The League evidently see that red up. re is a danger of funds decreasing, and they icipate considerable difficulty in carrying on paign operations and in supporting unfortue tenants who have been tempted to resist law and have paid the penalty. No stone consequently left unturned to get in funds, t we have little doubt that the present appeal " relief," which the tenants do not require, less they bring it on themselves, is doomed meet with a dismal failure. Of course, timidation will be brought to bear in order to duce the farmers to put their trust in the ational League in this question of rent, but as fairs stand there is good ground for hoping at they will disregard advice coming from an terested source, and that they will not allow olitical agitators to interfere in matters in hich they themselves are the best judges.

The expenditure of a sum of £600, required to onnect the Ennis Lunatic Asylum with the aterworks of the town, has been officially sanctioned.

We are requested to state that sermons in aid f the funds of the Irish Society will be preached o-morrow in the Cathedral, St Munchin's, frinity Church, Kilmurry, and St Patricks.

We regret to announce the death, which took place yesterday, of the Right Hon Sir John Lentaigne, C.B., for many years Inspector-General of Prisons in Ireland, and subsequently an honorary member of the General Prisons Board. He was in his 83rd year.

Mr John Dundon, TC, has been elected Alderman of the Glentworth Ward, in room of Ald JJ Cleary, JP, resigned. Dr MR O'Connor has come forward on Nationalist principles for the vacancy thus created by Mr Dundon's elevation to the aldermanship.

It is announced that a National League demonstration will be held on Sunday 21st inst at Murroe, where some of the tenantry have already heavily suffered by the teachings of that organisation. Mr John Dillon, M.P., is expected to preside, and amongst the orators will be Mr Wm, O'Brien and Mr T Harrington, M P.

It is stated that Mrs Morgan, Shanagolden County Limerick, having refused to allow any abatement to her tenants, they have held a meeting and decided not to yield until granted a substantial abatement. The Rev J Mulqueen, P P, and Rev Mr Kelly, C C, who attended the meeting, strongly urged the tenants to adopt this course.

It will be seen by advertisement that the annual sermon in connection with the Protestant Young Men's Association will be preached by the Rev Dr Wilson in the Presbyterian Church, Glentworth street, on Tuesday evening. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance, particularly of the younger members of the Association, on the occasion.

At Corofin Petty Sessions on Wednesday—before Colonel Mollen, R M, and Mr R D Crotty, R M—a young man named John Crowe, son of a farmer living near Morrison's Mills, was prose-

ventriloquism, singing, dancing, and other interesting subjects. The prices will be found to exceedingly moderate.

Constabulary Promotions—On the recommendation of Mr Cameron, County Inspector, the following promotions have been made in the County Limerick Force, dating from 1st ult:—Acting-sergeant Samuel Lockhart, to the rank and pay of Sergeant, and transferred to Darragh: Acting-sergeant Osborne, to the rank and pay of Sergeant; Acting-sergeant P. Morrisy, Askeaton, to the rank and pay of Sergeant; Acting-sergeant John Lehane, County Inspector's office, to the rank and pay of Sergeant; Constable Finton McEvoy, Abbeyfeale, to the rank and pay of Acting-sergeant; Constable John Pattison, Castleconnell, to the rank and pay of Acting-sergeant; Constable John Commins, Newpallas, to the rank and pay of Acting-sergeant; Constable John Commins, Newpallas, to the rank and pay of Acting-sergeant; Constable Thomas McGowan, Rathkeale, to the rank and pay of Acting-sergeant.

Irwin, R.M., presided at the City Police Court this morning. Thomas Cross, dock labourer, was brought up on remand charged with having caused the death of one Thomas McInerney, who resided in Vyses Fields. It will be remembered that the accused struck the deceased on the face on the 19th October, and caused a pipe stem to penetrate the eye. The medical evidence showed on Tuesday last that death was the result of an abcess on the brain, and the jury found that the blow had been struck by Cross, but not with the intention of doing any serious bodily harm. Prisoner was returned for trial to the assizes, bail being accepted in £50, and two sureties of £25 each. John O'Neill (16), was remanded to petty sessions on a charge of stealing a pot of jum from Messrs Buckley, Georgestreet.

CAPTAIN PLUNKET AND THE PAYMENT OF RENT.—The Freeman is responsible for the following singular statement:—'Since the 3rd instant, the day on which the sheriff and police were successfully resisted in their attempt to evict Mr Edmond Donovan, at Elton, the tenant has remained in quiet possession of the farm. On Tuesday last Captain Plunkett, D M, called upon the respected parish priest, Dr Ryan, and had a long conversation with him in reference to the holding. The result of the deliberations was that Captain Plunket advised Mr Donovan, the tenant, to offer one year's rent to the agents of the property, Messrs Guinness, Mahon, and Co, College-green, Dublin. This Dr Ryan, on the part of the tenant, promised to do, and Captain Plunkett will take no further steps in the matter till it is seen whether the landlord will be disposed to accept the offer.

LABOURERS COTTAGES.—At the meeting of the Kildysart Board of Guardians on Thursday, the business under the Labourers Act was considered. The following resolution was adopted—"Resolved—That the following rule be observed in reference to the letting of labourers cottages in this union for the future, viz:—That after consulting with the occupier in whose land the site was fixed, should he have consented willingly, the guardians of the electoral division in which the cottage may be situate, will only be privileged to select a tenant, and that in case the majority of the ratepayers be not satisfied with the selection made, they be at liberty to petition the board in favour of such other person as may be considered more suitable; that it be made known to the contractors of the cottages visited and re-

the dogs were in lune helter-skelter here and ther dodging the rabbit in eve last it was captured. by a large number and to them it crea amusement while our informant considers, with him, that the Park wa coursing ground, and that places adapted to the purp of the city. We understan previous to the incident coursing match was held in we are informed that durin a magistrate of this city 18 Corporation, visited the occasions, taking with him i number of rabbits, and ce one of our city fathers set it is scarcely to be wonder quite so initiated should Corporation allow this to but now that public attento the matter, we trust the and put a stop to it. It cidedly objectionable whe public park, much freq particularly by children, s are of tender years.

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SIR, Mr McKern's b for the members of the allocating to them the against the wall), of boxe are scarcely ever occupie except on very great cru credit he takes for courte be discounted a little. would be expressed by the Russell, if in the respect no notice appeared of the they think that the most of hearing, and nearly o for the members of the faculties must be on the to perform their duties i Occassionally I have h between members of th proprietor, or amateur locally represented by press privileges and mod time ago every Pressma book kept at the box offi permitted to pass on to was stopped until a st the pay box aperture sel right was passed in. humiliating to the Pres this rule was worked, ar Now, would it not be gi to issue special perme accredited reporters co newspapers, and which nizable by the check ta away with a great dea and stoppages to which in the vestibule of the prevent interlopers fro the pretence of being I am, sir, yours faithf

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