

his room, but he did not use it as about a month ago an opera-  
performed on his lip, and he spent a  
hospital. He kept to the bed con-  
Sunday. Mr. Blackburn having  
matter to the police at Kilmallock,  
Quirk visited the place, and when  
the circumstances were communi-  
cated to the coroner Clery, M.D., Hospital, who  
consider it necessary to hold an inquest.

## PETTY SESSIONS

### Re Possession of Cottage

### Charge Against Labourer

#### A SERIOUS ASSAULT

#### INTERESTING CASES

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ly to the taking up of the business  
Petty Sessions Court on Thursday,  
Sullivan, R.M. (Chairman), swore in  
strate for the County of Limerick Mr.  
Pegum, who adjudicated in all the

Courtney, Loughill, summoned  
ostelloe and Patrick Sullivan for  
the licensed premises of Thomas  
essy on Sunday, 26th July. The  
deposed to seeing the men, one in  
and the other coming out of it.

, who was previously fined for a  
ence, was fined 5s and costs, and  
6d and costs.

as no summons against the publi-  
defendants got no drink, and the  
said it was hard on publicans that  
d put them in danger in this way.

Butler summoned Joseph Carroll  
g his donkey to be worked while in  
ate and evidence having been given.  
ant was fined 5s and costs. The sore  
one.

Butler summoned two men for  
k and disorderly by fighting on Sun-  
ugust, and gave evidence as to the

he defendants said there had been a  
he Volunteers earlier in the day.

var, R.M.—Are you a Volunteer?  
t—I am, sir.

van—I know it is the custom in  
es to mercilessly expel from the  
one guilty of drunkenness.

Butler—It is done in Glin, too,  
ip; he has been expelled.

van, R.M.—It is a bad way to meet  
ns, to get drunk.

ts were each fined 2s 6d and costs  
ned.

age pensioner was summoned and  
of drunkenness and fined 1s and  
warned by the chairman not to  
in on this charge or a record would  
the conviction and he would lose  
for six months.

District Council, through their self-  
Windle, summoned Joseph Sullivan  
forcible possession of a labourer's  
m which he was evicted.

from the magistrates dated 21st  
proving the Council to evict was pro-

at said his father was evicted for  
nt of rent. He (defendant) had paid  
nce he went into possession in 1910,  
eing £1 18s a year. The Council  
bring him in for his father's arrears.  
n was carried out harshly, too.

irman said the magistrates were  
arry out the law and that was to  
for trial.

rt deposition being made, the Bench  
endant to come to terms as to the  
f the sum due, £3 2s 6d, and they  
fr. Windle and the Council would  
ble. "He was not the owner in fee of  
, and labourers should know that  
guardians were entitled to evict for  
er than non-payment of rent. They  
a did so.

at agreed in writing to pay £2 on or  
before 17th and the balance, £1 2s  
weeks from that date.

il withdrew the summons in this and  
se, the tenant having made terms as  
of the amount due.

llane summoned Patrick Curtin for  
threatening language on the 19th  
rayed that he be bound to the peace.  
swore to defendant overtaking him  
Scanlan as they were going home  
s cottage; he called him names,

Mr. Cleary, P. Hehir, T. O'Donnell, William  
Moloney, J. Kearney, T. Murphy, J. Doherty, T.  
Dinneen, John Carroll, J.P.; J. Canty, J. Gil-  
hooly, M. O'Donnell, and W. Barry.

The following letter was read from Mr. John  
C. O'Sullivan, acting master of the work-  
house:—"I beg to report that I took over the  
duties of acting master from Mr. Martin on  
Monday, 17th instant, and a room in the apart-  
ments occupied by the late Master, Mr. Begley,  
was placed at my disposal on Monday night by  
Miss Begley, the matron. On Tuesday even-  
ing Mrs. Begley, wife of the late master, ar-  
rived here from Youghal, and the matron in-  
formed me as a consequence of this I could not  
be given the accommodation afforded me on  
the previous night. As there is no other suit-  
able apartment in the Workhouse I had to go  
out to sleep to my lodgings near  
the town after getting an assurance  
from the matron that she would undertake  
responsibility for anything that might occur in  
my absence. On Wednesday Mrs. Begley again  
left the house and on Wednesday evening I  
interviewed the matron who informed me that  
the arrangement would have to be as on the  
night before. I have not since been sleeping  
in the Workhouse.

Mr. Carroll—How does that affect us?

The Clerk (Mr. Coll)—I don't know anything  
about it.

Chairman—Mr. O'Sullivan was not in the  
house.

Mr. O'Sullivan—Only one night, sir.

Mr. Kearney—I suppose when Mr. O'Sullivan  
took over the duties he was supposed to sleep  
in the house.

Mr. O'Sullivan—Yes, sir, the Master is always  
supposed to reside in the house, it is one of his  
most important duties.

Mr. Kearney—And that arrangement did not  
suit the matron it appears.

Mr. Gilhooly—They may not have proper  
accommodation.

Mr. Carroll—What is the rule? A question  
like this never arose before.

Clerk—That the master or acting master is  
supposed to reside in the house, but in the  
minute made this day week, it was without  
rations or apartments.

Mr. O'Sullivan said the order was that he be  
appointed without rations but there was no  
mention of apartments for or against.

Clerk—But whether there was or not, the  
master is supposed to reside in the premises  
while in charge of the establishment but as Mr.  
Gilhooly says if proper arrangements were not  
made? I asked the committee to go up the  
house when the master's resignation was read  
to fix up the apartments and they would not do  
so.

Chairman—He must remain in the house at  
night.

Mr. Carroll—Who was supposed to provide  
the acting master with apartments?

The Clerk—I suppose the man in charge  
when handing it over to his successor.

Mr. O'Sullivan said he did not want to in-  
convenience anyone, but being appointed  
acting master, he thought it to be his duty to  
bring the matter before the Board. He took  
it as a terrible slur and disrespect to him.

Mr. Martin, who had been acting master,  
and was granted holidays, in reply to Mr. Car-  
roll, said while Mr. Begley (late master) was  
away he (Mr. Martin) slept in Mr. Begley's  
apartments. He left on Monday morning and  
gave the keys to Mr. O'Sullivan.

Mr. T. O'Donnell—What were you paid  
weekly?

Mr. Martin—£1 and rations.

Mr. O'Donnell—And Mr. O'Sullivan has £2.  
It was mentioned that this was without  
rations.

The Clerk—I don't think anyone wanted to  
cast a slur on you, Mr. O'Sullivan.

Mr. Gilhooly—That is a fact.

The Clerk—But he is bound to report it.

Mr. O'Sullivan—I would like to know the  
object so, sir.

Mr. Carroll—The present master is entitled  
to his apartments until his leave expires.

The Clerk said Mr. Begley owned the apart-  
ments until, according to his resignation,  
arrangements were made for the respective  
apartments of the new Master and the Matron.

Mr. O'Sullivan—I have no ambition to reside  
in a workhouse if the guardians direct me to  
reside outside. I only want to relieve myself  
of the responsibility, and I thought it my duty  
to bring the matter before the Board.

Mr. Doherty—I suppose the Local Govern-  
ment Board won't object?

Mr. Kearney—There is no serious loss.

Mr. Carroll—Especially when the Matron  
undertook to see after things. The Guardians  
would feel if there was any discourtesy, but  
there don't appear to be anything like that.

## Gaelic Pastimes in Clare

### Newmarket Hurling Tournament

#### TWO INTERESTING MATCHES

(FROM OUR REPORTER.)

The third round of the Newmarket-on-Fergus  
Hurling Tournament was played off on yester-  
day, before a fairly large attendance between  
Newmarket and Claughaun (Limerick). The  
match was splendidly fought out from begin-  
ning to end, though the result proved some-  
what unexpected not alone to the Limerick-  
men but to the ardent followers of Newmarket.  
Both teams put on strong selections. Claug-  
haun were without the services of Campion,  
Gleeson, Daly and Rochford, while Newmarket  
were minus Cusack and Hayes. From the  
start Newmarket began to press and invaded  
the Claughaun territory, but the defence of  
Maher was sound. The home team continued to  
attack, and soon they had raised the red flag  
in the shape of a goal. Claughaun settled down,  
and soon made the equaliser per Hynes, who  
put his side leading in a few minutes after by a  
nicely-scored point. There was not much to

choose between the teams for the next ten  
minutes, as the leather was kept moving from  
one end of the field to the other. Both sides  
were making desperate attempts to score, but  
they could not succeed. Eventually Markham  
got possession, and forwarded to Guerin, who  
sent to Liddy, and the latter beating the  
Claughaun backs sent in for a goal. Hayes,  
Ryan, and Halvey showed up well for their  
side, and it was no fault of theirs that victory  
did not follow them. Newmarket were called  
on to defend their posts for the next five min-  
utes, and having succeeded for some time the  
onslaughts of the Claughaun forwards could  
not be repelled, and they again scored. After  
some few more scores being made on both sides,  
the half-time whistle went, leaving the play as  
follows:—

Newmarket—3 goals 1 point (10 points).

Claughaun—2 goals 2 points (8 points).

From the resumption Claughaun set hard to  
work and in less than three minutes they had  
scored two goals in succession. The local  
team for the first time in the game showed  
some combination and it had a very whole-  
some effect, as their side improved wonderfully  
and had the best of the game, and the leather  
when brought up by them threequarters of the  
field was sure to be scored. Newmarket  
had matters much their own way during the  
remainder of the second half and continued  
to pile score upon score. The defence of  
Rob Doherty, of Newmarket, was wonderful,  
while in the forward direction Guerin and  
Clancy played well throughout, as also did  
Liddy, Markham and Callinan. Maher, Ryan,  
M'Grath and Hynes were conspicuous for  
Claughaun. After some exciting bouts the  
full-time whistle went leaving the score:—

Newmarket—10 goals 4 points (34 points).

Claughaun—5 goals 2 points (17 points).

KILKISHEN V. HURLER'S CROSS.

The above teams next lined out, and after a  
well-contested game the latter were declared  
the victors by two points.

## Death of Mr. James O'Neill

The death took place a few days since of Mr.  
James O'Neill, who for the past ten years was  
engaged in the waukie department, Messrs.  
John M'Birney, and Company, Limerick,  
where his many good qualities and un-  
assuming character made him a general  
favourite. Deceased was quite a young  
man, only 28 years of age, and his demise  
occurred after a comparatively brief illness,  
and to the regret of his friends and acquaint-  
ances. The interment took place in the family  
burial ground at Galbally. The chief mourners  
were—John O'Neill and Patrick O'Neill  
(brothers), Anne O'Neill (sister), Eddie O'Neill  
(nephew), Mrs O'Neill (sister-in-law), and other  
relatives, The Limerick Drapers' Club, the  
Irish Drapers' Assistants' Benefit and Protec-  
tion Association, and the staff of M'Birney and  
Co, were represented at the funeral, which was  
a large one.

## Limerick Trades and Labour Council

SYMPATHY WITH THE LORD BISHOP