

reserving his ability for (captain) always plays a faultless game. The match was well won by the teams:—Halves—Forde, Brooks, Maguire, Wheeler. Barnes, Grimes, Byrne. Booth, Boyle, Garry. Halves—O'Connor, Stapleton, Swynn. (Captain), Prendergast, Murnane, Kelly,

WORKS IN CLARE.

MEETING AT BODYKE.

A meeting representative of the district was held yesterday at Bodyke for the purpose of discussing the inevitable destitution threatened during the winter. The important works re-ferred to were the re-arrangement of the Scariff River drainage, thereby causing the loss of thousands of acres of land. The scheme was the con-struction of a railway from Scariff to Ennis, and it was expected that the Government would favourably consider an application to carry out either scheme to avert the distress which is before the people. The Rev. J. Clancy, who was secretary to the meeting, read the following resolution:—“The people of East Clare, in view of the alarming destitution and probable loss of crops in these parts, that we call on them to petition the Government, and save them from distress to which we call the interests of all classes are against the system of

MOTHER OF THE CHILD REMAINS IN CUSTODY.

Announcements of Births, Marriages, and Deaths not exceeding 5 lines (which must in all cases be duly authenticated) are charged 2s 6d each. For every additional line, 6d.

BIRTH.

Godsal—December 21, at Henbury House, Wimborne, the wife of Major P. T. Godsal of a son.

MARRIAGE.

Hilliard and Caffrey—27th inst. at St. Michael's Church, by the Ven. The Archdeacon of Limerick, Robert William, eldest son of the late Domk. Hilliard, Cork, to Queenie, eldest daughter of Moses Caffrey, Limerick.

DEATH.

Naish—At Ballycullen on the 26th December, Carrol, eldest son of the late Carrol J. Naish, J.P. Deeply lamented by his wife and sorrowing family. R.I.P.

LOCAL RAILWAY TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Waterford and Limerick Railway System Traffic Receipts, 25th week, ending 19th December, 1890. 280 miles open, including 139 miles of joint lines worked by the Company.

		Accrued Receipts.	
1890	..	£3,453	1890 £110,713
1889	..	3,861	1889 104,582
Decrease ..		£408	Increase £6,131

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Rev Canon Gregg thankfully acknowledges from A Friend (per E. C. D. Bell, Esq.), 5s for the Asylum for Blind Females, and 5s for the Limerick Ragged Schools.

The Secretary Protestant Orphan Society thankfully acknowledges from—J. H. Weldon, Esq., annual subscription, £2; Kilmallock Branch, per C. Eyre Townsend, Esq., £6 11s 0d.

The Committee of the Penny Dinners gratefully acknowledge the following donations:—Mrs T. E. O'Brien, £2; Anonyms, £1; Rev Dr Hallinan, C.C., 10s. Tea, sugar, and vegetables from the following—Mr Michael O'Brien, Mrs J. F. Bannatyne, Mrs Fosbery, and Miss Massy Westropp.

The Collector of the Corporation Widows Alms House, Nicholas-street, thankfully acknowledges the receipt of five tons of coals from the Right Worshipful W. J. O'Donnell, Mayor of Limerick, for the use of the inmates.

R. Gibson begs to acknowledge three dumplings from Mrs Matterson for the Sunday Penny Dinners, and 2s 6d from John Bernal, Esq.; and £2 from Cecil Wild, Esq., Montreux Switzerland, for the Christmas Day Penny Dinners, which enabled the committee to give a really good dinner to 118 poor people.

FAIRS OF MUNSTER—DECEMBER.

Monday 29—Cork: Fermoy, Killagh. Kerry: Killarney.

Tuesday 30—Waterford: Kilmacothomas. Cork: Mallow.

Wednesday 31—Limerick: Drumcolloher.

Ennis monthly fair is held on the first Saturday of every month.

Cattle markets are held in the City of Limerick

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The County Limerick I
December as follows:—

Tuesday 20th	...	JANUARY
Friday 2nd	...	Hour—11 o
Tuesday 6th	...	*Changed from Ballyclo
Friday 9th	...	death of C. Naish, Esq.
The Limerick Harriers		
meet for December as follo		
Monday 29th	...	Ral
JANUARY		
Monday 5th	...	Hour—12 o
Thursday 8th	...	

MARKET

LIMERICK MARKET

CORN—There were 100 bags this day. White oats, heavy do., tartary, 8d to 9d. Black

BREADSTUFFS—1st flour, patent, £1 15s 0d; fines, £1 to £6 10s 0d per ton; F. pollard, £6 5s 0d; Indian do. fine £6 8s 0d; do. extra meal, £12 0s 0d; cuttling meal, £1 8s 6d per sack. The prices.

BUTTER—There were 12 fir this day. Good salt butter medium, 60s to 65s; inferior Lumps fetched from 11d to

EGGS—Hen eggs, 14d to eggs, 13d to 15d.

MEAT—Hind quarters of r quarters, 8d; roasting beef, 10d; corn beef, 7d.

DEAD PIGS—There were 4 which sold at from 32s to 36

AMERICAN BACON, 30s to 37d per lb. Hams, 9d per lb.

RAY AND STRAW—There was a load of oaten straw, and 1 market this day. Rye hay ton; upland, 20s 0d to 31s 30s; wheaten reed 50s to 60

HIDES AND SKINS—Hides, kip and runner, 1s 9d to 2s 1s 6d to 2s 2d each; horse sheep skins, 3s 6d to 5s 6d

TURNIPS—There were 4 l to-day, which sold at 14

POTATOES—There were a market to-day. Wholesale