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**ENGLISH AND SCOTTISH LAW LIFE OFFICE.**—We direct attention to the advertisement appearing in another column in reference to the English and Scottish Law Life Insurance office. It will be seen that very advantageous terms are offered to intending insurers, and they should be availed of without delay by applying for proposal forms to the local agents, or Messrs David Drimble and Sons, Secretaries, Dublin.

**ST JOHN'S CHURCH.**—It will be seen by advertisement that a Carol Service—most appropriate to the coming festive season—will, with the aid of an augmented choir, be held in St John's Church, on Wednesday next. The hour being 3.30, it is very convenient to a great many city and county people, and we hope there will be a large congregation, inasmuch as the offertory will be applied to the Church Expenses Fund, which urgently needs help.

**THE WHITE STAR CALENDAR FOR 1896.**—Messrs Ismay, Imrie and Co. have issued one of the most artistic calendars of the present season. The design, which is admirably etched by W. L. Wyllie, A.R.A., represents the s.s. "Majestic" entering New York Harbour. The surroundings are both busy and animated, and a capital idea is conveyed of a scene which must always be interesting to the thousands of travellers who cross the Atlantic ferry.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.**—The Rev. John Macdermott will officiate in the Presbyterian Church, Glentworth street, to-morrow. The object of this visit is to bring before the people the responsibility and privilege of advancing the kingdom of God in and through the various missions of the Church. The Christian public of all denominations may enjoy the opportunity of hearing a stirring address on the subject of missions.

**DEATH OF MASTER FREDERICK A. BALL.**—We regret to record this evening the demise of Master Frederick Albert Ball, youngest son of Mr William Ball, of 6 Mount Vincent Terrace. He had been only a couple of days ill, and passed away yesterday, to the inexpressible grief of his distressed parents. Master Ball was gifted with a very bright and cheerful manner, and showed a delight in all these unalloyed joys of childhood, which gathered round him a host of companions who will deeply lament his death. The funeral takes place on Monday morning at nine o'clock for St. Munchin's.

**BREAKING PUBLIC LAMPS IN NENAGH.**—A couple of nights ago, at about half-past eleven o'clock, a man who gave his name as Archibald Duffey, and stated he was from Scotland, was arrested by Acting-Sergeant Kelly and Constable O'Neill, in Castle-street, Nenagh, for breaking one of the public lamps. It appears the Acting-Sergeant and Constable were on patrol duty, and hearing a crash, ran in the direction of Castle-street, where they found Duffey demolishing one of the public lamps. He was arrested and kept in custody until morning, when he was taken before Captain P., J.P., and Mr Walshe, J.P., and charged with the offence. He was sentenced to three months hard labour in Limerick Jail.

not to such an extent as to that others.

Mr Joyce and Mr T. Fogarty also Mr J. A. Bourke inclined to the Lover's characters were true to life altogether he is a faithful novelist poet.

Mr Hurright thanked all the speakers flattering allusions to his efforts, and a few unfavourable criticisms with the Chairman complimented on his essay, and said he agreed with J. F. Fogarty on the two points, characters were frequently made buffoon, and that Irishmen did not manufacture in literature. Lever he deemed principally responsible for Irishman who supplied the stock English readers and English critics to Lover, he would not accuse exaggeration, but hold him in the innocent cause of much mischief. on the other hand, believed the poet worthy all praise, but maintained sphere of miniature painting he passed. Yet, owing to the comparatively small number who make the acquaintance of his productions, he is least known in Ireland where he most excels.

#### FUEL AND BLANKET I

A meeting of the Fuel and Blanket Committee was held yesterday evening, Office, Town Hall. Most Rev. Dr. O'Shaughnessy, J.P., Hon. Secretary (Mr D. F. McNamara); James Quinn, Flynn, William Spillane, J.P.; T. P. Morrissey, G. Cross, and Alderman The Chairman inquired if details were being made.

Dr O'Shaughnessy replied that already been made.

Some discussion ensued as to the funds.

The Chairman suggested that the committee be informed that they need not give time to the work of collection for Christmas.

Mr Flynn remarked that he had three Councillors for the Irishtown Donnelly, Kenneally, and Frankl consented to take up the collection for the same. Mr Donnelly and himself the Messrs Denny, who handed the subscription of £10.

It was agreed that the list should be published in the local paper.

The Committee afterwards adjourned.

#### POLICE COURT

There were several cases of disorderly conduct disposed of by Court this morning, by Mr T. Several women were brought up to various terms of imprisonment and bad behaviour, while a few offenders appeared to answer libels were dealt with similarly.

**THE BRITISH LARYNGOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION.**—The annual meeting of the British Association was held on Friday, Chandos-street, London, when Mr J. Ford, of Cork, delivered the opening address as President for the ensuing year.