

OF APOTHECARY

Room Dispensary.

g of the Croom Board of Guar-
James Costelloe presiding, two
received for the position of
om Dispensary at a salary of
The applicants were Michael
and John Flanagan, Castle-
proposed the election of Mr.

Hartigan seconded the nomination,
proposed, and Mr. John Power
seconded the nomination of Mr. Flanagan.

The voting was:—

For—J. J. Quin, C. F. Hartigan,
Naughton, J. Lane, W. Kennedy,
James Naughton, D. Ryan, J.
O'Leary, A. Butler, P. Buckley, T.
Power, Mrs. Hartigan, D. S.
O'Dwyer, P. McCarthy, Patrick
Hartigan, M. O'T. Hartigan, J.
D—24.

Against—Mr. Collins, T. Reidy, J.
O'Brien, H. O'Leary, J. Bennett, J.
O'Connell, M. Quilty, P. Comber, J. B.
O'Connell, J. Nunan, T. D. Clifford,
M. Kelly, John Power—17.

Mr. Power refrained from voting.
Mr. Dempsey elected.
Mr. Power suitably returned thanks, as did

K NO. 1 DISTRICT COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Limerick No. 1
District Council was held to-day. Mr. C.
O'Connell, Chairman, presided. Other
members present were:—Daniel Godfrey,
Michael Hinchy, John Fitzgerald,
J. McGrath, P. Hassett, N.
O'Hagan, Lady Emily, Michael
O'Connell, D. O'Brien, P. Hourigan,
J. O'Connell, J. McNamara, P. Mulcahy,
J. O'Connell, P. Costelloe, P. Lynch,
John Clancy, with the officials.
Mr. O'Connell submitted his report, which with
the accounts, will appear in our next issue.

DRIVING ACCIDENT.

Mr. Hartigan, of Crean, Athlone, Co. Wick,
father of the late Mr. Martin
was driving home with a very serious accident at
the junction of the road with the river. The side-car on
the carriage was overturned with some obstacle, with the
two ladies were thrown to the ground. The lady
Hartigan received a fracture of her arm and her
sister was badly bruised. The carriage is now
progressing as favourably as possible, but Miss Mary
Hartigan's illness was the cause for anxiety.

TRAGIC ACCIDENT AT CO. LIMERICK HUNT.

HUNTSMAN DROWNED.

A very tragic accident, resulting in the drowning
of the second whip, Frederick McCormack, of the
County Limerick Hunt, took place yesterday near
Newbridge, between Rathkeale and Askeaton. It
would appear that the hounds met at Newbridge,
and when a fox broke from Cooltoman covert and
crossed the river Deel near Riddlestown, the
hunters made for a bridge some 200 yards down
stream, over which they rode in pursuit of
the fox. The two whips, however, went straight
ahead without swerving, plunging into the river,
much swollen by the late heavy rains, and with a
strong current flowing seawards.

The first whip got to the opposite bank all right,
but McCormack's mount was in difficulties in mid-
stream, and McCormack fell off the horse and into
the rushing waters. He appears to have caught
one of the saddle stirrups, but did not succeed in
retaining his hold, and the unfortunate whip was
carried off by the stream.

The horse was subsequently got safely from the
river.

It need hardly be added that in consequence of
the tragic occurrence the hunt was at once aban-
doned. The deceased was most popular with the
members of the Hunt and the public, and his very
sad end is deeply deplored.

We learn to-day a statement to the effect
that there were crowds on the bank of the river
at the time of the fatality is incorrect. There
were no spectators of the accident except the first
whip, who at once made every effort possible to
render assistance, but poor McCormack was
swept away by the rushing waters, and sank
immediately.

Body Found.

The body was found to-day at 12.30. The
remains will be removed from Adare to-morrow at
nine o'clock for interment at Thurles.

NORTH LOUTH VACANCY.

Writ Moved in the House.

In the House of Commons yesterday, on the
motion to issue a writ for an election in North
Louth, Mr. William Moore moved a postpone-
ment for four months, contending a free election
in the division was impossible at present.

Mr. Chas Craig and Sir E. Carson supported the
amendment, which was rejected, and the writ was
issued.

In Committee of Supply, Mr. Balfour made
some observations on foreign policy. He alluded
to British interests in Persia in connection with
the Bagdad Railway concessions.

Sir E. Grey replied.

FERTILISERS AND FEEDING STUFFS ACT.

IRISH LANDOWNERS CONVENTION.

COUNTY CLARE BR.

Land Purchase—Imp Resolution.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT
Ennis,

This afternoon a meeting of the
Branch of the Irish Landowners' Convention
held at the Leonfield Estate Office.

There were present—Lord Inchiquin,
Colonel O'Callaghan-Westropp, Colonel
Tottenham, D.L., Mr. Macnamara, J.P., Charles
Owen, Gilbert de L. Willis, who acted as
secretary to the meeting.

On the motion of Lord Inchiquin
Mr. Macnamara, the chair was taken
by Dunboyno.

The Chairman said their first
business was to elect three delegates and two
to represent the landowners of the
Irish Landowners' Convention due
this year.

Col. Tottenham suggested that
delegates be requested to continue
this year.

Mr. Macnamara seconded.
The Chairman added that owing
to the death of their previous Secretary,
Mr. de L. Willis, his brother, Mr. Gilbert
was giving them his services on the
subject.

The outgoing delegates were Lord
Inchiquin, and Col. O'Callaghan-
Westropp and they were accordingly re-
appointed.

Col. O'Callaghan-Westropp and
Mr. Macnamara and Mr. Willis be-
came provisional delegates.

Mr. Willis—I will give all the
my pleasure, but would it not be
some gentleman of property with
a residence in Dublin. I am a member of the
Committee and usually attend the
meetings, but I might get someone instead of me.

Col. O'Callaghan-Westropp—That
is ex-officio members of the Convention.
Mr. Macnamara then suggested
Mr. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Willis—You could not do
without him.

Col. O'Callaghan-Westropp—Very
well, on Mr. Fitzgerald and Mr. Macnamara.

It was then agreed that Mr. Willis
should be asked to take the dual office of
Hon. Treasurer.

A Committee was also appointed
to prepare a LAND PURCHASE BILL.

Colonel Tottenham read the
resolution:—

"That in the opinion of this
Convention it is absolutely necessary to continue
the organisation to represent and defend
the interests of Irish Landowners, and we
ask the landowners of this county to
contribute to the Co. Clare Branch
subscriptions to the Co. Clare Branch