

summarized for the sum of £10, compensation for injuries caused by the bite of a horse, the property of the defendant.

The plaintiff's case was that on the 14th October he was passing by Mr. McNamara's bakery in Ry-street, when the horse, which was attached to a cart outside the premises, bit plaintiff under the right arm. Plaintiff was treated at Barrington's Hospital, and subsequently he was attended by Dr. Nunan, who detailed the injuries sustained by him. A witness was called to prove that he had been bitten on the arm some time previously by the same horse. The injury inflicted in either case was not serious. The defence was in effect an admission of the complaint.

His Honor said that on the evidence he was satisfied the horse was a vicious animal and that the owner was aware of it. He would give a verdict for £5 and a guinea costs, with a guinea reserve to Dr. Nunan.

Mr. Corbett (instructed by Mr. E. Coffey, solicitor) appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. P. Kelly (instructed by Mr. W. Counihan, solicitor) for the defendant.

ACTION FOR THE PRICE OF CHEESE.

The Kilmallock Creamery Company sued Mr. Patrick Bourke, Limerick, to recover the sum of 5s. 9d. for cheese sold to plaintiff. The defence was that owing to quality half the amount demanded was offered. The cheese, it was stated, was too fresh, and not matured. His Honor gave a decree for the full amount claimed, with costs.

Mr. M. Comyn (instructed by Mr. R. Fox, solicitor) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. A. Od-Smyth, solicitor, for the defendant.

A PAIR OF WHEELS.

Thomas Pearce was plaintiff in an action brought against James Hennessy to recover £2 5s., the price of a pair of trap wheels made by plaintiff's defendant. The defence was that the work was faulty.

A decree for the full amount claimed was granted.

Some other cases were heard, and the Court adjourned.

THE CORPORATION.

At the meeting of the Fire Brigade Committee of the Corporation last night, the Mayor presiding, it was agreed by 14 votes to 10, to recommend to Council to appoint as Superintendent of the Fire Brigade, one of the four candidates approved by Captain Purcell, Superintendent of the Dublin Corporation Fire Brigade. Captain Purcell recommended the four in the following order:—Patrick Sheehan, Michael Walsh, John Hogan, Daniel Hogan. The Mayor also presided at other Committee meetings.

THE CONSTABULARY.

County Inspector Yeates held an inspection to-day at William-street Police Barracks of the constabulary force in Limerick district. All the available men off duty were on the parade, and the inspecting officer expressed himself highly satisfied with the appearance and efficiency of the constabulary force.

upon the recommendations of the Committee. The main lines of the Department's proposals are described in the preamble to the Draft Bill, as follows:—

"To promote the interests of the Irish dairying industry by making provisions for (1) the registration for certain purposes of creameries and auxiliary creameries; (2) safeguarding their dairying industry against loss or injury from the use of false trade descriptions; (3) securing cleanliness in milk supplied to creameries, auxiliary creameries, and other premises where milk is received to be commingled with the milk of other supplies for manufacture into articles of food for human consumption; and (4) securing cleanliness in butter sold as an article of food for human consumption.

Explaining what is legislatively aimed at, the report says that this Parliamentary measure has been drafted principally for the purpose of enhancing the reputation of Irish creamery butter on the markets by establishing confidence among merchants as to the genuineness of butter so described, by providing penalties and facilitating convictions in cases of misdescription of factory or other butters as Irish creamery butter, and by securing as far as practicable, the purity of the milk supplied to Irish creameries. The terms "Creamery," "Auxiliary Creamery," and "Creamery Butter" are defined, and a clear distinction is set up between the creamery and the butter factory, and between creamery butter and factory butter, while a system of Governmental inspection of creameries is proposed solely for the purpose of securing that these distinctions are observed, and that butter consigned from Irish creameries is properly described. The Bill, which is concerned with the interests of the industry, and not with the public health, does not provide any regulations to be observed by milk suppliers and manufacturers of butter, such as are required in the interests of the public health under the Dairies, Cowsheds, and Milkshops Order; but as the Committee reported that the general interests of the industry are at present very injuriously affected by the culpable negligence of some suppliers of milk to creameries, and suppliers of butter to butter factories, the bill proposed to make it an offence to supply milk or butter which is so dirty as to indicate culpable carelessness in its preparations.

DEATH OF DR. J. J. O'BRIEN.

Very general regret is felt among a wide circle of friends at the death yesterday of Doctor J. J. O'Brien, Dispensary Medical Officer of the Clarina district of the Limerick Union for a period extending over 30 years. Doctor O'Brien, who was some 66 years of age, had been ill for the past few months suffering from an internal complaint. There is much sympathy with the relatives of the deceased, whose funeral takes place to-morrow from Ballybrown Church for Mungret.

Sir William Angus, President of the National Liberal Federation, was taken ill in a Newcastle street to-day, and was conveyed home after attention, partially unconscious.

Wilson Smith for £6, with Mr. Donnellan said a resolution to accept the tender he would stand by his act. Mr. O'Meehan's tender was and in doing what they do go behind the scenes.

Miss Barrington inquired O'Meehan tendered?

The Assistant Clerk—He £8, and gave no guarantee. Miss Barrington—What guarantee?

Mr. Donnellan—That question. I say there is the meaning of a man who it carries its own meaning.

Mr. Griffin—They could did not give a guarantee.

Mr. George Frost—They out altogether (laughter).

Clear there is no other U. these people artificial teeth!

The question was not fur

TEA CONT

Mr. Thomas Treacy, who for the supply of forty cheques wrote stating that in the fifty cheques were included. He asked the Board to be a whole consignment.

On the motion of Mr. meeting agreed to accede to

The Master—It is the us

SUBSTITUTES

The Chairman referred to providing substitutes for official. He observed that the Committee on occasions, but there was a They could get over the in the entire question back to on that day week and report.

Mr. C. O'Neill—What is

The Chairman—The substitutes, which has arisen on report, that in one year we for substituting others while

Mr. Rahilly—I was under we passed a resolution upon the last day on that question.

The Assistant Clerk—It then some question was a ration of the minutes relative

Mr. C. O'Neill proposed a matter for the attendance had taken an interest in it.

Mr. Donnellan remarked made that £500 was paid year, but now that was down to £171. The committee investigate the subject had circumstances would a resign appointed to do duty in the visiting physicians. I deal with the question forth

Mr. C. F. McNamara said present at the meeting though understood the meeting on absence of the minutes.

Mr. Griffin protested against allowed to hang fire any to

The Chairman—Settle it.

Mr. Griffin—What will