

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MRS. M. P. LEAHY.

The remains of this highly esteemed and deeply lamented lady were interred yesterday at Churchtown, Newcastle West, whither they were conveyed by the 11.10 a.m. train from Limerick. At half-past ten the funeral left the residence of Mrs O'Callaghan, (the Crescent), mother of the deceased, and its large and representative character amply demonstrated the sympathy which is expressed with the family in their great bereavement. Over fifty carriages were sent by residents of the city and district, and there was a very considerable gathering of citizens and country friends. The coffin was strewn with beautiful wreaths, and others were carried by some of the chief mourners. These were—Mr Maurice P. Leahy, Sessidnal Crown Solicitor, husband of deceased, Mr E. H. O'Callaghan, brother; Messrs E. D. and E. O'Callaghan, nephews, Messrs W. Leahy, Solr., Edmond Leahy, and James Leahy, F. Cantillon, brothers-in-law, Mr R. Anderson, Mr W. Jefferson, Mr J. Smithwick, and Mr Lyons, (Cork), Mr Jennings, D. I., Mr W. Spillane, J.P., Mr J. Spillane. The clergy present included—Very Rev. Dr. Moloney, P.P., V. G., Very Rev. Father O'Keefe, S. J., Rev. J. O'Shea, Adm., Rev. D. Shanahan, C.C., Rev. Dr. Hallinan, C.C. Amongst those also present, or sent carriages were—Drs Robert Barry, M. V. Bourke, B. O'Connor, and Shanahan, Mr John Ellard, Clerk of the Crown and Peace; Mr Roche, Crown Solicitor; Mr Robert Hunt, J.P.; Mr F. St. C. Hobson, Sub-sheriff; Mr Tidmarsh, Mr Robert M'Donnell, Mr W. J. O'Donnell, City High Sheriff; Mr Pitt, Under Sheriff; Mrs Wallace, Mr J. F. Power, Mr F. G. M. Kennedy, J.P.; Dr Myles, Mr James Quin, J.P.; Mr S. Cox, C.E.; Mr Stephen Quin, Rev. Precentor Meredith, Mr E. J. Lee, Mr J. H. DeCourcy, Mr M. J. DeCourcy, Mr E. J. Long, Mr P. E. Toppin, Mr John Guinane, J.P.; Dr J. O'Shaughnessy, J.P.; Alderman Counihan, J.P.; Mr J. Nash, J.P.; Mr B. Nash, solr; Mr Barrington, solr; Mr W. E. Counihan, solr; Mr T. H. Kenny, solr; Mr Stephen O'Mara, T.C.; Mr Fitt, solr; Rev J. Dowd, Alderman Dundon, solr; Mr H. Blackall, solr; Mr J. Frost, J.P.; Mr J. Haran, J.P., Manager National Bank; Mr W. Corbett, C.E.; Mr T. E. O'Brien, D.L.; Mr J. Harris, Dr Holmes, Dr Graham, Mr Thomas M'Mahon Cregan, J.P.; Dr Shanahan, Mr Henry O'Shea, Mr Barrington, C.E.; Mr P. S. Connolly, solr; Mr W. J. Hall, B.E.; Mr A. Hall, junr; Mr M. Egan, Mr J. Hall, solr; Dr C. J. Counihan, Mr J. Stewart, Mr Wm. B. Fitt, Mr Cusack, Mr E. Fogarty, C.E.; Dr Fogarty, Mr F. W. M'Carthy, Mr Browne, C.E.; Mr Roger, Mr E. C. Winter, Mr Richard Harris, Mr M. Sellers, solr; Mr J. Shine, J.P.; Mr E. M'Namara, solr; Mr Hastings, solr; Mr M. Riordan, solr; Mr R. J. Kane, Mr Hardiman, etc.

A number of mourners journeyed on to Newcastle where the cortege was joined by a very large concourse. Messrs. P. M'Carthy and Son had charge of the funeral arrangements.

S. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL FEAST.

The annual treat for the children attending S. Michael's Daily and Sunday Schools took place on Saturday last, and the weather being delightfully fine, it proved in every sense a most pleasurable success. The children (to the number of 220) assembled at 1 o'clock at S. Michael's school house, and were driven up by detachments in a brake and pair (no small delight) to the fields at Courthack Farm where through the

LIMERICK

A special meeting to-day—the Mayor in present—Aldermen Dundon, Thomas G. Counihan, W.P.; Col W. J. O'Donnell (High M. Donnelly, P. Ken L. E. Ryan, P. Kenni ling, J. Bernal, and

The minutes having been read, the Mayor said that upon the Judge of A. cation of the fiatig (the present it was a malty, but it might member did not ast hable to a fine of 20 this time. It might members of the Corp own part he would been dismissed from which he used to occ

INDUST Arising out of the Mr S. O'Mara said had occurred at the Industrial Schools.

Town Clerk—Yes, Bernal, reducing the Schools from 2s 6d p passed.

Mr Connolly said h that a notice of moti The Mayor said it as nothing could be d Mr O'Mara said it long, because beyond he did not believe ant could be got to suppo Alderman Riordan to the meeting at all. Mr O'Mara propos erased from the mint Mr Begley—I second Mr L. E. Ryan—It be sanctioned by the foolish thing.

Mr Bernal, who he was not at present in sons in support of the He would therefore a Mr O'Mara's moti agreed to, and the B given to the various drawal of Mr Bernal

THE FOR Alderman John Du following series of i Mayor, Aldermen, an of Limerick, in publi as follows—That the and the secret and sit in reference to the his own showing whol and it has r-sulted, a and misery, to severa unoffending people. course now being pu vernalment in Ireland, other evictions, as a tional rights of free s Ireland, and we are o based on and su official fraud, mi

rendered perfectly safe, even to those who never before took a dip in their lives. Those who bathe in the Shannon at the various points along the Island Bank and elsewhere are chiefly those who have not been able to learn the art of swimming at Kilkee or Miltown. Very probably they have never been there at all, or have seen these places only during the few hours of an occasional holiday excursion. They have, perhaps, neither the time nor the money to spend a week or a month at the seaside, and therefore it is the more incumbent on the community to see that as much as possible will be done to give them bathing facilities in the river of which they are so justly proud, and that at the same time they need not run the risk of death whilst enjoying this harmless pastime. There have been quite enough victims to convince most people that there is urgent need of consulting the requirements of that class of citizens who find in the fresh water of the river the only available substitute for the invigorating "briny." If these people cannot be provided at public expense (which is really their own expense) with facilities for bathing they ought to be protected from the death traps with which the river unfortunately abounds. We are glad to learn that the matter has been referred to at the Corporation meeting to-day. The sacrifice of twenty lives during the last ten years exceeds the number of killed in some recent British battles, and is a fact that ought not to be without its weight in preventing this annual loss of life. Mr. Ryan has lost no time in handing in a notice of motion in which he proposes to place £480 on the next estimates to provide suitable baths. This will again raise the matter, and we hope it will be satisfactorily arranged without waiting for more victims. In a question of this kind consideration of economy ought not to be everything.

Mr John Myles has been admitted a Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland.

It is understood that the case of Ml. O'Brien, charged with administering poison to his father-in-law, John Manning, has been transferred by the Crown to Waterford, and will be heard about the 19th inst.

The Lord Chancellor has through the recommendation of Lord Emly, Lieutenant of the County of Limerick, appointed Richard Copley-Langford, Esq., of Kilcosgriff, Co. Limerick, a magistrate for this county.

RIVER EXCURSIONS.—S. S. "Mermaid" will leave Limerick for Kilrush at 9.30. a.m., on Sunday next, 7th July, returning from Kilrush at 7.30. p.m. and arriving at Limerick at 10.30