

of the fact that under similar the Liberals did not oppose the Mr Jackson on his accepting chief Secretary for Ireland in rment. This feeling is credit-parties, and especially in this ionists, to whom the majority poll of over eleven thousand, it temptation. The elevation of endel, the leader of the Welsh the House of Lords, creates a Montgomeryshire, where the city of 1892 was 815, and larger at either of the two previous his seat will be contested, and parties are preparing for the rancy in Berwick is the result of of Mr Marjoribanks to the He has sat for Berwickshire 4 years, but his majorities have g. In 1885 he defeated his 2,533. In 1886 this had 1,601, and in 1892 he held his Ar C. B. Balfour by only 748. alfour, who is a cousin of the the Opposition, will again elf to the constituency. Mr son has to seek re-election at he was successful at the General a majority of 1,643. In 1886 d, but as three Unionists in- g to the poll there can be little xtracted from that returns to ndition of parties in the place fact that Mr Munro-Ferguson more than all three Unionists n the Hawick Burghs Mr Shaw on on being appointed Solicitor- Scotland. Sir George Tre- rned here unopposed in 1885. ladstonian had a majority of 30 ge Trevelyan as a Unionist, and Shaw won by 365. With the Mr Herbert Gladstone, this is majority of all, and there is a the local Unionists are inclined law to retain his seat without to the trouble of a contest. the prospect of the disappear- y disturbing element from the ctical politics, both parties are exhibit towards one another that chivalrous feeling which general practice, and which, if correctly, Mr Gladstone was the through. When a politician of as succeeded in winning a seat, a severe and trying contest, it is

order of the court for the attendance of Mr Leahy, the late Master of Glin Workhouse, whose evidence is necessary. An assault case and one for drunkenness were disposed of.

**FISHING ON MR EYRE POWELL'S FISHERY.**—The fishing at Plassy and other places on Mr Eyre Powell's fishery above Limerick has, notwithstanding the height of the water, been remarkably good at this season of the year. During the past week Mr Coffey caught five fish weighing 40, 33, 32, 20, and 14lbs respectively; J Heffernan, two, 30, and 38lbs; J Ryan, three, 33, 27, and 24lbs; W O'Dell, one, 33lbs; Mr O'Sullivan, one, 30lbs, and Mr A Nestor, one, 18lbs.

**ST MARY'S CATHEDRAL.**—Fifth Sunday in Lent (11th March)—Venite, Goss in A; Chant, Morley (D minor), and Kelway in D; Service, Nares in F; Hymn, No. 327; Communion Service, Nares in F; Preacher, the Dean. Evensong, 3.30 o'clock—Chant, Hawes in E flat and Cook in C minor; Service, Hopkins in F; Anthem, "Plead Thou My Cause," Mozart; Hymn, No. 164; Preacher, Rev J W F Hudson, M A, Succentor. Week-day services daily. Litany on Wednesday and Friday.

**DEATH OF MR THOMAS GABBETT.**—We regret to announce the death of Mr Thomas Gabbett, a representative of a very old and most respected Limerick family, which took place at his residence, 6 Catherine Place, last night. The deceased gentleman, who had reached an advanced age, was a well known and most popular county official, having been for very many years, and was so at the time of his death, Barony Cess Collector for Pubble Brien and Coshma. For some time past Mr Gabbett was in delicate health. The funeral leaves for St Mary's Cathedral on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

#### EXTRAORDINARY SCENE AT A SHERIFF'S SALE.

An extraordinary and rather violent scene, which recalled some of the most stirring episodes of the Land League days, occurred at the County Courthouse this afternoon, on the occasion of a sheriff's sale, at the suit of Christopher D V Tuthill, landlord, Mrs Catherine Barry, defendant. The chattel interest was offered for sale in the farm of Ballinard and Herbertstown, containing 120 statute acres at £165 a year, and also defendant's licensed public house and premises. The total claim was for £246 and costs, and sheriff's costs, and the sale created extraordinary interest, a very large crowd of people from the district having collected in the Record Court, and after the conditions of sale were read by the sheriff they behaved themselves in a most boisterous manner, booing and yelling so much that Mr Hobson had eventually to adjourn the sale. Mr B Barrington, the landlord's solicitor, who was present, came in for a great deal of abuse, but fortunately there was no personal violence. After the adjournment of the sale a meeting was held in the Record Court, and some speeches delivered. A band was also in attendance.

Subsequently a settlement was come to in the office of Mr Barrington, Mr P S Connolly, solr, acting for the tenant. The landlord agreed to accept in full up to the 29th September, £150, and to reduce the rent from £2 12s 6d to £2 5s, for the remainder of the judicial tenancy of four years. The landlord agreed that every March rent would be payable for the future before September, and the September rent before March during the currency of the judicial tenancy, the rent of £2 5s an acre now agreed upon,

eight creameries in Limerick, the other on the banks of very large rivers, th invested in these six being now p lost, as only the machin moveable. The farmers in the distri put to great inconvenience. The p demand and will have similar butte made in these kind of factories. If l a too stringent guard over the absol of her rivers will not have it made th countries will get all this trade. Had and Sweden determined to prevent th factories running their factory was the streams they would not have that over the butter markets which they present."

Further on the writer states that must now get our supplies of butter e To do this we are already taking steps to large dairy at Hull, import to there D Swedish cream, churn it, and so get a fresh butter to take the place of what been making in Ireland. We have mac ments and found it quite practicable to the highest quality of fresh butter from cream, although it is quite a new depa likely to compete strongly with both E Irish farmers in the future, as by t they lose all the advantages of pr xim markets, and the consequent fact that therefore sell their butter fresher."

#### COUNTY LIMERICK HOUN

The County pack met at Taylor's yesterday (Friday), a number of visi Duhallow, Tipperary, and from En creasing the field. Just at the appoi 11.30, Mr Bayly, of Green Park, rode up formation of an outlying fox close hounds were quickly laid on and ran to of the road over Garryellen, and Fedamore covert, which, after some p he quitted from the west side despite so field, and a line of traps on the road w pelled him to leave that highway to the half a mile. Then swinging to the left the road and made a bee line for I leaving Rockfield to the left, through I and on to Ballyregan, and from there him away back to Kilpeacon House, w roled him over and killed. The next Ballycahane, which held, and they were away at the to Bettyville. Completely slipping the crossing the Honeypond road they towards Fanningstown and lost him. was Tory Hill, and the field once more happy, "the gone away" having bee sounded, and at a rattling pace we towards Fanningstown but bending t we passed through Mr Brownings i sharp again to the right, went on clos flynn bog, on by Jocky Hall, across the Fort Etna, across the boundary into through there across the road, throu bronogue, over the river and back Limerick road, on by Fanningstown an Jocky Hall, where they killed, after and twenty minutes. The first part of was quick, but from Attyflynn the slower.

Amongst those out we noticed Bannatyne, M E H; Mr J V Phelps, M Russell, Miss Gavin, Mr Jas O'G Deli Carroll, Nenagh; Mr F G M Kenned Leahy, Mr Thos Shaw, Mr Blackall, Nenagh; Mr R Harris, Mr D Brownin Forester, M F H Old Berks; Lord Cast Whitefield, Mr Arthur White, Mr Nor ing, M D; Mr John F Green, Mr Peter Lord Fermoy, Mrs Bennett, Mr Thos Bennett, Mr O'Brien, Capt Hughes Huggins. Major Commanding R A. I