a small cot-wo acres of land held for 60 years \$11 per annum, and situate at the t, Ballinaourra. It was knocked down competition to Mr P. Ryan for £175 Messrs DeCourcy and O'Keefe had ge of sale.

7. McCarthy held his usual great fort- tle sale to-day at his paddocks. There tremely large attendance of buyers and rptions of cattle in demand. In-calf ched £20, dairy cows sold at £25. year-and-a-half-olds £12 12s. Every- e programme was cleared. The next vertized for the 17th March.

se abatement of the river floods the salmon in both the Upper and Lower has been very considerable, some nob- ng been taken both by net and bob- ur gentlemen anglers, have been met- uring the week, one well-known piscatorial sport having secured several one weighing considerably over thirty The price of salmon in the market o-and-sixpence per lb.

Listowel, stating that the goods engine on Thursday night stopped at that station, and could not proceed further in consequence of the want of a sufficient supply of water. The engine had to be sent to Tralee, a distance of twenty miles, to obtain the necessary water supply before the goods train could proceed on its journey. This supply of water has been promised by the North Kerry Directors at every joint committee meeting held since the formation of the line.

A special meeting of the Listowel Town Commissioners was convened on Wednesday to take into consideration a letter which had been received by the Town Clerk from the Local Government Board on the previous day, intimating that they had issued a Provisional order creating the Town of Listowel an urban sanitary district, and that as it would come before Parliament for confirmation before many days, it would be necessary for the Town Commissioners to procure the services of a Parliamentary Agent, who would appear on their behalf before the Examiners to show that the "Standing Orders" were complied with. Mr Gerald M'Elligot occupied the chair. The other members present were Messrs. D. Shine, P. Stack, J. Horgan, J. Stack, J. E. Troy, J. P. Enright, P. Hartnett. A resolution was unanimously adopted directing the clerk to communicate at once with Messrs. J. B. Batten & Co., Parliamentary Agents, Westminster, and retain their services in carrying through Parliament the Provisional Order.

THE PROTESTANT YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

The Re-union Committee secured one of their greatest triumphs on Thursday evening last! Several elements of success contributed to this satisfactory result. The programme was not too long. A long programme not only tries the performers too much, but wearies an audience, and even the sweetest cloy the appetite. Also *encores* were rigidly suppressed. We could never see the justice of demanding an *encore*. It is not fair to the performer to tax the lady or gentleman on the double because the performance pleases, and on the part of the audience it evinces gross selfishness. An audience ought to be content with the programme. Very often it is only the noise and uproar of those who appreciate music least, and who applaud through mere wantonness, which calls for a second effort from the musician. On Thursday the programme was adhered to, and the audience left at about half-past nine highly satisfied with the treat afforded them. The opening chorus, "Lady rise, sweet morn's awaking" was followed by Mr Metcalf's able recitation "Becalmed." Mr Whitton gave "The Powder Monkey" in excellent style, and his well-toned voice was never heard to better effect. The violin solo by Rev. Dr. Haydn, "Selections from Sonata," was a great treat, and Dr. Haydn exhibited his mastery over that difficult but most expressive of musical instruments. It was a performance which elicited the highest applause. "Alice where art thou" was given by Mr J. Hewson, and Mrs Stokes's rendering of "There is a fountain in the desert" was worthy of one of our most popular Limerick favourites. "Horace Greely's Ride," from Artemas Ward, was given by Dr. Haydn in a manner which brought out the ludicrous and convulsed the house with laughter. "She wandered down the mountain side," by Miss H. Longbottom, was sung with pathos and expression. The Orpheus Glee, "Lovely Night" was exceedingly well rendered, and was as pleasing a performance as one could hear anywhere. The performance on the bells of "Home, Sweet Home," added an additional charm to the evening, which closed earlier than usual. The re-union on Thursday night may be pronounced in every way a most pleasing and successful one, and doubtless the library will largely benefit by the proceeds.

OBITUARIES OF THE DOWAGER LADY MASSY.

The funeral of the above venerable lady took place this morning and was largely attended. Amongst those present we noticed Lord Massy, Lord Chancellor Law, Colonel Drew, Mr Langlois Lefroy, Mr J. Drew, chief mourners; and the following:—Hon. Hugh Massy, Sir David Roche, Mr J. Vanderkiste, General Fraser, Hon. M. Fraser, Colonel Maunsell, Captain Vanderkiste, Mr Robert Hunt, Colonel Howley, Lord Francis Osborne, Captain Mark Maunsell, Mr G. Gubbins, Mr J. V. de laune, Col. Vane, Mr J. Heffernan, Mr James Bauntman, Mr J. Enright, Mr J. Hunt, Mr F. French, Mr D. R. Rose, Mr J. Gabbett, Mr R. Russel, Mr A. Horgan, Mr C. Conry, Castletown Conyers, Mr M. Hanigan, Major Evanson, Dr Gelston, Dr Ryan, Mr J. Ryan, Newport; Mr M. E. Murphy, Bank

of Ireland; Mr J. Gabbett, Archdeacon Jacob, Dean Bunbury, Rev Mr Griffiths, Rev Mr Ward, Rev Mr French, Hon. H. S. J. Massy, Captain Drew, Mr John White, D.L.; Rev Mr Heffernan. The following sent their carriages:—Lord Massy, Mr G. Westropp, Mr Vanderkiste, Mrs Green, Mr Tinaly, Mr R. Hunt, Mr W. G. Gubbins, Mr E. Gabbett, Mr R. Russell, Mr W. Gabbett, Mr W. S. Cox, Mr Joseph Matterson, Mr Shaw, Mr Delmege, Major Evanson, Mrs Phelps, Rev Mr Ward, Mr Powell, Dr Gelston, Dr Ryan, Mr De Ros Rose, Mr Murray, Captain Mark Maunsell, Col. Howley, Rev Mr Heffernan, Mr J. Hannington, General Fraser, Rev Mr French. The remains were enclosed in a suite of coffins, the inner one of solid mahogany, upholstered and lined with satin, incased in lead, the outside a massive solid oak, polished, handsomely raised cover, and ornolu mountings and breastplate, bearing the following inscription:—Matilda Baresse Mussy, died Feb. 27th, 1883, aged 84 years. The funeral arrangements were conducted by Messrs. P. McCarthy, and Sons, 33 and 39, George-street.

GREAT MUNSTER FAIR COMMISSIONERS.

A general meeting of the Commissioners was held this afternoon at the office, No. 7, Glentworth-street. Sir David Roche, Bart., presided. The other Commissioners present were Mr John White, D.L., Alderman B. Phillips, J.P., Mr S. Hastings, J.P., and Captain Croker, D.L.

A deputation, consisting of Mr Robert Hunt, J.P., Mr James Harris, Mr Aloiswald Murray, jun., Mr John Bernal, and Mr G. Boyd from the Limerick Refreshment Rooms Company, having been introduced.

Mr Hunt, addressing the meeting, said that for some time past the Refreshment Rooms Company had established a tent at the Fair Green, where tea, coffee, &c., were sold, when fairs were held for the convenience of the people attending them; and for the purpose of preventing drivers of cattle and others from going into public houses. The object of the deputation in coming before the Commissioners was to ask them to erect a building on the Green, where people could go in and transact their business, pay money, and so forth, and also that the Refreshment Rooms Company should have the use of a compartment in the house, where tea and coffee could be sold. He need hardly say, if what the deputation suggested were done, it would prove a great convenience to the public.

The Chairman said he entirely endorsed the views of the deputation so clearly put forward by Mr Hunt, but he regretted to say the Commissioners could not entertain the matter, which lay in the hands of the Grand Jury. He, however, suggested that the deputation should go before the Grand Jury and put the question before them.

Mr Hunt remarked if the house was erected it would be a great improvement to the fairs (hear, hear). At present people attending the fairs had no place to transact their business but in the open field. There was no shelter for them whatever.

Mr Harris thought it would be better if the Commissioners themselves suggested to the Grand Jury the advisability of erecting a house at the Green in which buyers and sellers could transact their business.

The Chairman said the suggestion of Mr Harris was a very good one, and if it was the wish of the meeting he would mention the matter to the Grand Jury when submitting the accounts, &c.

Mr Bernal and Mr Hastings spoke in favour of the project, and it was agreed that the chairman should bring the matter before the Grand Jury, and that the deputation should also attend.

On the motion of Alderman Phillips, seconded by Mr White, and unanimously passed, Sir David Roche was re-elected chairman.

After disposing of the usual routine business the meeting adjourned.

THE LIMERICK NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At the meeting of the Limerick branch of the Irish National League, held at the Town Hall last night, Mr P. O'Riordan presiding, the recent action of the county representatives in Parliament was severely censured. On the motion of Mr Abraham, seconded by Mr James O'Meara, the following resolution was unanimously passed. "Resolved—That the merited thanks of this branch of the Irish National League be accorded to those members of the Irish Parliamentary party who have faithfully redeemed the pledge given to their constituents by earnestly and honestly supporting the trusted leader of the Irish people in his efforts to obtain justice for the Irish nation in the British House of Commons, and that we condemn in the strongest terms the conduct of those so-called representatives who

inform the Grand Jury that a contract now come forward and put in a contract, and the committee had every to believe that within the next fortnight would be able to open works on the intended of railway. It was part of the contract t works shall be carried on simultaneously a the line. He regretted to inform the Grand that a Bill for the abandonment of the had been presented by one of the Director Bill would come on for a second reading bef House of Lords on Monday next. His L had no doubt but he would be able to u cient influence to have the Bill poned, but he was of opinion the Committee should be authoriz the Grand Jury to lodge a petition opposi bill. That petition should be presented o day next. He was also of opinion that contract was signed the promoters of t would withdraw it. He thought that the would not be put to any expenses in the tions to this bill. He would ask them the following resolutions, viz:—"That Grand Jury of the County of Clare, assen Spring Assizes, 1883, hereby empower th representatives appointed by us as Director Ennis and West Clare Railway, to take al site proceedings, employ counsel, &c, to the bill now before the House of Lords abandonment of the Ennis and West Cla way."

"That the Grand Jury of the County o assembled at the Spring Assizes, 1883, authorize the representatives appointed Directors of the Ennis and West Clare b required by the Board of Public Works in to execute the requisite bond to enable t to be obtained for the purpose of complet opening the line for traffic."

The resolutions were put by the Forer unananimously passed.

A warm vote of thanks was then p Lord Inchiquin and the gentlemen on th mittee for the zeal and energy with whi had carried out their onerous duties.

MALICIOUS INJURIES.

There are 25 applications for compensa malicious injuries, amounting to £118 3s

THE ATHEM SHARD BRIDGE.

Proposed by Mr E. C. Reeves, D.L., ried unanimously—"That the moven cently commenced for the opening of t linkard bridge has the full sympathy Grand Jury, and will receive their ear operation, as it must afford great fa intercourse between the north east distri county and the city of Limerick."

Mr Jas Spaight made an eloquent t the Grand Jury, some of whom were o the passing of the resolution, showing t benefits that would accrue to the north- e of the county Clare if the tolls were from off Atunkard Bridge.

The other business was routine.—Ad

Ennis, 1

At the Ennis Petty Sessions to-day Mr Thomas Greene (in the chair), and l Purcell, E.M., (John Hogan, a farmer re Door), about two miles from Ennis, was by Constable Dowler, of Clare Castle, w ing a "shebeen." The constable dep he in company with another policeman. Hogan's house on Sunday last, and four men in a room, all of whom were u influence of drink; he also saw six gla ing traces of drink. Mr Lynch, solic fended, and contended that as no drink found there was no case against h Dismissed.

The Sub-Sheriff, Mr C. Mahon, put u by action at the County Courthouse t chattel interest in a farm situate near in satisfaction for rent due by the tena Harley, to the landlord, the Marquis of amounting to £45. Some bids were u the sale concluded by an offer on behi tenant of the full amount of rent and c

The Sub-Commissioners, Messrs R. E. Edward George Peet, sat in the court yesterday and to-day to hear applicati fair rents. Evidence in about a dozen been heard which closes the business o sent sitting. The Commissioners leave rick to-morrow.

At a special sessions held at Ball yesterday, before Col Mullen, E.M., Gardner, E.M., Thomas Donohoe, Mary and Brigitt Donohoe were, charged u 7th Sec. of the Crimes Act with inti and forcibly obstructing James Fitzge ploughing his land at Creggagh, on th February. It appeared that Fitzgera farri last May, from which the previo had been evicted, and had been uo ce the year, during which period ear