

The selection of a course for the three miles race between Dublin University Boat Club and Pennsylvania University has been decided. At a meeting of the Committee of the Dublin University Boat Club on Saturday, Killarney was decided on as the scene of the contest. The course will be either on the middle or lower lake.

KILKEE PETTY SESSIONS.

These Sessions were held yesterday, before Mr. F. M'G. Eager, Mr. Francis Coffey, Dr. P. C. Hickey, and Mr. J. W. Cox.

AFTER THE CHRISTENING. A man named Costelloe, a tailor, was up on a charge of drunkenness, made by Sergeant Young, on Sunday week.

Defendant said he was at a christening and took some whiskey.

Chairman—Yes, and wronging your family. We cannot palliate these offences.

As the magistrates were divided as to the amount that the fine should be measured at, the case was adjourned.

A man named Hogan, on a similar charge, was fined 5s. and costs. This was his third offence, but defendant took the pledge and promised to reform.

The other cases were unimportant.

THIS DAY'S MARKETS.

LIMERICK MARKETS.—MAY 28.

BREADSTUFFS.—Retail patents, 26s. 6d. per sack; bakers' patents, 27s. 6d.; whites, 24s. 6d.; specials, 25s. 6d.; fines, 23s. 6d.; Oatmeal, £10 1s. 6d. per ton; W. Bran, £6 5s. 0s. per ton; special bran, £5 0s. 0d.; W. pollard, £6 0s. 0d.; special pollard, £5 10s.; Indian meal (coarse), £5 16s. 0d.; do. (fine), £6 0s. 0d.

HAY AND STRAW—A small supply in market. No quotations.

EGGS.—Hen eggs, 6d to 8d per dozen.

FRUIT.—Baking apples, 2s. 0d. to 2s. 6d. per basket; eating apples, 2s. 0d. to 2s. 6d. per basket; pears, 2s. 6d. to 4s. 0d. per basket.

FISH.—Sole, 1s 8d per lb.; plaice, 8d per lb.; codfish, 7d per lb.; ling, 4d per lb.; hake, 6d per lb.; whiting, 5d per lb.; turbot, 1s. 6d per lb.; mackerel, 3s. 0d per dozen; herrings, 1s per dozen; salmon, 2s 8d per lb.; trout, 1s 2d.

FOWL.—Chickens from 3s 0d to 4s 9d per pair; young ducks, 3s 0d to 4s 6d.

WOOL.—A small supply in market. Hogget 6d per lb; mixed, 5 1/2d.

MEAT.—Steaks and chops, 9d per lb.; roast beef, 8d.; hind quarters of mutton, 8d.; fore-quarters, 7d.; corn beef, 6d.; soup butter, 4d.; boiling beef, 6d.

AMERICAN BACON.—Long clear middles, 4s. 6d. to 0s. 0d. per cwt.; short rib middles, 4s. 6d. to 0s. 0d. per cwt.; rib backs 4s. 6d. to 4s. 6d.

THE BUTTER MARKETS.

CORK.

PRICES TO-DAY.

First, 83s.; seconds, 80s.; thirds, 78s.; fourths, 00s. Superfine, 88s.; fine mild, 82s.; milk, 00s. Choicest boxes, 91s.; choice boxes, 81s. Fresh butter—A, 92s. to 90s.; B, 83s. to 80s. In market, 387 (82 mild).

IRISH CREAMERY.

PRICES TO-DAY.

Choicest pure Irish centrifugal creamery butter is officially quoted by the Price Committee at Limerick at 92s. to 95s. to dairies. Good demand.

COPENHAGEN.

Unchanged.

FAIRS.

FAIRS OF MUNSTER.—MAY.

Wednesday, 29—Limerick: Foyens. Carr: Ballyvaughan, Kilrush (pigs). Tipperary: Newmarket, Innishannon. Kerry: Listowel.

Thursday, 30—Clare: Clare Castle. Tipperary: Cahir (pigs), Carrick-on-Suir. Waterford: Carrigrohane.

Friday, 31—Limerick: Glanogra, Rathinane. Cork: Inchigeela, Liscaroll.

June. Saturday, 1—Clare: Emlis, Moyana. Cork: Millstreet, Waterford: Scradahilly.

Monday, 3—Limerick: Dromon, Rathinane. Carr: Moyne (Ballyglass), Scarriff, Tipperary: P. Carr. Fermoy. Kerry: Killarney, Ballyduff, Waterford: City.

Tuesday, 4—Limerick City, Glyn. Carr: Killarney, Tipperary: Cappawhite, Thurles. Cork: Midway, Kerry: Tralee.

Wednesday, 5—Tipperary: Clonmel, Carr: Bandon, Castletownbere. Kerry: Sixmilecross, Waterford: Drumahaire.

Thursday, 6—Limerick: Ballylanders, Carr: Killrush, Tipperary: Newport, Waterford: Talbot. In places marked thus (*) a pig fair is held on the previous day.

Ennis monthly fair is held on the first Saturday of every month.

LIMERICK STOCK AND SHARE LIST.

THIS DAY'S PRICES.

Cousols, 94 1/2. Nationals, 2 1/2; Munsters, 5 29-32; Hibernians, 5 15-16; Provincials, 3 1/2. Guinness, Ord., 53 1/2; Dublin Distillers, Ord., 19s 6d; Preiss., 2 1/2; Bristol, 36. Great Northern, Ord., 164 1/2; Great Southern, Ord., 123 1/2; Midland Great Western, Ord., 94; Dublin, Wicklow and Wexford, Ord., 17. Coats, def, 60/9 x d; Cannocks, 6 13-16; Bakers, Ord., 4; Matterson's, Pref, 5 11-16; Stewarts, Pref, 5 1/2; W. & C. M'Donnell, Pref, x, d; Denny's, Pref, 1 1/2; Dublin Trams, 13 1/2; Fish Oil, 4s 0d, 0s 0d; Volentine, 15s 0d. Wireless, 31, 3 1/2. Components, 6s 1 1/2; Dunlops, Def., 1s 10 1/2; 00d.

SAD FATALITY IN THE CITY.

An inquest was held at Barrington's Hospital on Saturday night by Mr. Coroner DeCourcy, with a jury, touching the death of Michael Renehan, aged 65, a labourer in the employment of Messrs. J. P. Evans and Company, who met with a very sad accident that evening in Robert-street under circumstances which are detailed in the evidence.

Head Constable Feeney conducted the proceedings on behalf of the police.

Mr. D. Hannan, an official of Messrs. J. P. Evans and Co., attended.

James Renehan deposed he lived at No. 3, Hunt's Lane; the deceased, Michael Renehan, was his father, and was employed at Messrs. J. P. Evans and Company as a labourer; he was a widower, and was aged about 65; he went to work as usual that day, and came to his dinner; witness identified the body as that of his father; he had been in good health; witness knew nothing of his own knowledge as to the cause of his father's death.

William Doyle deposed he lived in Upper Brown's Lane, and is a labourer; he is employed at Messrs. Evans's; the deceased was in the same employment with him; both of them were working at the same job that day in Robert-street, in the store; they were working at a winch hoisting machinery; there were two men—deceased and himself—at the winch, and two others taking the machinery in; they were able to work the winch with deceased; when the deceased got the blow of the winch they were hoisting one of the mowing machines; they hoisted the machinery to the top and they were asked to lower it to get it in the door of the floor underneath; the winch was worked by a chain; deceased was a bit away from the winch and had his hands off the handle; he came back to witness and reached his hand to catch it, the handle struck him in the stomach; it knocked him over and hit him against the wall; his head came first against the wall; witness drew him to the window and took him in his arms and called for help; the deceased did not speak after he received the blow; could not say if he was dead at the time he took him in his arms; he was removed to Barrington's Hospital; John Frawley was on the next lower floor and shouted out to lower the windlass; that would be part of his business; from his position he could not have seen what occurred to this poor man.

A juror questioned the witness as to whether the trap-door was clear.

Mr. Hannan, a representative of Messrs. J. P. Evans and Co., said there were no trap-doors in connection with the place.

In answer to a juror, the witness said he held 40 stone weight by his own hand; he was not able to stop the rush himself; it was then the deceased came to the rescue; he was supposed to be on the winch with witness; it was his business to be there; witness could not say what became of the winch after the deceased was struck.

To the Coroner—He could not say what took the deceased from the winch; the deceased went away a bit before they were to lower it down; could not say if deceased had hold of the handle at the time of the order to lower, but witness had hold of the handle.

To a Juror—He (witness) was not able to control the life when the order was given to lower.

John Frawley, Watergate, deposed he is a labourer employed at J. P. Evans and Co.; he was working in the store in Robert-street; deceased was working there; they were slinging machines by means of a winch and chain; deceased and last witness were at the winch, and witness and a man named Quinlan were on a loft lower down taking in the machines; he sang out to the deceased and Doyle to lower; the machinery then came down slowly as if it had been properly controlled from above; it weighed about 5 cwt.; one man could control that; there was no brake on the machine, but there were two large fly-wheels which could be controlled hoisting or lowering; it was from the street they were taking in the machines; he did not see what occurred to deceased; in witness's opinion Doyle had sufficient strength to control the winch; they had to drop the machine to the ground; it went gradually to the ground; they had not time to get it in.

Coroner—Because it went too fast? No.

In answer to questions from the jury, he denied that the machine came down suddenly; if it did it would have been broken.

In reply to the Coroner, witness said he called out to Doyle to lower the machine; that was the second last one; that came into the loft; the last one went to the ground after the accident.

The Coroner said he could not follow the witness.

Head Constable Feeney proposed to examine Quinlan.

Mr. Hannan said that Quinlan was not there at the time of the accident.

Doyle, recalled, stated, in reply to a juror, that it was in the act of lowering the machine that the deceased got struck.

Mr. Hannan explained the situation of the winch and loft. They might assume that the winch was on a loft overhead, and they took in the machines on the floor on which they now stood. The winch could be controlled by a light man. It had a double fly wheel, and of course would give a momentum up and down. An ordinary man would hoist to the third loft at least forty stone by himself with the assistance of the wheels, and the same thing would apply to lowering. He took it that these two men were on the winch, and they brought the machine they were hoisting to the floor on which it was to be taken in. Naturally they should come a foot or two above the floor, and then the order was given to lower. It was then, he expected, while the deceased just for a second took his hands off the handle, that the accident occurred.

The Coroner said the only mystery to him was if the machine was going round at a high speed that the other man could have kept his hands on it.

Mr. Hannan said that could be, as the handles were independent of each other. On a similar occasion the handle of a machine cut his (speaker's) face, and threw him against the ceiling. A great deal of care was required.

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