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to the large entries the Paddocks, on next includes over 100 head rs, and two year olds, ordinary good. Par-

is appointed the Rev ncent of Carnalway, Rectory of Eyrecourt, the Rev Samuel the Curacy of Ardiah.

Barrington's Hospital 55 subscription from mpany, and £1 from office, which he says opinion of the value tution.

oy named Sullivan, in 'Patrick Coll, P L G, m (a tributary of the dy of an infant about g the matter yester- e, they proceeded to sion of the remains, lacca, pending the in- ay.

nd farm produce was by Mr F W M'Carthy, largely attended by ry brisk demand for factory prices were ob- 16, the lowest being , the sale did not last was disposed of. The lesrooms on Saturday

appear that Mr Roberts, suspecting that all was not right in the department of which Mr L'Estrange had control, had a conference with the directors, who ordered an inspection of the books, and while this was being held Mr L'Estrange was not to be found. Hence the legal proceedings. For some years past, Mr L'Estrange has occupied a responsible position in the office, and was most respected and esteemed by his superior officials. It may be added that the accounts since 1884 have been gone through and that nothing beyond the sum stated has been found.

DEATH OF DR BUTLER.—We announce with much regret the death of Dr William G Butler, one of the resident physicians of the Limerick Union. The sad event took place at three o'clock this morning, at the European Hotel, Queenstown, and was first known in Limerick by telegram sent to the deceased gentleman's *confreere*, Dr R J Nolan, R M O. For the past few months Dr Butler had been in very delicate health, and a month ago, having obtained leave from the guardians, he proceeded to Queenstown for change of air. Since his sojourn there it was reported that he was gradually becoming convalescent, and an application received from him at the Board of Guardians yesterday applying for another month's leave of absence which was granted, justified to some extent a belief in the accuracy of the rumour. The news, therefore, of Dr Butler's demise was received by his numerous friends in Limerick to-day with much surprise and feelings of intense sorrow, none the more so than by the officials of the Limerick Union, by whom the deceased was held in the highest esteem. Dr Butler had been four years qualified as a doctor, three of which he spent in the local Union workhouse, and proved himself a gentleman of high professional ability, frequently receiving praise from the guardians for his able and successful treatment of critical cases which came under his charge. The interment will take place at Raheen, Co. Limerick, on Saturday morning, the *cortege*, it is understood, leaving the railway station at 10.30. Dr Butler was a son of Mr Wm Butler, of Bushy Island, near this city.

FOOTBALL.

MUNSTER CUP COMPETITION—FINAL TIES OF LIMERICK DISTRICT.

The above match, which has caused more excitement and speculation than was ever heard of in the annals of Limerick football, were brought to a conclusion, as previously announced, on Monday last in the Market Field, the competing teams being Clanwilliam (Tipperary) F.C. and Limerick County F.C. The former team were started hot favourites and odds of two, three, and even as high as five to one, were laid on their winning. Still the Limerick fellows were

work like men they will give themselves in the final, as winners, will make a good trophy. The Ormonds, Ner have played the Limerick grounds, yesterday, wrot unable to get a team to tr match on Monday a capit Limerick team was taken b O'Shea's studio, George-st

KINCORA v. GA

The final tie in the local c and medals took place on S Field. The competing tea 15 v Garyowen 2nd 15. T ingly well contested, and r Kincora by a try to *nil*. T a try which was disputed c ball had struck one of the for Kincora, got a free kick which Peel nearly scored a the Kincora quarters, K capital, and several of splendid service. Guinane' and collaring were univers was gained by Fitzgera Nelson, Drought, J Fogart conspicuous by their play. two thirty minutes, when to retire, but it was found rules (Rugby) ten minute requisite, and so the 'com the arena, but during th made. Mr Barnett acted sion gave entire satisfactio Full back, E Slattery; hal N Kickham; quarters, A wards, J O'Brien (cap Deegan, J Duggan, M Duggan, P Fitzgerald, and Full back, H McMahon; l and R Drought; quarters, Murray; forwards, Lowry, Barroughs, Ryan, J Hall, Fitzgerald.

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE I
DEAR SIR,—Will you k ply through your columi asked me to explain what reported in any of the n do not complain, as the c Spillane and myself was a
Mr Spillane, for the pu herring across the scent with him when he finds h why the auditors did not instead of taking Mr Carr that every item comprising heading "uncollected" acc not paid and on my renly