

OUT AND ABOUT.

Lieutenant MacGillycuddy, the Royal Munster Fusiliers, has been gazetted Adjutant of the 5th Battalion; viz H. J. C. Leland, D.S.O.

While hunting with the Tipperary hounds on Tuesday, Mrs Phillips, wife of Major Phillips, of Parkville, Clonmel, met with a nasty fall, which unfortunately resulted in a broken limb.

While a young girl named Mizez was engaged at a wringing machine in the Glen Laundry, Waterford, on Saturday, her arm got caught, and was badly mutilated. She was removed to the Infirmary, and is doing fairly well.

Rockwell and Lansdowne (Limerick) will meet in Tipperary on Saturday next in the semi-final for the Munster Rugby Cup. It will be perceived by advertisement that a special train will leave Limerick for Tipperary at 2.30 p.m. Return fare 1s. 6d.

"Tom Jones," a very successful comic opera, which has recently appeared in the Opera House, Cork, will be produced at the Theatre Royal, Limerick, this evening and the two following nights, and should attract bumper houses.

Dr Hickey, Medical Officer of Health for Kilkeel, has presented a report to the Local Commissioners stating that the town is free from contagious and infectious diseases. The report was called for by the Council owing to rumours which had been circulated.

The Lee Rowing Club have elected the following officers for the ensuing year—President, Mr. William Kinnmonth, T.C.; Captain, J. W. Murphy; Vice-Captain, B. Jones; deputy Vice-Captain, Eugene Reidy; Hon. Sec., M. Moloney; Hon. Treasurer, E. Murphy.

Sanction has been given for the appointment of Major A. W. Abercrombie, 2nd Battalion Connaught Rangers, Tipperary, as General Staff Officer, second grade, at Gibraltar, in succession to Major D. W. Churcher, Royal Irish Fusiliers, whose tenure of appointment will expire the 1st June next.

At a meeting of St. Patrick's Temperance Society, Rathkeale, a resolution was adopted on the motion of Mr. Timothy Cusack, T.C., D.C., seconded by Mr. Michael Mulohay, expressing regret at the transfer of Mr. J. Bruen, Munster and Leinster Bank from Rathkeale, and wishing him a very successful career.

Their Excellencies the Earl of Aberdeen, K.T., G.C.M., Lord Lieutenant, and the Countess of Aberdeen, held their First Drawing Room of the season at Dublin Castle last evening. Amongst those present were the Countess of Limerick, Sir Thomas Myles, Mr. F. C. Cleve, D.L., Mrs. Cleve, Mr. C. F. Doyle, K.C., Miss Roche-Kelly, Mrs. Charles O'Connor.

Rev. John Whiteman presided at a meeting of Kilmeadow (Waterford) Select Vestry, when a motion was passed expressing regret at the departure from the parish of Mr. Ubick Bourke, R.M., who is retiring from the magistracy, and who took a practical interest in matters connected with the church. Mr. Bourke, it was stated, will take up his residence in his native Co. Limerick.

The death has occurred at Johannesburg of Mr. F. W. Blood, younger brother of Mr. John Blood, Ballykilly, County Clare. Educated at Romic College and at Dublin University, he emigrated to South Africa in 1887, where he became a speculator and company promoter. Before his death he was one of the largest individual property holders of brick and mortar in Johannesburg.

THE GENERAL SYNOD.

Yesterday's Proceedings.

At the General Synod of the Church of Ireland yesterday, Chancellor O'Connor asked the Synod to take some definite steps towards Protestant Union in Ireland, and he moved that the Committee report at the next Synod on the advisability of the exchange of pulpits between the clergy of the Church of Ireland and the Presbyterian Church.

The Bishop of Derry said he did feel very strongly that the present was a most critical moment in the development of what was developing, but what was still only a tender germ, that might ripen into some form of organic union with their brethren of the Presbyterian Church.

On the suggestion of the Bishop of Derry, Chancellor O'Connor withdrew his motion. A discussion also took place on the question that the Table of Affinity should be amended in accordance with the Deceased Wife's Sister Marriage Act.

TO-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

(BY TELEGRAPH.) Dublin, Thursday evening.

At the General Synod to-day, on the motion to re-appoint the PRAYER BOOK COMMITTEE,

the Bishop of Down read a letter from the Primate who said if a revision were judged necessary he would not meet it with a bare universal refusal. He hoped, however, the great body of Church people would feel that after the Scriptures the Prayer Book was their most precious asset. He felt sure people would never approve of violent hands being laid upon it to the encouragement of erroneous rubrics.

Bishop Crozier said the work of the Committee was proceeding exactly on lines suggested by the Primate.

CHURCH BUDGET.

Provost Traill introduced the Church Budget. The total assets of the Church had now for the first time exceeded nine millions. He denied the suggestion made in Ulster that the representative body was hoarding money and starving the clergy. The Superannuation Fund had a continuously successful career. They provided for every case brought forward.

An amendment was proposed providing a £5000 Grant.

Mr. Reid, supporting it, said the poorer clergy deserved sympathy.

The amendment was rejected.

PROTESTANT AID SOCIETY.

The Treasurer of the Protestant Aid Society writes to acknowledge having received the following subscription for Pound Day—"O.F.," £1.

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LIMERICK QUARTER SESSIONS.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACT.

Decisions.

County Court Judge Law-Smith sat in the Crown Court this morning, and gave decisions in some cases heard under the Workmen's Compensation Act.

In the case of John Liston against John Smith, and in which medical evidence was given that applicant's foot had been permanently injured, as the result of the collision of a car with a steam motor, the matter was before the court for review. The witnesses were previously taken, and Liston was in receipt of some 9s. 9d. weekly pending the determination of the court. The facts had been on Tuesday last referred to the medical assessor, Dr. Graham, for a report.

His Honor read the report, which stated that Dr. Graham was still of opinion that Liston could do light work where prolonged standing was not necessary. At the same time Dr. Graham thought there would be permanent weakness of the ankle joint, and limitation of the movements of the foot had resulted from the injury which would unfit applicant for ordinary work. Having regard to Dr. Graham's report, His Honor should refuse the application to have the payment of compensation determined, and in the circumstances the previous order of the court allowing Liston 9s. 9d. per week compensation would stand.

In the case of Patrick Liston claiming compensation for his son, Edward Liston, a minor, whose thumb was injured while in the employment of Messrs W. & C. McDonnell, butter merchants, a determination of payment had been sought. His Honor said Dr. Graham's report was to the effect that the injury to the thumb of the right hand meant permanent disablement, and consequent diminution of the boy's capacity for work by some 25 to 30 per cent. The boy was able to do some light work, and the application before the court was to determine the amount to be paid weekly as compensation. There was, however, no evidence of permanent injury, and the application should be dismissed.

CROWN RACES COMMITTEE.

Mr. P. O'Donnell, solr., acting as attorney for the executors of the late Mr. T. D. McCarthy, of Croos, sued Mr. Wm. Moloney to recover a sum of £28 5s., amount of a cheque paid to him by plaintiff.

Mr. P. Kelly appeared for plaintiff; and Mr. L. O'B. Kelly (instructed by Mr. Liston, solr.) appeared for the defendant.

The facts of the case were that Mr. McCarthy became indebted to the Croos Race Committee for the sum stated, and Mr. O'Donnell on the 19th October last paid Mr. Moloney by cheque in discharge of the indebtedness in question, believing that he was an official of the company. Finding, according to the case for the plaintiff, that Mr. Moloney's services were dispensed with by the Race Committee, the plaintiff wrote for the money, and after some correspondence, and finding that there were two sections on the Race Committee, it was suggested to have the case tried in court. The money had been lodged to the credit of No. 2 Committee, constituted, counsel for the plaintiff said, by the defendant and Mr. Charles Quaid, who was no official of the Race Committee. After the civil bill was served, Messrs. Quaid and Moloney lodged the money in court less £3, which they retained for doing so. No. 1 Committee were the bona fide Race Committee, and the plaintiff, Mr. John Manning and Dr. Hartigan were examined in support of this view, that Mr. Quaid was never a member of the Race Committee, and that Mr. Moloney's services had been dispensed with. For the defence Mr. Moloney was examined and said he was appointed hon. secretary in December, 1908. He summoned meetings since, and a motion to return £5 subscribed to the Croos Races fund by the Royal Munster Fusiliers was, he said, the commencement of the trouble. He got the present cheque and lodged it to the credit of No. 2 Committee, Mr. Quaid's name being joined with his in the lodgment. The Adare Cap, presented by Lord Deuraven was also lodged.

George Quaid was also examined and stated he was a member of the Race Committee. He detailed the proceedings, or some of them, in connection with the meetings. The coffee room of his hotel was held specially for the Race Committee which he was glad to get rid of, looking as they seemed to be until midnight.

Mr. F. Kelly likewise gave evidence for the defence.

His Honor said there was no one to blame for all the trouble that had arisen but Mr. Moloney himself. He was summoned to attend the meetings of the Committee, but he did not attend, and they properly dismissed him on the 11th August last. With a copy of the letter of dismissal in his possession he took the money from Mr. O'Donnell and lodged it to the credit of another account. There was no imputation against him, but the court had no hesitation in all the circumstances of the case but to give a decree for the full amount of the cheque.

Other cases were heard and the court adjourned.

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FUNERAL OF MR P. O'MALLEY, B.C.

This morning the remains of the late Mr. Patrick O'Malley, B.C., whose death has occasioned such widespread regret in the city and county, were interred in Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. Last evening they were removed from the deceased gentleman's residence, 24 Harrington street, to St. Michael's R.C. Church, where at 8 o'clock this morning, in presence of a large congregation, solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated for the departed. At 10 o'clock the coffin was borne out to the hearse, and the funeral procession immediately formed and started on its way for the cemetery. En route the coffin was respectfully shown for the memory of the deceased gentleman, several of the business houses being closed and blinds drawn. The cortege, which was of immense proportions, included the Mayor and members of the Corporation, the representatives of various public bodies, and a large concourse of mourners from the city and county of Limerick, as well as the county Clare. It was a striking demonstration of respect and reverence, and established the esteem and regard in which the deceased gentleman was held by all grades in the community.

The chief mourners were—Messrs. Patrick Thomas, Charlie, and Frank O'Malley (sons); Denis and Joseph J. O'Malley (brothers); Denis Michael, and Patrick O'Malley, John J. Ryan, John J. Ryan, Thomas Ryan, Loughgaur; Michael McGrath, C.C., Pallasgreen; Patrick McGrath, Ballincorma, cousins and relatives from the parishes of Muirco and Cappamore.

The clergy in attendance were—Rev. Fr. O'Connor, Adm., St. Michael's; Rev. Fr. O'Shea, C.C., do.; Rev. Fr. Murphy, Adm., St. John's; Rev. Fr. McNamara, C.C., do.; Rev. Fr. O'Driscoll, P.P., St. Patrick's; Rev. Fr. Power, S.J., Rector Sacred Heart Church; Rev. Fr. Foster, S.J., do.; Rev. Dr. Hartig, Professor Maynooth College; Rev. Fr. Ryan, C.C., Drangan; Rev. Fr. Deane, P.P., Murroe; Rev. Fr. Russell, C.C., do.; Rev. Fr. Bannon, Adm., Thurles; Rev. Fr. Power, do., and Rev. Fr. McGrath, C.C., Caherconlish.

The general public, of whom it is impossible to give anything like a complete list included—The Right Worshipful the Mayor (Councillor T. Ryan), attended by the City Sword-Bearer and Sergeants-at-Arms, and following members of the Corporation—Aldermen D. McNeice, P. McDonagh, J. O'Brien, Thomas Prendergast (Sub-Sheriff), P. McDonnell, Michael Donnelly, Councillors W. L. Stokes, J.P. (High Sheriff), O'Donnell, M. Griffin, Patrick McNamara, John Kerr, J.P.; Martin Leahy, J.P.; James Gilligan, M. McDonnell, Patrick Walsh, T. McDonnell, D. Lyddy, J. Hasset, T. Meahy, M. Dooley, E. J. Long, M. Cuddihy, P. Kennedy, P. Kenny, M. O'Brien, P. Bourke, J. Ryan, M. Moloney, P. Glynn, B. Cantrell, J. Dalton, J. Downey, J. G. O'Brien, C. Johnson, J. Slattery, T. Forde, with the following officials—W. M. Nolan, J.P., Town Clerk; A. Killeen, assistant do.; B. O'Donnell, Rate Collector; J. Dundon, Law Adviser; J. J. Peacocke, City Surveyor; M. Fitzgerald, assistant do.; M. Donnellan, Water Secretary; E. O'Toole, Treasurer; J. Morrissey, Assistant Treasurer; R. Harris, Poor Rate Collector; P. T. McNamara, J. Dalton, T. O'Connell, J. P. McNamara, J. Comerton, D. Coffey, and E. Harold, Dr. Graham, J. S. Gaffney, C.S.; Dr. Roberts, J. J. McMahon, T. Riordan, J. F. Power, M. Spain, A. Spain, P. Hassett, D.C.; C. H. Pitt, Dr. O'Sullivan, R. Ryan, M. McNamara, M. Geraghty, W. G. Peacocke, T. Geraghty, Dr. Holmes, H. Wozell, M. Sheehan, J. Carew, J. A. Burke, H. O'Neill, P. J. Lynch, C.E.; J. King, G. Morris, P. Flynn, J. Barry, J. J. Quaid, W. A. Delaney, T. Donovan, M. O'Toole, D. McMahon, Kilmurry; M. O'Shaughnessy, J.P. (Bruff); M. Quinlan, J.P. (Pallasgreen); J. H. Ryan, J.P., Maher O'Callaghan, J. O'Toole, R. McNamara, solicitor, J. Ryan, solr., P. Daggan, Co.C. (Bilboa), Dr. O'Neill, Dr. Irwin, P. J. Frost, J. Cahill, D.C., T. O'Grady, T. Ryan, V.S.; J. F. Barry, J.P., E. J. Riordan, V.S.; S. F. Ebrill, J. H. Roche, J.P., J. R. Wallace, J. F. Delany, C. Cross, W. H. Owens, A. J. Eakins, J.P., M. J. Guinan, W. Leach, J. Hayes, H.C., K. O'Brien, R. Keatinge, T. O'Brien, S. McCarthy, W. Oatbush, A. Woodhouse, P. McGuire, E. Baker, R. Nix, D.C., W. Walsh, J. McInerney, J.P., W. Ebrill, T. A. Hartigan, L. O'B. Kelly, R.L., G. Frost, D.C., F. G. Corbett, E. O'Connell, T. Bourke, D. Mulcahy, J. Gilligan, W. Lloyd, H.C., A. Nestor, J. O'Neill, R. Frost, U.D.C., Owen Ryan, W. Smith, M. Hartigan, D. Looney, J. P. Lynch, U.D.C., D. Kiely, U.D.C., W. Holliday, J.P., A. J. Barnett, J. Quin, J.P., M. Egan, S. Quin, J.P., W. Clune, J. P. Hartigan, J. L. Frost, D.C., J. Egan, P. Dillon, U.D.C., S. Tabridy, John O'Donnell, J. Flynn, P. Mulcahy, D.C., H. T. O'Rourke, C.E., P. Hartigan, W. Frost, U.D.C., M. Sheehan, U.D.C., J. Doyle, D.C., C. Quilligan, U.D.C., Denis O'Donovan, Julian Jordan, G. Clancy, R. Cardledge, T. Coffey, M. O'Donnell, J. Lee, J. O'Brien, M. Martia, R. Walsh, T. Ward, M. Birrane, M. Mulcahy, G. Backner, P. Kirby, E. Barry, M. Flynn, P. Casey, J. Slattery, M. Haney, W. Hinchey, E. Dundon, H. J. Guinan, C. Devane, P. Fitzgerald (Greenhills), D. Begley, P. Godfrey, T. W. Mahon, U.D.C., T. Coffey, U.D.C., J. P. Griffin, U.D.C., T. Hayes, U.D.C., G. Lalor, U.D.C., J. Begley, G. O'Dea, P. Fitzgerald (Rosbrien), James Nolan, D. Godfrey, D.C.; P. J. McGrath, D.C.; R. P. O'Connor, R. Kidd, J. Kirby, Dr. McGrath, D. O'Meady, D.C.; N. Humphreys, D.C.; D. McMahon, D.C.; P. Lane, D.C.; T. McGrath, P. E. O'Donnell, solicitor; W. Power, B. Murray, T. O'B. Kelly, solicitor; T. Leonard, R. Hayes, P. J. O'Sullivan, solicitor; A. McNeice, B. E. Sheehy, C.E.; D. O'Brien, D.C.; T. Humphreys, D.C.; J. Ryan, D.C.; J. McNamara, D.C.; M. Kelly, T. Knight, solicitor; J. Clancy, D.C.; D. Naughton, W. R. Gibbins, J.P.; J. P. Rahilly, D.C.; J. F. McDonagh, D.C.; J. H. Moran, solr.; W. Webb, P. O'Meehan, W. E. Connihan, solr.; J. Byrne, T. Lane, D.C.; C. O'Neill, D.C.; J. Madden, D.C.; M. Lane, J. J. Scanlan, H. Trowsdell, M. McGrath, A. E. Goodwin, A. J. Sexton, P. Liston, P. J. Barry, M. Fitzgerald, A. Hall, J. Barry, M. Cahill, W. O'Riordan, J. Clune, P. Graham, E. Holliday, R. Ray, J. Gleeson, J. Ryan (Kilkenure), M. O'Neill, D.C.; J. Quilligan, P. Gleeson, W. Ryan, J. McDonnell (Nenagh), P. Coyle, etc.

Several carriages were sent, and the wreaths included one from his sorrowing wife and family; from Mr. and Mrs. Joe O'Malley, in loving memory; the officers and staff of the District Lunatic Asylum; the Misses O'Donnell, the Crescent; Mr. James O'Brien, Mr. John McDonnell, Mr. and Mrs. Horace O'Rourke, Fr. O'Connor officiated at the graveside.

U.I.L. ADJOURNS.

was put in sympathetic terms by the Chairman, and adopted unanimously.

LIMERICK NO. 1 DISTRICT COUNCIL.

At a special meeting of the Limerick No. 1 District Council held yesterday in the Limerick Union, Mr. P. Hassett presiding.

The Chairman proposed, and Mr. P. J. McGrath seconded—"That the Clerk convey to our worthy engineer, Mr. J. O'Malley, our very deep sympathy in the loss he has sustained by the death of his respected brother, and that we do now adjourn without transacting any further business as a mark of respect to his memory. Copies to be sent to Mr. Joseph O'Malley and Mrs. O'Malley."

The resolution was unanimously passed in silence, and the Council thereafter adjourned.

Votes of sympathy, as reported elsewhere, were also passed at the Board of Guardians and Co. Technical Committee.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. JOHN MACMAHON.

The remains of the late Mr. John McMahon, whose death occurred at his residence, Ardhu Terrace, Limerick, on Saturday evening, were interred on Monday in Doonass Burial Ground. The deceased had been ill for some time past, and his demise was learned with regret by a large circle of friends. The chief mourners were—Messrs. John, William, Joseph, and Robert McMahon, sons; William Scendon, Robert Scendon, brothers-in-law; Henry J. Scendon and Betty Scendon, nephews. The clergy present were—Rev. Fr. Begley, C.C., Rev. Fr. Moloney, C.C.; St. Munchin's. Amongst the general public were—Mr. R. de Ros Rose, Mr. J. Kille Goodbody, Mr. E. J. Long, B.C., etc. Fr. Begley officiated at the graveside.

THE DOON TRAGEDY.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

And its Sequel.

The sequel to the Doon tragedy has been that the two men Denis Sweeney and Thomas O'Brien, arrested in connection with the death of Patrick Buckley, have been liberated from custody. Shortly after the discovery of Buckley, and his death an hour later, the police, as a result of their investigations, arrested Sweeney and O'Brien, and had them remanded in custody to Limerick prison. In the evening Dr. M. R. [Clergy, J.P., Coroner, and a jury held an inquest on the body.

Evidence of identification having been given, the medical testimony of Drs. O'Callaghan and Fitzgerald was taken. Following on a post mortem, this went to show that death was due to failure of the heart's action, accelerated by the posture, and that the wounds on the head of the deceased could not have caused death.

The jury returned a verdict accordingly, and yesterday Sergeant Cummins, Doon, arrived in the city for the purpose of having the accused men liberated.

THE IRISH PARTY AND THE GOVERNMENT.

Letter from Mr. John Redmond.

London, Wednesday.

With reference to the statement that the Nationalist Party had received a cheque for £20,000 from an anonymous source, and that this might account for the improved relations between the Nationalists and the Government, Mr. John Redmond authorises the Press Association to issue the following:—"The whole story is an absolute falsehood. No cheque, large or small, has been received from any anonymous donor. Every subscription has been acknowledged in the Public Press."

Interviewed on the same subject by the Press Association representative Mr. Frederick L. Crilly, Secretary of the United Irish League of Great Britain, said money was coming in bucketful to the fund from which the Irish election expenses were paid. Since the beginning of March £3,000 has been raised in Ireland alone. Irish Nationalists, he added, regarded the present position of affairs as ideal. It was one for which they had been waiting for years, and they felt that if there ever was a time to support Mr. Redmond it was now. Hence they were unloosening their purse strings.

BANDITS RAID BANK.

Officials Shot.

Pittsburg, Wednesday.—Leaving two men at the doors to prevent a surprise, two bandits entered the offices of the Victor Banking Company at Mackees Rocks, Allegheny County, yesterday. After shooting Mr. Friedman, manager; Mr. Schwartz, cashier, and three clerks, they appropriated a sum of 5,000 dollars. The whole band then mounted their horses and rode away.—Reuter.

RETURN OF 2nd WELSH REGIMENT FROM SOUTH AFRICA.

A correspondent writes:—"The papers just now contain many notices and pictures of the 2nd Battalion of the Royal Welsh Regiment, and of Colonel Harry D'Alton Harkness, C.B., the officer who has just brought the battalion home from South Africa, after commanding them for four years. But none of the papers mention the fact that he is a Limerick man, being the only son of the Rev. George Law Harkness, and grandson of the late Rev. Robert Harkness, of Stowey House, Somerset, and Athes, County Limerick. Colonel Harkness has seen a great deal of service, as he has the C.B., the Osmanieh, and five war medals for South Africa, the Spandan, and Bars Valley, and he was badly wounded at Paardeberg, where he had both arms shot through. Some of his first experiences of sport were in the Odes, where he became an expert shot, and the old gamekeepers still say that Master Henry, as they call him, was the best gentleman they ever saw to be up with the dogs. He will be heartily welcomed by all when he comes to this part of the country."

MR. ASQUITH'S TACTICS.

The Daily Telegraph says—Mr. Asquith, once the most comprehensible of statesmen, is rapidly becoming the most incomprehensible. The reason is simple. He has abandoned the straight course for the crooked.

STOP PRESS NEWS.

ALL-IRELAND PENSIONERS COMMITTEE.

Our Dublin correspondent writes that Mr. Hurrell received a deputation from the All-Ireland Pensioners Committee yesterday. The proceedings were informal and private.

KING AND BELFAST.

The King will be asked to open Bell Graving Dock next summer.

SPORTING.

Leicester Meeting.

WORKSHOP MAIDEN PLATE.

Shebeen ... Miss Desmond ... Miss Portland ... Also ran—Full Mask, March Haro, Oh The Add Brig, Excelsior, Daira, Lantry, Betting—7 to 4 Shebeen, 6 to 1 Miss P, 100 to 8 Miss Desmond.

GLEEN SELLING PLATE.

Dr. Mitchell ... Flitwick ... Lady Blessington ... Also ran—Bocodico, Hatchment, J.H., Nelly Wood, Corubian, Last Chance II, Betting—7 to 4 on Dr. Mitchell, 5 to 1 F, 20 to 1 Lady Blessington.

LEICESTERSHIRE HANDICAP.

Snatch ... Assayer ... Yathodays ... Also ran—Chestnut, Macmurrrough, Bl Thick, Pokiewaki, Rhinfield, Fakir, Aspirant, Chapel Ball, Betting—5 to 1 Snatch and Assayer, 1 Yathodays.

WIGSTON PLATE.

Take Care ... Claudian ... Kilmallock ... Also ran—Berie, Grey Man, Anglious, Betting—5 to 1 Kilmallock and Claudian, Take Care.

MODERATE HANDICAP PLATE.

Simple Ned ... Gaity ... Stockton ... Also ran—St Egbert, Sorbet, Modena, Mallow, Betting—5 to 4 Gaity, 6 to 1 Stockton, 1 Simple Ned.

APPRENTICES' PLATE.

Fiscal Policy ... Scepter Ranner ... The Chief ... Betting—3 to 1 Fiscal Policy.

Eglinton (Bogside) Meeting.

MAIDEN HURDLE RACE PLATE.

Rosa-Mohr ... Alwine ... Emmond ... Also ran—Calendula, Betting—2 to 1 on Alwine, 5 to 2 agst Mohr, 5 to 1 Emmond.

TRIAL SELLING PLATE.

Tullochgorum ... American Lad ... Simon Melton ... Also ran—Yelden, Roseneath, Mimer, P Lothair, Betting—2 to 1 Simon Melton, 3 Tullochgorum, 5 to 1 American Lad.

HUNT CUP.

Airile II ... Apollinaris ... Mars V ... Also ran—Grey Boy III, Belston Lad, V Lady Mary II, Colonus, Betting—5 to 2 Apollinaris, 5 to 1 Ma, 10 to 1 Airile II.

STAND HANDICAP.

Legalite ... Salamet ... Holyhead ... Also ran—Blundella, Calliope, Oyster Shell, Betting—5 to 2 Legalite, 9 to 2 Salamet, Holyhead.

SCOTTISH GRAND NATIONAL.

The Duffry ... Greek Play ... Alborea ... Also ran—Cursey, General Fox, Loch Sams Fear, Hoar Abbey, Red Cloud, Betting—7 to 2 The Duffry, 5 to 1 All, 7 to 1 Greek Play.

IRVINE TOWN PLATE.

La Sautense ... Passing By ... Star of Africa ... Also ran—Dirleton, Bambaata, Kilblair, Prudential Son, Smallholm, Daragane, Killicor, Betting—4 to 1 La Sautense, 5 to 1 St Africa, 7 to 1 Passing By.

CARNOCK HANDICAP.

Glenarm II ... Little Tom ... Boney Bay ... Also ran—Mount Brown, Ballinclair, Betting—5 to 2 agst winner.

EGLINTON WELTER PLATE.

Danzler ... Carrick Bend ... Blazing Star ... Betting—5 to 4 on winner.

KILLALOE GOLF CLUB.

MEN'S DOUBLES.

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