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#### FOUNDERED. MEK

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# CIDENTS.

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MUNSTER HALL, LOWER HARTSTONGE STREET .-Dec. 28th.—Limelight Lantern Service. Speaker, J. J. Long, M.B. All welcome.

KILKEDY PARISH CHURCH.—Sunday, Dec. 28th—Morning Service at 11.30. Evening Service in the Schoolhouse, at 4 p.m.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS (Cocil street) - Meeting for Worship, Sunday, 11 a.m.

## CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS.

As usual the City Churches were appropriately decorated for Christmas, and there were special The services were attended psalms and chants. by large congregations. At St. Mary's Cathedral the Lord Bishop preached at morning Service, taking his text from the second chapter of St. Luke and the 10th and 11th verses. The music Luke and the 10th and 11th verses. at the afternoon service was Garrett in D, and the anthem was "There were Shepherds,"! "The people that walked," and "For unto us" The Halleujah chorus was also sung. The choir was assisted by several lady amateurs. Mr. F. Muspratt presided at the organ.

In the various Roman Catholic Churches of the City the religious ceremonies were carried out with the usual pomp and impressiveness. some of the churches the celebration of Mass commenced as early as five o'clock in the morning, and was continued every half-hour until twelve o'clock when High Mass was solemnised.

### POLICE BARRACKS.

Special arangements were made in William street police barrack to suitably commemorate the great Christmas festival. The day-rooms were decorated with great taste, and at nigh a most enjoyable entertainment, at which Head Constable Moore presided, was given. Songs were contributed in fine style by several of the members of the party, and the proceedings were characterised by genuine good fellowship. Through the kindness of the men the barrack children were treated to a heavily laden "Christmas Tree" which was soon divested of the many good things it contained.

#### MILITARY BARRACKS-

There is no body of men who enter more heartily into the Christmas festivities than the military. The decorations at the New Barracks. were as elaborate as they were attractive, and various entertainments were organised and carried out with the greatest success. Similar arrangements were made at the Castle and Strand Barracks, where Christmas trees were enjoyed by the children. Similar festivities took place at Mulgrave Street Barrack, and thus Tommy Atkins was enabled to celebrate the joyous event as much as the ordinary citizen.

#### AT THE WORKHOUSE.

The inmates of the Workhouse enjoyed their usual Christmas dinner, which was distributed under the careful and kindly supervision of the master and matron.

There was one case of drunkenness at the Police Court this morning, but no magistrate attended.

#### CYCLES FOR XMAS GIFTS.

To those who may be contemplating presenting Cycles as Xmas or New Year gifts, Messrs Cole Nelson & Co. Patrick street Limerick the

WOULL DG IIIALLIUU lions' den. The two lovers selected, in the presence of 5,000 spectators, entered a cage containing five lions, and were married with the utmost expedition.

Senator Hanna, as manager of the Republican party, and other Republican leaders have sent warning to the electors in Salt Lake City that the two Mormon candidates for the Senate, "Apostles" Reed and Smoot, if elected, will be excluded from Congress.

President Roosevelt is reported to be in favour of appointing an arbitration board, over which he will preside in connection with the Venezuelian difficulty. According to a message from Caracas, three armies of rebels about 6,000 strong are marching on the capital.

A blacksmith has been "discovered near Irkutsk, Siberia, who is totally illiterate, but has a genius for figures and for mechanical invention. He has invented a whole series of new machines, many of them of great practical value. He works at his inventions as if forced by inspiration, and without the least idea of profit.

# FUNERAL OF MRS. O'GRADY.

The death of Mr. O'Grady, an esteemed and highly regarded lady, which took place at her late residence, Rathfridagh, Newcastle-west, has caused the profoundest feelings of sorrow in the district. She was sister of Sir William Bruce. Bart, Stechouse, Scotland, and widow of the late James Waller O'Grady, R.N. A lady of high culture and attainments, of the gentlest and most endearing depositions; she was esteemed by all, but in an especial manner beloved through her charity and benevolence. The body was laid in a suite of coffins, the outer being of heavy polished oak, and was borne along the winding avenue to the public road on the shoulders of the tenants, servants, and others alternately. funeral was the largest seen for many years, the interment being as Knockaney. The burial service was read by the Rev. W. Waugh, R.D. (brother in law).

The chief mourners were: Richard O'Grady, Captain Standish Bruce O'Grady (sons); Rev. W. Waugh, Rural Doan brother-in-law); Very Rev. Canon Vance, Rathronan.

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Wreaths were sent by the following: "With loving memory, from her sorrowing family"; "With deep sympathy, from Richbell v. Curling, The Castle"; "With loving sympathy, from Louisa McDonald" "Withdeep sympathy, from the Misses Vance"; "With love and sympathy, from Glenville"; "With loving memory, from Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, Curraghmore"; "With Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan, Curraghmore"; "With deep sympathy, from Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lloyd, Heathfield".

# WINDOW SMASHING.

On Wednesday evening Michael Leo entered Sir Thomas Lipton's grocery and provision establishment in George steet and conducted himself in such a manner that the Manager, Mr. self in such a manner that the Manager, Mr. Sheehy, had to remove him from the premises. After being put outside, Leo, made a kick at one of the large plate glass windows of the shop, with the result that the window was smashed and a number of articles exhibited for sale fell out on the flagway. Leo, who! committed a similar offence in Patrick street some time ago, then walked away, but he was almost immediately apprehended and detained until handed mediately apprehended and detained until handed over to the custody of a police constable. The prisoner, who is apparently of unsettled mind, and has passed some time in an asylum, was brought before Mr. John Guinane, J.P., yesterday, and remanded. Another man named Leamy was arrested and remanded on the charge of being The arrest was made an abettor in the offence.