

ask Pamir to Leah. They certainly were in a very perilous time of it, in which they were great privation, not to speak of personal attacks, but "courage never to submit or retreat, but to stand on their hazardous expeditions so they emerged from it successfully." As observes—"I am glad to say that, in the exception of touches of frost bite, neither was any the worse for our adventure." His account which it will be seen has been most carefully written up covers a period dating from the 1st of May to the 16th June, and the details of it concisely will be read with great interest.

A large number of Limerick and Clare men went to the Dublin Horse Show proceeded by rail and ordinary trains on yesterday.

Rev Percy J Mitchell, formerly Curate of Limerick, and latterly Curate to the late Dean of Limerick, has been appointed to the sole charge of the diocese by the Lord Bishop of Killaloe.

Lord Chief Justice has returned from Germany, where he has been taking a tour; and Lady O'Brien and Sir Peter are remaining at Palmerstown a large party for the Show week.

Ashtown has enjoyed some excellent success at Glensheary. On the 18th, to his own bagged 17½ brace of grouse and 1 hare, the 20th his lordship got 11 brace of grouse and 4 hares; while on the 24th he bagged 10 brace of grouse and 5 hares.

On the tour of Sir Augustus Harris's opera company, which commences to-day at Blackpool, Mr Joseph O'Mara will be one of the principal operatic roles, "Lohengrin," "Faust," and Walthamstow in "Die Meistersinger."

TOWN COURT—Dr M J Quigley, District Magistrate, held his fortnightly court to-day. There were only a few ordinary cases for disposal.

OF A CENTENARIAN.—In the Tralee house, on Wednesday last, a man, who had reached the ripe age of 103 years, breathed his last. He was a native of Tralee, and was named Patrick Grady. Up to six months ago he was in very good health.

GRAM ON THE INFANT PRINCE.—The Rev Mr Meredith has received from His Royal Highness the Duke of York, through his Equerry, the noble Charles Cush, a complimentary letter of thanks for a poetic anagram on the sevenfold baptism given at the baptismal font to his infant son. It was printed at the establishment of Messrs McKern and Sons, on white paper, and ordered with gold fringes.

DEATH.—A woman named Ellen Corr, aged 55, died suddenly at her residence on the Quay, on Sunday evening. Mrs Corr was of nervous temperament, and was liable to be excited by anything that concerned her. She had long been troubled with a headache, and alleged some annoyance was caused in the domestic circle, in the midst of which the poor woman became suddenly ill and expired. The death was immediately reported to Constable O'Connell. A medical examination attributed the death to heart disease.

OBJECTIONS TO VOTES AT KILRUSH.—A number of objections to Parnellite votes have been served by post in Kilrush. The objection in every instance are signed by Mr Carmody, member of the local poor law board. The objectors objected to say that there are no names for many of the objections lodged. The next Sessions will not be held till October and some lively scenes may be anticipated. So far objections have been lodged to Federal votes in this district.

THE STREET PREACHERS.—A number of Street Preachers who had arranged to meet with Limerick and hold

at which, on the proposition of Mr Scanlan, a resolution was unanimously adopted expressing regret at the untimely death of the Rev P M O'Kelly, Administrator of the Parish, and that the Commissioners attend the funeral to-morrow in their representative capacity.

DEATH OF MR WILLIAM REIDY, RHINEANNA.

(FROM A CORRESPONDENT.)

Many of your readers will learn with feelings of deep regret of the death of Mr Wm Reidy, which took place at his residence, Rhineanna, on the 25th instant. His robust constitution battled bravely for several months against a lingering disease, and though his death was not unexpected by his immediate friends, still the outside public were greatly shocked at his comparatively early demise—he having only reached the age of 48 years. A most extensive and practical farmer, his advice was often sought and his counsels availed of by numerous acquaintances. Though his figure was familiar on the Market Square and Fairgreen, he was still better known as an ardent sportsman, and his colours—the well-known "green and gold"—could be seen to the front for the past dozen years at all the important race meetings in Ireland. The greetings which hailed the victories of "Mazurka," "Sarsfield," "Brian Boru," "Auld Stock," etc, spoke volumes for the popularity of the owner, "Sporting Bill Reidy," as his friends loved to call him. A most striking proof of the esteem in which Mr Reidy was held by all classes, was the large and representative concourse that accompanied the remains yesterday to the family burial place at Quin Abbey. The funeral procession extended over three miles, and was, perhaps, the largest ever seen in County Clare—parties travelling from Limerick, Cork, Galway, and Tipperary, to be present. The remains were removed at 10 o'clock to Carrigery, R.C. Church, where a solemn High Mass was offered, the clergy present being Rev Fr Cunningham, C.C. Clare Castle, Celebrant; Rev Fr Scanlan, C.C. Newmarket, Deacon; Rev Fr Quin, Milltown Malbay, Sub-Deacon; Rev Fr Crowe, P.P. Clare Castle, and Rev Fr Loughnane, Adm. Newmarket, Chanters; Rev Fr Hannen, C.C. Kilkree; Rev Fr Frost, C.C. Silvermines; Rev Fr Barry, C.C. Ennis; Rev Fr Kennedy, C.C. Quin; Rev Fr Kelly, C.C. do. At 12 o'clock the funeral started for Quin, the carriages, etc, numbering over three hundred. Wreaths were sent by the following—Mrs Wm Reidy, Miss Frost, Knockane; Mr and Miss Scott, Mr T Lynch, Mr and Mrs J Clune, George-street, Limerick.

The chief mourners were—Messrs James and Michael Reidy, brothers of the deceased; Rev J. Frost, Patrick John Frost, and John Frost, brothers-in-law; William P Reidy, and William D Reidy, cousins; Patrick, John, and David Bermingham, nephews; Michael Brassill, uncle; and George Frost, Cratloe.

Amongst the general public present were—Dr Frost, Newmarket; Dr Scanlan, Kilkishen; Dr Lyddon, Galway; Dr Hannen, Newmarket; Messrs P Lynch, B.L.; John Clune, J.P.; Robert Hewitt, J.P., Granahan Castle; John Dundon, solicitor; E Dundon, Dr Riordan, V.S. Limerick; Michael Frost, The Hill; Thomas Frost, Feenagh; Robert Holmes, P.L.G.; John Lynch, P.L.G.; J M'Namara, P.L.G.; P Hannen, P.L.G.; M Murphy, P.L.G.; J Hogan, P.L.G.; R Nix, P.L.G.; M Quinlivan, P.L.G.; J K Burke, Broadford; J McDonnell, do; Frank Burke, do; J Sheehy, Court; M Naughton, Askerton; E Punch, Cratloe; J Moloney, do; E M Bennett, Clerk Ennis Union; P J Frost, Clerk Limerick Asylum; J Moloney, Knocklong; P Mulcahy, Caherdavin; P Lynch, Killoo; George Hare, Limerick; E Frost, do; A Egan, do; J P Egan, do; Wm Bateman, do; J Ryan, do; P Quinlivan, Dublin; D Kennedy Ballycasey; J O'Donohue, Rhineanna; M O'Donohue, Clarecastle; J Gleeson, Clondrina; George Frost, Clonmoney; M Frost, Drumline; C M Brennan, Smithstown; Paul Eggers, P Frost, and J Clune, Todd and Co; T Hickey, Sixmilebridge; L Foley, do; T Frost, do; J S Frost, Rosmanagher; Wm Halpin, Newmarket; James Halpin, do; J Kelly, Clonagh; J Hickey, Coonagh; Wm Ryan, Bunratty; Thomas Maunsell, Deerpark; J L Frost, Meelick; J Nealon, Kildysart; James Clune, Quin; E Frost, Lismoyle; P O'Grady, P.L.G., &c.

of idlers who assembled at the mill hands who were dispersed by the constables. Roche's street, were dispersed by the constables. Some of the mill hands who have not gone out on the strike, are aided by several of the office staff and heads of departments, and by this means a considerable amount of work is being done within doors. The situation with regard to the bulk of the mill hands and the balance of the carters, however, remains in statu quo, but it is hoped that they will act on the advice strongly given them on all sides—their own supporters included—and return to their work immediately.

Another branch of the strike, and one of the most serious concern to the port, and the city generally, is that relating to the dock labourers, who have not alone gone out "in sympathy" with Messrs Bannatyne's men, but have in addition, as we have already reported, availed themselves of the opportunity of demanding an increase of 1s a day in their wages, which, if granted, would bring the sum up to 6s and 7s a day, according to classification. There are five vessels at present in Dock with cargoes of grain for Messrs Bannatyne, and it was all along felt that if the Strike should continue for any time the Shipping Federation would have to take action in their own interest. This has come to pass. The Federation has applied to the Harbour Commissioners for permission, which has been granted, to erect shedding accommodation within the Dock premises for 200 imported labourers who will, it is expected, arrive here in a day or two by special steamer from some English port to discharge the vessels in Dock with the aid of steam machines which they take over with them. Carpenters will also arrive to put up the sheds. A force of extra police will, no doubt, be brought into the city to protect the strangers during their stay here.

An agitation is also going on in the port against the use of steam winches in the discharge of coal vessels, and on one steamer where it was attempted the labourers succeeded in their object, and got the man who had been employed to work the steam machine sent on shore. The work of discharging is now being done solely by labour, and it may be remarked that between cost of cartage and increased labour the coal merchants here are handicapped to the extent of 2s 6d a ton as compared with Waterford.

The strike in the grain trade here has obtained very considerable notice at the other side of the water, much to our detriment, we fear. It is stated that vessels will not come here in future unless at an extra freight of 2s 6d as compared with what they would charge for Waterford or Sligo and this would mean a tax in itself of over 3d every barrel of corn brought in here.

The Shipping Gazette of yesterday has the following:—"The Limerick stevedores seem to have caught the infection of striking out of sympathy and their experience is likely to be the same that of others who have pursued a like course. A short time ago the mill hands employed by Messrs Bannatyne, the well-known millers, struck work because the firm refused to give them an advance of wages. The stevedores "came out in sympathy," and refused to unload any more grain ships until the demand of the millers was conceded. Having once struck, they afterwards on their own account announced that they would resume labour except upon a new system of payment which involves an additional penny per ton in the rate. Six grain ships are now lying idle in the port, four of them belonging to foreign owners, and only two, the William Anning of the Isle of France, being under the British flag and entered in the Shipping Federation. As regards the loss and inconvenience which the strike is causing, there seems to be good grounds for the intervention of the Government in order to restore freedom of contract, especially when it is remembered in addition to this particular trouble, Limerick stevedores are making themselves ridiculous by insisting upon old-fashioned methods being employed in the discharge of ships. Receivers of grain cargoes are equally interested with shipowners in resisting such posterous demands, and definite action ought to be at once taken by both bodies."

"Stevedores" is our contemporary's expression in applying to the men.

ALLEGED CATTLE LIFTING IN CLARE.