

drunk. Mr. French asked why Healy did not attend. Mr. Cussen said the summons was served personally. Mr. Harrett said that Healy walked quietly, and said nothing whatever. He gave no abuse. Lenihan was fined 5s. and costs for cutting the tree, and bound to the peace for 12 months, £5 and £2 10s. sureties. Healy (who did not appear) was fined 10s. for cutting the tree, Mr. Hurley and Mr. Sheehy being for 5s., as in Lenihan's case.

FUNERAL OF MISS HEDDERMAN.

On Saturday the funeral of the above deeply lamented and widely respected young lady took place. Deceased was a daughter of Mr Timothy Hedderman, Fern Hill, Shanagolden, and had been in failing health for some time. A large and representative cortege of mourners and friends accompanied the remains from her father's residence at Fern Hill to Shanavogh Churchyard, where the interment took place.

The Clergy present were—The very Rev M. Donor, P.P., V.F., Shanagolden; Rev J. Conway, C.C. and Rev J. O'Gorman, C.C.

The chief mourners were—Mr T. Hedderman (father), Mr P. Hedderman (brother), Dr T. H. Hannigan, Coroner, Mr F. C. Hartigan, B.E., Mr P. Hartigan, Mr P. Hedderman, Mr Hannigan, Mr P. J. Mulcahy (cousins), Mr W. Hedderman (uncle).

Amongst the general public present were—Dr Thomas Hayes, J.P., Messrs J. F. Cosgreave, solr, P. T. Aiston, solr, Dr C. J. Nolan, E. McKernan, M. and L. B., E. W. Casey, T.C., J. M. Donovan, D.C., P. L. O'Sullivan, Chairman Glin School Board; T. B. Naughton, Clerk of Union; T. T. Hartigan, Stephen Mulcair, John Mulcair, Thomas Mulcair, P. Madigan, Shroelane; M. Madigan, Old Abbey; J. Nolan, D.C.; P. J. Murray, J.P.; John Mangan, Post Master, Shanagolden; E. Kennedy, W. Lane, J. Leahy, D.C.; J. Gallagher, D.C.; J. O'Connor, Foynes Saw Mills; W. Irwin, P. H. O'Brien, John M. O'Grady, T.C., Rathkeale; J. Kelly, M. and A. Fitzgibbon, Patrick O'Brien, Corrigg; Lawrence O'Brien, P. M. Namara, solicitor; P. M. Culhane, Patrick M. Culhane, Ballyneety; John McDonnell, R.O.; J. Purtil, R.O.; J. Drislane, J. Sheedy, J. Fitzgibbon, C. Corbett, S. Danaher, J. Dore, M. Healy, J. Walsh, J. Malley, E. Cregan, J. Sheehan, M. Hartney, M. Murphy, C. O'Brien, Sergeant Farrell, Constable Monahan, J. O'Kelly, M. Duggan, M. Cimmmins, J. Muivihill, W. Lerner, J. O'Connell, J. Dillane, E. Crimmins, W. Ryan, John Ambrose T.C.; James Nolan, Ballyann; Thomas Nolan Waterpark; John Fitzgibbon, W. Cussen, M. L. Bourke, Tiermore; T. Bourke, P. Madden, M. Fitzgerald, J. Hanley, A. O'Donnell, P. Noonan.

Carriages were sent by Lord Monteagle, Dr. C. J. Nolan, Dr. T. Hayes, P. Hannigan, Dr. Hannigan, Coroner T. T. Madigan, F. C. Hartigan, B.E.

Several beautiful wreaths were placed on the grave.

NEWCASTLE WEST PETTY SESSIONS.

Before Hon. J. French, R.M., presiding, George L. Sheehy, Thomas Hurley, Captain R. Curling,

village and district.

BOER BRUTALITY TO THE NATIVES.

A correspondent of the *Times*, described as well-informed, writes from the Sutherland district, Cape Colony, as follows: On July 5, 1901, a party of Boers, among them nine local rebels, went to a farm, Zand Kraal, about 30 miles north-east of Sutherland Town, where Mr. Periman keeps a trading store, and looted the place entirely. From authentic reports received by the Commandant, Captain H. Scott Harden, C.D.F., it has been ascertained that these rebels, after taking everything they could from the store and smashing all they could not remove, sjamboked Mr. and Mrs. Periman most brutally and flogged the natives. One unfortunate native girl who was about to be confined was thrashed so unmercifully that she gave birth to a child under the lash. The behaviour of these rebels was most cruel and barbarous. Marais, a Boer of the late Orange Free State, was the leader of this party. After finishing their infamous work on this farm, they went to Bavarian's Drift, a short distance from Zand Kraal, where they were entertained by the owner, and sjamboked another girl most shamefully. The reason these barbarians gave for thrashing the native men and women is that they impart information against them to the British. This appears to be the course adopted by the commandos now raiding this colony. The above cruelty was carried out by men who have all their lives been in touch with civilisation and received some education, one of the worst of them being enlightened enough to have held the position of a Field Cornet in this district under the British Government, and who joined the rebels about January last. On a British patrol going out on the 18th to bring in Mr. and Mrs. Periman a party of Boers, said to be about 50 in number, held up a white flag to entice our men from the kopjes, where they had taken cover, after four of their number had been wounded, but fortunately their treachery was discovered and our men drove them off.

R. I. C. COMMANDANT.

Colonel Neville Chamberlain, who is in command of the Irish Constabulary, has had large experience in actual fighting. He springs from a military stock. His father is the still living General Sir Neville Bowles Chamberlain, G.C.S.I., who won his spurs in the Afghan War 60 years ago, being six times wounded, who went through the Mutiny, and who commanded the forces on the Umbeyla frontier.

The son followed in his father's footsteps. He joined the Indian Staff Corps, and was subsequently given a command in the Central Indian Horse. Born in 1876 he was barely 21 when he fought in the Afghan campaign under "Bobs," winning a medal, a clasp, and a bronze star, and receiving mention in despatches for his gallantry. Similar rewards were bestowed on this brave officer in Burma in 1886, and he was promoted a Lieutenant-Colonel.

Eight years later he was made a Brevet-Colonel, and when Lord Roberts was summoned to the front two winter's ago, he called Colonel Chamberlain to his side as first A.D.C., and private secretary. The Colonel has tact and perseverance, and organising is second nature to him.

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