

His Honor County Court Judge Law-Smith, Revising Barrister for the Borough of Limerick, concluded the sittings of the Revision Court to-day, when the lists of voters and tenants were finally gone over for any necessary correction or revision. A number of tenants as rated occupiers, inhabitant householders, and new lodgers were admitted during the course of the revision, those who failed to attend and prove their claims having been struck off. At the close of the court a warm shower of thanks, on behalf of all the officials connected with the revision, was tendered to the judge, on the motion of Mr. W. M. Nolan, Town Clerk, seconded by Mrs. H. J. O'Connell, Clerk of the Union, and suitably acknowledged.

GREAT MUNSTER FAIR

The Great Munster Cattle and Sheep Fair held to-day in fine weather, and proved a success on all round, due to increasing demands for stock in England, and the removal of the trade restrictions. There was a large supply of cattle, and prices were in favour of buyers for all forward stock. Best beef reached £3 to £3 3s per cwt. Fat cows were considered exceptionally dear, and ranged from £20 a head. The other quotations may be summed up as follows:—Three-year-old steers, £16 to £22; two-year-olds, £11 to £15; one-year-olds, £7 to £11; three-year-old ewes, £14 to £17; two-year-olds, £10 to £13; one-year-olds, £7 to £11. There was a full supply of sheep, the prices being from £3 per head, or 8d per lb on foot. There was a large attendance of buyers from the principal markets, and the fair was cleared at a comparatively early hour.

The Irish Party on the triumph of the Home Rule Cause and that they declare that they are prepared to follow him in his policy of safeguarding the interests of the Irish Nation—“to give freedom he has won.” (Loud cheers.) Is he, asked Mr. Close, a word in that that a man is prepared to carp at. (In a loud voice he made the emphatic declaration “No”). Sergeant-Major Canty, as a staunch supporter of Mr. Redmond, seconded the resolution.

The resolution was then put to the meeting and carried amidst a scene of great enthusiasm. Subsequently the Volunteers paraded the square, being enthusiastically cheered on the parade.

Meeting at O'Connell Monument

Shortly after nine o'clock a meeting was held at the O'Connell Monument. The Volunteers lined up on either side of the Crescent, and Alderman Joyce, who was received with applause, delivered a short address. Having referred to the pleasure it gave him to address the Volunteers at their drill hall that night, he said, amidst ringing cheers, Ireland had every reason to congratulate herself on the magnificent fight for freedom that had been won in the British House of Commons. The Home Rule Bill was on the Statute Book, and he said the Irish people were prepared to keep it there. The Volunteers would take their stand in the army of Ireland to defend the rights of Ireland from any and every invader, wherever he may come from (cheers). These were the sentiments he had professed his life; they were the sentiments he had always lived up to, and they were the sentiments he would carry to his grave (cheers). He concluded a practical address by calling for cheers for the Irish Volunteers. (The cheers were given with a will.)

When a further scene of enthusiasm followed, cheers being given for Alderman Joyce, Mr. Redmond, and Mr. Joseph Devlin. Captain J. J. Holland, who was received with cheers, said they had done a good night's work. He announced, amidst a great outburst of cheering, that drill would be carried on as usual the following night (to-night). Cheers were then given for Captain Holland. Sergeant-Major Canty, after which the proceedings ended. The Boherbuoy and St. John's Brass Bands led the Volunteers on the parade through the city playing stirring national airs.

Sergeant Johnston—It is being conducted. This girl is in charge and there is a sore affliction in the family.

Mr. M'Mahon—Is this the first offence? Sergeant Johnston—Yes, and the reason for this prosecution is to make her conduct the place in a proper manner. She keeps tramps as lodgers and for the protection of the public she ought to be made to conduct the place properly. If we wanted to, we could oppose the licence being renewed here to-day.

The Chairman said the Bench did not want to be too hard on the defendant but they should convict her and have her conduct the place properly. If there was a repetition of that conduct they would be forced to impose a very severe penalty. However, they would deal with the case leniently by imposing a fine of 2s 6d and costs.

Lord Monteagle said before the defendant left the witness box he wished to state publicly that he received a letter from the defendant that morning asking him as a magistrate—she probably knew he would be there—to see that she would not be fined. He wished to say to everyone in the Court that that was a most improper proceeding. His lordship would have referred to the matter when the case was called, but he did not want to prejudice it. Persons writing letters to magistrates were doing themselves more harm than good.

Defendant—I beg your pardon, my lord, if I have done anything wrong.

Lord Monteagle—We are here as magistrates to see justice done to everyone, and to administer the law impartially, and it is a most improper thing to do.

The incident then closed.

POLICE AND PEOPLE

CASE AT KILRUSH PETTY SESSIONS

At the Kilrush Petty Sessions on Monday, Mr. P. S. Brady, R. M., presided. The other magistrates in attendance were—Messrs B. Culligan, W. Carmody, W. C. Doherty, M. Mescal and J. Griffin. At the suit of the police District-Inspector Carroll prosecuted two farmers named Simon Callanan and John O'Dea for assaulting the police at Cooraclare on the 12th inst. There were other charges against them, including that of drunkenness and for failing to have a light on their car. Mr. Killeen, solicitor, appeared for the defendants.

Sergeant Owens, in answer to Mr. Carroll, deposed he was on duty at the end of the village accompanied by Constable Conniffe; he met O'Dea and Callanan in a bar without a light; it was about 9.56; he stopped the car and asked them where was their light; they answered they were going to get one, and drove as far as Tubridy's publichouse; O'Dea went into a few houses, and after a while came out with a light; Callanan then said he (witness) was the meanest man in Cooraclare; that he would not let them get a drink, and called him filthy names, and said he would not leave the village until he kicked him through the streets; he then struck witness and loosened two of his teeth, and his arm was sore since. He then told the Constable to draw his baton to protect himself; when they went to arrest him he knocked two of them; the three of them were on the ground together; he tried to keep his hand on the defendant's throat as he was kicking like a mad bull; while on the ground he kicked the Constable on the legs; Constables O'Shea and Hayes then came on the scene and he gave them the order to draw their batons, and one of the crowd shouted “let them have it now, meaning the police; after a long time they got Callanan to the barrack.

Cross-examined—Callanan kicked him in the chest; there was a crowd there at the time; he had to catch him by the windpipe to stop him from kicking; he did not hear anyone say don't choke the man; he was not beaten after going to the barrack; while they were searching him it took three men to hold him; he washed defendant's wounds with Jeyes fluid and water.

Patrick O'Brien and Patrick Mescal gave corroborative evidence.

Chairman—The case of assaulting the police will be dismissed, but he will be fined 5s and costs for being drunk and disorderly. The case of O'Dea for assaulting the police will also be dismissed. He will be fined 1s and costs for having no light on his car.

An application made by Mr. Carroll to have Callanan bound to the peace was refused.

The Gac of Limerick will no doubt be glad to hear that the long expected match, which for several reasons had to be repeatedly adjourned, is announced to be played at the Markets Field on Sunday next. The contesting teams are Claughan and Castleconnell. There is no doubt that amongst the members of both teams are to be found players who are first-class exponents of the game, with plenty of time to practice and to get themselves into proper form, so the spectators can rest assured that Sunday's contest will be the match of the season. It will beyond question be a strenuous fight from start to finish in which speed and stamina will have a telling effect. The contest has aroused more than local interest in the county and city, and it is expected that the largest crowd which has assembled within the Markets enclosure for years will be present on next Sunday, as the match will be worth seeing.

Ennis Hurling Tournament

The final for the medals presented by the Ennis Temperance Society will be played on the Show Grounds on Sunday next, the teams being Ennis and Quin.

DEATH OF MR. JOHN SHANAHAN

It is with feelings of regret, we announce the death of the above highly esteemed gentleman, which sad event took place at his residence, Sir Harry's Mall, this morning, after a long and trying illness. The late Mr. Shanahan was of mild and jovial disposition and was loved by all who had the honour of his acquaintance and they were many. For a number of years he represented the electors of the Abbey Ward on the Borough Council. He was a member of various city organisations, including the Athlunkard Boat Club, of which he was one of the founders, and for a long time its worthy president. To his sorrowing relatives the sympathy of the citizens will be extended in their hour of trial.

MARKET INTELLIGENCE

LIMERICK MARKETS—SEPTEMBER 23.

HAY AND STRAW—There were 49 loads of hay, 30 loads of oaten straw, and 0 load of rye reed in market this day. Rye hay, 68s 0d to 75s 0d per ton, upland, 56s 0d to 65s 0d per ton; corncass, 40s 0d to 55s 0d per ton; oaten straw, 52s 0d to 56s per ton.

CONY—There were 166 barrels of oats in market. White oats, from 11d to 11½d per stone; black oats, from 10½d to 10½d per stone.

POTATOES—100 loads new potatoes. 4d to 5d per stone.

AMERICAN BACON—Short rib middles, 81s to 85s per cwt; short rib backs, 78s to 82s per cwt; long clear middles, 74s per cwt; clear backs, 74s to 78s per cwt.

THE PIG MARKET—This day's prices—Suitable pigs, 1cwt 1qr 0lb to 1cwt 2qrs 7lb, 62s per cwt; stout, 1cwt 2qrs 8lb to 1cwt 3qrs 0lb, 62s per cwt; overweight, 1cwt 3qrs 1lb to 1cwt 3qrs 14lb, 60s per cwt; heavy overweight, over 1cwt 3qrs 14lb, 58s per cwt; heavy overweight, 2cwt 0qrs 0lbs, 56s per cwt; Berwicks (about 8st), 58s per cwt; “sixes” (bacon pigs under 10 stone), 60s per cwt.

Limerick Stock List

The Stock Exchanges remain closed. A considerable amount of business is taking place, and the tendency points to improving prices. All dealings are for cash. The following are approximate quotations:—

Consols	... 68½
India 3½ Stock	... 84
G S & W Ra' Ord	... 94
Great North'n Rail	... 101
Lon & North Western Rail	... 116
Canadian Pacific Rail	... 160
Coats Ord	... 6½
Guinness Ord	... 33½
Bank of Ireland	... 220
Munster & Leinster Bank	... 6½
National Bank	... 17½
Marconi Ord	... 30/6
do Pref	... 29/6
do American	... 9/

DEATH.

BARRY—On 24th September, Olivia Maria, daughter of the late Dr. Robert Barry.—R.I.P.