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edgments received this afternoon are

is District Council has a debit balance of £11d.

s no business for disposal at the Police morning.

liquin has arrived in London from Castle, Co. Clare.

nt S. D. Nash, 3rd Battalion the Royal Fusiliers, is seconded for service under the War Office.

nt C. C. G. Hamilton, Tipperary Royal Artillery, resigns his commission.

a Cronin (carpenter), has been elected Secretary of the Congregated Trades, and Mr. P. Cronin is elected Treasurer.

Connelly has been fined £4 and costs for taking old rotten hay to the Tramway Company.

ght Rev. The Lord Bishop of Limerick holds a Confirmation in Askeaton Church on the 1st of March.

ck City High Sheriff (Mr. Augustine) was yesterday returned unopposed as Sheriff for the North West Ward.

is taking steps to present an illuminated banner to the Rev. J. Glynn, P.P., of Kilmaley, who spent many years in Nenagh.

et to learn that Mr. R. G. Colhoun, manager of the Great Southern and Western Railway is at present lying seriously ill.

il Arthur Spring Rice, who has been Secretary of the Embassy at St. James, is the second son of the Right Hon. Lord Monteagle.

ult of the Coastabulary Enquiry at Ennis Constable Smyth is fined £1 and Constable Foley is admonished, and Constables will be transferred.

rt and variety entertainment under the patronage of the Right Worshipful the Mayor in the Athenæum on Friday evening were not honoured with an invitation.

our meeting in Fedamore last Sunday

DEATH OF MR. C. CROMER: FROM DAY TO DAY TO

We record with very sincere regret the death of Mr. Conrad Cromer, watchmaker and jeweller, 18 George street, which took place rather unexpectedly at his residence yesterday morning as the result of apoplexy. Mr. Cromer had been apparently in his usual health up to a few hours of his demise, which, it need hardly be said, came as a great shock to his grief-stricken family and friends. The deceased gentleman, who had attained the ripe old age of 80 years, had been for more than half a century connected with the watch-making and jewellery trade in this city. His unswerving rectitude, retiring and unassuming manner, won for him the respect and esteem of the community at large, and the passing away from amongst us of an old and familiar personality—the snapping of another link, as it were, connecting us with an almost past generation—is very deeply mourned by many private friends. Mr. Cromer never took any part in public life. The funeral will leave his residence at ten o'clock to-morrow morning for the family burial place at St. John's.

Heavy rainfalls are reported from Dr. Bilsborrow, Catholic Bishop of Dublin, who is dangerously ill.

Earthquake shocks are reported from several districts in America.

Twelve fatal skating accidents occurred in Switzerland.

The Anti-Trust Bill passed the House of Representatives on Saturday.

There is reason to believe that the Government of Dublin will shortly throw open the market to foreign women.

Two thousand pounds' worth of property has been destroyed at a fire at Lee, which is a relief to some one!

The Salisbury Hotel, Colchester, was partially destroyed by fire early yesterday morning.

SURCHARGE REMITTED.

Some time ago three members of the Corporation were surcharged £24 in relation to a bill for printing paid to the proprietors of the *Munster News*. The Auditor disallowed the amount on the ground that it was for work done outside the contract—namely, the printing of three years' abstracts of Mr. Ellis, L.G.A. The *Munster News* agreed to indemnify the Corporation against the surcharge, and representations were made to the Local Government Board to reconsider the matter. The latter now write to the Town Clerk that they find that the surcharge was lawfully made, but that the subject matter thereof was incurred under such circumstances as to make it fair and equitable that the amount should be remitted. They have accordingly made an order to that effect.

The Right Rev. Monsignor G. O'Connell, O.S.A., of St. Patrick's, Maynooth, is seriously ill at the College.

President Roosevelt is suffering from a cold, but is attending to his duties without serious inconvenience.

At a new York wedding the bride, Mrs. Hurd, wore a living pet gopher for a necktie, six feet long, round her neck.

Swollen rivers have caused enormous damage in Scotland. Great damage is reported in the Perthshire and Kirkintilloch districts.

The King and Queen arrived in Windsor at 1.20 yesterday afternoon. Their Majesty looked quite well again.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

The fortnightly meeting of the Technical Education Committee was held yesterday afternoon, the Mayor presiding. Also present—Very Rev. A. Murphy, Rev. J. Dowd, Mr. M'Inerney, Rev. Brother Nolan, Mr. E. J. Long, Mr. W. Ebrill, Mr. P. J. Lynch, C.E., Mr. Michael Murphy, Mr. W. B. Joyce, B.A., Mr. M. McInerney, Mr. J. Noonan.

The Mayor, Rev. J. Dowd, and the Principal, Mr. Quick, were appointed delegates to the Association of Technical Instruction in Ireland.

A deputation from prominent ways is going out to the Union to study the railway methods of the Continent.

Edna Lyall (Miss Ellen Bayly), a novelist, died at Eastbourne, aged 60, after a long illness, which was pneumonia.

It is announced from Paris that the Right Hon. Charles G. Bonaparte is engaged to marry M. de Gonne, who commanded the Irish Brigade in the Boer War.

Several Congressmen from South America have decided to boycott President Roosevelt's society gatherings in consequence of his "negro" attitude.

A law has been passed at Geneva that butchers who sell horse sausages in blue paper, so as to distinguish them from other sausages.

Among the curiosities that have been placed into a Brighton Museum is a pair of cock-fighting, which originated in the reign of King George IV.