

## TULLA AUXILIARY ASYLUM.

At the meeting of Kinnis District Asylum Committee, Father Clancy, P.E., Chairman, presiding, a letter was read from the Secretary of the Council inquiring if the Committee had insured the Workhouse premises.

After some discussion, it was decided to immediately insure the premises with the Limerick Fire Insurance Company for £12,000 until Michaelmas next, when the asylum insurance annual premium becomes payable.

The Rev. Chairman explained at considerable length the result of the Conference in Dublin between the Inspectors of Lunatics and their engineering Adviser, Mr. Byrne, Doctor Mara, and himself, relative to the revised plans for the conversion of Tulla Workhouse into an auxiliary asylum. He said they succeeded in reducing the proposed expenditure on buildings and alterations which they considered necessary by about £1,000. The Inspectors and Mr. Byrne were most reasonable in their requirements for the proposed accommodation necessary for such an institution, and Mr. Byrne agreed with the views of the Committee for curbing the expenditure in every possible way.

Mr. Hogan said the Committee and the county would feel greatly indebted to Father Clancy and Dr. O'Mara for all they had done in the matter in safeguarding the interests of the ratepayers by keeping the liability of the ratepayers within reasonable bounds. Father Clancy had brought great ability to bear on the matter, and deserved the highest praise. He proposed a vote of thanks to him and Dr. O'Mara.

Mr. O'Doherty seconded the resolution, which was passed unanimously.

## GLIN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT).

At the monthly meeting of the Glin Rural District Council, Mr. P. J. Fitzgerald, M.C.C., presided. Also present:—Messrs. Jas. Madigan, Patrick Fitzgerald, Ed. Dore, P. O'Shaughnessy, and Patrick Culhane.

Mrs. O'Shaughnessy, Clerk, read the minutes of previous meeting, and they were confirmed.

### SANITARY.

The sanitary reports of Dr. McDonnell, Medical Officer of Health, were read, and his recommendations were ordered to be carried out, and action taken in regard to same, was approved of.

### LABOURERS' ACT.

It was resolved to apply to the Local Government Board to sanction the fourth instalment of loan for the Labourers Scheme on hands.

The Clerk read a letter from the Local Government Board with respect to the future rents of cottages and plots.

The Clerk stated the Collector was furnished with a copy of the letter received from the Local Government Board, and read at last meeting, but no reply had been yet received.

### THE AMALGAMATION QUESTION.

On the motion of Mr. P. Fitzgerald, Mr. Joseph Sullivan, Chairman of the Ballyhabill Land and Labour Association, addressed the Council, and in the part of the labourers opposed the amalgamation of the Glin Rural District.

## EXCHEQUER RETURNS.

Exchequer returns for the first week of the new financial year have been published in the *London Gazette*.

Receipts from April 1st to April 8th amounted to £6,977,037, compared with £3,527,565 in the corresponding week of the previous year.

The returns under the head of property and income tax amounted to £3,393,000 as against only £179,000 in the corresponding week of the previous year. The expenditure during the week amounted to £8,064,449, while that of the first week of the previous financial year was £9,487,700.

## LONDON TO PARIS FLIGHT

### M. Prier's Experience

A Reuter's telegram, dated Paris, Thursday, says:—M. Prier, who flew from Hendon to Paris yesterday, has given an account of his voyage to the *Matin* representative. He had decided to make the trip a month and a half ago, but it was prevented by bad weather. He started yesterday, after having placed in his machine a tube of rubber cloth, intended for use as a buoy, and a map and compass. After he had flown 25 kilometres, Prier noticed that his petrol was flowing badly, so he returned, came down, lunched, and then, at 1.37, he started once more. He steered in an easterly direction, and after flying twenty kilometres, came little lower to cross the Thames. M. Prier states that when over Chatham he caught sight of several warships. He flew over Canterbury Cathedral at an altitude of 500 metres, and, planning over Dover Castle, rose to a height of 1,200 metres to cross the Channel. The aviator continually saw vessels beneath him. The Channel was crossed in sixteen minutes, during which a north-east wind was blowing regularly, without, however, in any way troubling M. Prier. From Cape

## FUNERAL OF MR. JOHN McINERNEY.

The funeral of the late Mr. John McInerney, Chairman of the Limerick Board of Guardians, took place yesterday from St Michael's R.C. Church. On Thursday night the remains arrived from Dublin, and were met at the Terminus by a large concourse of mourners. They were then removed to St. Michael's Church, where they rested overnight, and at half-past one the funeral started on its journey to Crohane, Cratloe, where the interment took place. The cortege was of very large proportions, and embraced every section of the community, who came to pay a final tribute of respect to the deceased. The Corporation and Limerick Poor Law Board were largely represented, while the professional and mercantile interests contributed to swell the dimensions of the procession.

The chief mourners were—Patrick McInerney and James McInerney, brothers; Daniel Moloney and John Moloney, brothers-in-law; John J. McMahon and Patrick McInerney, nephews; Rev. Fr. Foley, C.C. (Knockes); Thomas O'Brien and J. Hanrahan, relatives.

The clergy present were:—Rev. Fr. O'Connor, Adm. St. Michael's; Rev. Fr. O'Shea, C.C. do; Rev. Fr. Bonaventure, O.F.M., and Rev. Fr. Bresnahan, C.C., Cratloe.

Amongst the general public were—The Mayor (Councillor T. Ryan), F. J. Cleeve, D.L.; Dr. Roberts, Ald. McDonagh, Dr. Graham, Dr. Holmes, R. Frost, solr.; H. J. Guinane, Clerk, Limerick Union; J. Enright (Clerk, Kinnis Asylum), E. Dundon (Master, Limerick Union), T. H. Brett (Manager, Munster and Leinster Bank), J. G. McSweeney, (L.G.B. Inspector) P. Bourke (Vice-Chairman, Limerick Board of Guardians), J. Ryan, solr.; J. J. O'Malley, C.E.; Dr. Brennan, Dr. Humphreys, J. Dundon, solr.; D. Begley, P. J. O'Sullivan, solr.; J. McNamara, D.C.; Dr. Holmes, Dr. Mulcahy, R. Nix, D.C.; Dr. McGrath, J. Dowling, P. Mulcahy, D.C.; T. B. Mitchell, J.P.; D. O'Donovan, W. Numan, Dr. Lee, T. Ryan, V.S.; Dr. Humphreys, Dr. McDonnell, S. E. Lee, J.P.; L. O'B. Kelly, B.L.; T. Lane, D.C.; J. L. Frost, D.C.; J. Madden, D.C.; M. D. McCoy, solr.; T. O'B. Kelly, solr.; T. McNamara, Dr. F. O'Mara, R.M.S., Kinnis Asylum; W. G. Penelope, P. Gleeson, E. O'Toole, Alderman Dillon, M. Ryan, J. G. O'Brien, J. H. Roche, J.P.; T. O'Riordan, M. Moloney, P. O'Riordan, E. B. Bourke, J. Begley, T. Buckley, M. Kelly, D. Kelly, F. Kiely, T. Crowe, J. Whelan, T. O'Grady, M. O'Grady, J. Lawlor, B.C.; E. J. O'Riordan, V.S.; R. Holmes, P. Fitzgerald (Rosbrien), A. Hall, W. Holmes, R. F. Ryan, T. O'Brien, M. O'Brien, J. Coffey, J. J. Quaid, M. Fitzgerald, J. O'Mara, R. Ray, R. McNamara, solicitor; M. S. O'Sullivan, J. Hickey, J. Flynn, M. Doyle, P. Linton, J. Barry, Dr. Kelly, M. Dooley, B.C.; J. H. Moran, solicitor; M. Egan, J. Gilligan, B.C.; P. B. Malone, M. Geraghty, J. Egan, M. Cuddihy, B.C.; J. O'Regan, Co.C.; M. Griffin, B.C.; R. Frost, B.C.; M. Lane (Assistant Master Limerick Union), J. O'Brien (Assistant Clerk do.), J. Byrnes (Assistant Clerk do.), H. J. Guinane, junior; D. Hannon B.C.; J. Bourke (Broadford), F. Bourke, do.; G. Frost, P.C.; J. Coffee, R.O.; M. O'Brien, R.O.; R. Levery, M. D. Matthews, A. Killeen (Assistant Town Clerk); W. Ebbell, J. Anglim, E. Baker, D. J. Garry, A. De Prins, Martin Griffin, A. Mackey, W. O'Connell, C. Troy, J. F. Barry J.P.; Alderman McNeill, M. Donnelly, M. Keane, D.C.; J. Frost, C. O'Neill, D.C. Alderman Joyce M.P.; M. McInerney, B.C.; J. Nolan (Kilbane); P. Finucane (Newcastle); M. P. O'Shaughnessy, J.P.; J. Coleman, J.P.; Wm. B. Pitt, F. Hall, J. Dundon (Barnakyle); C. O'Sullivan, D. Looney, D. Ryan, P. Mulqueen, D.C.; A. Stritch, D.C.; P. Stritch, D.C.; J. Madden, D.C.; P. Harley, J. Kelly, Thomas Dundon, J. McAuley, J. McNamara, J. A. Bourke, J. Fitzpatrick, S. Tubridy, J. Halpin (Newmarketon-Fergus); W. Halpin (do.); R. Leonard, T. Brennan, P. Lane, D.C.; P. B. Malone, E. J. Long, B. McCann, W. McNamara, T. Kearney, T. Frost (Sixmile Bridge), J. Flynn (do.); M. O'Toole, P. Cronin, F. Crowe, J.P. Lynch, B.C.; J. P. Griffin, D.C.; M. O'Neill, D.C.; C. F. McNamara, J.P. (Deputy Vice Chairman Limerick Board of Guardians), W. Bourke, R.O.; J. Mullane, R.O.; T. Coffey, J. O'Neill, A. O'Leary, V.S., M. Hannon, D.C.; J. Moroney, D.C.; District Inspector White, Dr. Ryan (Castleconnell), D. McMahon, D.C.; C. Quilligan, U.D.C.; T. Donnellan, U.D.C.; P. Graham, M. Graham, P. Kelly, D.C.; M. Leahy, J.P.; W. O'Brien, P. J. McGrath, D.C.; W. Frost, D.C.; P. Fitzgerald (Greenhills), Alderman O'Donovan, P. Kennedy, J. P. Rahilly, D.C.; M. Clancy, Co.C.; J. Clancy, D.C.; S. F. Ebrill, F. Buckley, J. Keane, D.C.; B. Skehan, J.P. (Chairman Limerick No. 2 District Council), M. O'Brien, B.C.; M. Graham, J. Hickey, P. Fitzgerald, Co.C.; J. McNamara, E.C. (Snata), P. Coyle, J. Daly, J. Hassett, B.C.; K. O'Brien, U.D.C.; T. Forde, B.C.; M. Sheehan, U.D.C.; T. Geraghty, J. Crowe, D.C.; D. Condon, D.C.; J. F. McDonough, D.C.; N. Humphreys, D.C.; D. O'Malley, D.C.; M. Curry, D.C.; T. McGrath, J. Cahill, D.C., etc.

## STADE FRANCAIS.

### Arrival of the Frenchmen.

### Enthusiastic Reception.

Rugby football which always fills a cheery page in Limerick winter pastimes, was to-day brightened by the visit of the famous Stade Francais team. The visit of the French team, whose engagement with Garryowen has been booked for the past month, has undoubtedly given a fillip to the game locally, as well as in the province. It has done more, served to weld a historic link between the two countries, in the making of which the City of the Violated Treaty played a meritorious part. For a renewal of the *entente* Garryowen Football Club deserves the warmest congratulations of the citizens, who have, it must be said, joined wholeheartedly in making the visit a memorable one. The French team and their friends to the number of twenty, left Paris yesterday, and after travelling all night arrived by the 9.55 a.m. train this morning. They were met at the terminus by a Citizens' Reception Committee, which included his Worship the Mayor (Councillor T. Ryan), who wore his insignia of office, and was attended by his Mace Bearers; the High Sheriff (Mr. W. Holliday, J.P.), Messrs J. O'G. Delmege, D.L., C. Croker, D.L.; W. F. McDonnell, District Inspector White, J. Egan, R. Lynch, President of the Irish Rugby Union; J. McAuley, Alderman Joyce, M.P.; Dr. Roberts, A. DePrins, French Consul; M. O'Toole, G. V. Fogerty, J. Begley, and J. Bryan, Captain Garryowen F.C., and D. Donnelly, Sec.

There was a large concourse of people present to give the visitors a welcome, and as the train drew up at the platform a hearty cheer went up mingled with the strains of the *Marsellaise* played by the band of the boys of St. Joseph's Industrial Schools. As the visitors alighted on the platform they were received by the Mayor, who having been introduced, presented the members of the committee to the team, and their friends. They were then escorted to the front of the station, and driven to Cruise's Hotel, where they make their headquarters during their sojourn in the city.

### At the Grounds.

The scene at the grounds was one of animation long before the hour announced for the kick-off. Large crowds of people wended their way to the markets enclosure, which was *en fete* for the occasion. By the time the teams lined there must have been four thousand people present. Prior to the start the band of the Boys' Industrial School discoursed an enlivening programme, which helped to while away the moments until the teams put in an appearance. Punctual to time the players entered the enclosure, and were received with enthusiasm. When the preliminaries consequent on photographing had been over the teams took their places. The Frenchmen were the first to appear to the strains of the *"Marsellaise"*. They were received with a great outburst of cheering, which was intensified when the local team entered to the familiar notes of the music of *"Garryowen"*.

The following were the teams—Stade Francais:—Full, Bloch; threequarter, Dauvergne; P. Mourouval, Muzon, Duval, F. Mourouval; halves, Galichon, Tanascoco; forwards, Redelsperger, Everard, Beaura, Pierce, Martin, Gauthier, Avinon.

Garryowen—Full, Dundon; threequarters, O'Connor, Jackson, Dwyer, Costelloe; halves, Sullivan and Reid; forwards, Bryan, Halpin, McCarthy, Keyes, O'Connor, Fitzgerald, Gilligan, Killen.

Referee—Mr. R. F. Lynch, President I.R.F.U.

Garryowen won the choice of ground and the Mayor kicked off for France to the markets goal. From a scrum at midfield Garryowen broke away to the 25, where they were held up by Bloch, who gathered well and found a nice touch. From the line out Garryowen were away until Muzon slipped in and saved, then Bloch punted to Costelloe who raced away before kicking over the line for the French custodian to touch down. The drop out left the scene of hostilities close to the visitors' line, and in a minute play was at the centre, thanks to the efforts of Galichon, who executed a clever run before being pulled down. A scrum followed, and in the loose Jackson picked up and kicked to Bloch, who failed to field, and Bryan coming along dribbled over the line and scored. Dundon converted a fine goal. The drop out left play at the half way, and from the resultant scrum Garryowen got going, and Costelloe being the last of the line to receive, kicked over the visitors' custodian's head, but Mourouval came round, and saved by punting to touch. From the line out Garryowen burst through, and a scrum on the line ended in Reid being held up by Duval. A little later the ball came out to Jackson, who dropped a goal from underneath the uprights. It was up to this a matinee for Garryowen, who were having matters as they liked. Duval subsequently came through, and with a good effort gave his

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## SPORTING.

### Plumpton Meeting

#### UCKFIELD SELLING HUT

Armourer  
Le Kgodon  
Facsimile II.  
Also ran—Benwhat, Black Pass  
Tyroconnell, Dendrometer.  
Betting—6 to 1 agst Armourer;  
Rigodon, 100 to 8 Facsimile II.

#### CLAYTON SELLING HUT

Campamento  
Golden Bird  
Anndra  
Also ran—Currants, Palermo II.  
Cloutsham, Sweet William.  
Betting—3 to 1 agst Campame  
Golden Bird, 8 to 1 Anndora.

#### PRESTON HANDICAP STEEP

Bridge IV.  
Albert III.  
Durhamstown  
Also ran—Kennilworth, Maiver  
Tigress, Canny Mon.  
Betting—7 to 4 agst Bridge  
Albert III, 5 to 1 Durhamstown.

#### EASTER HANDICAP HURD

Bellefontine  
Delphine  
Blue Blazes  
Betting—6 to 1 agst. winner.

#### HASTINGS HANDICAP STEEP

Pleasure Garden  
Rustic Queen  
Penelope  
Betting—11 to 8 on winner.

#### MODERATE HANDICAP HUR

Farouche  
Royal Garter  
Gorgias  
Betting—5 to 1 agst Farouche,  
Garter, 11 to 10 Gorgias.

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