

where, and was glad Nolan made recompence for the terrible attack with a stone which endangered Wilson's life, but he would be no party to such a proposal or acquiesce in it in anyway. Such considerations would, no doubt, weigh with a jury. This was a case for a jury, the depositions had been already taken, and the case heard, and he would ask the court to return it for trial to the Quarter Sessions.

The Chairman took a like view of it—the depositions alone justified it—and the informations and depositions would be returned to the next Kilrush Quarter Sessions.

Mr. Kelly, solicitor, watched Wilson's interest in the hearing.

Bails were given and accepted.

THE QUEEN'S PLEA.

FOR A GUARDSMAN'S WIFE.

The practical sympathy of the Queen with her afflicted subjects is exemplified by these facts which have just come to light. Ex-trooper Bengé, of the 2nd Life Guards, while serving in South Africa, met with an accident, which affected his brain, and ultimately resulted in lunacy, which, it is feared may prove permanent. On the 26th of June he presented himself at Buckingham Palace, and behaved in such a manner that he was placed under observation and control, and was eventually sent to Hanwell Asylum, of which he is still an inmate. Bengé had a wife (who was expecting a confinement) and two children. This was made known to the Queen, who gave Mrs. Bengé a nomination for the General Lying-in Hospital in York Road, Lambeth. Mrs. Bengé's third child is now a month old. The Queen, on making inquiries, found that the Strand Guardians were responsible for the soldier's maintenance at Hanwell, and could claim a portion of his pension in part payment, and Her Majesty caused representations to be made to the Guardians which induced them to forego their claim, in order that the wife and children might have the full benefit of the pension.

FUNERAL OF MISS CAREY, RATHKEALE.

The funeral of the above deeply lamented young lady took place on Monday afternoon and was largely attended. The youth of deceased and her great popularity endeared her to all classes. The interment took place in the new cemetery attached to St. Mary's Church, Rathkeale. The clergy present were—Very Rev. Father Healy, Provincial, Blackrock; Rev. Father Eavins, Very Rev. M. O'Donnell, P.P., V.F.; Rev. W. J. Mulcahy, P.P.; Rev. J. Hallinan, P.P.; Rev. F. Houligan, C.C., Newmarket-on-Fergus; Rev. M. Murphy, C.C.; Rev. J. Murphy, C.C.; Rev. J. Connolly, C.C. The chief mourners were—Mr. James Carey and Mrs. Carey (parents), Rev. B. Carey, C.S.S.P., and Master William Carey (brothers), Miss Carey (sister), Mr. J. O'Malley, Mr. C. O'Malley, and Miss O'Malley (cousins). There was a large attendance of the general public (including the Mayor of Limerick) present at the funeral. Several beautiful wreaths were placed on the grave.

The Most Nutritious.

EPPS'S
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COCOA
Breakfast—Supper.

Mr. F. M. Moloney, solicitor, defended. John Lynch deposed that the defendant refused him for pollard and meal in November last. She also ordered him to leave her shop. To Mr. Moloney—Why did she turn you out? Witness—For insulting her girl. Mr. Moloney—Did she write to you? Witness—Yes. Mr. Moloney—Have you her letter? Witness—It is at the barrack. Mr. Moloney—I challenge it to be produced. Mr. Cusack said that he did not intend to produce it.

Mr. Moloney—I is wilful suppression. (Addressing the witness)—When did you give the letter to the police?

Witness—When I was boycotted.

Mr. Moloney, addressing the Magistrates, said it was a well known fact that Mrs. Walsh was a most respectable trader in the town. The conduct of Lynch in the shop was intolerable, using foul, filthy language in the presence of several respectable women. She wrote to him, and cautioned him not to enter her shop for the future. It was a purely vindictive charge. Lynch was doing his best to make himself unpopular in the town.

General Lloyd expressed himself in favour of signing the licence.

The Chairman said the majority of the Bench were in favour of signing the certificate, and this was accordingly done.

BUTTER THIS TIME.

Same complainant also objected to the certificate of Margaret Colbert.

Mr. John F. Cosgrave, solicitor, defended.

Hugh Broderick deposed that he was boycotted on the 29th January; he was refused by defendant for two lbs of butter. The defendant stated that she could not give it as Power and Donegan were outside.

Chairman—What is Power?

Witness—A local agitator.

Mr. Cusack—Who is Donegan?

Witness—He was a curate to Power (laughter).

To Mr. Cosgrave—He went in afterwards with a friend for two half glasses of whiskey. He got butter previous to that. It was not margarine.

Mr. Cusack said there were previous convictions.

Mr. Cosgrave said they were of a trivial nature. His client was not long in business.

The Chairman said as the Bench were divided the case should stand adjourned.

Same complainant also objected to the signing of the certificate of Mr. Culhane.

Mr. J. F. Cosgrave, solicitor, defended.

John Lynch gave evidence that Mr. Culhane refused him for goods.

Head-Constable Eakins gave evidence that the defendant's wife stated that they did not wish to be supplying goods.

The same ruling was made as in the former case.

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