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suite; Sir Patrick and Miss Kernan, Dr Anthony Traill, Professor Doherty, Mr N D Murphy, B L; Mr T M Healy, M P; Captain and Mrs Dunn, Penzance; Dr Todd, Captain Bartholomew, Mr W Kenny, Q C; Dr Bradley, Mr Richardson, *Daily News*, and Mr Davy, do.

**LIMERICK DISTRICT LUNATIC ASYLUM.**—The usual monthly meeting of the Governors of this Asylum was held to-day in the board-room of the Institution, the Mayor (Mr Francis A Keffe), presiding. The only other Governors present were Mr J C Delmege, J P; and Captain Mark Maunsell, J P. Dr Courtenay (Resident Medical Superintendent) Mr Harris (Treasurer) and Mr Bodkin (Clerk), were also in attendance. Remaining in the Asylum on this day—From city, 51 males, 85 females; total, 136; from county, 190 males, 164 females; total, 354; total in the Asylum this day, 490. The business transacted was routine.

**HARVEST THANKSGIVING SERVICES.**—The annual Harvest Thanksgiving Services were held in St Mary's Cathedral on Sunday last. The sacred edifice was decorated with fruit, flowers, vegetables, cereals, and autumnal leaves, and in their arrangement very great taste and skill were displayed. The decorations were most effective, and in the "dim religious light" from the stained glass windows looked exceedingly pretty. Special services were arranged for the occasion, and the musical portions were effectively rendered under the able guidance of Mr F Muspratt, who presided at the organ. The Rev F Langbridge preached at morning service, and the Dean in the afternoon. The congregation at both services was very large, particularly in the evening, when the extra sitting accommodation proved insufficient.

**MYSTERIOUS DEATH—INQUEST.**—A mysterious death occurred in Shannon-street yesterday morning. It appears that for some time past an elderly spinster named Miss Peacocke had been living in a garret in the house in question and led a rather lonely life. Yesterday, however, some one on going up to her room discovered that it was locked, which at once aroused suspicions. Word was immediately conveyed to Head-constable Wall, who went to the house, and after bursting open the door discovered that the poor old woman was dead in bed, a small lamp burning by her side. A large quantity of miscellaneous articles were found in the room. Head-constable Wall, after the discovery, communicated with the City Coroner, who held an inquest on the body yesterday, and a verdict to the effect that death resulted from natural causes, but when or where they were unable to say was returned.

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**ATHLETIC FOOTBALL.—LIMERICK COW (KILKENNY).**—This Gaelic Championship football above clubs, the champions counties, came off on Sunday contest from start to finish. The day was gloriously fine, numbered three or four thou the first meeting between th Patrick's ground, Dublin, re Central Executive gave at clubs to arrange the playi They selected Clonmel, and a on Sunday, putting the l expense in making arranger but the Central Executive s hour and ordered both tea their inclinations—to meet past three o'clock play championship match. Wh called the Commercials had three points (one forfeit), to feits) for Kilmacow.

**PHENIX V. SARSFIELD.**— football match took place at the above clubs, which resul latter by one try and a For the Sarsfield, Connors, Cook, and Dwyer, for the For the Phoenix, Ryall, Suche, Ward, Russell, and good defensive game.

Mr John O'Connor, M P, leigh, on Saturday night, s return from prison in 18 sought to implicate him in a a judge. Informers were take the task, and Mr O might be, was to be arrested implicated. The plan, h owing to the Government's disagreeing.