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**SPRING EFFECTS.**

kinest thing I know is the young tree and about the most difficult like a true tone rendering if chromatic plate and a yellow screen. e to find myself in the Lake district rch of spring effects and although ood anemones were in abundance ater the foliage was at least three at of the South or even Suburban

ch, which in the south is covered foliage, bears up north its wintry reely a bud to harbinger the spring. llyn and Skiddaw are still cons s of snow, which look as though her month would be possible.

cloud effects at this season of the magnificent, but the photographer is colour with form and to experience ment when he views his developed because the infinite gradation of reproduction in monotone that he gative the effects he saw in Nature, o lay to the charge of his plate a should not be called upon to bear. notice, also, how the tone of the s in intensity almost every minute l weather; how at times the out- out against a dull grey sky with a ive of cut cardboard, and at others veloped the blurred effect that the not fail to convey and which is he photographer.

**THE LIGHT ON THE WAR.**

Developing Machine is playing a part at the seat of war—it was only at we heard of it as being in use on oth combatants in connection with , to which the films were attached ent. It now appears in the possession off, Russian Minister of Ways and as, who personally superintended the or the tem orary railway across Lake the last two months, and the transport Army en route for Harbin, for which ible. He was provided with a Kodak enthusiastic photograprer, made about of incidents in connection with the ngements for his Majesty the Czar. it to St. Petersburg for hasty repro- zork was undertaken, and in less than e films were developed, fixed, washed nts made from them and mounted up r the Czar. The Prince has enthused his appreciation of the Kodak achine, and certainly it is difficult t he could have managed to develop out it. When it was first introduced, was looked up n as a sort of toy only he amateur, but it has survived all the t were cast upon it at the commence- ally a most important factor of modern hy.

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moted to field rank. Major Bridgford, who has fourteen and a half years' service in the Manchester, took part in the defence of Ladysmith, and the actions which preceded its investment, and after its relief he was at the engagements of Laing's Nek, Belfast, Lydenburg, and other minor affairs in all three colonies.

**DEATH OF MR. JOHN TOBIN.**

We regret to record the demise of one of the oldest surviving officials of the Waterford, Limerick, and Western Railway, Mr. John Tobin, who passed away on Friday morning, at his residence, near Roxboro' Bridge, at the advanced age of seventy-six years. He had been in failing health for some months past, and his demise was not unexpected. Mr. Tobin had been a servant of the old company almost since the opening of the Limerick and Waterford line—at all events, we learn, since the year 1848. He was stationmaster at Limerick for twenty years, and during that period, coming as he did into intimate contact with all classes of the public, he was universally esteemed for his never-failing attention and courtesy, while at the same time he discharged his duties to the company with the utmost fidelity and zeal. He retired on a well-earned pension in the year 1896. His demise severs another link between the present and a generation fast passing away, and removes from our midst a familiar personality that will long be missed by many friends, who deeply sympathise with his family in their sorrow. The funeral took place on Sunday from his residence for Mount St. Lawrence, and though the hour was not generally known, the cortege was of a large and representative character.

The chief mourners were—Wm. Tobin, son; Thomas Tobin, brother; R. Lewis, cousin, and other relatives of the deceased.

The clergy were—Father Griffin, Administrator, St. John's; Father Cregan, Administrator, St. Michael's; Father O'Connor, C.C., Prior Glynn, O.S.A.

Amongst those also present were—Mr James Neville, District Superintendent, G. S. and W. Railway, Limerick; Mr. Thos. J. Loughrey, Chief Clerk; Mr. Wilson, Goods Superintendent, Mr. J. Shanahan, Station Master, Limerick; Messrs D. Walsh, Chief Clerk, Coaching Department; Messrs Powell, Hickey, McClean, Maher, Meany, coaching staff; Mr. Ludden, Chief Clerk, Goods Department; Mr. Tuite, accountant; Messrs M'Grath, Malone, M'Sweeney, Guerin, do; Mr. Gadd, Locomotive Superintendent; Mr. Meers, Locomotive Office; Messrs Wall, Buttre, and Jackman, Engineers Department; Messrs Forde, McNamara, and Baldwin, District Superintendent's office; Mr. John McGrath, District Cashier; Mr. A. Kennedy, Assistant do.; Mr. Coghlan, stationmaster, Killonan; Mr. Dodd, agent, Great Western Railway; Mr. J. J. Hanratty, refreshment rooms; Mr. Isaac Ray, railway policeman; Mr. T. Reid, and several of the general public, as well as the passenger and goods porters, etc. Wreaths were sent by the clerical staff of the coaching department, the general staff ditto, Mr. M. A. Kennedy (assistant cashier), Mr. and Mrs. Hanratty, &c.

**THE LAND ACT.**

The tenantry on the late Earl of Clare's estate in West Limerick have arranged with the agent, Mr. Jameson, of Foynes, to purchase their holdings under the Land Act. The property forms a portion of the Limerick estate of the representatives of the late Earl, and the term of sale are 21½ years' purchase of first term rent and 24½ years' purchase of second term rents.

The Chairman said that from what of the case they would reduce the nominal sums of 10s., and 1s each for the District Inspector Cusack said he was with that.

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