

of fellowship so long existing between all classes of the community will continue to be full.

### THE RUSSIAN VISITORS.

The proceedings connected with the visit of the members of the Council of the Russian Empire, and of the Russian Duma to England have been watched with friendly interest and wherever they have been in London or the provinces the Russian representatives have met with a cordial reception. That is a thing which it is pleasant to contemplate, because it affords one more evidence of the fact that the peoples of the different European nations have no desire to quarrel one with another, and that if the matter were left to the "vox populi," with possibly a few safeguards against sudden but transitory ebullitions of temper, there would in that event be no wars. Our Russian guests have found that we are not a very difficult people, and we hear from many of our countrymen who have visited Russia that they experienced there the greatest consideration and courtesy from high and low. As one Englishman said who had tested Russian feeling towards British visitors, "The more we rub shoulders with the nations of the earth the more we shall deprecate meeting them on the field of battle. We could not readily countenance hostilities with those who gave us such a cordial welcome, and bade us God-speed with such a display of warm feeling." The people who foster such amenities, which seem happily to be increasing in number, are among the best friends of their own country, and there is no room to doubt that they contribute to the peace of Europe. There is another eloquent moral to the visit of the Russian representatives, which is no doubt a result of the more friendly feeling that has arisen during the past two or three years between Great Britain and Russia.

conscientiously carrying out his duties as Governor-General of India, had gone to the Andaman Islands to examine for himself the convict station there, which was said to be in a condition of disorder. The inspection over, Lord Mayo had reached the pier on his way to re-embark on the warship Glasgow, when a convict from Cabul, who was allowed to be at liberty owing to his good conduct, broke through the guard under cover of darkness, and stabbed the Viceroy twice in the back.

### DIET.

To those, remarks "The Lancet" who have reached or passed middle life self-restraint is specially advisable, above all if they are compelled to lead somewhat sedentary lives. To such a production of the protein ration of youth, and moderation in consumption even of the other forms of food, may be safely commended. As the fire of life burns less fiercely and the output of energy is smaller, so the fuel supplied should be reduced, that the system may not be clogged with ashes and half-burnt cinders whereby the activity of the whole machine is from time to time impaired, and may even be prematurely arrested.

### BALLYCANNON RIFLE RANGE.

The City Grand Jury, subsequent to disposing of the bills sent to them for consideration yesterday, unanimously adopted a resolution in favour of the military authorities continuing the use of the lands at Ballycannon as a rifle range and encampment for troops.

### DEATH OF MR. J. D. HANNON.

We regret to record the death of an old and popular citizen, Mr. J. D. Hannon, 81 St. George street, which took place last evening at his residence, Ballinacurra. Mr. Hannon had been less than a week ill, suffering from pneumonia, and the news of his demise came as a great shock this morning to his many friends in the city. Prior to his taking up the newspaper and stationery business many years ago, Mr. Hannon was manager of Mr. C. Dawson's hardware establishment. He was an excellent business man, and his frank and genial manner made him a great favourite with all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. We tender to his family our sympathy in their bereavement.

The remains will be removed from deceased's residence at 8 p.m. to-night for St. Michael's R.C. Church, and the funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Prince Olaf of Norway was six years old on Friday.

### Total

Maximum  
No. of days on which  
Total rainfall for year  
Total rainfall for 19

### LIMERICK NO. 100

Mr. John H. Ryan at the monthly meeting of the Council on Saturday.

members present are appointed

### COTTAGES

A letter was received from the Board relative to cottages in Lisnagry as a scheme.

Mr. T. Lane submitted a plan for abandoning the sites of the Board as there was no necessity for them. Mr. Laffin proposed to second that Mr. Lane's plan be accepted.

An amendment was proposed by Mr. T. Hutton but was not accepted, as no amendments were needed.

In the division the motion was carried by 19 votes to 4. Election of a member.

### CO-OPTION

Mr. P. Kelly proposed to propose a member for the Ballycannon division of the late Mr. William Hyland.

Mr. Hyland seconded and the motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Hyland then proposed to propose the name of Mr. James C. the Land and Labour.

Mr. Lynch seconded and the motion was supported by Mr. Hyland.

Mr. T. Lane proposed to propose Hinchy, which was seconded.

Mr. Michael Halpin proposed to propose Hayes and seconded by Mr. Hyland.

In the first division of Hinchy, 9 for Halpin.

Four members did not vote. The voting was as follows:

For Hinchy—Messrs J. Fitzgerald, M. Hay Hassett, N. Humphreys, P. Hogan, J. Blackwell, O'Brien, J. Dunder, E. J. Humphreys, T. Lane.

For Halpin—Lady E. M. Hyland, J. Hyland, Gleeson, C. Keogh, J. Clancy, J. F. McDonagh and J. P. Rahilly—13.

Messrs. M. O'Neill, and C. McNamara acted as Chairmen and declared the result.

Mr. Hyland proposed to propose the necessary

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