

amander-in-Chief. On the guns thundered and were manned, and the sung, with the accompaniments. Preparations for the hour to-day for the which will take place row evening. Lines of men arranged along the boats along the hulls. are placed at various powerful searchlights nation. There is no weather permit, the row will be one of the enthusiastic that the Me-

The work of street-carried out with energy, services have been most there was what might here and there to see ere in perfect order. ed the streets for sing the tests. This lions in the harbour be supplemented by th Head and Dalkey of fireworks will take and on Killiney. All to the great event of Majesty will drive along Kingstown, through Merrion, to the city party will be conveyed ended by a travelling Dragoon Guards. At t it will be changed for and a guard of honour, Inniskilling Fusiliers s colours, will be sta-Bridge. On approach-usual formalities will be of the city and the civic by the Lord Mayor, be read, to which her

The royal progress then begin through s, bands being played at er Majesty will receive ception, and the great will be the cordiality her Majesty's presence ne is foolish enough to ception to her Majesty ance or that the multi-ueen have changed an

But the people will ption to a Sovereign

In the excitement and confusion a few of the men were left behind, but proceeded by the evening train to join their comrades. A number of police in charge of Head Constable Feeney rendered valuable assistance in maintaining order.

BUTTER PROSECUTION.

THE CASE AGAINST MR CARMODY.

The case of McDonnell against Mr Joseph Carmody, which was an appeal by the defendant against the decision of the magistrates fining him £5 for an alleged offence under the Margarine Act, and a similar penalty for a breach of the Food and Drugs, came before his Honor Judge Adams, yesterday. Defendant pleaded that his servant acted without his knowledge and against his directions. It was the unanimous finding of his Honor and the magistrates acting with him, that Mr Carmody had no guilty knowledge of the offence, and the decision of the magistrates at petty sessions on the charge under the Margarine Act was reversed. The charge under the Food and Drugs Act was adjourned for further argument on the legal point.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. W. A. KENNY.

The funeral of the late Mr. W. A. Kenny took place to-day, the remains being removed from his late residence at Corbally for interment at Doonass. The large and representative attendance testified to the high esteem in which the late Mr Kenny was held by all classes of the community. The chief mourners were:—Mr Thomas Kenny and Mr John Kenny (brothers). The clergy present were:—Rev Fr Conway, P P, St Patrick's; Rev Fr Carroll, C C, do; Very Rev Fr Maher, Rector, S J; Rev Fr O'Rielly, S J; Rev Fr McArdle, S J; Rev Fr Griffin, C C, St John's. The general attendance included:—Alderman O'Mara, Messrs P E Bourke, J P; Ralph Nash, solr; S Haatings, solr; P J O'Sullivan, solr; J Guinane, J P; Robert McNamara, solr; D F McNamara, J S Gaffney, solr; W DeCoursey, G Ryan, C E; District Inspector Hetreed, Messrs A Hall, J P; J Dundon, solr; J Egan, G Hare, H Coyle, F C Hobson, J J Browne, C E; S Tubridy, &c. The Jesuit Choir, of which Mr Kenny was a member, attended and sent a handsome wreath. The funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs P McCarthy & Son.

INTERESTING LIBEL CASE AT KILRUSH

At the Kilrush Quarter Sessions to-day Mr Crowe, B.L, applied to his Honor Judge Carton in the remitted action of Roughan v O'Brien to have the cause heard on Friday. Mr Killy, for the other side consented. The plaintiff claims damages for alleged libel. Defendant is Chairman of the Urban Council, and also president of the Martyrs' Monument Committee, whilst Mr Roughan also belongs to the latter executive, and the cause is a resultant from proceedings of the body relative to a collection for funds in Ennis. The greatest local interest is manifested in the proceedings. His Honor fixed Friday for the hearing.

A DARING YOUNG LIMERICK MAN IN SOUTH AFRICA.

The following letter received by Mr Henry Ashe, Cecil street, from Surgeon-Major Browning, himself a Limerick man, relative to his son, Mr Edward Ashe, who was locked up in Ladysmith during the siege, will be read with interest.

to her during the period "of stress and anxiety through which we were passing. I join with you," concluded her Majesty, "in your prayer that peace may soon be restored, and the other blessings of heaven be long continued to my Empire."

In reply to an address of the Urban District Council the Queen said—"I am deeply grateful by your assurances of the affection and devotion of the people of Wales."

Her Majesty then embarked on the Royal yacht, which starts at one o'clock.

ARRIVAL AT KINGSTOWN.

ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION.

TREMENDOUS CROWDS IN DUBLIN.

THE METROPOLIS EN FETE.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM OUR REPORTER.)

Dublin, Thursday.

The Royal yacht Victoria and Albert, with her Majesty on board, was expected at Kingstown about 3 o'clock, but it arrived sooner than was expected, 2.15, and took up moorings in the harbour. The weather was, unfortunately, unpleasant, heavy rains and squalls prevailing from the South West, and the passage is said to have been somewhat rough until the Irish coast was neared. It was in consequence of these adverse conditions that an earlier start from Holyhead was made, the yacht leaving before ten a.m, English time. At ten minutes to two signals were run out from the men-of-war at Kingstown, and soon after the Victoria and Albert was seen steaming slowly towards the harbour, with the Osborne on her port quarter, and the Trinity Board yacht in close attendance. A Royal salute of 21 guns belched forth from the warships at two o'clock when there was a vast concourse on the foreshore. Cheer after cheer rent the air as the Victoria and Albert entered the harbour, while the cheering was taken up on board the fleet, and crews of the attendant cruisers Melampus and Pactotus sang "God Save the Queen." As already announced her Majesty remains on board the Royal yacht to-night, and the entry into Dublin takes place to-morrow. In anticipation of the great event, Dublin is en fete to an extent perhaps never before witnessed. The finishing touch was given to-day to the decorations which span the various thoroughfares. To-day unfortunately was most inclement from early morning, and the decorations have to some extent suffered, but this evening give promise of a fine day. An enormous number of excursionists from every part of the country are pouring into the city, and with to-morrow's contingents the attendance will simply assume hug proportions.