ECK OF THE LEON,

in of Honour for Father Scanlan.

st Clare correspondent writes:—" I theard the Legion of Honour has been d on the Rev. E. J. Scanlan, C.C., by the French Government. The will be handed over to him by the Consul in Dublin."

THQUAKE IN CENTRAL ASIA.

ock of earthquake lasting two minutes d at Samarkand (says Reuter) at nine yesterday morning. At the same time h tremor of an undulatory character was Khokand.

NEW TECHNICAL INSTITUTE,

The Loan.

Town Clerk has received a letter from the Government Board relating to the application of Limerick for sanction an for the erection of a Technical Institute, or carrying out other improvement works city. In reference thereto they state the Board have been informed by the cary of the Technical Instruction Committee he settled plans of the Institute cannot be ted to the Board by the 28th instant, not the inquiry into the application of the ration must, therefore, be postponed for a time. When the plans referred to are ted, the Board will make arrangements plans the inquiry on the earliest possible

IAMBER OF COMMERCE.

a meeting of the Directors of the Chamber mmerce held on yesterday, Sir Thomas re was elected President, and Mr. J. Ellis body Vice-President for the ensuing year. John F. Power, outgoing President, was I to allow himself to be re-elected, but ned in favour of Sir Thomas Cleeve.

BLOOD.

e British Army is about to lose a notable in General hir Bindon Blood, who seeing cospect of further employment for some time ome, has just received permission to go on retired list. Most of his service has been ad in India, where he has taken part in nearly y campaign during the last 20 years. He ed from the command of the troops in the paub last year, and has since been living thy on his frish estates in county Clare. His ice extends to 47 years. He received a good ice pension four years ago, and it is underthat a special reward will be bestowed upon on his retirement.

ANISH EGGS AS IRISH

and Thankin orosecuted Henry Parry, trading

Mr. Robert L. Brown, J.P.

We regret to record the death of Mr. Robert Lidwill Brown, J.P., Clonboy, Bridgetown, Co. Clare, which took place at his residence, South Ville, Limerick, on Sunday last in his 70th year. The deceased who was connected with several of the oldest families in Limerick and Clare was a magistrate for these Counties, and several years ago was an ex-officio guardian of the Limerick Union. He was an extensive land agent, and in politics a staunch Unionist. In the Protestant Aid Society, of which for very many years he was Hon. Secretary, he took the deepest interest, and was a constant attendant at its meetings while his health permitted. He was a gentleman of practical action and kindly and charitable disposition. His

Dr. George Pierce.

announced to be private.

demise is deeply regretted by many friends, the

sympathy of whom go forth to his respected family in their bereav ement. The funeral is

The residents of Newcastle West and surrounding districts have heard with great regret of the death of an old and familiar personality, Dr. George Pierce, which took place at his residence on Sunday afternoon, in his 74th year. He had been in ill-health for some time past. Dr. Pierce had been intimately associated with the daily life of Newcastle West for very many years past. He enjoyed a large professional practice, was a gettleman of a courteous and retiring manner, and won the respect and esteem of all sections of the community. His death creates a vacancy in the medical officership of the workhouse. The funeral takes place on Wednesday, at 12 o'ciock, for Churchtown.

Mr. George Cullen.

A well-known and highly respected resident of N wport, Mr George Cullen, died at his residence, Clareview, on the 20th instant, in the 73rd year of his age. Mr. Cullen was a very successful and extensive business man, and his name was a household word amongst the public of the surrounding districts of North Tipperary and Clare. His demise is widely regretted, and deep sympathy is expressed with his family in their sorrow.

CHILD KILLED BY MOTOR

Mary Harris, aged four, was crossing the road in Belfast to-day when she was run over by a motor car containing the Earl of Shaftesbury, Lord Mayor. The child sustained a fractured skull and died shortly afterwards.

SENSATIONAL DISCOVERY

While out shooting some eighteen miles from St. Petersburg a man had his attention directed by his dogs to a spet some hundred yards from Pavlovsk railway which was covered with straw and manure resting on planks. On these being removed a number of sapping tools were found, and finally two men were discovered diaging a tunnel. They had in their possession a plan of a mine and telegrams enquiring as to the progress of their undertaking. They were both arrested and handed over to the gendarmes at Tsarskoe.

KINW HUM OU AMMENT

It is estimated that 14,000 across the Atlantic on the "wireless" service.

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Mr. Abe Bailey is abo scholarships in agriculture young men.

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Lord Roseberry has def for the Lord Rectorship University.

The Cunard Company in that no information has concerning the alleged excit Umbria.

Lieut.-Commander Jelf, Angler, fractured his colla

whilst playing polo.

The inmate of the Daviot Aberdeenshire, who murde with a scythe last week, and after the tragedy, was arr Tarvis, and formally certified

It is reported that M. Am explorer, will in his next regions employ bears in he hopes thus to reach the c

The death took place sudde yesterday of Mr. George director of the Southampton ball Club.

TO CORRESPO

M.A.O S.—The Mr. J. F. M to is a Limerick man. Theatre Roval with Mr. years ago. About 27.

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HAVE YOU A PF OR BG

inel. They had in their possession a plan of number of the "Lady of the rest of their undertaking. They were both sted and handed over to the gendarmes at skoe.

If so, see the announ number of the "Lady of the Pretty Child Competit for the Prettiest Girls from age, and under four years the Prettiest Boys of siming CLOSE THURSDAY, entrance fees. Photograp