

"VULTURES, SCALDCROWS, AND MAGPIES."

At Limerick No. 1 Council to-day, a letter was read from Sub-Sanitary Officer Hayes, in which he stated that recently the carcasses of 12 cows were in the Mulcair river, near Annacoty, and as the cost to remove same would be about £2 he desired to be informed whether he should have them taken away and buried.

Mr. Lane said the place was now like as if a siege had been raised there, full of vultures, scald crows, and magpies.

The sub-sanitary officer was instructed to have the nuisance abated.

NEWCASTLE QUARTER SESSIONS.

On Monday Judge Adams will open the Newcastle Sessions. There is only one criminal case. The civil business is about the same as the corresponding period of last year.

THE P.Y.M.A.

The Corporation decided last night to send the documents relative to the exemption of the P.Y.M.A. from rates to the Commissioners of Valuation, so that they could exempt if they saw fit.

DEATH OF MR. MASSY HEWSON.

We regret to announce the death of a member of an old Limerick family, Mr. Massy Hewson, which took place at his residence, Briskabeg, Clarina, yesterday. Mr. Hewson was a most kindly and unassuming gentleman, and made for himself many friends, whether in business or private life. He has been in failing health for some time past. The funeral will take place on Monday at 11 o'clock for Killeedy.

ST. PATRICK'S CEMETERY.

At Limerick No. 1 Council to-day, on the suggestion of Rev. Fr Carroll, C.C., it was decided to appoint a caretaker instead of closing St. Patrick's Cemetery as originally decided on.

WEEKLY HALF HOLIDAY.

The weekly half holiday movement (Thursday afternoon closing) is being most favourably received. Already 75 firms in the city alone—practically all the principal businesses have promised to close if the movement is general. It is expected that final and definite arrangements will be made next week to make the matter an accomplished thing.

"GUESTS HOT AND DISHES COLD."

"Guests hot and dishes cold" is now the rule. There is no more delightful dish for a hot summer day than a Brown and Polson Blanc-Mange. It is made with Brown and Polson's "Patent" Corn Flour and sweet milk. There is quality in this Blanc-Mange, there is flavour, daintiness, food value. Served with stewed fresh fruit it is a cooling, appetising and refreshing dish for a hot summer day. Recipes for serving Corn Flour and fruit in twenty-one different ways are given in

the town with what existed in the rest of the civilised world—public fountains. The defendant, Mr. Quilligan, was a respectable looking man, and appeared to be well thought of by the police. He could probably have prevented this assault if he had refused to serve the plaintiff, who was already drunk. Quilligan—the closing hour being approaching—wanted to get rid of those fellows, but they said "home was never like this," and refused to go. A row arose, and Cody, armed with a pint measure, inflicted two marks on the defendant—he didn't get the marks by falling on his eyebrows. He thought Quilligan was justified in defending himself, but at the same time he thought from his conduct on the occasion that the joy of battle got into his soul, and then took place a scene more like what they would read of in that great contest going on at the end of the world where those yellow dwarfs were doing so much in the cause of liberty and humanity. Quilligan entrenched himself behind the Port Arthur of his counter, and opened fire on the enemy outside who outnumbered him but who were not so well armed. Eventually he drove them forth fracturing the plaintiff's skull, in other words he went as near killing him as anyone could do, because a fracture of the skull was a most dangerous thing. He thought however that the plaintiff brought it on himself and he would give a decree for three guineas.

FISHING AT CASTLECONNELL.

EXCELLENT SPORT.

With the water in first class order and a plentiful stock of fish anglers have been having record sport at Castleconnell, the lion's share of the captures have being made by Mr. E. T. Ingham, his brother-in-law, Mr. J. H. Wheatley, Mrs. Ingham, and Miss Ida M. Wheatley on the Castle, Summerhill, and Worldsend fisheries. We shall give the full return in our next issue.

NEW TELEGRAPH STATION.

A telegraph station has been opened at Grange, which is a great convenience to a large district. Heretofore there there was no telegraph station between Bruff and Limerick, a distance of 15 miles.

EXCURSIONS.

For the Waterford Gaelic Feis to-morrow, the G. S. & W. Railway announce a special excursion from Limerick at 9 o'clock, and on each Sunday in June special excursions will run to Listowel for Ballybuzion, Tralee for Ferm, at 8.30 o'clock.

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.

At the Corporation last night, Mr. Donnellan gave notice that in lieu of granting an increase of £100 a year to the City Treasurer to enable him to provide an additional office assistant, the Council ask the Lord Lieutenant and Local Government Board to sanction the appointment of an assistant treasurer at a salary to be named.

CAPTAIN DIVORCED.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

In London to-day Capt. Anthony Hywaring, of the Army Medical Service Corps, was

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