

Dr. O'Dwyer, to the pastorate of Askaton
 oon of the Rev. Edmund Treacy, deceased.
 her Lee, who is a native of Killynane, spent
 greater part of his mission in the city,
 ing been curate in St. Mary's for a number
 years and later in St. Michael's, where he
 at thir-teen years. About three years ago on
 sition of Father Cregan to the pastorate of
 rea, he was appointed Administrator of St.
 chas's, where he is universally esteemed by
 sections of the community. In his new
 ce he carries with him the good wishes of the
 zens of every creed and class.

R. WM. O'BRIEN AND THE LAND BILL.

In a letter which was read at the meeting of
 the Cork Evicted Tenants' Association on
 Saturday, Mr. William O'Brien, M.P., wrote
 that there was no more disgraceful feature of
 the new Land Bill than the fact that, in spite
 of the repeated remonstrances of two or three
 of them, Mr. Birrell entirely ignored the evicted
 tenants' question. The Bill might as well be
 neatly called a Bill to repeal the Purchase
 Act of 1908, in order to please the Irish pur-
 chase blockers and save the English Treasury
 from liability. Practically all the inducements
 offered to tenants or landlords are gone, and
 there is an end to land purchase, until the
 general Election at all events.

ALLEGED BROKEN CONTRACT.

Limerick Timber Purchase

Yesterday, at Nisi Prius, before Mr. Justice
 Wright and a city special jury, the case of
 Potter and Co., v. John Smith came on for
 hearing. The plaintiffs, who are well-known
 timber merchants carrying on business at the
 Jeffrey Saw Mills, sued the defendant, who is
 also a Dublin timber merchant, to recover
 damages for alleged breach of contract in the
 delivery of a large quantity of timber. It ap-
 peared that in the manufacture of spokes for
 the wheels of motor cars it is necessary
 to have oak of the finest quality, and
 it has been found that of all the oak
 wood coming into the market there was
 no oak equal to Irish oak for this purpose. In
 the year 1906 Messrs Stephenson and Co.,
 Glasgow, required about one million Irish oak
 spokes, and entered into a contract with the
 plaintiff firm. In that year the timber in the
 Mount Shannon demesne, near Limerick, was
 purchased by the defendant. It contained a
 large quantity of oak suitable for the manufac-
 ture of spokes, and the plaintiffs made a con-
 tract with the defendant to sell them all the oak
 in the demesne of a diameter from 8 inches to
 2 inches. The defendant had only supplied 63
 tons, and plaintiffs had to purchase oak in the
 market at a loss, in order to fulfil their contract
 with Messrs Stephenson. The defendant in his
 defence traversed the causes of action, pleaded
 ignorance of plaintiffs' contract with Messrs
 Stephenson, and said it was impossible to make
 further delivery during the bad weather and un-
 foreseeing difficulties. He lodged £15 in court to
 meet plaintiffs' claim.

While counsel for the plaintiffs were stating
 the case, the plaintiffs and defendant consulted
 together in the Central Hall and arrived at a
 settlement without the assistance of counsel or
 solicitors. The case was then withdrawn from
 the jury on the terms that the defendant should

DEATH OF MRS. J. NOLAN, NEWCASTLE.

We regret extremely to record the death of
 Mrs. Nolan, wife of Mr. James Nolan, ex-D.C.,
 Newcastle, which took place on Saturday night
 after a short illness, and at the early age of 37
 years. She was a most kindly, popular, and
 charitable lady, and her demise has cast a gloom
 over the whole district, deep sympathy being
 expressed with her bereaved husband and family.
 The funeral took place yesterday from St.
 Patrick's R.C. Church for the family burial place
 at Ballysimon, and was of extremely large pro-
 portions, and representative of all classes and
 creeds.

The clergy present were—Rev. Fr. O'Driscoll,
 P.P. St. Patrick's; Rev. Fr. O'Carroll, C.C. do;
 Rev. W. Fitzgerald, P.P. Mungret; Rev. J.
 Fitzgerald, C.C. Adare; Rev. Fr. A. Murphy,
 Adm. St. John's; Rev. M. Murphy, C.C. do;
 Rev. Fr. Fitzgerald, C.C. do; Rev. Fr. Connolly,
 C.C. do; Rev. Fr. McNamara, C.C. do; Rev. D.
 Shanahan, P.P. St. Mary's; Rev. Fr. Rea, C.C.
 do.

Chief mourners—James Nolan, husband;
 Brian, Joe, Francis, and Luke Daly, brothers;
 Mrs. James Ryan (Dublin) and Mrs. Patrick
 Kennedy (Cashel), sisters; John and Will
 Ryan (Dutlin) and John and James Nolan (Kil-
 bane), nephews; Joseph Nolan (Kilace), Patr.
 Kennedy (Cashel), James Ryan (Dublin), John
 F. McDonagh (Clino), Joseph Enright
 (Sandville), brothers-in-law; Mrs. Dr. Nolan
 sister-in-law; Coroner Frost, (Clonmoney) Dr.
 E. Frost, (Newmarket) Thos. Frost (Feenagh)
 Major Frost, (Dublin) Jas. L. Frost, (Meelick)
 John L. Frost (Punchbowl) Robert Ryan (Bally-
 morris) L. Ryan, do.; James Ryan, do.; James
 Nolan (Ballynani) Thomas Nolan (Waterpark)
 Patrick Nolan (Kilttempin) John Nolan (Cappa)
 Con Nolan (Shanagolden) Patrick Fitzgerald
 (Rossbrien) Rev. J. K. Fitzgerald, C.C. (Adare)
 Michael Fitzgerald (Ballysimon); John Fitz-
 gerald, do.; Thos. Fitzgerald (McBirney & Co.)
 James Fitzgerald (Ballysimon) Con Fitzgerald,
 John Naughton (Peafield) Batt Kirby (Bally-
 hudane) Robert J. Kennedy (Ballybricken),
 relatives.

The attendance of the general public was
 extremely large, and it would be impossible to
 give a full list. Those present included—Dis.
 Holmes, Mulcahy, Coffey (Ennis), Laffey, M. J.
 Kelly, and M. S. McGrath; Messrs John Dundon
 solr.; J. Ryan, solr.; M. McCov, solr.; Robert
 Frost, solr.; J. H. Kenny, solr.; Hugh Coyle;
 T. H. Brett, Manager Munster and Leinster
 Bank; the Mayor W. A. Delaney, T. McGrath,
 M. Cahill, E. O'Connell, T. Murphy,
 M. Kennedy, John Kelly, Wickham street;
 M. O'Brien, Shannon View; Jack O'Brien, Bour-
 House; R. Frost, D.C.; George Frost, Cratloe;
 P. J. Frost, Clerk, District Lunatic Asylum;
 David Begley, John Begley, P. Lane, D.C.;
 P. Costello, D.C.; John S. Frost, Dromoline;
 T. H. Enright, solr.; T. Ryan, V.S.; P.
 Fitzgerald, Greenhills; P. Lane D.C.; T. Nix,
 Meelick; John Frost, Pass; W. Frost, D.C.;
 J. Butler, J. O'Halloran, Wm. B. Fitt,
 J. Slattery W. O'Brien, M. J. Purcell, J.P.;
 P. Mulcahy, D.C.; John McNamara, D.C.;
 Shelbourne; W. Nunan, J. Hassett, B.C.; M.
 Lane, Assistant Master Limerick Union; George
 O'Dea, M. Hartigan, J. Kivlehan, M. Spain,
 Denis O'Malley, D.C.; D. F. McNamara,
 Robert Holmes, Athlunkard.

Following sent carriages—M. J. Purcell, E.
 M. Russell, Hugh Coyle, M. O'Brien, Shannon
 View; Captain O'Brien, Cratloe; J. Dowling,
 Mrs. Naughton, Peafield; T. Bourke, T. H.
 Brett, David Begley, John Dundon, solicitor.

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 Olive sent six cases, Galway
 one, Mayo three, Roscom
 Sligo one. There were,
 addition three cases of riot fr
 bills in which had already been fr
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 of business that his lordship had
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 manslaughter, one of rape, three
 with intent, one of riot and unl
 one of infanticide, and two cas
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 included three very serious case
 two members of Parliament,
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 Mayo Lunatic Asylum. In the
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 character. He was a farmer's s
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 on the morning of the 29th of
 turf bank, where he met the
 named Peter Gantley. Som
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 when suddenly Gantley produ
 and shot McDonagh dead. Th
 deceased man was present, and
 with the accused, who was alle
 charged the revolver also at him
 between the two men Gantley
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 a case in which they would
 as to the propriety of finding a
 reading the depositions in these
 and more especially the police
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 several counties, and particular
 in the Counties of Clare and
 proportion of the outrages were
 the use of firearms. In the C
 alone there were eleven case
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 person. He need scarcely impr
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 disorganising society and bring
 sarily should, untold misery t
 In the second murder case a r
 was charged. The occurrence
 evening of the 10th November,
 deceased, a man named Kenneal
 way home from Clifden. There
 been some slight dispute, when
 alleged, stabbed Kenneally in
 the effects of which he bled to
 time. In that case they ougl
 bill. The third case was one in
 of the Mayo Lunatic Asylum
 inmate with a chisel and v
 seriously that he died. In the
 these murder cases the only sp
 had to offer them was that they
 the murder charge or act at al
 They were not at liberty to fin
 indict next a bill on any lesser
 did not find on the murder etc
 ignore the Bill. Forbakermore,
 the homicide by the inmate
 Asylum they were not to try if
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 would be a subject for consider
 jury. In the Whiteboy case the
 come to the conclusion that th
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 committed were in a very disti
 matter that would requir