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#### THE VIOLENT ASSAULT ON A POLICEMAN.

Constable John Sweeney, of Crusheen police station, so seriously wounded under the circumstances stated in the last issue of the *Chronicle* continues in a critical state in Ennis County Infirmary. Two men named Duffy (brothers) and another named Heffernan have been arrested and identified as being of the party who assailed the police.

*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.

Astel—March 17, at West-heath, Congleton, the wife of Major Astel, 60th Rifles, of a son.  
Eason—March 18, at 6 Spencer Villas, Adelaide Road, Kingstown, the wife of Charles Eason, jun, of a son.  
Harvey—March 18, at 31 Warwick gardens, Kensington, London, the wife of Percy Charles Harvey, of a son.

#### MARRIAGE.

Leibich and Shirley—March 17, by special licence, at the pro-Cathedral, Clifton, by the Very Rev Monsignor Clarke, Frank Thorwaldsen Leibich, eldest son of Immanuel Leibich, of Notting-hill, London, Esq. to Louisa, only child of Major Walter D Shirley, and granddaughter of the late E J Shirley, of Ettington Park, Warwickshire.

#### DEATHS.

Crocker—March 20, 1887, at 5, Leinster-street, Dublin, the Lady Georgiana Crocker, of Balinagarde, Limerick, to the intense grief of her children.  
Ievers—At 7, Quinlan-street, the Crescent, Charlotte Ellen Ievers, only daughter of the late John Augustine Ievers J.P., Ieverstown, Sixmile Bridge.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Matron of the Blind Asylum gratefully acknowledges one ton of coal from the Mayor.

#### HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

Sir Nugent Humble's Foxhounds will meet for March as follows:—Friday, 25th, Adare Station. Hour 11 o'clock.

#### LOWER SHANNON SS. SAILINGS—MARCH.

FROM LIMERICK.		FROM KILRUSH.	
25 Wednesday	... 2 p m	24 Thursday	... 12 noon
26 Friday	... 9 a m	26 Saturday	... 12 noon
28 Monday	... 10 a m	29 Tuesday	... 1 p m
30 Wednesday	... 8 a m	30 Wednesday	... 3 p m
31 Thursday	... 8 a m	31 Thursday	... 3 p m

CANNOCK AND COMPANY, LIMITED, LIMERICK, Funeral Undertakers. Coffins supplied on the shortest notice, at about half the prices usually charged.

DROMCOLLOGHER FAIR.—The supply of cattle, though about the average, was not at all equal to the wants of the many buyers who come here for that hardy class of heifers which improve so much on good pasture. The buyers complained that prices had gone up too much, and that they did not find as many yearlings and two year old heifers as they required. The farmers pocketed the welcome increase, and were well pleased—

#### ANNIVERSARY OF WILLIAM'S BIRTHDAY.

Berlin,

The anniversary of the Emperor's birthday was heralded this morning by pealing of bells and the sounding of cannon from the tower of the Town Hall. The streets were magnificently decorated, and the street lamps were brilliantly lit. At nine o'clock the school children performed Divine Service in various places of worship. An hour later the students passed through the Palace in procession accompanied by military bands. The Emperor appeared at the window and was loudly cheered. The members of the Imperial family and Princely guests offered their congratulations.

#### FATAL RAILWAY ACCIDENT.

Four surfacemen were killed this morning by an engine at Ibrox station, near Glasgow. Later particulars respecting the fatal accident at Ibrox state that the guard and men observing a mineral train approaching Glasgow, stepped off the track and were instantly cut down by the train emerging from the tunnel, four of them being killed and another man sustaining terrible injuries to his head. Four other workmen had barely time to escape. Snow was falling at the time, the tunnel being full of smoke, the guard being unable to see the train coming upon the track.

#### THE SHRIEVALTY OF WATERFORD—LEGAL DIFFICULTY.

At the Waterford Assizes to-day the Lordship was asked to make an order compelling Thomas Esmonde, who was summoned as County Shrievalty by Colonel Hill, to produce over documents pertaining to the estate of the late His Lordship declined to make the order.

#### THE LOSS OF THE KAIAPUNDA.

The Board of Trade inquiry into the loss of the *Kaipunda* was resumed at Waterford to-day. William Norman, able seaman on board the *Kaipunda*, deposed that it was a heavy fog which ran into them. Another able seaman, gave corroborative evidence.