

WHIT-MONDAY.

It was partially observed as a holiday, several of the business-houses in the city not having been closed. Those who were led to forget the care and worry of the day had a most enjoyable time of it. One auspicious day could not well be better.

King Sol shone out in all his glory, result Nature appeared in her most garb. Various places of interest were visited by the citizens—private parties leaving for Killaloe, Castleconnel, Adare, favored spots. The Lower Shannon Company gave a trip down to Horse Island which was largely availed of, and a very large number of excursionists came up by the morning boat, returning at 4 p.m.

The annual excursion of the Limerick Young Men's Association took place and was a great success, the arrangements being carried out without a hitch, and all the desiderata were, as already stated, embraced. Something like a committee of visiting the beautiful castle belonging to Viscount Gough, and the lakes of Lough Cutra. The lake was visited under the warm June sunshine, and the ladies themselves were simply perfecting their great credit upon the gardener's staff. Afterwards numerous parties visited the famous Glen along which the Beighs carved its way to where it disappeared under the limestone rocks at the "Cave of the Owl," to reappear again and again on the mountains towards Gort. No better place could have been chosen for an excursion of the kind, and the public are under a deep debt of gratitude to the Young Men's Committee for making so pleasant and successful a day's excursion and enjoyment. Thanks also are due to the Viscount Gough, for so kindly throwing open his grounds and house to the association; to his courteous manager, Mr Hughes for his aid so readily in order to make the excursion a success. A number of the members and the Ennis Young Men's Association also attended the excursion at that station, under the leadership of Mr H. B. Harris. The executive of the Protestant Young Men's Association also deserve credit for the successful manner in which they worked up the arrangements, especially due to Mr Jackson Harris, recording and Mr P. Hamilton, financial secretary, who worked untiringly from "start to finish" to those who availed of the excursion will find pleasure in the recollection of the very day they had at Lough Cutra.

PENNSYLVANIA DISASTER.

LIMERICK SUBSCRIPTIONS.

Mr Mayor has received the following letter in relation to the above matter, and, as will be seen from the accompanying document, it is his Worship's intention to bring the subject before the public meeting on the subject for Thursday next.

"86, George-street,
Limerick, 8 June, 1889.

MR MAYOR,—I enclose cheque for £2 2s in aid of the fund for the relief of the sufferers from the dreadful catastrophe in Pennsylvania. The amount of trouble and distress America was undergoing was enormous, and although our return can in no way be commensurate, yet our sympathy for the sufferers is a more practical shape than mere words.

"I remain, dear Mayor,
Yours faithfully,
PATRICK S. CONNOLLY.
Right Worshipful F. A. O'Keeffe, M.P.,
Limerick."

NOTTING IN CO. LIMERICK.

John Michael Ryan, accused of larceny at Boherlode, Ballyneety, again comes before the court. Months ago the congregation

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. MICHAEL HARTIGAN.

The remains of the late Mr Michael Hartigan were interred on Sunday last at the family vault, Mount St Lawrence Cemetery. The funeral which left 46 George-street at 9 o'clock was large and representative, numerous residents of the city and county attending to pay a last mark of respect to the memory of the deceased gentleman. The chief mourners were, Mr M. J. Hartigan, son, and Dr Blake, Dundalk, son-in-law, of the deceased. Amongst the general public present were—Rev Father O'Shea, Adm.; Rev Father Coveney, Rev Father Shanahan, and Rev Father Bourke; Sir J. Spaight, J.P.; Mr J. F. Bannatyne, J.P.; the Mayor (Mr F. A. O'Keeffe, M.P.), the High Sheriff (Mr W. J. O'Donnell), Mr W. B. Fitt, Mr F. M. Fitt, solr; Mr E. G. Fitt, Mr A. J. Fitt, Mr A. M. Sellers, Mr O. D. Coll, V.S.; Mr P. Marrihan, Mr B. Laffan, Mr T. O'Regan, Mr H. S. Croker, Mr C. H. Fitt, Mr James Shine, Mr Haran, Manager National Bank; Mr Jeremiah Shine, Mr Matthew Shine, Master J. Shine, Mr M. Lenihan, J.P.; Mr T. H. Kenny, solicitor; Mr Golding, Manager Munster and Leinster Bank; Mr H. Blackall, solicitor; Mr P. S. Connolly, solicitor; Mr Wm. Leahy, solicitor; Mr Matthew Hogan, Mr James Wallace, Mr John Wallace, Mr Welply, Mr Kenny, Colonel O'Donnell, Mr J. L. Copeman, Dr Gelston, Mr Rafferty, Mr James O'Mara, Mr J. F. Bennis, Mr J. Nash, J.P.; Mr W. E. Counihan, solicitor; Mr Starkie, Mr Stephen McCarthy, Mr R. Nash, Dr Hare, Mr J. McCarthy, solr., Mr Slade, Rev. J. F. Gregg, Mr J. Matterson, Mr J. Russell, Mr Rodger Ryan, Mr Matthew Kenny, Mr Spain, Mr Phelan, Mr Herriott, Mr Robert Fogerty, C.E., Mr James Browne, C.E., Mr M. Maguire, Mr J. F. Power, Mr David Tidmarsh, Mr Moses Caffrey, Mr T. Hogan, Mr W. L. Hunt, Master Wallace, Mr J. Harris, Mr R. Harris, Mr Stephen Hastings, Mr Archibald Murray, Mr N. A. Brophy, Dr Riordan, Mr Michael O'Brien, Mu'grave-street; Mr Stephen F. Dowling, Dr Fogerty, Mr W. H. Fogerty, solr; Mr W. S. Cox, C.E.; Mr Michael Sellers, solr; Mr John Ryan, solr; Mr John Ellard, solr, Clerk of the Crown and Peace; Mr William Spillane, J.P.; Mr Thomas O'Grady, Mr F. W. McCarthy, Mr S. Malone, Mr Egan, Mr Wm. Lloyd, Mr R. McNamara, solr., Mr A. C. Wallace, Town Clerk; Mr Doyle, solr., Mr O'Halloran, Mr Wm Hannan, Mr J. G. Barry, Mr F. St. C. Hobson, Mr E. C. Winter, V.S., Mr F. G. Kennedy, Mr Morton, Mr Eakins, Mr Beauchamp, Mr Geo. Harris, Surgeon-Major Murphy, Mr H. Keller.

Carriages were sent by the following amongst others—Mr G. Gloster, Mr F. W. McCarthy, Rev Mr Seymour, Abington; Mr Henry Blackall, solr; Mr O. D. Coll, V.S.; Mr Stephen Dowling, J.P.; Mr J. Reardon, V.S.; Dr Kane, George-street; Mr Thos. E. O'Brien, D.L., South Hill; Mrs O'Callaghan, Mr W. J. O'Donnell, High Sheriff; Mr James Quin, J.P., George-street; Mr David Tidmarsh, Bracken Brae; Mr J. Matterson, J.P., George-street; Mr J. Shine, J.P., Pery Square; Mr W. S. Cox, C.E., George-street; Mr S. Quin, Shannon Lawn; Mr James Harris, Glentworth-street; Mr F. G. M. Kennedy, George-street; Mr J. G. Kelly, J.P., Clonmacken House; Mr James Bannatyne, Summerville; Sir James Spaight, J.P.; Mr E. Winter, V.S.; Mr A. Murray, Portland House; Mr James O'Mara, Thomas-street; Messrs O'Brien Brothers, Mu'grave-street; Mr F. St. C. Hobson, Lanagrone; Mr Jeremiah Shine, Cooleyhenan; Mr J. Russell, J.P., Ballyneety; Mr R. Ryan, Pennywell; Mr Halliday, Corbally; Mr Batt Laffan, Killonan.

Father O'Shea officiated. The coffin, which was of massive oak, handsomely mounted, was strewn with wreaths sent by many friends from far and near.

Messrs P. McCarthy and Son, George-street, carried out the funeral arrangements.

FUNERAL OF MR. ROBERT REEVES, Q.C.

At nine o'clock yesterday morning, the remains

LIMERICK CORPORATION.

The adjourned meeting of the Corporation was held to-day in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, the Mayor (Mr Francis A. O'Keeffe, M.P.), in the chair. Other members present—Aldermen P. Riordan, D. Ryan, Thomas Gaffney, J.P.; Jerome Counihan, J.P. Town Councillors James O'Mara, M. G. Dowling, Thomas McMahon Cregan, J.P.; J. F. Power, W. J. O'Donnell (City High Sheriff) Patrick Kenna, Laurence E. Ryan, David Begley, Thomas Hartigan, Stephen O'Mara, John Clune, J. McCarthy, solr., and P. O'Malley.

THE CATASTROPHE IN PENNSYLVANIA.

The Mayor read a letter he had received from the Lord Mayor of Dublin asking for his Worship's permission to place his name on the committee engaged in organising the fund in relief of the survivors of the late terrible disaster in America, and hoping that the municipality of Limerick would co-operate in the movement inaugurated at the meeting of the Dublin Corporation. Now, at a meeting here last Thursday, he referred to this disaster, and said that although there were very urgent calls at home, he was quite sure that the people would avail of the opportunity of showing that they were not ungrateful of the calamity which had befallen the American people. He had called a meeting for Thursday last, and he expected that all classes and creeds would be represented, as it would be a common platform for the alleviation of suffering humanity; thus showing their gratitude and feeling towards a country that had done so much for the Irish people. He did not suppose there was a single family in Ireland that has not some relation in America. He was in receipt of a number of handsome subscriptions, which he would acknowledge at the public meeting.

THE IMPRISONMENT OF MR. JOHN FINUCANE, M.P.

The High Sheriff said he begged to propose a resolution condemning the action of the Government in retaining in person, Mr Finucane, one of their County members, considering the very serious condition of his health. He was glad to find that other Corporations and Town Commissioners had already moved in the matter. The resolution he had to propose was as follows:—"That the Corporation have heard with alarm and regret the continued illness of Mr John Finucane, M.P., for this County, and from all knowledge of the physical condition of the gentleman, we affirm that his further imprisonment will result in danger to his life."

Mr O'Malley seconded the resolution. The Mayor said it had his full concurrence. The resolution merely placed before the Government the state of Mr Finucane's health; it did not require any favour from them. He must certainly say that any Government wilfully detaining in hospital a gentleman like Mr Finucane, in defiance, who had committed no offence or crime whatsoever, knowing very well that he was unable to undergo the rigours of prison—he would say that the Government was forgetful of the duty it owed to the society regarding the protection and preservation of the lives of the people (hear, hear). This Corporation warned the Government as to Mr Finucane's condition, and if they wished to make another Mandeville of Mr Finucane, they could not say they had not been warned of the consequences (hear, hear).

THE HALF YEARLY PRESENTMENTS.

The Council then resolved itself into a Grand Jury for the hearing of the half yearly presentments.

The first under consideration were those of the Governors of Barrington's Hospital, and the Governors of St John's Fever Hospital for £150 each.

Mr C. B. Barrington, J.P., Rev J. O'Shaughnessy, C.C., and Dr Riordan, represented the Governors of the former, and Mr W. Spillane, J.P., the Governors of the latter institution.

Alderman Riordan—Have we any statistics as to the work done by the new Hospital since it opened?

Town Clerk—No, sir.

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