

ST. JOHN'S R.C. CATHEDRAL.

years ago, the Roman Catholic parish of St. John's was found to be not well off for the congregation that attended, but also unglorious in other ways...

ARRIVAL OF CARDINAL LOGUE IN LIMERICK.

His Eminence Cardinal Logue arrived in Limerick this evening by the 6.40 train from Dublin. An immense gathering of citizens assembled at the terminus to greet the distinguished Prelate...

STRANGE FATALITY IN THE CITY.

THE INQUEST AND VERDICT. On Saturday night last a strange occurrence took place in High street, resulting in the death of a man named Denis Ryan, described as an actor...

LATEST NEWS.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.) LIMERICK CHRONICLE OFFICE. TUESDAY, EVENING, 7 P.M. CLYDE SHIP BUILDERS REFUSE INCREASED WAGES. The Clyde shipbuilders have refused their iron workers the demand for increased wages...

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SPORTING INTELLIGENCE

(SPECIAL TELEGRAMS.) ASCOT RACES - TUESDAY. Trial Stakes - Best Man, 1; Bocking Gales, 2. Three runs. Ascot Stakes - Argonia, 1; Red Spindle Leg, 3. Eleven runs. Thirty-Seventh Biennial - Pastorella, 1; Spur Royal, 2; Seven runs. Prince of Wales's Stakes - Contract, 1; turtur, 2; Samsonite, 3. Four runs. Gold Vase - Quantifier, 1; Sarina, 2; side, 3. Eight runs. Country Stakes - Whitton, 1; Sai Galina, 3. Thirteen runs. Everside Trial - Aronwick colt, 1; phont, 2; Son of a Gun, 3. Five runs. STAFFORDS PRIZES. Trial - 5 to 4 on Best Man. Stakes - 10 to 12 agt Aborigine. Biennial - 5 to 1 agt Pastorella. Prince of Wales's - 4 to 1 agt Contract. Vase - 5 to 1 agt Quantifier. Country - 100 to 6 agt Whitton. Trial - 7 to 4 agt Aronwick.

RATHKELIA QUARTER SESSIONS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.) The Rathkela Quarter Sessions were opened to-day by his Honor, County Court Judge Adams, who was assisted by the following magistrates - Mr. R. Copple-Langford, Master, Colleston, R.M., Mr. P. L. Hartigan, and Mr. Peter Griffin. Mr. John Ellard, Clerk of the Crown and Peace, and Mr. Deanehy, solicitor, Registrar, were in attendance. The following were the Grand Jury - Messrs Wm Nolan, foreman; Daniel O'Brien, William Watson, William Edderman, Cornelius Magner, Thomas Ambrose, Cornelius Magner, John E. Ewin, Daniel Cronin, Cornelius Magner, John Hartigan, Cornelius James Manyan, Maurice Cronin, James Malcar, Thomas Bright, Thomas Allicar, Daniel Hartigan, and James Pitts. His Honor, addressing the jury, said there was only one case to go before them. A man named Patrick McCarthy was charged with a grievous assault on a man named John Ryan. The case was a very simple one in any way, but of course it was a case in which the Grand Jury should do their duty. They were only there to see if there was a case against the prisoner to be inquired into, and he might tell them there was no doubt - he had read the depositions - but that he thought it to be inquired into. It appeared from the Crown evidence that the prisoner was in a boat with this man Ryan at the races, and some difference having occurred between them, McCarthy, who had a tumbler in his hand, actually lunged at Ryan, striking him in the face and wounding him so badly that his life for a while was in danger. There was evidence, however, even by the prosecution, that the prisoner received considerable provocation, and that he actually lunged at Ryan before he committed the assault. That was matter, however, which the judge was bound to consider, and they might be perfectly assured that he would take it into consideration when he gave his verdict. Inasmuch as there was evidence that an assault had been committed by the prisoner, it would be their duty to find a true bill against him. The Grand Jury then retired, and shortly afterwards returned with a true bill. They were then discharged. [The remainder of the report is unavoidably held over to next issue.]

THE ALLEGED CRIMINAL CASE.

Yesterday, in the Exchange Division, the Chief Baron and Mr. Justice Andrews gave judgment on the motion for a new trial in the action of M. J. Ryan, in which the plaintiff, a local proprietor in Kinnaird, obtained a verdict for £200 in respect of alleged criminal conduct by his wife and Mr. Ryan, a merchant in extensive business, also residing in Kinnaird. Mr. Atkinson, Q.C., Mr. O'Shaughnessy, Q.C., and Mr. O'Connell, Q.C., appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. O'Connell (solicitor) appeared on behalf of the defendant in support of the application, which was at argument on several days last week. Messrs J. M. Magin, Q.C., J. O. Wright, Q.C., and Redmond Barry, instructed by Mr. S. Gaffney, appeared for plaintiff in support of the verdict. Before judgment was given, Mr. Atkinson said he wished to call their lordship's attention to a mistake in the report of the learned judge who tried the case (Mr. Justice Murphy). He understood that the defendant said he never walked with Mrs. Marlock in 1892. It should be 1891. The Lord Chief Baron said that this was an application for a new trial on the ground of the reception of illegal evidence, that the verdict was against the weight of evidence, and on the ground of surprise. No question was raised in the course of the argument in reference to the learned judge who tried the case (Mr. Justice Murphy) not include the year 1891, but relating to 1892. His lordship then read the report of the evidence of the several witnesses examined at the trial, including that of Miss Annie Marlock and John Marlock, which defendant and son, and then said he was of opinion that the verdict should be set aside on the ground of the reception of illegal evidence. The second ground on which the new trial was sought was that the verdict was against the weight of evidence. His lordship read the notes of the evidence as to the meeting of plaintiff's wife and defendant, and asked were they to hold that twelve reasonable men should not believe the children. Their credibility with the jury depended on their intelligence. The verdict of the jury was supported in the strongest manner by the learned judge, who had considered that the verdict was justified. He said he watched the evidence of the two children and their demeanor, and was satisfied that they were speaking the truth. The little girl, he said, was particularly intelligent. The boy was an intelligent witness. They (the Lord Chief Baron and Mr. Justice Andrews) were entitled to attach weight

MADAME TREBELL'S WILL SUIT.

The hearing of the Trebelli will suit was resumed in London to-day when Madame Marie Luzean, late nurse to Madame Trebelli's daughter, continued her evidence. Zelle Vaudour, who took witness's place, was cousin to Madame Trebelli's cook. Cross-examined - Witness said Madame Marie Trebelli objected to the presence of certain persons at her mother's house, including a Monsieur Musin.

THE SUPPOSED ANARCHIST BALL.

At Westminster to-day the hearing of the charges against the supposed anarchist, Brall, was resumed, when Dr Dupree said he examined the bottles and chemical substances submitted to him by the police. The two bottles contained strong sulphuric acid and nitric acid respectively, and two had contained methylated spirit. The fifth contained exceedingly strong spirit, sixty-five over proof, and another contained mercury. The acids named were used in manufacturing nitro glycerine and ammonium nitrate, and methylated spirit, used in making fulminate mercury, the manufacture of which, except under special license was illegal. He had also examined the papers seized by the police, containing receipts for the manufacture of explosives.

A NEW KNIGHT.

Mr. Leader William, engineer, Manchester Ship Canal, is to be knighted.

SEVERE CHARGE OF FORGERY.

At Bow street to-day Michael Fogelstein was remanded charged with forging a cheque for £130 marks belonging to the Employers Corn Merchants at Munich.

THE LABOUR ELECTORAL ASSOCIATION CONGRESS.

The seventh annual congress of the Labour Electoral Association of Great Britain was opened at Bradford to-day. In welcoming the delegates, Mr. Bush said the labour cause was second to none, and mentioned there were 80 delegates present as compared with 40 last year. The officers were then elected. In his opening address, the President, Conductor Hobson, Sheffield, deprecated their alliance with other political parties, and advised the friends of labour to give their votes to the candidates who would best serve the cause of labour irrespective of politics. A resolution was carried expressing satisfaction that the President had been requested to contest the Athercliffe Division. Mr. Hobson, in reply, said if there was anything like a unanimous expression on the part of the Athercliffe workers in his favour he should be prepared to serve their interests.

A DERELICT.

A wrecked fishing ship, apparently cut in two, was today seen floating off Tyne.

PRIZE FIGHT IN AMERICA.

Boston, Tuesday. Rob Fitzsimmons and Joe Choynski, fought last night. The former won the prize.

CONDITION OF LORD ELOHO.

Lord Eloho, who has been dangerously ill from pneumonia, passed through a crisis last night and is to-day going on well.

FROM DOVER TO FRANCE IN A CANOE.

A gentleman named Sayce left Dover for France to-day in a canoe with a small sail.

SAVING ASSAULT ON A WOMAN.

The diving depositions were taken at Liverpool to-day of Sarah Fitzgibbon, recently savagely assaulted. The police have arrested the suspect.

THE INQUEST AND VERDICT.

Yesterday evening an inquest was held by Alderman Jerome Connihan, J.P., and Mr. John Kelly, in the absence of the City Coroner, Mr. DeCourcy, who is in Dublin in connection with Mr. McNamara's action against the Corporation. The following jury were sworn - David Cronin (foreman), James Keenan, John Kelly, David Nelson, Michael Mulvey, W. W. Lavery, C. Devans, James Carow, Michael Minnab, Timothy McGrath, Patrick Hayes, and James Pitts. The riot inspector Hurrell conducted the inquest on behalf of the Crown. Margaret Ryan was the first witness examined. In reply to Mr. Hurrell, D.I., she deposed she was the widow of deceased man, Denis Ryan, who was an actor going about from place to place; he was a man of good constitution, and was not ill for the past fifteen years; witness and her sister, Ellen O'Keefe, were in the habit of travelling about with him assisting him in his performing for the past nine weeks they had lived in the house of Matthew Keogh, at 159 High street; on Saturday night last the three of them had come to the house about six o'clock; there was some dispute between witness and Keogh's wife about the previous evening, and when they came in the morning, Keogh, who is at present out of the country, that they would not sleep in the house that night, and afterwards called witness's sister (some name); the deceased then said his manhood was wounded, and that Keogh must prove his statement before the bench of the deceased, the next morning taking a pen from his pocket to take a note of what Keogh had said; he was in the act of taking a note when Keogh caught him and dragged him along the shop; witness rushed out to see between them as she knew Keogh was under the influence of drink; the latter then struck witness on the eye, and she called out "police, police," and afterwards went out to bring some police; in a few minutes she came back and found some police; she and her husband were then dead; the deceased was perfectly sober on the occasion. To the Foreman - When she went for the police there were three other lodgers in the house. Ellen O'Keefe, the sister of the last witness, was next examined. She stated that when Ryan came in, Keogh asked were these people in the house yet, and then cursed an oath that they would not sleep in his house that night; he called witness a name, and the deceased then said that as a man he should take his sister-in-law's part; Keogh, who was inside the counter, then caught the deceased and struck him into the face, and a scuffle took place; witness went to push Keogh back and down, and Mrs. Keogh came in and struck her into the face; in the meantime her sister - the deceased's widow - had gone for the police; when they came out she saw the counter Keogh pushed the deceased against the wall keeping hold of him by the throat; he threw the deceased against the partition, and he fell dead; witness then screamed that he was dead, and called for assistance; witness then spoke to the deceased, but got no answer, and the deceased got blue about the eyes, and lips; the deceased was a man of temper, habits; Keogh was under the influence of drink at the time, but he was not incapable. To a juror (Mr. Nelson) - The three lodgers were sitting in the kitchen at the time and could see what was going on; none of them came to give any assistance. John Walsh, an army pensioner, deposed that at about 7 o'clock on Saturday night he saw the deceased with his wife and sister-in-law coming into the house; he heard deceased conversing with his wife; Keogh said, "These people shall not stay in this house to-night, especially that one inside," the deceased took a book and put it in his pocket to take down his words and put it on the table; Keogh took them down and deceased struck him several times, and Keogh returned the blows; the women then went out and separated them; Ryan witnessed the fight, and asked him to come out and have a "pint," on going out she said he would make him answer for his words; Keogh seized deceased by the throat and held him against the wall and then threw him down; when he looked at deceased's countenance he saw it was green with the appearance of death, and he said to go for the priest and doctor. A juror (Mr. Cronin) - How long did he keep his hands on his throat? Witness - About half a minute; deceased was a temperate man and healthy; deceased was under the influence of liquor. A juror - Was he capable of knowing what he was doing? Yes. Witness - Cornelius McEneaney deposed to finding the man on a form attended by Father McNamara; deceased was warm at the time, but in witness's opinion was quite dead. Dr. Holmes was next examined. He deposed that he had seen a mortem examination of the body with Dr. Mulcahy; there were no external marks of violence; on opening the thorax he found that the lungs were extensively diseased, and the heart in an advanced state of fatty degeneration with extreme valvular disease; the kidneys were also badly diseased; he was of opinion that death resulted from heart disease, accelerated by the scuffle which took place between the deceased and Keogh. Dr. Mulcahy gave similar testimony, and the jury returned a verdict in accordance with the medical evidence.