

man and some other members that the meeting should stand adjourned until Wednesday. The customary proceeding when the date fixed for a quarterly meeting of the Council falls on a statutory holiday or Sunday, is to meet the following day, and the question might now arise whether an adjournment for a longer period is legal. But no good purpose could be served by having such an objection, and it is most unlikely that one will be made.

## ALLEGED HIGHWAY ROBBERY.

On Saturday evening a farmer named John Dwyer, from Sixmile-Bridge, was driving home from the city, and when some short distance beyond the Wellesley Bridge a young man named Thomas Hastings, of Old Francis street, jumped up on the car and asked him what o'clock it was. He told him and continued his journey. Soon after Hastings again asked him what time it was. Dwyer observed that he had told him before. Hastings then, as alleged, made a grab at the watch and chain and jumped off the car. He was followed by O'Dwyer who was struck on the face and knocked down. Hastings then ran away, but Head-Constable Feevey, who happened to be in the vicinity, with his usual agility was at once in pursuit, and arrested Hastings, and found the watch and chain in his possession. He was remanded by Mr. John Guinane, J.P., to Petty Sessions.

## FUNERAL OF MR. T. H. LEONARD.

The funeral of the late Mr. T. H. Leonard, whose death occurred on Saturday last at his residence, Fort Prospect, Rathbane, took place yesterday morning. The deceased held for many years an important position in the firm of Messrs W. J. Shaw and Sons, Bacon Merchants, but retired a few years ago owing to advanced age. He was greatly respected by a wide circle of friends, while his employers and employes in the firm with which he was so long and honourably identified, held him in the highest esteem. The remains were conveyed by train to Tipperary for interment, and were accompanied to the terminus by a large number of sympathisers, including Mr. A. W. Shaw, J.P., and several of the principals of the firm. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Luke B. Leonard, son of the deceased, a well-known and highly respected citizen.

## GALLANT RESCUE FROM DROWNING.

Last night at 11.30 Mr T. Lawlor, of the clerical staff of Messrs. J. P. Evans and Co., was passing along the North Strand on his way home, and when at a point of the road some short distance below the Carraghgower Falls, he heard cries for assistance. He at once jumped over the wall, took off his coat, and without further divesting himself of his clothing went into the river for a distance of twenty yards, when he noticed the form of a man, to whom he shouted in order to give him courage. The tide was out at the time, and it was a most fortunate thing that the man was not in the direct course of the current or he would have been swept away at once. Mr. Lawlor ventured out further, and found a soldier without a cap or tunic in six or seven feet of water. He at once grasped the drowning man, and pluckily held his grip till he got him in to the wall, where he was assisted by two men named D. O'Leary and C. Cahill who assisted in taking him to the Police Barrack. The Police conveyed the soldier whose name is Private Caldershaw of the Yorkshire Light Infantry, to the Strand Barracks which is in charge of a guard of that corps, and they looked after him for the night. Too much credit can

The coffin, which lay in the ante-room the main hall, was covered with wreaths. Others were placed at either the coffin, and the solemn stillness of roundings was eloquently emblematic. Peace, perfect peace.

which reigned there. A large number had gathered in the manor ground very touching tribute of the man were paid to the deceased you was the presence of the school from Adare, who assembled in full force Roman Catholics of the Society of Mary in charge of Miss K. Houlihan, and the infant children under Mr. J. Jagoe—and position in the procession immediately the chief mourners' carriages, and well little distance above the village. It is necessary to say that every house in Adare shuttered, and the bells of the Protestant Roman Catholic churches tolled, and funeral emerged from the front entrance a greater number of vehicles, which had waiting, gradually joined in, and the throng of people on the footpaths raised their hats. At Askeaton the houses also shuttered, and the church bells there were similar manifestations at where the flag of the Yacht Club was mast. Here the Earl of Dunraven, Lord Wyndham Quin, and some others of the mourners joined the funeral. Immediately following the hearse as it left the manor carriage containing the Knight of Glin. Peter Fitzgerald (Lord Dunraven's agent) already stated, large contingents joined funeral on the road, especially at Foyne a very large number from Glin were in Glin, which was reached about 12.30. Two, was, like Adare, in complete mourning, and business was entirely suspended. The funeral proceeded direct to the Church at the top of the village, and on arriving the coffin was tenderly borne on the shoulders of tenants and labourers to the Church, where it was received by the Rev. Mr. Beatty, A.M., Rector of Kilfergus, and W. A. Wolseley, A.B. The church was in black. The service was extremely being the ordinary Burial Service, and conclusion of that portion of it with fitting words, pointing out how dear Lord was to the people in the place of his death and the heartfelt grief that everyone, poor, felt at her death. The prayer graveside having concluded, the coffin was lowered into its last resting place, and earth closed over it, many of those present moved to tears.

The chief mourners were—The Knight (husband), Earl and Countess Dunraven and mother), Lady Aileen Wyndham Quin the Right Hon. A. H. Smith-Barry (uncle) and Mrs. Henry Eden (uncle and aunt) Arthur Blennerhassett, (brother-in-law Knight of Glin).  
Amongst those present were—The Right Rev. Dr. Bunbury, Bishop of Limerick; Mr. Fitzgerald, Mr. J. O'G. Delmege, D.L.; Mr. Roche, Bart.; Mr. Basil Roche-Kelly, High Sheriff; Sir Thomas Cleve, High Sheriff Limerick; Mr. Wm. J. White, Coun. Sheriff-elect; Mr. B. Lucas, Sub Sheriff; Treasurer L. H. O'Brien, Adare; Very Rev. Flanagan, P.P., do.; Father McCarty, Donogmore; Rev. Chancellor Gabbett, Rev. S. J. Hackett, Askeaton; Father F. C.C., Adare; Mr. R. R. Ballingall, Mr. P. Rev. J. T. Waller, M.A., Castletown; Mr. Waller, D.L.; His Honor Judge Adams, M. Beauchamp, solicitor, Clerk of the Court; Mr. Archibald Murray, Mr. R. Mr. T. D. Atkinson, D.L., Glenwilliam C. F. C. Cleve, Mr. J. W. Cleve, E. J. Cleve, Mr. Joseph Matterso

**THE IMPORTED LACE-MAKERS.**  
Tobacco never shall be slaves—except to tobacco and few other things. The English lacemakers Dr. Dowie not long ago imported into the British Colonies. Zion obstinately refuse to give up smoking even at the risk of dismissal. Our Lady is under the Zionist ban as one of the curses to mankind—liquor, tobacco, and But the Britains care for no bans, and so Dowie has ordered his people to pray for their generation." It is amusing to read that "up to the present they have not been successful."

**WHO ARE THE NURSES?**  
This is a perfectly true little story told by a shire nurse. A patient was talking to one of the scrubbers, and in the course of the conversation brought up the subject of the "nurses." "How much might they be paid?" says he. "So and so," she replied. "And what kind men be they?" he next inquired. "What do ye think?" she replied, "ye see them for themselves; now what do ye think about 'em?" "No," he says, "and it's broken-down toffs I think they be!"

## LANSDOWNE "SOLDIERS' HOME

**SPECIAL REGIMENTAL ORDER.**  
The following appeared in the Regimental Order of the Battalion the King's Own Yorkshire Light Infantry by Lieut.-Colonel Sir H. A. W. Johnson, commanding, dated January 28th, 1901:—  
The attention of all is invited to the new Soldiers' Home in Limerick, recently partially opened. It is proposed to raise a voluntary subscription in the Battalion towards the funds of the same, and for this purpose subscription lists are to be opened by officers commanding companies. Funds collected will be given as a donation to the Battalion. The amounts collected to be sent to Major C. H. T. Whitaker. This institution will fill a great want amongst the soldiers in Limerick, providing as it does, a comfortable place for writing, games, and amusements, and it is hoped that the Battalion will show their appreciation of the kindness of those who have been the means of providing this aid.  
The above is in connection with a special fund of £100 which is being raised to carry out all the improvements before the final opening of the home.

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