

German Crown Prince's Wife.

From a highly authoritative source, says the Geneva correspondent of the "Daily Mail," I am able to inform you that a few days ago the German Crown Princess attempted to leave Germany for Switzerland, where her mother, the Grand Duchess Anastasia of Mecklenburgh, is now residing. The Grand Duchess was waiting for her daughter with a motor car at one of the small frontier stations on the outskirts of Biele, but at the last moment the Crown Princess was prevented from crossing the border. The mother drove away disconsolate. It is common knowledge that the estrangement between the Crown Prince and his wife has recently become accentuated, and that they no longer live together.

Soldiers' Pay.

Mr J M Hogge, M.P., speaking at Edinburgh, indicated the changes in the Army pay, and said he hoped that sailors would share in the increase. Every man would have a minimum of 1s a day clear of stoppages. N.C.O.'s should be confirmed in rank and acting rank after a certain period. Soldier clerks should be paid at the same rate as civilian clerks. Proficiency pay would be decided on the ability to fight the enemy. Badges carrying pay for active service would be awarded on a basis of so much for each year of such service; a system of deferred pay to be instituted to enable a discharged man to have money to recommence life with.

MILITARY FUNERAL.

The death occurred at the Military Hospital, New Barracks, on Sunday, of Driver Huggins, Royal Field Artillery, following an accident sustained last week in the Ordnance Barracks. The funeral took place this evening at four o'clock, for Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. The coffin, mounted on a gun carriage, was covered with the Union Jack, and the cortege was preceded by a firing party and the band and pipers of the Royal Scots. After the bier came a number of wounded soldiers and mourning carriages, containing the relatives of the deceased soldier.

THE BALLYBUNION INQUIRY.

The hearing of the charges against six young men of unlawful assembly and attacking the public barracks at Ballybunion on July 11 was continued yesterday, and again adjourned. For the defence, Timothy Houlihan said he saw a stone thrown from a window of the barracks, and heard shots fired from the building, but none from the street or from any house. He did not see Daniel Scanlan shot. Michael M'Mahon said he heard no shot from any house. Stones were thrown at the barracks after the firing from there. John Kissane, who was struck in the thigh, deposed to shooting from the barracks. Further evidence was given on behalf of the accused.

asked if their tender held good, and they replied that it did not.

The Engineer said the correspondence was to the effect that the Ministry of Munitions had given a permit for the boiler.

The Chairman—What advantage would a boiler be to you now?

The Engineer—I could not say now, but I know that we have lost vessels through a boiler not being installed in the Graving Dock.

Mr Ryan—I think this boiler is an absolute necessity to the port. To put our graving dock into condition it is necessary to put in this boiler. I beg to propose that it be installed.

Mr Griffin seconded the resolution, which was adopted unanimously.

The meeting then adjourned.

FUNERAL OF MISS CLARE GUERIN.

The remains of the late Miss Clare Guerin, whose death occurred at the residence of her parents, Victoria Terrace, South Circular Road, on Friday, were interred in Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery on Sunday. At two o'clock the funeral left St. Michael's R.C. Church, and was attended by a large number of citizens, who were present to pay a final tribute of respect to the deceased, and show their sympathy with her parents in their bereavement.

The chief mourners were—Mr M Guerin, father; Messrs Joseph, William, and John Guerin, brothers; Francis Humphries, P J Walshe, W Roche, and A Fitzgerald, uncles, and other relatives.

The clergy present were—Rev W Dwan, Adm. St. Michael's; Rev R S Devane, C.C. do; Rev T Carroll, C.C. do; and Rev J Clancy, P.P. Killybegs.

Amongst the general public were—Messrs P E Bourke, J.P.; P J O'Sullivan, solicitor; J H Roshe, J.P.; Dr M S McGrath, R Cussen, solicitor, Newcastle West; J Fitzgibbon, J.P. Co.C.; Askeaton; R Nash, solicitor; Dr J Devane, G Hore, Alderman P McDonagh, J.P.; P J Henihan, B.C.; W M Nolan, J.P.; J J Quaid, J.P.; P O'Flynn, B.C.; T G Reilly, J McNamara, D.C.; Jas Flynn, M Hogan, J Fitzpatrick, J Hartnett, Lemonfield; P Punch, P Gleeson, J O'Neill, M O'Sullivan, P Coyle, R Hayes, P N Treacy, P Grant, W Bourke, B McCann, G Leahy, P Hartigan, R T Hartigan, M Geraghty, T Colbert, E J Wickham, R Culloty, R Neazor, P J Hamilton, M Fitzgerald, M Mascen, M McNamara, W J Horne, E J O'Riordan V.S.; J Frost, Sixmile Bridge. The following members of the Limerick Post Office attended—Messrs R Lynch, J Tierney, P McBride, J McCarthy, J Keenan, J Burrowes, J M O'Sullivan, J Enright, J T Gale, W E Gale, G Baldwin, R Reid, J P Hurley, T Foley, W H Hurley, J Waldron, P Waldron, R J Byrne, M Ryan, M McGrath, D Kelly, M Griffin, Ennis; M Coughlan, P Walsh.

Fr O'Connor officiated at the graveside.

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