

The Foynes Annual Regatta and Athletic Sports will take place on Monday, 7th August (Bank Holiday).

The conference of the Tariff Commission was continued in private in Dublin yesterday. In the evening a private banquet was held.

Thurles Urban Councillors are considering the question of acquiring a site for additional burial ground accommodation at Elicbreeda.

Sir Antony McDonnell, who is still a patient in the private hospital, Lower Mount street, is making good progress towards recovery. He is much better to-day.

The Artillery are still encamped at Cappanmore, the three batteries in the command doing duty by turns in the camp, which is very pleasantly situated.

It is understood that a movement is on foot by local residents and farmers living at and near Kilfinane to establish a branch of the National Bank in that town.

The American millionaire, G. Phelps Stokes, with his cigar girl bride, arrived off Queenstown last night by the Cedric, and proceeded to Liverpool.

The Marquis of Waterford, who has been at the Curragh for the annual training with his Yeomanry, has now joined Lady Waterford at Curraghmore.

Among the recent visitors at Harrogate have been the Duke and Duchess of Abercorn, Lady Talbot Power, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nugent, and Mr. and Mrs. De Moleyns.

Lord Ormonde's yacht *Mirage* is at present in Poole, where she was towed with a large hole in her bows, the result of a collision in the English Channel with a collier off Anvil Point.

A Parliamentary return of arrests for drunkenness in Dublin, Belfast, Cork, Limerick, and Waterford, between 1st May, 1904, and 30th April, 1905, has been ordered, on the motion of Mr. Sloan, M.P.

In connection with the formation of a carpet industry in Killarney, the promoters have decided to form a company with a capital of £1,000. Already 240 £1 shares have been taken.

Captain Stacpoole, D.S.O., who was at one time Master of the Clare Hounds, is at present at Edenhill, the residence of his mother, suffering from the effects of a racing accident, by which he broke his collar bone.

Mr. Justice Andrews, who is engaged at Belfast Assizes, took suddenly ill yesterday, and was obliged to discontinue his work for almost an hour. His Lordship, however, had practically recovered in the afternoon.

Colonel S. H. Harrison, Commanding 101st Regimental Depot, is in temporary command of the South Irish Grouped Regimental District, during the absence of Brigadier General L. G. Brooke, on sick leave.

Yesterday the Royal Commission of Inquiry regarding the Boer war was resumed its sitting, when some remarkable evidence was given as to the liberality with which the troops were supplied with such articles as jam and pepper.

The "London Gazette" announces that the King on Monday conferred the honour of knighthood upon Mr. Philip Crampton Smyly, Dublin; Mr. Robert Gardner, Dublin; Major Nicholas Gosselin, Annaghmullen, Ballybay, Co. Monaghan; and Mr. William Josiah Smyly, Dublin.

At a meeting of the Corporation Electric Lighting Committee last evening, applications for the position of street arc lamp trimmer were received from upwards of a dozen candidates. Jas. O'Halloran, Church-street, was appointed on a month's probation, at 25s. per week.

The negotiations with a view to amicably settling the dispute of the operative painters

charged with having broken into the premises 96 Upper Malvern street, and stealing a quantity of groceries, four Belfast youths named Joseph Clarke, Joseph Trimble, Thomas Doyle, and John Gorman were ordered to be imprisoned at the Custom Court yesterday, the first named to three months, and the others to two months each.

At the half-yearly meeting of the shareholders of the Provincial Bank, which was held yesterday in the Shelbourne Hotel, the Chairman, Lord Rathmore, announced a dividend at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum on the half-year's trading. In addition, £3,000 is written off from the Bank Premises Account, and £10,000 has been added to the Reserve Fund.

The Proposals Committee of the Corporation had under consideration at its meeting last night thirty-six presentment applications. The proposals, which amounted to £4,211 16s. 3d., and were of the ordinary nature, were all passed, and will come up for ratification at the meeting of the Council to be held on the 4th prox. One of the recommended proposals embraced a sum of £27 paid Mr. Blood-Smyth, solicitor, in respect of an injury, adjudged malicious, to a window in St. Mary's Cathedral.

By a legal decision in San Francisco an estate worth £200,000 has been awarded to a young Russian named Gopvic, formerly a tram conductor. The property comes to him from his late wife, who was twenty years his senior, and who married him "for love" (says the "Telegraph correspondent"). Her relatives disputed the will, but Judge Sayre said: "Although the lady had dressed herself like a seventeenth century swashbuckler, she was not incompetent. Gopvic, moreover, was a handsome man, of polished manners."

At the County Petty Sessions to-day, before Mr. Ffrench, R.M., a middle-aged woman, named Bridget Hynes, prosecuted a relative of hers, named Catherine Hynes, for assault, and there was a cross-case of a similar kind. The evidence adduced went to show that the parties, who reside at Pennywell, have been living on unfriendly terms for some time, and on the 21st of last month attacked one another. In the conflict they were assisted by other members of both families, and bruises and black eyes were the result of what was described as an unsightly tussle. Both women were bound to the peace.

We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Fitzmaurice, which took place at her residence, Dock-road, this morning. The deceased lady, who was wife of Mr. J. Fitzmaurice, Harbour Master, had only been ailing a couple of days, and as such her demise came as a shock to her family and numerous friends. Possessed of a kindly and genial disposition, her loss, specially in the domestic circle, is an irreparable one, and deep sympathy is expressed with Mr. Fitzmaurice in his bereavement. As a mark of respect to her memory the vessels in the harbour have their flags at half mast. The deceased lady leaves a family of six young children to mourn her loss.



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