opportunity of picking the brains of the large number of skilled artisans and mechanics now employed, but too frequently it is not the owner of the brains who gets the pay, or even the "honour" of new inventions in the Navy.

GETTING TEDIOUS.

A San Francisco writer tells this incident of the recent catastrophe :—"I happened upon one of the victims of the fire sitting near the site of his old home, his hat pulled over his eyes, loafing and looking down over the miles of ghastly ruin where in spots the fire still smouldered. The horror was hardly more than a week old, yet presently this man fetched a deep yawn, stretching his arms abroad. 'Gee whiz!' he complained, 'I wish something would happen. This is getting tedious.'"

RUN OVER BY A CYCLIST.

ACCIDENT TO CARDINAL LOGUE.

On Sunday evening last his Eminence Cardinal Logue, whilst crossing the roadway near his summer residence in Carlingford, was run into by a cyclist and knocked down. The Cardinal, who sustained a somewhat severe shock, was attended to by Dr. Finegan, J.P. His Eminence has now almost completely overcome the results of the accident.

KILLALOE SLATES.

AN ACTION AT LAW.

In the King's Bench Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Wright, sitting as Vacation Judge, in the case of the Killaloe Slate Co., Ltd., v. Samuel Worthington.

Mr. Leet (instructed by Messrs. Read and McNab) applied on behalf of the plaintiffs for an order appointing Mr. Oliver Fry, managing director of the company, receiver by way of equitable execution over certain money due to the defendant, a builder, by the Edenderry Rural District Council, in connection with the erection of labourers' cottages. In an affidavit Mr. Fry stated that an attendance order recently obtained against the defendant could not be served as the defendant was out of the jurisdiction, and that there was still due by the defendant to the plaintiff company on foot of judgment, the sum of £162 18s. 1d., and £9 1bs. in respect of costs The action was brought for the price of a quantity of slates supplied to the defendant, to whom a considerable sum is at present owing to the Edenderry Council.

Mr. Leet asked his lordship to give a receiver order and to allow them to serve it by registered letter on the defendant's wife.

Mr. Justice Wright said there was no affidavit before him that would justify him in doing that, but he would grant the receiver order sought.

Mr. Leet—We will take the order appointing Mr. Fry, receiver, and wait till this gentleman comes back.

O'DONOVAN ROSSA.

O'Donovan Rossa has resigned his appointment as Clerk to the Cork County Council, and returns to America. No reason can be attained, but a correspondent who saw Rossa at Queenstown says :—It was impossible to refrain from thoughts on the presence of Rossa at Queenstown to-night, as compared with his visit of only a short time since. Then he was received with all the warmth that his Irish admirers were capable of. To-night he sat alone, save for the presence of one old-time friend, who never wavered in his allegiance. Yesterday morning Rossa landed unheralded and alone, with no one to bid him welcome. He leaves to-morrow morning, and save the one friend before referred to he will leave without a farewell of any sort. His friend says he is going to New York, where a good position awaits him.

shot himself immediately with a revolver. At the inquest yesterday morning it was stated he had no financial or domestic troubles, and had been in the best of spirits lately. A verdict of suicide whilst of unsound mind was returned.

DEATH OF LADY TAIT.

The death took place at Bournemouth within the past few days of Lady Tait, relict of the late Sir Peter Tait, whose memory will ever be revered in Limerick as a philanthropist and an occupant of the civic chair in the far back sixties. The deceased lady had not been in the best of health for some time, having suffered from a malady which necessitated an operation, and on which death supervened. Lady Tait was third daughter of the late Mr. William Abraham, of Fort Prospect, of this city, and sister of Mr. William Abraham, Nationalist Member of Parliament for North East division of County Cork. She leaves a family to mourn her demise.

TRALEE AND FENIT PIER

At the meeting of the Tralee and Fenit Pier and Harbour Commissioners yesterday, a letter was read from Mr. Downey, Secretary of the Limerick Steamship Company, stating that the directors' attention had been called to a notice appearing in the newspapers in regard to the report of the Joint Committee, and pointing out that the shipping interests were overlooked. He asked that the matter be reconsidered, and thought that there should be two on the Board to represent the shipping interests. After a long discussion it was decided to adhere to the report of the Joint Committee ; and also, on the proposition of Mr. Kelliher, seconded by Mr. Latchford, the following was adopted :—"That we recommend to the County Council that the shipping company paying the biggest tonnage dues on ships may nominate as member of the Harbour Board one shareholder or director of such company, and for that purpose, if they request it, that this Board will consent to the Council nominating one extra member also, provided no shipping company shall have more than one representative at any time, and provided that the same company has no member otherwise qualified on the Board."

DEATH OF MR. E. B. PIGOTT.

We regret to record the demise of a prominent and highly esteemed citizen, Mr. Edward B. Pigott, which took place at his residence, Carlisle Terrace, yesterday morning. Mr. Pigott was one of the buyers at Messrs. McBirney and Company's with which firm he has been connected for the past sixteen years, and was most popular with the staff and a wide circle of friends. He was an old member of the Shannon Rowing Club, of which he, with the late Mr. M. Spain, had been one of the trustees, and he also filled the position of Vice-President. He took a great interest in acquatics and altogether was a valued member. He has been in failing health for some time past and his demise was not unexpected. Deep sympathy is expressed with his family in their sorrow. The funeral is announced to take place to-morrow morning at ten o'clock for Mount St. Laurence Cemetery.

CO. LIMERICK JOCKEY KILLED

Maurice Harty, who rode Island Chief in the Coolock Plate at Baldoyle on Tuesday, was killed by falling off the horse. He was only about 23 years of age, and previous to going to Mr. M Arnott's stable had been with Captain Dewhurst.

The young gentleman who met his fate in such an unexpected manner, is son of Mr. Harty, of Coom, one of the most popular gentlemen in the county. For him and his respected family the very greatest sympathy is felt in their very sad bereavement. The deceased was very highly esteemed, and a great favourite, especially in sporting circles. He was a thorough sportsman, and an excellent horseman.

FOUR TARTAR VILLAG WIPED OUT.

The Governor General of the Caucasu from Erivan that four Tartar village district of Sangesur have been laid Inhabitants who escaped the massacre h to flight. The bodies of the slain lie among the ruins. Crops have been bu cattle driven off. The inhabitants Armenian villages took part in the destruction. When the troops arrived scene the Armenians had already left th bourhood.

STATION MASTER ATTACKED.

FATAL RESULT.

As already reported, Mr. Thomas Station Master, Charleville, receiv injuries on 12th inst., as a result of an attack on him by two men, since when been confined to bed under medical tr and he succumbed to his injuries on evening. Yesterday, Coroner Byrne inquest at which the medical evidence Henry Bouchier Hayes showed that de due to the injuries received in the ro deceased, it is alleged, was badly beaten head with stieks.

ALLEGED ARSON.

BOY COMMITTED FOR TRI

At the Tralee Courthouse yesterday Mr. W. Huggard, J.P., a labouring boy Johd Shea, a native of Ardfert, was ch custody with setting fire to a rick of h hay shed, the property of Mrs. Hanoria of Manor East, some miles from Witnesses were examined for the pros and their evidence was to the effect that evening of the 26th August accured was ing from Tralee, and had the appear drink. He passed up the road, crossed garden into Mrs. Griffin's haggard, w going down to the side of the rick of h it was observed that the hay was Defendant was seen running away. T also took fire. Luckily, very little dam done. Accused was returned for trial next Winter Assizes, bail being allowed, in £50, and two £25 sureties.

THEATRE ROYAL.

A NEW PLAY.

On Monday next, Mr. Cyril Keigh long associated with Mr. F. R. Benso make his re-appearance, when he wil "Myles Carew, Highwayman," whic recently been performed at the Gaiety T Dublin, and now occupies the stage Opera House, Cork. It has been enthusia received in both towns. In "Myles Car interest never flags, and the authors h upon an entirely novel feature, which described as the very effective overlap the end of the second act and the begin the third act, which is absolutely unique annals of stage craft. Mr. Keig meritorious performances during his fou lead with Mr. F. R. Benson need no reca tion here, suffice to say his "MacD "Macbeth," and "Richmond" in "Richa stand out as the highest embodiment actor's art. Mr. Keightley will be sup by Miss Haidie Gunn, of Dublin, and caste, mainly Bensonians. "She Sto Conquer" will be staged on Tuesday, a "School for Scandal" on Wednesday. W a hearty welcome will be accorded to the of acter-managers on his re-appearance.