

in the Protestant Episcopate
Wednesday, the 20th and 21st
niners were—The Rev A. G. Dann,
Clarke, the Rev W. M. Foley, the
win, the Rev J. B. Radcliffe, the
udson, and the Rev James Dowd.
7 examined, including four from
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SEVENTH CLASS.
*Robert Christie, *William Myles,
e, *George Ball, *Mary Connors.

SIXTH CLASS.
*Gertrude Ball, *Frances Myles,
reswell, *Edith Toppin; *Henry
bert Kelly (equal); *William Roche,
*Mary Anne Brosnaghan.

FIFTH CLASS.
*Charles Mills and John Burton,
Eggleston and *Charles Howe,
well Gregg, *George Mills, *Annie
ames Burton, equal; *Rose Bros-
Kate Laffin, equal; *Mary Keays,

FOURTH CLASS.
k—*Edward Williams, *Thomas
rence Ball; *Annie Eggleston and
erney, equal; *Freddy Myles and
ld, equal; *Alice Hughes, Minnie
lith Stokes, *Lilly Sandwith, *Henry
on O'Neill, *Thomas Browne, *Alex.

ik—Kate Young and Lizzie Burke,
y Hassett, Grace Hughes, Kitty

THIRD CLASS.
—John Hunt, Alice Harding, Susan
ohn Harding and Mary Storey, equal;
Harry Stewart, and Lizzie Sykes,
Loppin, Margaret Storey, Mira Hew-
Wynne, Mary E. Kerr, and Mary
; Dick Williams, Daisy Stokes, J.
Wolfe.

ik—Dick Johnston, Annie Molony;
on, and Henry Howe, equal; Sarah
nas Hearne, Essie Stokes, Matilda
nes Montgomery, J. Flaherty.

SECOND CLASS.
k—James Young, William Kidd,
Henry Powell, Henry Gale, George
tie Winder, Georgie Laird, Margaret

nk—Nelly Hewson, Daisy Walnut,
Annie Whittle, Freddy Alcock, Fanny
garet Ruddle, Thomas Montgomery,
, Hetty Young.

FIRST CLASS.
k—May Stewart and Freddy Ball,
Wark, Fanny Powell, and Lizzie
; Eddy Fannin, Mina Going, Julia
te Going, Alice Purdon, Marcella
s McGrath, and Julia Browne, equal;
ns, Joseph Stewart, John Wilkinson,
res, George Walters, Rebecca Bauk,

nk—William Quain, William Bon-
Whitaker, William Ruddle, Daisy
Philip Quain, and Eddie Adams,
Bauk, Sidney Sandwith, William
Lizzie Young, John Douglas, J. Milne,
J. Storey, Charles Eggleston, John

CHAPEL RUSSELL.
THIRD CLASS.
k—Albert Coulter.
nk—William Coulter.
FIRST CLASS.
k—May Rennison, Edith Coulter.

ination of the children and young
nging to the parishes of St. Munchin's,
and Kilmurry was held to-day (May

Thomas Gaffney, J.P.; John Dundon, Solicitor;
Stephen O'Mara, Patrick Riordan, Jerome
Counihan, J.P. Town Councillors J. M. Carthy,
Solicitor; J. Anglim, L. E. Ryan, P. Kenna, D.
Begley, M. Donnelly, T. M. Mahon Cregan, J.P.;
Robert M'Donnell, J.P.; Patrick Herbert, J.P.;
Bernal, M. G. Dowling, M. Cusack, James O'Mara,
B. O'Donnell, P. O'Malley, and J. Clune.

Mr A. C. Wallace (Town Clerk), Mr P. S. Con-
nolly (Law Adviser), Mr Wm. Spillane, J.P (Gas
Manager), Mr M. J. DeCourcy (Secretary to
Water Works), Mr W. E. Corbett (City Sur-
veyor), and Mr M. Woulfe (Treasurer), were also
present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read
and confirmed.

THE DEATH OF MR. HALL, B.E.

The Mayor said a sad event had occurred in
the city within the last two or three days.
Limerick had lost one of its most prominent, and
he would say one of its most intellectual citizens,
in the person of Mr Wm. J. Hall. He thought
it would be well that an expression
should come from this Council that they were in
deep sympathy with his sorrowing wife, and with
his sisters in their sad bereavement. Limerick
had lost in Mr Hall a gentleman whose services
were well recognised, and he should say that his
loss was irreparable, and so far as Limerick was
concerned, while he had a deep sympathy with
the family, he had to express on behalf of the
citizens, as Mayor, his sincere sympathy with
them. He was sure the Council felt the sincerity
of his remarks in expressing his deep regret for
the loss the city had sustained. He did not
think it was necessary to ask any gentleman to
propose a formal vote of sympathy, because he
felt they would be unanimous in conveying their
regret at his loss. He had known Mr Hall for a
number of years in the Harbour Board, and in
connection with several matters of interest to the
city, and on every occasion he found him a most
useful and agreeable assistant, and one always
anxious to make an effort to promote
the interests of the citizens.

Mr Robert M'Donnell said he was aware there
was important business to come before the
Council; but he was sure they would allow
him to trespass on their time for a few moments,
and permit him, as one of the oldest members of
the Harbour Board present, to express how deeply
he sympathised with the family in the death of
his friend, Mr Hall. He deplored his death not
only as that of a dearly loved friend, but as one
who had opportunities of witnessing his admi-
rable manner of acting as a public officer, and he
would say, and he had considerable experience,
that there was no harbour or port in England,
Scotland, or Ireland possessed a more careful,
zealous, or self-sacrificing officer than his dear
young friend, Mr Hall. He had to regret that
they should have to refer to the sad event that
day. He was sure the graceful words of the
Mayor would be endorsed by the Council, and
that generous feelings would actuate their fellow
citizens in dealing with his afflicted family.

THE GAS ACCOUNT

With reference to the bill presented by the
Gas Committee, in which they claimed £11 6s 2d,
being the amount of discount allowed,

Mr Spillane said the Corporation were bound
to refund that amount, as they had not discharged
the bill within the prescribed time, and therefore
were not entitled to any reduction or discount.
The bill was paid a month after date, and the
auditor required the sum taken off for discount to
be refunded.

Alderman Dundon—I think we ought to pass a
vote of thanks to the auditor.

Alderman Riordan proposed, and Mr Herbert
seconded that the amount be paid.

Alderman O'Mara dissenting.

Mr P. M. Stewart and other
National League attended as
urge the claims of the Corpora-
possession of the Athenæum. I
he would bear the matter in mind
was taken.

MR M'NAMARA'S CONTRACT FOR THE

The Secretary of the Water
minutes of the meeting of the W
held on the 14th May, when the f
were read:—

“ 27 Glentworth Stre
“ 14th May

“ LIMERICK WATER SU

“ MR CHAIRMAN AND GENTLEMEN—
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tained the services of Mr Stephen
lin, and proceeded on yesterday
where we spent over five hours
testing the girders rejected by
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but in my opinion they are of su
and the defects will not matef
working of the machinery. This
the work doing at Mr McNamara
beg to hand you Mr Stephens' r
fully explain all matters.—I re
man and Gentlemen, Yours etc.

WILLIAM E. CORBETT,

“ To the Water Committee, T

“ To the Water Committee,
Works.

“ GENTLEMEN,—In obedience
your city engineer, I visited
pany with him the pumping sta
present also Mr McNamara, the
4 contract; and his foreman.
the foundry; the contractor's
ferent work in progress. Both c
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and the strip cast on bed of pu
deficiency. Some of the girder
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on other castings, all three
bolted together by four ¾ inc
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has been broken up. This
girders, as they are made to be
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diminishes strength of girde
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correct, one with another. I
pump beds I think it would b
tractor to get done out, as his r
suitable for such heavy castin