

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, & DEATHS

BIRTHS.

DUDGEON—On June 10th, at Holyhead, the wife of Leslie T. Dudgeon of a son.

MARRIAGES

PANNELL and LEWIS—June 5th, at Holy Trinity Church, Rathmines, by the Rev. Canon Harris, Rector, Herbert Wolde Pannell, Westella, Acocks Green, Birmingham, younger son of Thomas Pannell, Brier Lea, West Parade, Lincoln, to Nancy, elder daughter of Richard Lewis, Nenagh.

SHEEHY and ENRIGHT—June 4th, 1907, at the Catholic Church, Newcastle West, with Nuptial Mass, by the Right Rev. Monsignor Hallinan, D.D., P.P., V.C., Raymond K. Sheehy, the Square, Newcastle West, to Annie only daughter of the late Patrick Enright, Bridge street, Newcastle West.

DEATHS.

ASHMORE—June 10th, at Creevalea Manse, Anna Eliza, wife of Rev. John Ashmore, aged 70 years.

BEATTY—June 11th, at the Rectory, Moynalty, the Reverend John Beatty, LL.D., T.C.D., in his 71st year.

FAYLE—On June 10th, at his residence, Moor Park, Birr, Benjamin W. Fayle, J.P., in his 85th year.

KELLY—June 11th, at his residence, Boyne Villa, Oakley Road, Ranelagh, Doctor Andrew Garvey Kelly, late Civil Surgeon to His Majesty's Troops, Cork District, second son of the late Nicholas Kelly, Navan.

MACDONALD—On the 6th June, Duncan Cameron Macdonald, of Gleneoe, late Major Cameronians.

O'CONNELL—On Wednesday, June 12th, at Dublin, Coleman O'Connell, 29 Carlingsford road, Drumcondra, son of the late Coleman O'Connell, of Limerick. Funeral to-morrow (Friday), reaching Glasnevin Cemetery at 8.30 a.m. R.I.P.

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BREADSTUFFS—Retail patents, 30s. 6d. per sack; Bakers' patents, 31s. 6d. Whites, 27s. 6d.; Specials, 29s.; Fines, 26s. 6d.; Oatmeal, £12 4s. 0d.; W. bran, £6 10s. 0d. per ton; Special bran, £5 10s. 0d.; W. pollard, £6 15s.; Sharps, £7 15s.; Indian meal, (coarse) £6 14s. 0d.; Do. (fine), £6 18s. 0d.

HAY and STRAW.—There were 17 loads of hay, one of oaten straw, and none of wheat

LIMERICK WORKHOUSE

MEDICAL OFFICERSHIP.

THE RECENT ELECTION.

Sworn Inquiry To-day.

Dr. E. Coey Biggar, Local Government Board Medical Inspector; opened an Inquiry at the Limerick Workhouse this morning into the circumstances surrounding the election for Resident Medical Officer of the Union, on the 27th March last.

The proceedings in connection with that election have been the topic of much comment in local circles, and the inquiry to-day was invested with considerable interest, the Board room being crowded.

Mr. C. H. O'Connor, Local Government Board was present to assist Dr. Biggar. Mr. Courtenay Croker, Local Government Board Auditor was also present.

Messrs Moran and Dodd, solicitors, appeared for Dr. McDonnell, who was elected to the office.

Dr. Biggar said the subject of the inquiry must be to all of them one of great regret, and it was their duty as far as possible to see that those who were elected by the people should discharge their public duties to the satisfaction of the public. There had been made statement, in public and in private, as to bribery and corruption bearing a very important part in the recent election of Medical Officer which led the Local Government Board to consider that an inquiry was necessary, and it would be within the recollection of all that the Guardians themselves asked for it. The character of the Limerick Board of Guardians as a body did not need any defence from him; he was sure they welcomed the inquiry, and it was the duty of all not to shirk their obligation to do all in their power to bring to light and punishment anything that would disfigure the reputation of Limerick and the whole of Ireland. The whole matter should be thoroughly sifted in the interest of public morality, and of society generally, and in the interest of their country.

Mr. C. H. O'Connor said he had to play a rather invidious part in the inquiry, the part of getting the evidence and showing it to Dr. Biggar. He would ask all concerned to believe that he was doing that simply because he held it was the duty of every Irishman to try and purge from public life the practice of bribery and corruption if such a thing existed. It was the public duty of everyone to take it by root and branch and throw it out.

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