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the Fatherland can boast of. So that peril literally flies in the air, and our Government must, therefore, by this time be fully convinced of the need of meeting that peril in its own element.

**Dublin Municipal Gallery.**

The movement in Dublin to erect a building for the reception of the pictures at present located in Harcourt street, is progressing favourably. Sir Hugh Lane the donor of the pictures which he has presented to Ireland is at present in Dublin. He is honorary director of the Municipal Art Gallery at Dublin, and a governor of the Irish National Gallery, and formerly he was honorary director of the Johannesburg Municipal Art Gallery. His father, the Rev. J. W. Lane, was rector of Redruth, Cornwall, but his mother came from Co. Galway, and he himself was born at Cork in 1875. Sir Hugh has organised winter exhibitions at the Royal Hibernian Academy and at Belfast, and the revival of Irish art is largely due to him. He gained his knighthood in 1909.

**OUT AND ABOUT.**

The Duke and Duchess of Devonshire are now at Lamore Castle.

The Clerk at Ennis Board of Guardians yesterday reported a credit balance of £4,705 ls. 8d.

The Lord Chancellor, though able to take some drives in the country, is not (a Dublin paper states) yet restored to his normal health.

Lieutenant-Colonel C. FitzClarence, V.C., Irish Guards, will be Field Officer in Brigade-Waiting on the King during the month of March.

Constable J. Callaghan, R.I.C., pluckily rescued a young lady from drowning in the sea at Anestown, Co. Waterford, on Sunday evening last.

As the train from Waterford was entering the Tramore terminus on Tuesday, a mason named Kidwan fell dead, and at the inquest a verdict of death from acute heart failure was returned.

The magistrates presiding at the County Petty Sessions to day were Messrs. P. J. Kelly, R.M., N. Humphreys, J. G. Kelly, S. B. Quin, and Bryan O'Donnell. The cases disposed of were unimportant.

The Select Vestry of Tuam Cathedral has unanimously adopted a resolution regretting the impending resignation of the Right Rev. Dr. O'Sullivan of the Bishopric of Tuam, and recognising the wisdom with which for 23 years he directed the affairs of the diocese.

At the meeting of the Ennis Board of Guardians yesterday, a letter was read from the Local Government Board sanctioning a superannuation allowance of £110 9s 9d to Dr. E. Frost on his retiring from the position of Medical Officer of Newmarket Dispensary District.

Constable P. J. Moloney, stationed at William street for the past nine years, has been promoted to the rank and pay of acting-sergeant in the force. Acting-sergeant Moloney has nineteen years' service, and his well-deserved promotion has been learned with much pleasure by his friends, and colleagues in the Constabulary.

A verdict of Accidental Death was returned at an inquest at Queenstown on Tuesday on Redmond Fitzgerald, a naval pensioner, who was killed by a bucket falling on his head while engaged on a coal lighter at Haulbowline, and the jury recommended the widow and children to the consideration of the Admiralty.

His former colleagues on the Cork Press on Saturday presented a gold watch, suitably inscribed, to Mr. R. M. McGrath, manager, Palace

**THE LATE MR. JOHN HAYES.**

The funeral of the late Mr. John Hayes, builder, took place this afternoon from St. Michael's R.C. Church, where the remains lay overnight. The chief mourners were—Mr. Michael Doyle, and the boy sons of the deceased; Henry Hayes, brother; A. and J. Hayes, nephews; T. Waters and John Waters, brothers-in-law; and other relatives. The clergy in attendance were—Rev. J. O'Connor, Adm., St. Michael's; Rev. F. Devans, C.C., do.; Rev. F. Carroll, C.C., do.; Rev. F. Duans, C.C., do.; Rev. F. Hannan, C.C., do.; Rev. F. Thornhill, C.C., do.; Rev. F. Wall, St. Munchin's College; and Rev. F. Forrestal, S.J. Shortly after two o'clock the funeral started for Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery, where the interment took place. The general attendance including—The Mayor, Alderman McNeice, J. Howard, John Fitzmaurice, Dr. G. Fogerty, J. Dodd, solicitor, James Flynn, B. O'Callaghan, James Thompson (Manager Ulster Bank), M. O'Callaghan, Hugh McMahon, J. Barnett, John Whelan, J. Riordan, John King, Dr. McGrath, Dr. Perse, R. Somerset, J. McNamara, T. Duggan, A. J. Eakins, Wm. Maguire, K. O'Brien, P. Hartigan, J. Madigan, R. J. Hartigan, M. Bartley, N. Ebrill, M. O'Brien, J. Kiely, T. O'Brien, W. Walshe, S. E. Lee, D. Hannan, E. G. Pitt, George Ryan, H. O'Brien, J. Boughrady, James Quin, T. Leonard, B. F. Sheehy, etc., Mrs. O'Brien, South Hill, and others sent carriages.

At the meeting of the Corporation Committee last night, the Mayor presiding, Mr. Matthew Griffin, B.C. moved in sympathetic terms that a vote of condolence be conveyed to the wife and family of the deceased, who had for many years been a member of the Borough Council. The resolution was seconded unanimously, and the Town Clerk was directed to forward a copy of the resolution to Mrs. Hayes.

**THE LATE MR. P. J. NOLAN, K.C.**

The city of Calgary, Canada, in which Mr. P. J. Nolan, K.C., a brilliant Limerickman, practised for the last 23 years, and where he died on the 10th of this month, paid a marked tribute to the eminence which he had attained in his profession, and as a member of the Senate of the University of Alberta, as well as his status and worth as a citizen, and his great personal popularity, by giving him the honour of a public funeral. It was attended by practically the entire population of the city, which, the papers to hand say, never on any occasion of the death of a public man showed such manifestation of general regret. No more striking testimony could be given to the esteem in which the late Mr. Nolan, whose further successful career has been so prematurely cut off, was held in the country of his adoption.

At the County Petty Sessions Court, to-day, Mr. P. J. Kelly, R.M., in the chair.

Mr. John G. Kelly, J.P., referred in sympathetic terms to the death of the late Mr. P. J. Nolan, K.C., the brother of one of the magistrates' respected colleagues, Mr. Wm. M. Nolan, J.P., and proposed the adoption of the following resolution—"Resolved—That we offer our sympathy to our esteemed colleague, Mr. Wm. M. Nolan, on the death of his distinguished brother, Mr. P. J. Nolan, K.C., in Canada, and that Mr. Hobson, our Clerk, convey our condolences to Mr. Nolan and family on their bereavement."

Mr. S. B. Quin, J.P., seconded the proposition.

Mr. P. J. Kelly, in putting the resolution, which was unanimously agreed to, said the magistrates were better acquainted with the circumstances of the case than what he was. He knew Mr. Wm. M. Nolan for the past three years, and to know was to esteem him.

District Inspector Craig, on the part of the Constabulary, and Mr. J. Hobson, Clerk, asked to be allowed to associate themselves with the resolution adopted by the magistrates.

**CLARE SPRING ASS**

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**Mr Justice Ross on the the County.**

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT Ennis.)

The Clare Spring Assizes were to-day by the Right Hon. Mr Justice was accompanied into Court by the Captain A. M. Vandeleur, and the Major F. G. Cullinath.

The Grand Jury were sworn as follows: William Healy, Clerk of the Crown and H. V. McNamara, D.L.; Bailiffs; Foreman.

Captain H. W. D'Esterre, P., Robert Thomas Crowe, D.L., Dromore; W. C. V. Burton, D.L., Carrigaholt; R. J. Staepool, D.L., Edenvale; Francis V. Westby, D.L., Kilbally; Charles R. A. MacDonnell, D.L., New Hon. Ed. O'Brien, J.P., Roslevan; Marcus W. Paterson, J.P., Clifidan; Major Stopford Hickman, D.L., Fe Robert O'Brien Studdert, D.L., Co. Colonel George O'Callaghan West Cooleagh.

Colonel F. St. L. Tottenham, D. Callan.

Marcus Keane, D.L., Beechpark; Francis Gore Hickman, D.L., Kilm William Hawkins-Ball, D.L., Fort; Torlogh O'Brien, J.P., Ballinalacke; Francis B. Henn, J.P., Paradise; Capt. T. Brady-Browne, J.P., New; James Roche Kelly, Fingrove; B. R. Studdert, J.P., Hazlewood; G. de Laval Willis, Ennis; Captain Geo. Studdert, Cullane.

His Lordship said it would be a regret to them that their distinguished countryman, who belonged to this Right Hon. the Lord Chief Justice of the United Kingdom, was unable to carry out the intention which he had formed, of being present at this Assizes. The Lord Chief Justice had been obliged to leave the country for a short time for the purpose of recovering his health. The bills that were before the court were few in number, and of no great importance, not very important. He did not comment on one case, and he could not say from them or from himself that it was a serious case, not merely if taken by itself, but when taken in connection with the general condition of the County Clare. He alluded to the case of a gentleman who had attempted murder of a gentleman who lives in this county. His Lordship referred to the circumstances of the case, and said that the gentleman was severely injured, but was happy to hear that he was now recovering. There were three persons concerned in this case, and the evidence which would be put before the court would, he thought, satisfy them that prima facie case against them all. The decision in the case did not rest with the court, but would be examined carefully by an appellate court, and a judge, who would decide ultimately the guilt or innocence of the accused. He mentioned this as a warning to the state of the county. There was a sinister and grave in an outrage of this kind, which was not merely upon the cases that were before them, but also upon the returns of the Inspector of police, who receive accurate information from the adjoined areas which he commands. He could not say that the condition of the county was such that there were parts of the county which were as peaceable and well-behaved as county in Ireland, and that was a warning. But there were other parts which were as black as possible, black spots which