

NATIONAL BANK MANAGER.

with much regret, which we are sure
 in by the citizens of every class and
 that Mr. P. J. Denvir, the able
 s Manager of the National Bank, has
 sion, after long and honourable ser-
 years. We are within the limit of
 when we say that no more popular
 er heretofore held the position Mr.
 iced amongst us. He and Mrs. Denvir
 iminent in every charitable and good
 xisted in the city, or originated,
 ere here, and we most cordially wish
 ily long life and every happiness in

"LALLA ROOKH."

al autograph manuscript, and proof
 corrections, of Moore's "Lalla
 s just been sold in London for £330.

ARTELLO TOWER FOR SALE.

rtello tower at Seapoint, in Dublin
 ngstown, with the land attached to it,
 ertised for sale by order of the
 State for War. The tower was
 04 during the Napoleonic invasion
 protection of Dublin Bay. Before it
 ed it was armed with a 24-pounder
 in mounted on the roof.

SLANDER.

s often ere now had to complain of the
 f her sons. But never, probably, has
 nded in the house of her friends so
 was yesterday by the member for
 n. Speaking against the resolution
 al of the additional Excise duty, Mr
 his astounding allegation as to the
 nature and property of Irish whisky.
 declared, "is used largely for medi-
 es and has little intoxicating quali-
 ys the *Pall Mall*) well that poor Dr.
 not there to hear that outrage
 icating qualities!" What next?

GLASGOW.

here happily a healthy and flourish-
 ion has taken "the place of
 and bubonic plague, is at
 h attention at present, so a refer-
 nte as to the derivation of the name
 interest. By some it is contended
 mology is as follows:—In Gaelic
 "gray" and "gow" "smith," so the
 y took its name from a grey-haired
 rked there. Indeed, some antiqua-
 ts have argued that his smithy stood
 n which the Bishop's palace was

So full of thy mirth and thy vigour,
 So full of the gladness of life,
 Thy face so expressive of pleasure,
 So void of contention and strife.

Thy friends upon earth they were legion,
 Thy foes on this planet were none;
 The Christian laments no Marcellus
 When the work of the soldier is done.

In Cicero's page or in Horace,
 Though we may for some Tullia mourn,
 Yet the heart finds relief in the thought that our
 grief
 In the breast of a Saviour is borne.

Hark! the mason's at work on the tower,
 The work you so fondly had planned.
 Oh, say, has your spirit yet power
 Yet, yet to revisit this land?

But the work of the sculptors shall perish,
 And the columns be broken by time,
 But the soul it is grand and immortal,
 And eternity's waves are sublime.

Yet, yet shall we meet with thee, brother,
 Where life's calm by no tempest is stirred,
 When the "vales" of earth are forgotten,
 And no voice of the mourner is heard.

R. S. R.-L

SUICIDE IN COUNTY LIMERICK.

A sad case of suicide is reported from near
 Fedamore. It appears that Mr. Patrick Con-
 way, a respectable farmer, residing near that
 place, was in Limerick on Tuesday and returned
 home in his usual health and spirits. He
 retired to bed at the customary early hour, but
 got up about half-past ten p.m., telling his wife
 that he wanted to see a sick cow. His wife
 suggested to him to send the servant boy, but
 he decided on going himself. A considerable
 time elapsed, and as Mr. Conway did not
 return, his wife thought the cow required
 attention, and accordingly asked the boy to go
 and give assistance. On proceeding to the cow-
 house he found Mr. Conway was not there, but
 on searching further discovered his body hanging
 from a rafter in another outhouse. He was
 suspended by the reins of a horse. No
 motive can be assigned for the rash deed, and
 great sympathy is felt for Mr. Conway's wife
 and relatives in their affliction.

A VOICE FROM THE DEEP.

Ennis, Thursday.

While some workmen were engaged quarrying
 on the strand at Inishmurray, an island on the
 Shannon, they discovered a sealed bottle, which
 was found to contain the following note:—
 "S. Lasabella leaking badly. Boats stove
 in. Crew are exhausted; day and night at
 pumps. Little hope left us. Good-by all.—
 J. JONES, Master. 18th Nov., 1900."

regretted. He will be succeeded
 M'Cann, Manager of the Kilkenny
 W. M. Nolan, Sub-Manager at T,
 promoted to the Managership o
 Branch.

MR. MALCOLM SHAW.—Mr. M.
 eldest son of Mr. A. W. Shaw, J.P.
 on Tuesday last, and, as might b
 pected, the staffs of the firm in
 Cork and the men of the various
 gladly availed themselves of the au-
 sion of expressing their heartiest ec
 to this highly popular young gent.
 they did by presenting numerous han-
 Mr Shaw, who thanked the donors
 terms.

PRESENTATION TO AN R.I.C. S
 Ballingarry yesterday, Hon. Mr. I
 was his pleasing duty to prese
 sergeant Burke, Ballingarry, th
 certificate from the Society for the
 Cruelty to Animals. He was glad
 gies of the sergeant in such hum
 been recognised by the Society. A
 Burke thanked his worship for the
 had been conferred upon him.

COUNTY COUNCIL.—A special n
 County Council will be held on Sat
 dispose of a variety of business,
 Chairman's report re private cou
 the Great Southern and West
 Company's counsel, at the House
 relative to the county guarantee
 respect of the Limerick and Kerry I
 conference was also attended by t
 man and solicitor to the Council.
 voluminous report of the Auditor w
 cussed as well as various other mat

PROTESTANT DEFENCE.—The Ec
 mittee of the Protestant Defence
 the Church of Ireland at a meeting
 adopted the following resolution
 "That the Committee of the Protes
 Association protest against any a
 made to modify the Bill of
 the Act of Settlement, or in any
 with the Coronation Oath of the So
 realm, as endangering constitution
 freedom of religion, and materially
 welfare of the Church of Ireland
 citizen of our country." Copies to b
 Salisbury and the Chief Secretary fr

LECTURE ON AUSTRALIA.—The lect
 Australia to be delivered to-morrow
 in the Protestant Orphan Hall by
 M'Clean, L. L. D., promises to be de
 ing. The lecturer possesses the
 having had a varied experience ex
 nearly four years spent in widely di
 of the country. The slides with whi
 is to be illustrated are those pro
 West Australian Government, and
 the many objects of interest, such
 fields, etc. The lecturer supplies a
 of at once acquiring information as
 pleasant evening which ought not