

THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE

LIMERICK UNION.

Auditor's Report.

Officers' Illness.

Refuses Payment to Substitutes

The vice-chairman, presided at the Limerick Board of Guardians. Other members present were—Messrs. Barrington, Messrs. M. O'Neill, J. Moloney, D. Godfrey, M. Alderman Dillon, J. P. Rahilly, J. M. Sheehan, J. P. Lynch, B.C., with Messrs. H. J. Guinane, Clerk, Master,

STATE OF THE HOUSE.

Residence on the 11th inst., 1,066; 116; discharged, 108; died, 4; 18th, 1,070; increase on week, 139; total healthy, 459; cost of provisions and stimulants, as against £231 4s. for the corresponding year. Average weekly cost, on relief this week, 1,213, at an 12s., as compared with 1,565, at 12s. for the same period last year.

APPROVED.

Government Board wrote expressing rate of £13 a year to Mr. Browne for a further period of twelve months in the boys' department of the

SPECTOR'S REPORT.

Government Board forwarded a report. Inspector, Mr. J. G. MacSweeney, in his recent inspection of the work, stated that the several matters mentioned in the document would receive careful

Inspector, in his report, observed that a bath was needed for the female inmates, of whom were bathed daily, and not bathed during the winter. The female epileptic bathroom needed a female lunatic bathroom was in a dingy and defective condition. The male infirm was also very decreary. The clothing and bedding blankets in the body of the house were of a good quality. The provisions were of a good quality. The water supply was sufficient, but an improvement might be effected as regarded pressure by hydrants. The guardians stated that the pressure was not sufficient to cope with it break out in the top floors of the building. Ventilation was not well maintained. In conclusion, the Inspector

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MAJOR KIGGELL, J.P.

The remains of this deeply lamented gentleman were interred on Saturday at Glin Church, and despite the inclemency of the weather, the cortege was very large and representative, testifying to the highest esteem in which the deceased was held by all classes and creeds in the surrounding districts where for such a long span of years he was such a conspicuous and popular personality. Deep sympathy is expressed with Major Kiggell's devoted daughter, Mrs. Harkness, and to every member of the family in their great sorrow.

The massive coffin draped in black was borne from Cahara, the residence of the deceased gentleman, to the family burial place on a low-wheeled carriage drawn by a little white pony used by the late Major Kiggell when taking exercise during his indisposition.

The chief mourners were—Brigadier General Kiggell, C.B.; son; Captain W. H. Harkness, son-in-law; Mr. Cecil Furnell, R.A., and Mr. Philip Furnell, nephews; Colonel F. Bell (Fermoy), Mr. T. W. Evans (Doneraile).

The clergy present were—The Dean of Ardferd, and Rev. Mr. Blaney, who officiated in the church and at the graveside; Canon Vance, Rathronan; Venerable Archdeacon Roche, P.P., Glin; Rev. P. J. Coleman, C.C., Glin, and Rev. J. Foley, C.C., Glin.

The general public included—Dr. C. McDonnell, J.P., Colonel W. Hickie, Major Cecil R. Leslie, D.L., High Sheriff of Kerry; Messrs. Charles Hickie, James Woulfe Flanagan, B.L., R.M., W. Johnston, Thomas H. Grainger, M. Byrne, solicitor, Launcelot Craghe, solicitor, William L. Hunt, Thomas G. Hill, J.P., Thomas McWindle, solr; Richard C. Langford, J.P.; C. Langford, J.P.; William McElligott, Richard Bourke, Tiermore; Michael Bourke, Tiermore; Stephen Pegum, J.P.; Thomas E. Pegum, Francis Fitzgerald, J.P.; John Conway, Clerk Glin District School; John O'Driscoll, Post Master; George Jameson, William Fitzmaurice, W. Musgrave, William O'Brien, Michael Culhane, (4), Thomas Culhane (4), Daniel Culhane (3), Maurice Culhane (2), John O'Shaughnessy (2), Patrick O'Shaughnessy (2), John Stack, R. C. Walshe, James R. Carroll, M. O'Donnell, Laurence McDonnell, P. Casey, M. Griffin, David M. O'Leary, Patrick Danaher, Patrick Mangan, Edward Dore, R.O.; Edward Dore, D.C.; Patrick O'Shaughnessy, D.C.; James Madigan, D.C.; David Ruddle, Daniel McMahon, Patrick Leahy, John Boland, J.P.; Michael Normile, R. C. Walshe, Koert Jameson, John G. Fitzgerald, Thomas Healy, Mrs. McNamara, Patrick Healy, John Adams, Maurice J. Fitzgerald.

A number of beautiful wreaths were placed on the grave.

The funeral arrangements were carried out by Mr. T. Curry, Glin.

UNITED IRISH BRANCH ESTABLISHED

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT)

On Friday evening a public meeting was held at the Royal Marine Hotel, Kilkenny, for the purpose of establishing a branch of the United Irishwomen.

The Very Rev. Robert Canon Fildes moved to the chair, and the at—Mrs. T. Studdert, Mrs. Bl. Blood-Smyth, Mrs. Walton, M. P. C. Hickey, Miss M. Hurley, Miss Morton, Miss K. Griffin, Miss N. Studdert, Miss Mac. Miss Counihan (Kilrush), Mrs. Miss O'Connor (Kilrush), Mrs. Miss Nixon, Miss Falvey, Mrs. Keane, Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. Halli, Miss K. O'Brien, Miss M. O'Gorman, Miss A. Considine, Miss C. Carmody, Miss K. Collins, Miss M. O'Brien, Mrs. J. Ryan, Mrs. Biggs, Mrs. F. M. B. Bruce, Miss E. Walshe, Mrs. Kent, Miss K. Curtin.

In opening the proceedings, the aims and objects of the Society explained to them by the Pilkington, who was a sister of Esmonde, Bart. the highly-respected North Wexford, and it afforded possible pleasure to introduce

Mrs. Pilkington, who was a welcome, said the Society, which contemplated for twelve months formed with the object of drawing women of Ireland, without regard to religion, in the endeavour to improve the conditions of rural life. People in Ireland were working hopefully at the work, and Irish woman ought to be good and be good. Great good had resulted in notably in America and Denmark. The formation of women's leagues or guilds in Denmark included all classes, the Queen, who is its poorest peasant's wife women had always taken a prominent work of the Gargues, those famous nations which had done so much to promote the interests of the rural population. It was believed the extent of the work could do, and ought to do in the beginning to be realised, and it was equally with men to assist the social and industrial movements of their people were now looking for a solution of our difficulties (the Londonderry, in a recent speech, the women of Ireland the great constructing the countryside." By and by co-operation, the wives