

member for South Tyrone in an awkward position, though there is abundant reason for what he did to the present state a few weeks ago. Mr. T. W. Russell, in a speech at Moy, was unable to visit his constituents, and the whole of the Unionist members was left to a very characterised as "dead." It has been before now the majority of the Unionist members who are highly respected, who at a crisis like the present are useless. In the piping of the Unionists they would do as well as the Unionists, and when it is a stand-up fight and the Unionists, that is not the case for Ulster to be represented by "pet knights" of politics. Some are in that opinion, nor do they wish to make the discovery. However, strongly resents the energetic and warlike tea-drinking won't have his colleagues and able servants. He informs that "deadhead" is the term used by Yankee phraseology of a worthless, sponging lot of men who do no man's labours, money, and who are good enough, says Sir John Lubbock, Colonel Saunderson, but all the same he reminds Mr. Russell that he was the victim of a movement which attacked him and he is to be considered pretty well at the present time he did not defend himself, but he had no chance in self defence. "For the first time you were ever heard of" he has been in and out of the country a "deadhead"—even he has fallen into such a worthless position. Another interesting fact he says is that of the Member for South Tyrone remind you," he proceeds, "I paid £700 to secure as many seats in Ireland as possible at the end of that year, and I may say that in years there has been a

blind females will be preached in Trinity Church on to-morrow. The Right Rev. Dr. Chester, Lord Bishop of Killaloe will preach at morning service, and in the evening the Rev. Canon Gregg will occupy the pulpit.

We are pleased to learn that the Protestant Young Men's Association, purpose giving their "Grand Assault at Arms and Gymnastic Display" on Tuesday evening, 5th March. We believe there is a very interesting performance in course of arrangement, and we look forward with pleasure to the event.

The drawing for a mantle piece, valance, and bracket, and banner screen, took place at Messrs Guy and Co.'s, 114 George street, last evening with the following results:—Mantle-piece, valance, and bracket, won by Mrs. J. Phelps, Willow Bank. Ticket No. 453. Banner screen, won by Miss E. Ward, of Bansa Castle. Ticket No. 241.

MR JOHN F. MURRAY—The citizens generally, and his many friends will be glad to see by notice in our advertising columns this evening, that our talented and popular fellow-citizen, Mr John F. Murray, is remaining in his native city. As a conductor of concerts, Mr Murray has attained very great eminence, and as a teacher of the pianoforte and singing, many of his pupils in city and county reflect the greatest credit on him. We wish Mr Murray a very bright and successful future.

DEATH OF MR JAMES M'NAMARA—We regret to announce the death which took place yesterday at 15 Adelaide street, Kingstown, of Mr James M'Namara, 75 George street, Limerick. The deceased gentleman after a long illness, passed away, at the fine old age of 82 years. He had been for a considerable period Postmaster of Limerick, and it is a rather curious coincidence that nineteen years ago, which were completed yesterday, he resigned that position, and was succeeded by Mr M. E. Conway, the present Postmaster.

M'CARTHY'S CATTLE SALES—THIS DAY.—The fortnightly cattle sale at the Agricultural Hall, Military Road, was held today by Mr F. W. M'Carthy, auctioneer. There was a very large attendance of buyers, and all dairy cattle in active demand. Dairy cows were eagerly sought after, and high prices obtained, several lots averaging £18. Mr Ryan's heifers were rapidly bought up, and although not big heifers realized prices like £16 10s and fees, with an average of £15 15. The important feature of the sale was that everything offered was sold. Next sale on Saturday, 15th February.

ST. MARY'S CATHEDRAL.—Septuagesima Sunday.—Mattins 11.30 o'clock; Venite, Turton in A; Chants, Turle in D, ma. and mi.; Service, Te Deum and Jubilate, Tours in F; Hymn, No. 109; Communion Service, Tours in F; Offertory Sentences (choral), Barnby Preacher, the Rev J. W. F. Hudson, V.C. Evensong, 3.30 o'clock—Chants, Brown, Smith, and Sekyll; Service, Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Cooke in G; Anthem, "I am well pleased;" Ps., cxvi., Sir J. Stevenson; Preacher, the Dean. Hymn after Sermon No. 111. Week-day services at 11 a.m.

to in the meantime. A general strike will soon come to be stated that the men employed at have struck work in sympathy with the butchers because of the proprietors of them to continue work at Meer.

A full meeting of the merchants of Cork, and Waterford was held at the Limerick Junction, when the matter was under discussion for the first time. The proceedings were private, but the result was this—it was decided that it was necessary for referring to the other merchants the future pay of Shaw. They have agreed to a stand, and the penny a pig on addition. The trade, however, has their resolution not to allow the pigs bought by commissioners.

FUNERAL OF MR. ROBERT HUMBLE, M.F.I.

The interment of this much most popular sportsman and competitor took place on Tuesday at Alford yard, adjoining the town of the family burying-place, within the ancient church of that place, in which many of the family have been buried for the last 100 years.

The cortege left the family residence at a quarter past 1 p.m., late at the special desire of many of the Limerick, Fermoy, and Waterford dependents on train accommodation provided by an immense concourse of the peasantry and citizens of Dublin as the gentry of the surrounding parishes and the Roman Catholic clergy of the parishes.

The chief mourners were—His Grace, the Duke of Devonshire; Mr T. N. Humble; his uncle, Mr T. Clorane, Co. Limerick; his cousins, Mr W. P. Maxwell, Ardmore; Capt W. P. Maxwell, Percy Smith, Headboro'; Colonel more; Colonel Holroyd, R. H. Castle; Colonel Robertson, D. Hudson, Glenbeg; Thomas Hudson, Richard Usher, Cappagh House, Clashmore; J. Quinlan. Amongst the party from Limerick Humble had had his excellent party of hunting, and for 3 years made were—Mr J. P. White, D. L., at White; Mr J. V. Phelps, Waterneil; Mr Frank Fosbery, Dr. Br. David Browning; Mr. Al. Woodsdown; Mr D. Fitzjohn, Castle. From Fermoy—Colonel Frank Furlong and party, and the general attendance, accompanied on foot.

The windows in all the shops were shuttered, and doors closed for the greater part of the day.

FUNERAL OF MR. P. I.

The funeral of the above resident took place yesterday. The cortege was represented by the family representative. The remains were taken from his late residence, Castle Bank, and interred in the family burying