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**Drops Dead at the Poll**

Kilrush Wednesday.

A sad fatality took place at the Boardroom of the Kilrush Workhouse to-day. When Mr Kelly had declared the result of the contest for Rural District Councilors for Kilkee, Mr Michl. Curry, who had headed the poll, was proposing a vote of thanks to the presiding officer, when he was seen to get a weakness, and having been taken out to the landing immediately expired. A most painful sensation followed, amid deep regret for the deceased, who was held in the highest respect in Kilkee. An inquest will be held.

**DEATH OF MR. T. B. NAUGHTON.**

The death, which occurred rather unexpectedly yesterday morning of Mr Thomas B. Naughton, Clerk of the Rathkeale District Council and Board of Guardians, has evoked wide expressions of regret in the county and city. The deceased, who was in the prime of life, was an extremely popular official, and possessed qualities which endeared him to a big circle of friends and acquaintances. He began life as a reporter on the *Limerick Leader*, Naas, and subsequently was attached to the staff of the *Tipperary Nationalist*, Clonmel. Prior to his appointment as Clerk of the Rathkeale Board of Guardians, fifteen years ago, he was editor of the *Limerick Leader*, a position which he held with credit to himself and his employer. He was of a genial disposition, possessed of a fund of good humour, and was a welcome addition to any social circle. By his early demise a popular personality passes from the county, and in their bereavement the sympathy of the public will be extended to his relations.

The remains arrived to-day at Limerick by the 1.15 train, and were transferred to the 2.5 train for Askeaton, which they reached at 3 o'clock. They were then taken to Ballystein R.C. Church, from where the funeral will leave to-morrow for the family burial-place at Kildimo.

**FUNERAL OF MR. T. RIORDAN.**

The remains of the late Mr. Timothy Riordan, whose death took place on Tuesday morning, were interred to-day in Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. Last night at 9 o'clock the coffin was removed from William street, to S. Michael's Church, where it rested overnight and at half past ten this morning in presence of a large congregation. Solemn Requiem Mass was celebrated for the dead. At the close of the service the funeral, which was of large proportions, left for Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. Every interest in the city was represented at the funeral, and expressions of regret were general on the death of one who was held in esteem and respect by the citizens. The chief mourners were—Mr R. Riordan and Mr J. Riordan (brothers), and Mr J. Doyle, solicitor, Dublin (cousin).

The Rev. Fr. O'Connor, Adm., officiated at the graveside.

**CHURCH LADS' BRIGADE SPORTS.**

Owing to unforeseen circumstances the above sports will be held on Thursday next in Mr T Crowe's field, adjoining Belfield, Ebnis Road, and not at the Markets Field, as originally arranged. The Band of the York and Lanos Regiment will attend, and the sports will be a great attraction for the half holiday, June 11th, at 3 o'clock p.m.

**OUT AND ABOUT.**

"To Mr C Downey, Secretary Limerick Coal Merchants and Steamship Owners Association."

**LIMERICK DIOCESAN BOARD OF EDUCATION.**

**Rathkeale Parish.**

The examination of Rathkeale Sunday School was held on May 28 by the following examiners—Revs. H. Orpen, T. Clarke, T. Studdert, Precentor Adderley, and G. L. Swain, with this result:—

- FIRST CLASS (Junior Division).  
First Rank—Eyre Greene, Phyllis Shier, Oscar Switzer, Eva Eborall, Marie Reed.
- FIRST CLASS (Senior Division).  
First Rank—Joe Greene, Bella Shier, May Switzer, Herbert Bovenizer, May Patterson, Sarah Eborall, Violet Patterson.
- Second Rank—George Patterson.
- SECOND CLASS.  
First Rank—Agnes Shier.
- THIRD CLASS.  
First Rank—Arthur Shier.
- FOURTH CLASS.  
First Rank—Beta Switzer, Lily Howard, Willie Shier, Bertie Shier.
- SEVENTH CLASS.  
First Rank—Eva Shier, Angie Switzer.

**Rathronan Parish.**

- FIRST CLASS.  
First Rank—Shela Gleeson, J Bruce Langford, J Walter Upton.
- SECOND CLASS.  
First Rank—Queenie Gleeson, Sarah Jane Gleeson, Jane Upton, Hannah Upton.
- THIRD CLASS.  
First Rank—R Masy Langford, Nellie Gleeson.
- FOURTH CLASS.  
First Rank—John Gleeson.

**Kilkeedy Parish.**

- SECOND CLASS.  
First Rank—Cissie Morrow.
- THIRD CLASS (Junior Division).  
Second Rank—Robert Morrow.
- FOURTH CLASS.  
First Rank—Alex Morrow, Lizzie Langrill.
- SIXTH CLASS.  
First Rank—R Smith.  
Second Rank—J Langrill.

**Kilfinane Parish.**

The examination of the Sunday School of Kilfinane Parish was held by the Rev W. L. Shade on Friday, May 29th, with the following results:—

- FIRST CLASS (Junior Division).  
First Rank—Edward Haines, Edward White.
- SECOND CLASS.  
First Rank—John Schumacher, Eva Harris, Bessie Miller.
- FOURTH CLASS.  
First Rank—George Fizelle, Daisy Fizelle, Louisa Naylor, William Harris.

**Kilfynn Parish.**

The examination of the Sunday School of Kilfynn Parish was held by Rev. W. R. Keillor on May 30th, with the following results:—

- FIRST CLASS (Junior Division).  
First Rank—George Barrer.
- FIRST CLASS (Senior Division).  
First Rank—Mollie Alton, Samuel Young, Mabel Wiseman, Sam Bartman.
- SECOND CLASS.  
Second Rank—George Bartman.

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