

## TROOPSHIP ESCORTED.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

The troopship Assaya arrived at Southampton to-day with troops of various regiments and sixty sailors. Those on board heard of the North Sea outrage at Malta. On reaching Gibraltar the vessel was detained a short time, and when the voyage was continued the battleship Illustrious escorted her to St. Vincent, as a matter of precaution; the warships Theseus and Endymion subsequently accompanying her to Vigo.

## TROOPS FOR MEDITERANEAN.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

The transport Dilwara embarked at Southampton, to-day, Garrison Artillery drafts for the Mediterranean and Far Eastern stations.

## CABINET COUNCIL.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

The Cabinet was summoned to meet at three o'clock this afternoon.

The Cabinet met this afternoon at Downing Street. All the members were present.

## MR. BALFOUR'S ENGAGEMENTS.

(By Telegraph To-day.)

The Press Association learns officially that Mr. Balfour has cancelled his engagements to attend the Mansion House banquet. His two Glasgow meetings have also been cancelled, together with other engagements, which it is impossible for him to keep, in view of the necessity of giving absolute rest to his affected leg.

## THE QUARTER SESSIONS.

His Honor Judge Adams will resume the business of the Quarter Sessions to-morrow. At eleven o'clock Income Tax appeals will be heard, and at 2 o'clock the general business will be taken up.

## P.Y.M.A.

The Rev. J. Dowd is to open the Winter Session of P.Y.M.A. Literary Class to-morrow night, with a Lecture "Notes of an Autumn tour in Italy," illustrated with lime light views. Admission is free, and ladies are invited.

## JEWELLER'S SUDDEN DEATH.

The death took place suddenly at his residence, Catherine street, this morning of Charles Conroy, assistant jeweller at Mrs. Ryan's, George street. He retired to bed as usual last night, and when the woman with whom he lodged went to call him this morning she was startled to find him dead.

## ENGLISH LANDLORD HUNTING.

At Carlisle Assizes yesterday, Mr. Justice Phillimore sentenced Henry Brown, a farmer, to four years' penal servitude for shooting at his landlord's agent. Brown drove up to the agent's house, and fired two shots through the window of the room in which he was seated. He had also shot at the agent's dog.

to give the nett quantity of flour.

Mr. Ryan (Knockatane)—When the price was increased 6d. in the sack.

The Clerk said Mr. Foley agreed to give 280 lbs. of flour to the sack, and the quantity given heretofore was only 277 lbs.

Mr. Ryan (Knockatane)—Would Mr. Roche make the same concession?

The Clerk—Well, he was not asked.

The letter was then marked "read."

## STEAM COAL SUPPLY.

The tender of Messrs. Mullock & Sons was accepted for the supply of steam coal to the institution at 19s. 11d. per ton.

## NEW HEATING APPARATUS.

On the suggestion of Mr. P. Bourke, the clerk was instructed to circularise the entire board, and ask their attendance at the formal opening of the new heating apparatus on a date to be named.

## ELECTION OF RELIEVING OFFICER.

Five applications were read for the position of Relieving Officer in the Caherconlish and Clarina districts, at a salary of £45 per annum.

The candidates were—Miss Sarah Devane, Messrs. Patrick Lane, John McDonnell, Joseph Nolan, and Daniel Humphries.

Mr. O'Farrell asked if he would be in order in proposing that two officers be appointed—one for the eastern and another for the western district. In Clarina the people found it very inconvenient to have the relieving officer residing so far away from the district, and the Local Government Board now realised the great necessity of having every relieving officer residing in his district.

The Chairman—Yes, that is the law.

Mr. Patrick Mulqueen said that question had been raised before, and was not entertained.

The Clerk said Mr. O'Farrell's proposition could only be discussed by notice of motion.

Mr. Ryan (Knockatane), then proposed the candidature of Miss Devane, who had been assisting her father in the distribution of relief in these districts for some time. She knew the wants of the poor, and if elected would give satisfaction. It was a unique position for him to be in to propose the election of a young lady for such a position. He appealed to the spirit of the gentlemen candidates to retire in Miss Devane's favour (hear, hear).

Mr. O'Regan seconded, and was prepared to withdraw the name of Mr. McDonnell from the contest in her favour if the other candidates acted likewise.

Messrs. Humphries and Nolan were prepared to retire in Miss Devane's favour, but Mr. Lane declined, with the result that the five went to the poll.

In the first division the voting was for Lane, 24; Nolan, 20; M'Donnell, 18; Humphries, 12; and Devane, 9. The second poll was—Lane, 29; Nolan, 20; M'Donnell, 18; and Humphries, 14. In the next division M'Donnell fell out, the voting being for Lane, 34; Nolan, 28; and M'Donnell, 20.

The final poll resulted thus:—For Lane—P. Keane, W. C. McNamara, W. Frost, Ald. Joyce, M.P., J. King, J. Guinane, Ald. Prendergast, P. McInerney, J. Molony (Cappanuke), P. O'Brien, W. Clancy, J. Butler, P. J. McGrath, T. Lane, J. Molony (Ballyvarra); D. Condon, J. Hayes, D. O'Brien, D. McMahon, J. Humphries, P. Keogh, J. McNamara, P. Mulcahy, P. Costelloe, C. O'Neill, J. McGrath, J. O'G. Delmege, D.C.; D. F. McNamara, P. Stritch, J. Madden, T. Bourke, M. Hannan, P. Fitzgerald, J. O'Connell, J. Gunning, D. Carroll, Patrick Mulqueen, P. Walsh, J. Crotty, A. Stritch, M. O'Grady, and T. Hartigan.—44.

For Nolan—Miss McDonnell, J. Cusack, J. McDonnell, B. Bourke, Ald. McDonnell, B. Frost,

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A Match—Conroy—2 to 1 on winner.

Maiden Steeplechase Orangefield, 2; Amon, Binocle, Grandchild, Richmond Roy. B. 6 to 1 The Awakening

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Juvenile Hurdle. Chlora, 2; Henley, 3 Eastergate, Be Carel SeaGal, Tried by Nig 8 to 1 agst Merry H. Henley.

Ferry Steeplechase hope, 2; May King, Merry John, Dam, to 2 agst winner.

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