

others who followed him had a  
 Another gentleman lifted Miss  
 desired, but found it impossible  
 had decided not to be lifted.  
 may be added, weighs less than  
 other striking feat was when  
 the palms of her hands placed  
 of a chair lifted it, and also the  
 of four gentlemen. A most  
 ng concluded about ten o'clock.

**PTY SEARCH LIGHTS."**  
 ch, who holds the boards of the  
 ight and to-morrow afternoon is  
 Limerick as a humorous enter-  
 present monologue lantern per-  
 best and most varied thing of its  
 public. His comic songs we know,  
 n, illustrated with sketches done  
 the reciter is speaking, is a thing  
 days together. He has decided  
 evening performance to-morrow  
 as well as the already advertised

**OF THE MIDNIGHT SUN.'**  
 before a crowded house, in the  
 of the L.P.Y.M.A., Dr Ringrose  
 rford, gave a very instructive and  
 ure, entitled "The Land of the  
 " which was illustrated by lime-  
 er the skilful manipulation of Mr  
 r Archibald Murray, President of  
 presided.  
 at described many places of inte-  
 and Sweden, and then he passed  
 ndid scenery along the course of  
 ma, the beautiful views of the  
 ausing outbursts of enthusiasm on  
 e audience. Amongst the several  
 resentated, perhaps those which  
 test admiration were the Romafors  
 ors. The lecturer also described  
 the natives of Sweden, which were  
 g. Finally Mr Atkins took the  
 the coast until he reached the  
 Yearly all the beautiful views were  
 by Mr Atkins himself, and many  
 ken in the middle of night.  
 ings came to a close at ten o'clock  
 vote of thanks to the learned  
 s most entertaining address.

**REV. DAVID WILSON, D.D.**  
 ng of the Limerick Branch of the  
 oung Men's Guild, held on the  
 ollowing resolution was passed:—  
 ibers of the Limerick Branch of  
 a Young Men's Guild, take this,  
 unity of expressing the deep sense  
 have sustained through the death  
 President, the late Rev David  
 nd we desire to place on record  
 of his worth as an amiable  
 thetic friend, wise counsellor, and  
 er of the Gospel. By his kindly  
 nk affable manner, and the earnest  
 he showed for our spiritual and  
 rovement, he endeared himself to  
 of the Guild, and we shall ever  
 ppy and profitable evenings we  
 s guidance and instruction. We  
 sincere sympathies to his sorrow-  
 their sad bereavement." Several  
 s spoke in most feeling terms of  
 nd President.

**ONARD DUNNING, R.I.C.**  
**RTANT APPOINTMENT.**  
 ool Watch Committee yesterday  
 Leonard Dunning, Assistant Head

Charles Hill, Mr Joseph Enright, Mr A Enright,  
 Mr J Belcher, Mr P O'Meally, Mr John O'Hal-  
 loran, Mr W M Nolan, T C; Mr A Crawford, Mr  
 Wm Ball, Mr Peter Johnstone, V S; Mr H  
 O'Connor, Mr M Cross, Mr T Bernard, Mr W  
 Leahy, solr; Mr Wm Spillane, J P; Mr J David-  
 son (M'Mahon Day and Co.), Messrs Fitzgerald  
 and O'Donovan, do; Captain Fudge, Mr Thomas  
 Rice, Mr Ambrose Hall, junior; Captain Hall,  
 Mr R Fogerty, C E; Mr Frank Fitt, solr; Mr F  
 Hook, Mr H Vereker, Mr Bradley, Cannock and  
 Co; Mr D Kennelly, T C; Mr E Baker, Mr John  
 Hanley, Mr A E Hawker, Mr P Hartigan, George  
 Hotel; Mr M J DeCoursey, solr; Mr James  
 Flynn, Cruise's Hotel; Mr J A Baldwin. All  
 the employees of Messrs Lee attended. Several  
 citizens sent carriages.

Wreaths were sent amongst others by Mrs T E  
 O'Brien, South Hill; Mr and Mrs Muspratt, Mr  
 and Mrs Christy, the employees of Harrison  
 Lee and Sons, also one from the foreman of the  
 concern; the members of the choir in conjunc-  
 tion with the Rev J W Hudson and Mr F Mus-  
 pratt; relatives of the deceased, Messrs Lee and  
 several other friends.  
 Messrs P M'Carthy and Sons carried out the  
 funeral arrangements.

**THE LATE MR EVANS.**

**TO THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE.**  
 DEAR SIR,—Others beside myself may desire  
 to record their high estimate of the late Mr  
 Evans' intrinsic and relative worth; but there  
 is, perhaps, not one who had longer, if even  
 larger, opportunities for judging his excellencies  
 of character than I. He was the last of the  
 Cathedral lay staff that had occupied the choir  
 stalls throughout the lengthened extent of my  
 experience—none was ever equally efficient—none  
 ever superiorly or so deservedly esteemed. I  
 have had more than casual knowledge of many—  
 indeed, most of the cathedrals throughout the  
 United Kingdom, and I have rarely, if ever,  
 heard a nobler voice, wedded to eloquent ex-  
 pressiveness and devotional reverence. In the  
 various societies that rose and flourished through-  
 out the prolonged period, during which Mr  
 Handel Rogers so valuably wielded the baton, Mr  
 Evans was the prominent figure, and when he  
 led the basses and baritones of the choruses in  
 the sacred and secular classic masterpieces, or  
 when undertaking the chief soloist role he was  
*facile princeps*. He reminded me much of the great  
 Lablache, who shone prominent among the vocal  
 luminaries of my earliest reminiscences. And  
 yet he was as unpretending as a guileless child.  
 His mantle has descended on his son, than whom  
 a worthier successor could not be found. I would  
 not attempt to "gild the refined gold" of your  
 full and faithful obituary notice; nor would I  
 press myself forward now, but that I am anxious  
 to suggest that some suitable testimonial should  
 be originated; and would submit to all interested  
 in our Grand Old Cathedral that no tribute could  
 be more fitting than the endowment of his vacant  
 stall by the allocation to it of a contributed  
 stipend in perpetuity, so far, at least, as feasible  
 in the existing circumstances of our county and  
 city.—I remain, dear sir, faithfully yours,  
 FRANCIS MEREDYTH.

**DEATH OF COLONEL EDGE.**

We regret to record the death of Lieut-Colonel  
 J D Edge, 1st Battalion Royal Irish Regiment,  
 stationed in this garrison, which took place on  
 Sunday at the residence of his brother, Hatch  
 street, Dublin. The sad event was not unex-  
 pected, as the gallant officer had been on the sick  
 list since July last, and was last quartered with  
 his regiment at the Curragh. He was 52 years  
 of age and unmarried. He entered the service  
 in '63, became lieutenant in '66, captain, '74,  
 major, '81, and was appointed to the command of  
 the Royal Irish Regiment in 1890. He served

was held to-day. The Mayor (Mr D O'D)  
 presided. Other members present—Mr M'  
 Cregan, Mr M Donnelly, Mr M McDonn  
 James O'Mara, Mr P McDonnell.  
 Mr Dundon, Law Adviser; Mr DeC  
 Secretary Water Committee, and Mr V  
 Superintendent, were also in attendance.

**WATER COMMITTEE.**

Messrs R W Switzer and T Brinn tender  
 the position of assistants in the Water Offi  
 Mr O'Mara thought there had been a  
 committee appointed with reference t  
 affair?

Information in the affirmative was giv  
 it was agreed to leave the matter to the  
 committee.

**WATER AND LIGHTING.**

The Mayor presided. Other members p  
 —Alderman Landers, Mr James O'Ma  
 Donnelly, Mr P McDonnell, Mr J McMab  
 McLahon Cregan, and Mr Bourk.

**IMPROVEMENT COMMITTEE.**

The Mayor presided. Other members pr  
 Aldermen Hall, Landers, and Gaffney;  
 Councillors J Hayes, J M'Mahon, F  
 Donnelly, M'Donnell, J O'Mara, P McD  
 Donnellan, and Begley.

A long discussion ensued as to the flag;  
 certain parts of the town. It appear  
 according to a resolution put by the counc  
 time ago that each ward was to have the  
 £37 10s to spend, and that the represen  
 of each ward were to dispose of the money  
 thought most advantageous in the intere  
 their respective wards. The flagging ther  
 most instances was referred to the represen  
 of the wards in which the work was requir

The Rev Br Walsh appeared before th  
 ing, and applied on behalf of the monks  
 to have the flagging in front of the schoo  
 Roxboro' road extended.

The Mayor was of opinion that the wor  
 to be done, but did not know whether the  
 to do it in the absence of the representat  
 the ward.

It was eventually decided to leave the  
 in the hands of the councillors of the war

Mr Hastings, solicitor, appeared bef  
 board on behalf of a man named Patrick C  
 owner of a street horse and car, and app  
 compensation for loss sustained by him c  
 his horse having fallen into a sewer.

The Mayor said that when he heard  
 accident he went straight to the place,  
 had no doubt that there had been a good  
 negligence, and he thought the man was  
 to some compensation.

After a good deal of discussion, it  
 rected to give Culhane £5 compensation.

**CLEANSING COMMITTEE.**

The Mayor presided. Other members pr  
 Mr Donnellan, Mr M'Mahon, Mr Hayes,  
 Begley.

It was decided to order five new iron c  
 the purpose of carrying away the mud  
 streets, the workmanship to be local.

After some ordinary business had b  
 posed of, the meeting adjourned.

**FUEL AND BLANKET FUNI**

**TO THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK CHRO**

Mayor's Office, Town Hall,  
 Limerick, December 18th.

DEAR SIR,—After the first mee  
 the committee of the above charity, a ver  
 and touching appeal was made in its f  
 the columns of your paper. The great ar  
 ing necessities of the poor, owing to  
 want of employment, the severity of the  
 and an unusual amount of sickness, were d  
 Since that article appeared, coal has bee  
 but only to a very small fraction of those w  
 to the circumstances above described, we  
 to require it. In several districts in the