

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Bloemfontein, Saturday.

Legislative Council has unanimously
the Bloemfontein Customs Conven-

FOREST FIRES.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Halifax, Saturday

Forest fires in New Brunswick and Nova
continue to be destructive. Yesterday
of Hopewell, New Brunswick, was
destroyed.

LIMERICK CHORAL FESTIVAL, 1903.

Hon. Secretary of the Limerick Choral
wishes to convey his best thanks to all
who so kindly sent contributions of food
lunch and tea in the Protestant Orphan
and also to the ladies and gentlemen who
their personal assistance at the same.

LORD SALISBURY ILL.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Gunton, Private Secretary to Lord Salis-
telegraphs to the Press Association:—
Salisbury is recovering from his chill.
"a very good night, and is better this
morning."

TEMPTED SUICIDE IN ENNIS.

Yesterday, Mrs. MacNamara, wife of a local
was admitted to the County Infirmary
suffering from dreadful injuries to the neck, self-
inflicted during a supposed fit of mental aberration.
It was found on examination by Dr.
that the windpipe had been severed, and
some of the smaller arteries had also been
cut, but that the main arteries had just been
spared. The unfortunate woman is in the most
depressed condition. The poor woman, who was a
lover of glass ware, and similar articles, had
been confined for some time to be somewhat erratic
in manner.

CEDRIC'S VOYAGE.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Cedric's Liverpool telegram says the steamer
which sailed last night, anchored off
right on and reported a slight derange-
ment of the machinery. The ship left this
morning at six o'clock for New York.

At a meeting of the Committee of the above
Fete, held to-day (June 6th), at Coolbawn,
Castleconnell, Rev. A. Benson in the chair,
the Hon. Secretary, Mr. S. C. Vansittart pro-
duced the accounts of the Fete, held at Hermi-
tage, on May 14th and 15th, 1903, by which it
appeared that the gross receipts amounted to
£365 18s. 10d., the expenses to £115 16s. 5d.,
leaving a net profit of £250 2s. 5d. It was de-
cided that this amount should be placed under
the control of the Select Vestry of the Parish,
to pay off the existing debts on the Parish
Funds, and the remainder to be placed in the
National Bank in the names of Lord Massy and
Mr. Edmund Bourke, as Trustees for the
Vestry, to be used from time to time as the
funds of the Parish may require. A vote of
thanks was unanimously passed to Lord Massy
for his kindness in lending the house and
grounds of Hermitage. The Committee also
passed resolutions thanking those ladies and
gentlemen who so ably assisted in making the
Fete such a success, and to Mr. J. B. Bar-
rington for so kindly giving the Band.

DEATH OF MR. C. O'CONNOR.

We regret to announce the death of Charles
O'Connor, of Athlunkard-street, and one of the
famous Garrown footballers, which took place
to-day at one o'clock. Funeral will leave St.
Mary's Church to-morrow (Sunday) at three
o'clock.

MORE OF THE BAKERY CASES.

To-day by arrangement in the Quarter Sessions
Court, Ellen Kiely, Catherine Street, obtained
£10 for alleged conspiracy, in connection with the
Tubridy dispute. The defendants were Robert
Dick, Patrick Ryan, Charles Donoghue, Patrick
Keane, Thoms Collins and John Lynch. Mr.
Moloney, a baker, had agreed to pay £10 (£3 of
which remained unpaid), and his Honor in allow-
ing this settlement, on payment of the remaining
£3 and costs, to be made, hoped that women
would not be drawn into the dispute.

MORE TYRANNY.

At the Quarter Sessions, to-day, His Honor
Judge Adams gave a verdict against John
O'Brien, Patrick O'Donnell, and John Gotby,
President, Secretary, and Treasury of the Van
Mens' Society, for £2 6s., subscriptions paid
by James Larkin, a member, who was expelled
because he refused to go on strike. His Honor
said it was one of the most monstrous instances
of popular tyranny he had ever met with, and
gave the verdict on the grounds of "wrongful
expulsion."

PRESENTATION.

A large number of friends and members of the
Limerick Protestant Young Men's Association

in private audience yesterday
was unusually long. The Po
King Edward, said how glad
seen his Majesty.

An Imperial irade has been
proving the scheme of the O:
the unification of the debt.
an immediate advance of
Treasury.

During the Whitsuntide ho-
dings at Slater's Hall Collier
Staffordshire, became flooded
being very extensively damag-
drowned.

A telegram from Keokuk
to the breaking of levees be-
river Illionis has overflowe-
75,000 acres. The estimated
amount to 750,000 dollars.

Sir A. Lawley, the Lieut-
the Transvaal, has remitted
tion of the sentences on the
burghers who were convict-
war for military offences.

The stone pulpit which for-
the nave of Westminster Ab-
placed by the fine piece of es-
work familiar to most visitors
the "wineglass pulpit."

Admiral Evans, commanding
Asiatic Squadron, in report
Department, expresses a glo-
political situation in China.
will be a serious trouble in a

Captain E. T. Warren, an
from Sydney, Nova Scotia,
England in a 12ft. sailing bo-
caused the boat to sink to the
barely left room for him to sit

H.M.S. Iris and Mercury
cruisers—are to be commissi-
date for the training serv-
important step towards remo-
of teaching our sailor boys the

A despatch from St. Josep-
that a party of seventy-five
launches and other boats, we-
rescued two hundred half-sta-
had been imprisoned in scho-

The Presbyterian General
in Belfast, yesterday, passed
resolutions condemning the Irish
mission Report, and prote-
establishing and endowing of
in Dublin.

Mr. James Tittermore, of S
has been cast in damages to
£600 for breach of a promise
to Miss Frances Pettit. The
Tittermore, who had courted
kissed her 1,236 times. This
rate of 12s. a kiss.

At Kiel a sailor was sent
imprisonment for striking
The case has been widely
there, because the ensign,
identify his assailant owing
the night, committed suicide
he wrote in a letter, allow hi-
unavenged.

The "Official Messenger"
Czar has signified his approv-
of the Committee of the Mir
the Jews until the revision