

reference to your letter of 10th inst. and the subjoined copy of a resolution adopted at a meeting of your Council on the 4th instant on the subject of the restrictions affecting the shipment of cattle, I have to state that subsequent to the date of such resolution fat animals were allowed to be forwarded from all Irish ports, except Dublin, and later, from Dublin also, for slaughter within the landing places in Great Britain. The discovery within the past few days of foot and mouth disease among Irish animals in the Birkenhead landing place, however, led for the time being, to renewed prohibition by the British Board of Agriculture of the landing in Great Britain of any cattle, sheep, goats, or swine from Ireland. The question of when it may be possible to secure modification of this further embargo is one respecting which the Department hope to enter into communication with the Board as soon as the results of the extensive investigations prove necessary, and now in progress with the Birkenhead outbreak have become fully apparent."

Mr. T. Considine remarked that he remembered when a great many cases of foot and mouth disease occurred years upon years ago, and he never heard it did any harm to the country.

The letter was marked "read."

Popular Glin Man's Death

The death of Mr. Patrick Normile, Killeaney, Glin, whose death took place after a somewhat lingering illness, writes our Glin correspondent, has occasioned general regret here, and his funeral on Sunday, was large and representative. Deceased was assistant Secretary of the Glin Branch of the United Irish League for several years.

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Recent Tipperary Deaths

Resolutions of Condolence

SYMPATHY FROM BOARD OF GUARDIANS

At the meeting of the Tipperary Board of Guardians on Saturday, the Chairman (Mr. Thomas O'Dwyer) said it was with feelings of great regret, which he was sure was shared by all, that he had the melancholy duty of proposing a vote of sympathy to the young wife and family of a young and promising member of the farming class, and one of the most respected members of the community, Mr. Cornelius Merrick. He had met with a very sad death, and had been married only four months previously. His wife was daughter of the late Mr. John O'Ryan, of Ballyhurst, an old and respected member of the Board of Guardians. He (Chairman) was sure he was expressing the sympathetic feeling of the members of the Board, and he proposed the following resolution—"That we have heard with melancholy regret of the sad death, perhaps a sad calamity, of Mr. Cornelius Merrick, of Lisgibbon, Banskha, and that we convey to his sorrowing young wife, who is a daughter to an old and respected member of this Board in former days—the late Mr. John O'Ryan, of Ballyhurst—our deep sympathy. We also convey our regret to the deceased's sorrowing father and mother, and instruct our clerk to forward copies of this resolution to the persons named, and to Mr. Robert Ryan, of Ballyhurst."

Mr. J. Heffernan (Croque), seconded the resolution, with which he was sure that the whole board associated themselves (hear, hear).

The resolution was passed in silence.

Mrs. E. Ryan, D.V.C., said that while they were dealing with such sad subjects it pained her to have the melancholy duty of proposing a vote of condolence on the death of Mr. Jas. Cleary, J.P., of Ballinahinch, who was always a staunch friend and good neighbour. She begged to propose:—"That we have heard with deep and sincere regret of the death of Mr. James Cleary, J.P., Ballinahinch, one of the greatest sportsmen Munster ever had, and at one time a respected and esteemed member of this Board; to his sorrowing wife and family we desire our clerk to forward copy of this resolution, and in doing so to tender them our sympathy."

Mr. Dunphy seconded the resolution, and the chairman said that no doubt the late Mr. Cleary was a great loss to the community and to the sporting and farming classes. He was a great judge of everything connected with farming, and he would be sadly missed.

Clerk—He was a great friend and neighbour to everyone.

The resolution was passed in respectful silence.

Former Nationalist M.P. Dead

The death in announced of Hon. Charles Ramsay Devlin, Minister of Colonisation, Mines and Fisheries in the Quebec Government. He formerly represented Galway, Ireland, in the British House of Commons. Deceased was born in the Province of Quebec, Canada, on the 20th of October, 1858, and was the son of an Irishman, Charles Devlin. He received his education in Montreal College, subsequently entering Laval University, Quebec, where he had a distinguished career. He became a member of the Dominion House of Commons of Canada, as representative of the County of Ottawa, in 1891, and five years later he successfully contested the County of Wright. In 1897 he was appointed Canadian Commissioner for Ireland remaining in office until 1903; in which year he came over to Ireland and successfully contested Galway in the Nationalist interest, thus entering the Imperial Parliament. He remained in the ranks of the Irish Party for a comparatively short period, becoming member of the Provincial Parliament for Quebec, in 1906, this time as representative for the County of Temiscaming. At the time of his demise, as stated above he was Minister of Colonisation, Mines and Fisheries in the Quebec Government.

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