trance fee is accepted in instalments, and is it id by every member—even apprentices. It mies that any man can leave his work at pleasure ithout a heavy fine; states that there is no rule hich will liable an employer to replace a man at has stopped out, and that any arrangement me between the militiaman and Mr. cNamara should not have been come to without e consent of the Society. The letter also denies at Father Oregan tried to settle the matter for mself and declares that the rev. gentleman was thorised by Mr. McNamara to intervene. These s the points of the letter which might just as all have been sent to us at the time it was sent our contemporaries, instead of being held over 1 noon on our publishing day.

ATTEMPTED SETTLEMENT.

A conference between representatives of the isters and the men was held this afternoon, if the result was that it is believed that the pute will be settled in a friendly manner morrow evening.

OUTSIDE OPINIONS.

* To Correspondents—We can not guarantee to insert letters sent to us on days of publication. They should be sent in on the previous days—Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

[This column being open to all, we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.]

A CONTRADICTION.

THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE. PEAR SIR—Re Painters Dispute, I notice in a er from the painters I am made to say "that ning could be fairer than a fine for a man stopped out from work through drink." is not correct. What I did say was that a was not able to meet the dispute in hand was no use.

Yours faithfully, M. CUSACK.

IERICK GUARDIANS AND THEIR TREASURER.

Limerick Board of Guardians vesterday, J. McInerney, Chairman, presiding, the ving latter was read from the Local G overn Board dated 18th July, 1905:—"Sir, the Government Board for Ireland have had them the resolution of the Board of Guarof Limerick Union of the 5th inst., relative of Limerick Union of the Union; and in nee thereto the Board desire to state that in of the favourable terms offered by the ter and Leinster Bank, they will not oppose ishes et the Guardians on the matter."

Chairman said that the Munster and ser Bank made them two offers and in order he Board would see their way well, he suggest that a small committee be ap d to see which offer would be the best for

He was speaking to-day to the Mana er of inster and Leinster Bank who told him he wired to his Directors and they they would accept any of the proposition

the Local Government Board that it would be difficult to get a better or as good a man as the present night watchman, whose services are to be retained.

The three weeks' mission given at the united parishes of Clonmeagh and Knockaderry was brought to a very successful close on Sunday evening by Rev. Father Boyle, who delivered a beautiful sermon on perseverance. Papal Benediction was then given.

At the recent Dublin Show the Irish terrier dog, "Ignorant," bred by A. J. Richardson, Tralee, was the only Irish exhibit of this class which secured a second prize, being beaten only by the great English breeders. His owner refused a tempting offer for him.

The Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, R.C. Bishop of Killaloe, paid his first visitation to Miltown Malbay, County Clare, on Sunday last, and administered the Sacrament of Confirmation to over 300 children.

Sampel Killeen and Edward Farrell, two servants of the London and North Western Co., engaged at the North Wall service for nearly 40 years, were each presented with a purse of gold by the staff at the station on their retiring on pengion last Satturday.

The tenants on the Cagney estate, near Fermo, have completed agreements for the purchase of their holdings, which were partly first term and non-judicial. The terms were 21 years purchase, which included arrears of rent to 25th March.

Clare County Council will consider at its next meeting a resolution to form a Committee to bring back the fairs to the original dates, and to prevent anything which is at present leading to their "going to ruin."

The Irish terrier, "Rose of Tralee," was purchased by Mr. George Raper, at the recent Cork Show at her scheduled price of £20. She was bred by Mr. Cunningham, Tralee, and her dam "Foxy Norry" was bred by Mr. A. J. Richardson, R. I. C., Tralee. Mr. Raper is regarded as the foremost Irish terrier judge in Europe.

The death is announced of Mr. Edward O'Shaughnessy, London correspondent of the "Irish Independent" He had been in bad health for some time past, and recently in the hope of recuperating, spent six weeks in Cahirciveen, County Kerry, of which he was a native. His death occurred at Clapham.

The death of Mr. P. McCormack, D.C., occasioned general regret. Though ailing for some time, the end was by no means anticipated as being so near at hand. The deceased was only 53 years of age. He was possessed of a kindly and courteous manner, which made for him hosts of friends. His death took place on Sunday at Pallasgreen.

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There has just been established at Ballinagoul near Dungarvan, a summer school for the teaching of Irish. It is under the charge of a capable teacher, and as the district itself is an Irish speaking one, visitors desirous of attaining a knowledge of the language are afforded a rare opportunity in this respect.

Michael Bergin, Nenagh, who has been on a visit to Limerick, complains that he was mable to obtain an Irish made straw hat, or an Irish brewed hop bitters. He instances both as a sample of the poor support given to Irish industries here, and contrasts Limerick with Roscrea, where he was able to get 100 straw hats had he wanted them.

SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS

An Exchange Lahor Phenomenal floods are pr province. In the village o of houses and all the cattle river.

A Reuter's Gotha telegra of Saxe Coburg and Gotha vincial Court here a petitic his wife, Princess Louise.

Mr. Gerald Balfour, rep man, says the Local Gover, yet arrived at a decision u tions of the Departmental the fees payable to public

Owing to the prolonged the reservoir at Clareville mally low, and there is dan of water being seriously af rain takes place to relisituation.

George Blessington, a your from the Embankment, near after a woman named Charl tempted sulcide, and succee At Bow street she was reaswarded 5s.

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The Exchequer returns f
15th are as follows:—Recexpenditure, £40,972,635;
In the corresponding perior receipts were £35,557,
£43,928,261; and balances,

A Reuter's Paris telegran from Warsaw to the "Echo the agitation in the town in for the reopening of the Grave doubts are entertained of opening the public school as at present intended.

A Reuter's St. Petersburg The "Petersburski Listok' having investigated the repoboard the "Imperator Alex "Minnine," now state that been disputes regarding the employed aboard the repairir

Direct labour has been k in Clare by the Local Gove say the Council's declaration made, the meeting not bein A new schedule is to be prepa about "the delays of officiald in Parliament.

DEATH OF MRS. FR GABBET

We regret to have record to Frances Mary Gatbett (mother citizen, Mr. Pool: Gabbett), verification Gabbett, of Corbally, the late Captain Rich, R.A., of connell. The sad event took Corbally, the deceased lady, we and patient sufferer, passing a the fine old age of 80 years Gabbett we tender our earnest we are sure, will be shared in budeceased lady and our esteemed

"TRILBY" AT THE

It was quite a pretty entert "Triloy" which was placed up. Theatre Royal last night. The Mr. Roy Jackson whose compa