Mr. Hallam G. Studdert, J. P. Hazlenin, and Major Stapford Hickman, D.L, have also written their acceptance of the patrons. The offer of Mr. Robert imerick, to give short lectures on the ys on butter-making, methods to the and their wives and daughters on the assembled, is gladly welcomed, and will ally accepted at next meeting of the amittee. From all parts of West Clare encouraging expressions of approval of ement have been tendered to the Execuh offers of assistance.

A TALENTED KILRUSH LADY.

Bessie Pelissier, the clever actress who has ying the part of "Olive" in Mr. Arthur Company at the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, ush lady, and second daughter of Mrs. upple, Bleak House, Cappagh. She has many roles with great success, and the ay of her that her style is very dainty and s her songs in a charming fashion. irst appearance in Ireland, although she for years in London. Her sister, Miss Pelissier, is on the operatic and concert and in the latter connection is well-known n's Hall audiences.

A "DISTINGUISHED" FAMILY.

stinguished family in a peculiar way are seys of Kilrush, whose address is Ball-alley The father has just left jail and has to at next Court some further summonses, the ed mother is undergoing a month's incarcein durance vile for over indulgence in the at more than cheers, whilst the hopeful son, t whom a two month's sentence is marked, st now eloped with the daughter of his s' chief enemy. Fresh fields and pastures which he has sought, may generously accord absconding one that appreciation which and courts denied him in his home by the on's placid wave.

OMING VISIT OF THE BOER GENERALS. stated that the Boer generals, in pursuance ir investigations as regards the agricultural ng methods carried on in the United Kingwill visit the South of Ireland early in nber. The up-to-date creameries of this t and the Cork Exhibition will be their l objects of attention. The Boer generals is said, anxious to include the Exhibition r tour, and they expect to gain very valuable

THE KING AND IRISH GOODS.

ation there.

w weeks ago King Edward instructed his to provide him with several suits of Irish buns, and immediately this became known rush of those who live mostly to be thought houses have sent agents to scour the

of Mr. W. Piper, who had been for many years the faithful and trustworthy house steward at Adare The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon for interment in the Adare burial

## CLONCAGH EXCURSION TO CORK:

On Thursday, Father Foley, C.C., the Manager of the Co-operative Dairy Society, and the parishioners of Cloncagh generally, availed of the advantages afforded by the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction proceeded to Cork, where a most enjoyable and interesting day was spent on the Exhibition grounds.

#### THE REMOUNT CASE.

Yesterday, at Ennis, the hearing of the case of the Crown against Major Studdert and others for conspiring to defraud the War Office in the purchase of remounts for the Imperial Yeomanry, was begun before Mr. Harper, R.M. A good deal of evidence was given, and the case was adjourned.

#### NEW COUNTY D.L.

Courtenay Le Poer Trench Croker, of Ballynagarde, in the County of Limerick, Esq., has been appointed a Deputy Lieutenant for the County of Limerick, his commission bearing date the 18th day of August, 1902.

#### REVISING BARRISTER.

His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant has been pleased to again appoint Mr. Richard J. Kelly Revising Barrister for Limerick City and County, and Mr. H. C. Plunkett for Waterford City and County.

#### DE ATH OF MR. M. TIERNEY.

The announcement of the wholly unexpected demise of Mr. Matthew Tierney, which occurred on Monday evening, at his residence, Ballinarouga, Ballingarry, has been received all over the district with feelings of regret and sympathy for his wife and family, who are much respected by all classes The remains, in a massive coffin were borne from the Parish Church at Cloncagh on Wednesday evening for interment in the cemetery close by, and the great concourse of sympathisers who joined in the funeral procession with the parish clergy fully indicated the high esteem in which the deceased was deservedly held, and testified to the esteem that is entertained for the bereaved family.

### PRUDENTIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY. I . LIMITED.

Claims have been paid by this Company in connection with the South African War, upon the lives of 4,239 officers and men, for a total amount of £172,460. The deaths in the British forces (excluding Colonials) numbered about 18,000.

#### THE £10 FREE-WHEEL.

Shannon Cycle built by Cole, Nelson & Co., Ltd., Limerick, is now having an enormous sale. It is fitted with Free-wheel, & Back-peddalling Brake and Plated Rims. It is guaranteed to be made from first quality butted tubing. Enameled with THREE coats best stoving enamel. All bright parts plated on Copper, and will be found 3 to 4lbs lighter than most 16 Guinea imported machines. Deferred payments are taken where so arranged.

For a number of years previous to his being called to the Bar in 1884, he occupied the editorial chair of the Cork Constitution. Up to the time of his death he held the position of Crown Prosecutor for the City of Limerick, and conducted prosecutions for the Postmaster-General in Munster. He was auditor of the Historical Society.

# COUNTY COUNCILS AND COURT-HOUSES.

At the County Council to-day, Mr. R. Coll J.P., Chairman, presiding, a resolution was re ceived from Kilmallock Rural District Council calling on the Limerick County Council " not to spend any of the money of the ratepayers of thi Union on the courthouses of the county unti such time as it is out of the power of any Dubli Castle nominee to deprive the representatives c the people of the use of those buildings, on an pretext whatever."

Mr. Coleman took it that the resolution was i consequence of the scandalous conduct of the High Sheriff at Mayo. He proposed the adoptio of the resolution.

Mr. Ryan, Castle Farm, seconded the resolution, and said that as the courthouses were buil and maintained at the public expense, it was a intolerable state of things to say that the peopl should not be allowed the use of them, and the any Dublin Castle nominee could turn them out.

The Chairman thought that under Section 72 Sub-Section 3, the Sheriff had no authorit to put out Councillors, because that Section sai "except in so far as the Court-house was require by the Sheriff or Justices for the administratic of justice." Whenever the Justices turned up the Council would vacate it for them—they would no come there at all. It was a matter of law.

After some further discussion, the Chairma

remarked that the fact of adopting the resolution would not alter the law.

Mr. O'Shaughnessy (Newcastle)-Are we not repair the Court house?

Chairman—Oh, you are. Mr. Coleman—Certainly not.

The Chairman said that they were after passir a tender for the cleaning of the windows and th keeping of the Court-house (laughter).

Mr. Coleman said the resolution would de with the tuture.

The resolution was adopted.

#### LIMERICK STOCK AND SHARE LIST.

THIS DAY'S PRICES.

Consols, 951 x d. ; Munsters, 5½ ; Hibernia Nationals, 224 Provincials, 324.

Guinness, Ord 564 x d; Dublin Distill Ord, 9s 3d; Prefs., 25s.
Great Northern, Ord., 1627; Great Southe Ord., 102 xd; Midland Great Western, Ord, 8

Ord., 102 xd; Michael Groad Gold, 13. Dublin, Wicklow and Wexford, Ord., 13. Burkes. O Coats, def. 92s, 0d; Burkes, 0 47-16 x d; Matterson's. Pref. 5 3-16; Denn Pref. 123; Cannocks, 6 9-16.

Dublin Trams, 12 1-16; Fish Oil, 2s 3d; Venite, 6s 6d; Wireless, 23.

Components, 0s 9d; Dunlops, Def, 1s; Ord, 6s 7½d; Osmonds, 0s 0d.
Atchisons, 97%; Denvers, 50½; Eries, 42¾; Lo

ville, 159 x d; Missouries, 34\frac{1}{2}; Loroville, 159 x d; Missouries, 34\frac{1}{2}; Norfolks, 7
Ontarios, 36\frac{1}{2}: Southern Pacifics, 78\frac{1}{2}: Southern Pacifics, 112\frac{1}{2}x d.
Charts, 3 9 32, Golds, 8\frac{1}{2}; East Ran
813-16, Rand Mines, 11 11-16.

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