

their selections at this sale. The bulls will be shown in separate stalls and boxes, an arrangement which has met with general approval. We anticipate a large attendance on Saturday next at this annual fixture. Catalogues can be had from the auctioneer, 60 George street.

THE RENT PAYING ON THE VANDELEUR ESTATE.

(TELEGRAM FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Kilrush, Thursday.

For 50 years there has not been such enthusiasm about paying rents as has been exhibited by the Vandeleur tenants during the past two days. From ten in the morning until seven in the evening the tenants have kept up a continual rush on the agent and his clerk. I do not think there are six tenants on the whole estate who will not now have paid their rents.

THE RECENT STABBING FATALITY AT CAHIRCONLISH.

THE ACCUSED RETURNED FOR TRIAL ON THE CHARGE OF MURDER.

At the Ballyneety Petty Sessions to-day, before Major Rolleston, R.M., and Mr Russell, John Hannon was charged with having wilfully caused the death of a young man named Kearney at Cahirconlish by stabbing. The testimony of the witnesses who were examined before the coroner's jury, who returned a verdict of wilful murder against Hannon, and the persons examined to-day would convey that the deceased and the accused had some slight dispute about dogs on the day previous to the occurrence, which terminated fatally in about six days afterwards. It is alleged that this unpleasantness was of a most trivial character, Hannon being, as stated, the originator. On the day following the accused met the deceased on the road, and without having received any provocation drew a knife and inflicted a severe wound on the body of the deceased, with the result already mentioned. It was also stated that at the time the accused was something under the influence of liquor. Evidence was given at length, after which their worships returned the prisoner for trial to the Assizes on the capital charge. He was afterwards escorted to Limerick Gaol. The occurrence took place about three weeks ago.

EXCITING SCENE AT AN EVICTION.

An exciting scene took place yesterday at the attempted eviction of Elizabeth Cowhey from her holding at Croagh, county Limerick, which she holds from Mr. M. E. P. White, a minor. It appears that an ejection decree for £40 rent was obtained some time ago, and all hope of a settlement having disappeared, it was resolved to put the writ into execution. The tenant and her family being aware of this, barricaded the dwellinghouse in a most formidable manner, the doors and windows being removed and closed up with heavy stones and beams of timber, and holes

1. Manragnan, Mary E. Kerr, Daisy equal; Essy Stokes Edward Stokes, Jessie Edith Slade, Myra Hewson, Jennie W Johnstone, Margaret Storey), equal; Ethel Susan Highfield, Gerty Adams, Joseph O lin, G. Hughes, A. Anderson

Second Rank—Wm. Leslie, Robert Gle Ruttle, Hetty Young, F. Alcock, M. A. Th Sarah Gleeson, Lucy Wainutt, Annie W

KILCOERNAN.

SECOND CLASS.

First Rank—Alfred Coulter, William,

CAHIRNABRY.

SECOND CLASS.

Second Rank—John Hopley, Benjamin

Those marked thus * are entitled to con the Medal Examination, which will be hel in the Protestant Orphan Hall, on Tues 28th inst, at ten o'clock, a.m. The Lord of Limerick has appointed Sunday the 26 or the following Sunday, June 2nd, as "Ed Sunday," for the diocese, when appeals on of the funds of the Diocesan Board of Ed will be made.

WHIT-MONDAY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK CHRON Limerick, 23rd May,

DEAR SIR,—Twelve months ago Mr Co made a very commendable effort to ha above day kept as a public holiday, but ov the refusal of a few firms, the matter d through; though several consented to clos actually doing so. What their reasons w refusing we are not now inquiring into.

The fact of Whit-Monday being a Banl day—a general English holiday, and obsc in Dublin, Cork, and other large towns in I ought to be sufficient grounds for havin rick, at least in this matter, not behi neighbours.

To reach this goal all the employees s sious; and, judging from last year's expe many of the employers, who enjoy a day's tion from the worry of business, as well a folk. The query is—How is it to be att

If a suggestion would be taken from a employee: would not our worthy Mayor, by a few other gentlemen of influence, ta matter in hand and wait on the merchan employees with a view to bring about a mous consensus of opinion, and thus en "general close." It would perpetuate his ship's Mayoralty to time immemorial.

Excursions, not ordinarily within reac common on Whit-Monday, and one Assoc in the city purpose having a very attracti in the neighbourhood of Gort. With pleasure it is looked forward to by those w go; what greater pleasure would accrue could feel that the day was emphaticall own.

Trusting I have not taken up too much o valuable space,

I am, sir, yours truly,

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