

The Rev S Saxby, a Somersetshire vicar, who had known the plaintiff for 37 years, said he never heard anything against him.

The Rev J Langridge, St John's Hammersmith, who attended plaintiff's late wife during her last illness, stated that he saw nothing to justify the statement that unhappiness existed between plaintiff and the late Mrs Adams.

Friends of the late Mrs Adams denied that her marriage was an unhappy one.

The plaintiff then went into the witness box and gave an outline of his history. He said that after his wife's death he became secretary to the Anti-Vivisection Society, where he met Miss Coleridge. When calling on Lord Coleridge by request, the witness objected to the defendant's presence.

The Hon Mildred Coleridge tendered her evidence, but she was not sworn.

This closed plaintiff's case.

The Attorney-General declined calling witnesses. He claimed that the letter was privileged.

Mr Justice Manisty thought so too.

The plaintiff addressed the jury.

Mr Justice Manisty decided to let the case go to the jury, reserving the point of law for himself to decide as to the legal evidence of malice.

The Jury gave a verdict for plaintiff for £3,000 damages, but the Judge ruled the letter was a privileged communication, and gave judgment for defendant with costs.

ACTION FOR LIBEL.

In the Court of Queen's Bench to-day, Mrs Blood, mother of Lady Colin Campbell, obtained a verdict of £1,000 damages against the editor of *Modern Society*.

MR JOHN BRIGHT ON THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

Mr John Bright, writing to the Liberal Club, says he thinks the Liberal party is approaching further success. Their opponents seem breaking loose from ancient moorings.

THE GREENOCK ELECTION.

To-day Mr John Scott, ship builder, Conservative, and Mr Thomas Sutherland, Chairman of the P. and O. Co., Liberal, were nominated for the representation of Greenock. Mr Scott was nominated at noon, and Mr Sutherland about an hour afterwards. Mr T P O'Connor, MP, is expected in Greenock to-night to consult with the Irish Nationalist voters.

THE COUNTY DOWN ELECTION.

The Castlewellan branch of the National

IRKINS, 12 KEES, 84 MID, UNBRANDED OO.

FAIRS OF MUNSTER—NOVEMBER.

Monday 24th—Kerry: Castlegregory. Cork: Killeagh. Limerick: Pallasgreen.

Tuesday 25th—Cork: Fermoy. Clare: Bridgetown. Limerick: Brury. Kerry: Dingle. Waterford: Kilmac-thomas.

Wednesday 26th—Limerick; Anglesboro', Bruff. Cork: Dunmanway. Clare: Kilkee. Tipperary: Mullinahone. Thursday 27th—Tipperary: Borrisoleigh. Cork: Castle-town Bere, Kildorrery.

Mallow Monthly Cattle Market is held on the first Tuesday of each month.

A monthly market for the sale of pigs is held in Kilkee on the second Tuesday in each month.

Fairs are held in the city of Limerick on the first and third Tuesday of every month for pigs, and on the first Thursday of every month for cattle and sheep; and in the city of Cork on the first Thursday of every month.

Ennis monthly fair is held on the first Saturday of every month.

Announcements of Births, Marriages, and Deaths not exceeding 5 lines (which must in all cases be duly authenticated), are charged 2s. 6d. each. For every additional line, 6d.

BIRTHS.

Clarke—Nov 21, at Glencore, Laurel Hill, City, the wife of the Rev William J Clarke, A.M., Rector of St Munchin's of a daughter.

Cotesworth—Nov 20, at 20, Portsdown road, W, London, the wife of the Rev G. Cotesworth, M.A., of a daughter.

Mortimer—Nov 17, at Glencairn, Walmer, Kent, the wife of Deputy Inspector General E. T. Mortimer, R.N., of a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

Gibbons and Henn—Nov 19, at St James's Church, Piccadilly, London, by the Rev F C A Lambert, James S. Gibbons, Lieut. Colonel in the Egyptian Police, to Adela Jane, only daughter of Thomas Rice Heen, J.P. and D.L. of Paradise Hill, in the county Clare, Esq., and of 43 Upper Mount street, Dublin.

DEATHS.

Joyce—This morning (Nov 22nd), at her residence, Caherconlish, Mary Julia, relict of the late Michael Joyce, Esq., in her 72nd year, daughter of the late Henry Baldwin, Esq., of Sunday's Well, Cork.

Longfield—Nov 21st, at his residence, 47 Fitzwilliam Square, aged 82, the Right Honorable Mountiford Longfield, son of the late Rev Mountiford Longfield, and of his wife, Grace, daughter of William Lysaght, of Mount North, and Fort William, Co Cork, and uncle by marriage of William Lysaght, Esq., J.P., 27 Thomas street, Limerick.

Elliott—Nov 21, at 2 Belgrave terrace, Monkstown, the Rev Charles Elliott, aged 83.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Cathedral Restoration Committee acknowledges the receipt of £2 15s, per Rev W B Greer, being the proceeds of some further sales of work, including also a subscription of £1 from the late Mrs Russell, of Plassey.

The Secretary Protestant Orphan Society thankfully acknowledges from Mrs Hugh Finch, proceeds of her stall at Bazaar, £44 10s.

Mrs Finch acknowledges with thanks contributions to her stall at the bazaar lately held for the Protestant orphans from Mrs Wallace, George street, Mrs Rochford Hunt, and 6s donation from Mrs Ievers, Quinlan street.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

The County Limerick Hounds (Mr J. Gubbins') will meet for November as follows—Monday, 24th, Frankfort Gate; Wednesday 26th, Castle Hewson; Friday 28th, Croom Station. Hour—11 o'clock.

The Glin and Tarbert Harriers (Major Kiggell's) will meet for November as follows—Tuesday 25th, Tarbert Hill; Friday 28th, Mount Trenchard.

Mr J. Butler Ievers' Hounds will meet as follows:—Monday, Nov 24th, Appletown; Friday, Nov 28th, Athlaca; Tuesday, Dec 2nd, Rossmannagher (County Clare). Hour—12 o'clock.

The Limerick Harriers will meet for November as follows—Monday 24th, Raheen Chapel; Thursday 27th, Creora Cross. Hour—11.30.

LOWER SHANNON SAILINGS.

FROM LIMERICK.		FROM KILBUSH.	
24 Monday	8 a.m.	24 Monday	2 p.m.
25 Tuesday	11 a.m.	25 Tuesday	no sailing
26 Wednesday	2 p.m.	26 Wednesday	8 a.m.
27 Thursday	2 p.m.	27 Thursday	8 a.m.