

wanted was to see the time given to discussing whether the Bill was to go to a Grand Committee or not. Colonel Saunderson insisted that in framing the Bill the Irish landlords had not been consulted. For his own part he approved of the Bill in some parts, but it lacked finality. The Chief Secretary, in seeking to abolish dual ownership, would wipe out the landlords of Ireland, and there was therefore the strange spectacle of a common agreement on the subject as between the bitterest enemies of the Crown in Ireland and the Ministers of the Crown themselves. He proposed to support the Bill; but it had disappointed him, especially with regard to its involved and difficult character. He hoped that, as amended, it would become law; but he warned the House of one thing. It was in their power to destroy a class, and on its ruins to try to build up another; but what no Government and no Parliament could do was to ever build the security and the prosperity of Ireland or any other country on an Act of political injustice. Mr Redmond, following him, said the Bill could not be regarded as a final settlement of the Land Question. It was only a small instalment in the direction of justice to the tenants. The Bill having been read the second time, Mr Healy moved that it be referred to the Standing Committee on Law, which motion was negatived, and the Bill will, therefore, be considered in Committee of the whole House on Friday next.

There was no meeting of the Harbour Board yesterday in the absence of a quorum, Mr F. C. Cleave being the only member in attendance.

The Clare Artillery Militia, which had since the 11th of May been undergoing the annual training at Fort Carlisle, Cork Harbour, returned to Ennis on Saturday on completion of the annual 27 days' training.

ACCIDENTS.—Henry Stuart, 35, mechanical engineer, was admitted to Barrington's Hospital yesterday morning suffering from a severely lacerated hand. Stuart was engaged regulating a planing machine in Mr M'Mahon's cooperage, Alphonsus street, when his hand accidentally got caught in the works. Joseph Lyons, 6, residing in Watergate, was received into Barrington's Hospital at eleven o'clock yesterday morning and treated for contusions of the body and legs, the result of being accidentally knocked down by a car and rolled over.

KINCORA, the history of which is so conspicuously associated with the name of Brian Boru. As the steamer proceeded the scenery became more interesting until reaching the Holy Island, on which stands a well preserved round tower and numerous ecclesiastical relics, traces of the work of the monks in the earlier periods, from which the place derives the name of Holy Island. The steamer cruised around the island, giving the visitors an opportunity of inspecting the charming scenery by which the lake is surrounded. A delicious luncheon was served on board in the most excellent manner by Mr James Flynn, after which the return journey was begun, and "The Lady of the Lake" reached Killaloe about four o'clock. The guests included His Honor Judge Adams, whose knowledge of the district was imparted to the visitors in the most original and interesting fashion. The antiquarians expressed themselves delighted with their trip, and with the manner in which they had been catered for by the popular proprietor of Cruises. On yesterday a long-car excursion went to Quin Abbey, the tourists being afforded every facility for acquiring some knowledge of the history of that interesting building.

THE RECENT FATALITY AT CROOM.

At the Croom Petty Sessions yesterday, before Major Rolleston, R.M., presiding,

James Butler was charged, at the suit of Mr Gamble, D.I., with having grievously assaulted one John Kiely on the 29th ult. from the effects of which he died on the 3rd inst.

Mr Michael Shanahan, Relieving Officer, deposed to being in the house of John Morantly, at Croom, on the 29th ult. in company with John Lynch and James Morantly; they were talking about the poor rates when John Kiely came up and Shanahan remarked that there was a man (meaning Kiely) who did not care about the height of the rates; Kiely said he did not, that if they were 15s to the £ he was able to pay; one of the party suggested that a P.L.G. should be elected for Croom division, and John Lynch said he would have no chance of being elected while Butler (defendant) was so well liked, whereupon Kiely called them "Becoughs" and lurs, and struck at James Butler; Michael Shanahan went between them, and the defendant (Butler) struck Kiely on the eye and knocked him; Kiely was removed injured at ly.

John Lynch and James Morantly corroborated this evidence.

Constable Malley proved that Kiely was sober on the occasion, but appeared to be much excited.

Dr Hartigan stated he was called in and found Kiely's eye bleeding; he also found Kiely suffering from kidney and heart disease; he attributed the cause to be the result of a fall; he had been attending Kiely for the last 15 years for heart disease; the kidney disease from which he was suffering was of 3 or 4 years standing.

The magistrates returned the accused for trial bail being accepted.

Mr Dundon, solicitor, appeared for James Butler, and the prosecution was conducted by Mr Gamble, D.I.

Mr Kenny, solicitor, watched the proceedings in behalf of the next-of-kin.

several bullets were discharged in which Brody, his wife, and two children sleeping at the time, but none of them happily, was injured. A car cushion one of the windows stopped one bullet into the room. The windows of another different part of the house were broken; strangely enough, some daughters who were sleeping in it said they heard during the night. Brody reported to police barracks, and District Inspector at once drove to the scene, and the County Inspector, Mr Scott, was in place. As the result of the inquests two men named O'D Macnamara have been arrested on suspicion and remanded to Limerick Gaol. The signed for the outrage is that Brody in drawing sand and other materials police hut being erected on the Caher estate. He alleges that he was while walking on the lands about the time but did not report the occurrence to

SARFIELD LEAGUE AND MAYORALTY ELECTION.

At a meeting of the Sarsfield Branch National League on Sunday evening last presiding, a resolution was proposed by W.H. Lounsell, T.C., calling on the (Mr J.P. Gaffney) to send in his resignation as Chairman of the Branch, in consequence of his action in opposing the candidature of Kenna for the Mayoralty, and the nomination of Mr Curack. Mr Butler moved the resolution, to which an amendment was moved by Mr Flanagan, to the effect that Gaffney be expelled from the Branch, and Mr Kavanagh, and a few dissentients. A resolution was passed condemning those other Paralelites who voted against Alderman Kenna, or themselves.

POLICE COURT.

The presiding magistrates at the Court yesterday morning were Mr Scott and Mr S. B. Quin.

Richard Scott and Michael Kennedy were charged with drunkenness in the night. There were three charges of riotous and disorderly conduct at a constable's arrest. A crowd at the arrest of the prisoners, the latter more or less disturbed owing to the Scott, who received a bad character and a trawl. He was sentenced to imprisonment in default of paying an addit on a month unless he behaved for good behaviour.

Kennedy was ordered a month's imprisonment in the alternative of not paying a fine.

The other cases before the Court ordinary class.

IMPORTANT TO LADIES.—Made Celebrated Guinea Corsets (black) obtained from her Local Agents, Messrs. and Co. (Limited), Limerick.