

re motor announcements, the nail of  
 ated to the British Red Cross  
 having been given by the coal-owners  
 an Cheshire, and the twenty-five  
 his Majesty to-day were provided by  
 re and Cheshire Miners Federation.  
 a most pleased with the completeness  
 mces.

## Winston Churchill Visits Premier.

Winston Churchill visited Mr Asquith at  
 street to-day. He was in civilian  
 looked very well. Mr Churchill  
 short time, and drove away with the  
 ter.

## Vote for a Million Men.

At the meeting of the House of Commons yesterday, the Army  
 Vote for 1,000,000 men was agreed  
 motion for adjournment having been  
 house rose.

## Tests for Munsters and Irish Guards.

A committee of ladies and gentlemen formed  
 for the provision of comforts for the  
 liers and the Irish Guards has held a  
 "Jumble Sale" in the Gymnasium  
 the town and country contributed  
 things, furniture, farm and garden  
 money, with the result that the nett  
 amounted to the sum of £71.

## CARS AND RECRUITING.

EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE.

Area Office, 82 O'Connell Street,  
 Limerick, December 23rd, 1915.

In connection with the work of  
 the Department, for which I am  
 the Counties of Limerick, Clare, and  
 occasionally require the use of a motor  
 in the districts for the purpose of holding  
 recruiting organisers, etc.

I appeal to motorists in my district  
 and give me permission to enter  
 in a register which I am compiling of  
 in Limerick, Clare, and Kerry, who  
 lend their cars for this extremely  
 work.

and on each car will be really very  
 more who offer their cars the less  
 all on each.

In connection I should like to say that I  
 of cards 12 inches by 10 inches, bear-  
 ings, "50,000 Irishmen wanted for  
 rds."

are suitable for being fastened to  
 ven, and I shall be glad to send one  
 list who will so exhibit it.

Yours faithfully,  
 CHARLES BARRINGTON, Bart.,  
 Provincial Director.

## RED CROSS GIFT SALE IN LIMERICK

A meeting of the Committee of the above was  
 held in the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, Mr  
 J. P. presided. The other mem-  
 bers—C. J. Bentley, Geo. Bennett,  
 Mr. J. J. Quaid, Maurice Fitzgerald.

of Lord Derby's figures there should not be 24  
 hours delay in adopting any step that appeared  
 necessary, however extreme.

Mr Dillon criticised the Government's recruit-  
 ing methods, and also spoke against compulsion.  
 Mr Tennant, replying, said that if the Derby  
 scheme failed to give the required results the  
 Government would come to the House for other  
 powers.

Mr Runciman explained the measures taken to  
 safeguard necessary business.

## OBITUARY.

### Death of Mrs M. Barry.

We regret extremely to announce the death of  
 Mrs Margaret Barry which occurred at her  
 residence, Jamesboro, last evening. The deceased  
 lady was wife of the City Coroner, Mr James F  
 Barry, J.P. and a daughter of the late Mr Patrick  
 Treacy, wool merchant, this city. She had been  
 ailing for some weeks, and despite the best medical  
 skill and careful nursing she passed away  
 last evening to the great grief of her  
 husband and young family, and numerous friends.  
 Mrs Barry was of a most kindly and generous  
 disposition, beloved by a wide circle of friends,  
 and her demise in the prime of life has come as a  
 painful shock to her husband and children, who  
 mourn the loss of a good wife and mother. The  
 funeral will take place at 3 o'clock to-morrow for  
 Mount St Laurence Cemetery.

At the meeting of the Corporation last night,  
 Alderman D McNeice presiding, a vote of con-  
 dolence with the City Coroner on the sad death of  
 his wife was unanimously adopted.

### Dr James Smyth.

We regret to observe in our obituary column  
 the announcement of the death which occurred  
 in London on the 15th instant of Dr James  
 Smyth, fourth son of the late Mr James Smyth,  
 of Drumlohan, Kilcornan, Co. Limerick. The sad  
 news will be heard of with sorrow by many  
 friends in the city and county.

### Death of Miss Violet Martin.

Lovers of Irish literature and Irish sport will  
 deeply regret to learn of the death of Miss Violet  
 Florence Martin ("Martin Ross"), youngest  
 daughter of the late James Martin, D.L., of Ross,  
 Co Galway, which took place on Tuesday in a  
 nursing home at Cork. Miss Martin was the  
 grand-daughter of the Right Hon Charles Kendal  
 Bushe, Chief Justice of Ireland. She was  
 educated at Alexandra College, Dublin, and  
 began to exercise her high literary gifts at an  
 early age. She was the author of notable novels  
 dealing with the humours and pathos of Irish life.

### The late Mrs Hehir, Kildysart.

At the last meeting of the Kildysart Board of  
 Guardians, on the motion of Mr P McNamara, a  
 resolution of sympathy and condolence with Mr  
 James Hehir, an old and respected resident of the  
 town, on the death of his wife, was adopted. She  
 was sister of Mr M Griffin, J.P., Co. C, Chairman  
 of the District Council, and Mr James Griffin,  
 J.P., one of the oldest and most esteemed members  
 of the board.

### RESIGNATION OF THE BISHOP OF DERRY.

Acting on the opinion of his medical advisers,  
 the Bishop of Derry and Raphoe (Right Rev G A

No action was taken on the letter.

THE INSURANCE ACT.

The following was received from the  
 County Council for adoption by the  
 Council:—"That we express our opin-  
 ion in favour of the National  
 Insurance Act is needless, irritating  
 to employers and workers, and does not merit  
 approval of either of these  
 It is almost a useless expense  
 local rates, and to the workers as well  
 State, and we request Parliament to  
 Act so far as it relates to the rural  
 this country

The Council adopted the resolution  
 RED CROSS GIFT SALE.

Mr Bennett said he had been asked  
 Chairman of the County Council, and  
 a committee of the proposed Red Cross  
 bring before the members of the  
 desirability of helping the sale which  
 place in Limerick on the 19th  
 The sale was being promoted to  
 purpose of helping the wounded so  
 was a very praiseworthy object, and  
 sent in would help to augment the fund  
 was hoped would be worthy of Limerick  
 counties had moved in the matter, and  
 no reason why Limerick would not do  
 possible to make the sale a success.

The Chairman—It is a very desirable  
 and deserves our support.

Mr O'Connell—Can we subscribe to  
 Mr Bennett—Yes. Everything held

The Council unanimously agreed  
 thing possible to make the sale an  
 success.

The meeting then adjourned.

## POST OFFICE, LIMERICK

### Christmas Arrangements

The 7.55 p.m. Town Delivery (rest  
 be suspended on the 23rd and 24th  
 1915.

## LORD LIEUTENANT'S CLERK

### City Ex-Postman Liberated

The city postman, James J. Laha,  
 sentenced to nine months' imprison-  
 ment for larceny of a postal packet containing  
 Summer Assizes by Lord Justice Ross  
 released. His wife, it will be remem-  
 bered, petitioned for his Excellency  
 Lieutenant when in Limerick on the  
 and at the time the Viceroy promised  
 to consider the circumstances with a  
 sentence being commuted which has  
 done.

## HELP FOR THE POLISH

### Collection in Limerick

The Most Rev Dr O'Dwyer has  
 a cheque for £833 15s, the collection up  
 Roman Catholic people of the Diocese  
 for the help of the Polish people who  
 by the war. In reply, his lordship has  
 a letter from the President of the Ge-  
 neral Committee and Executive Committee of  
 Victims of the War in Poland, expressing  
 thanks for the benefaction, and adding  
 were infinitely touched by the ready  
 faithful of the Diocese to help Polish  
 prayers and gifts.

## GRAMAPHONE RECORDS