m.—Advent Sunday—Morning lommunion at 11.30; Preacher, Waller, B.D. Evening Prayer r, Rev. V. G. Sutcliffe, M.A. at 3.30.

11.30; Evening Prayer, 7.9. ervices, the Restor.

CHURCH.—let Banday in Service, 11.30; Evening Service he Perileus Times, Wednesday, Canon Robertson.

HURCH (Parteen)—1st Sunday ling Prayer and Holy Comreacher, Rev. Oswald Brasier,

HURCH (Lower Mallow-street) vening, 6.38. Prescher at both ed W. Neill, M.A., T.C.D.

Bedford Row) - Morning, 11.20; teacher, Rav. R. J. Elliott, B.A.

—Services—10.15 a.m (Welsh), 3.30 p.m. Mid-week Service,

m—Morning Service, 11.30 Jervice, 4.0 (in schoolhouse).

Ondreon.—Morning Prayer, Prayer, 5.30.

CHURCH.—Mcrning Prayer at sning Prayer at 6 o'clock.

(allow-street). - Usual meeting

ENDS (Ceeil-street).—Sunday, roing, 11 o'clock.

IST-MASTERSHIPS.

Commons this week, it Kenworthy having asked the it the number of appeintments salaried sub-postmaster made a in the districts of Kildare sarleville, and how many of in his Majesty's Forces during

writes, in reply, that there has a salaried sub-postmaster at a named. The candidate apsis an ex-Royal Engineer, who tive service during the late war of Forces in a civilian capacity legraphy. The candidate apsille did not serve in the Forces, t Midleton has net yet been

EXHIBITION.

vishes to return thanks to all or donations and contributions I epartment of C.M.S. Exhibiteful thanks to Mrs Arthur inyers, Mrs Courtney Croker, Rectory, Pallas), Miss Daly t), Mrs Laurie, and all others h luncheons and teas; and to the for so kindly running the e evening, as well as giving during the day. She also Messra Goodwin and Co. for outlery, eto.

; DEMOBILISED SAILORS IERS' FEDERATION

nas Tree for Orphan

(Hear, hear).
The motion was declared passed.

On the proposition of Mr Lloyd, seconded by Mr Hartigan, the hon secretaries, Mesers J J Dundon and J Murphy, and the hon treasurers, Sir Vincent Nash, and Mr J H Roche, J.P. High Sheriff, were re-elected.

Mr Rocke and Mr Murphy returned thanks.

Letters of apology for non-attendance were read from Sir V Nash, Rev Fr Munt, O.S.A, enclosing to subscription, and Mr V J Turner, National Bank, enclosing chaque for £10.

Mr Purcell also announced the receipt of £30 from Mrs Purcell, London; £10 10s from the Mount St Lawrence Cemetery Committee; £1 from Mr Cleary, and £5 from Messrs W Todd and Co.

On the proposition of Mr Hartigan, a resolution of condelence was passed with the relatives of the late Rev Monsignor O'Riordan, who was a generous subscriber to the fund.

The Bishop was moved to the second chair, and on the motion of Mr Quin, seconded by Mr Roche, a vote of thanks was passed to the Mayor for his interest in the charity.

The Mayor having acknowledged the compliment, the proceedings closed.

FUNERAL OF MR J MCBIRNEY.

The remains of the late Mr John McBirney, Chairman of Messrs J. McBirney & Cc, Limerick, whose death took place on Thursday morning, were removed from 134 (deorge-street yeaterday for the railway station en route, by the 12.30 train, for Castleblaney, where the interment took place to-day. The funeral was of large and representative proportions, and testified to the esteem and respect in which the deceased gentleman was held in the city, where for very many years he was a well-known figure in the commercial life of the city.

The chief mourners were: Mr Arthur Barnett (stepson); Master Mac Barnett (grandeon), and Mr Edward McBirney (cousin).

The clergy present were: Rev A W C'Neill, Presbyterian Church; Rev Chancellor Waller, Rev Canon Robertson, and Rev R J Elliott.

Amongst the general public present were .—
Mesers Archibald Murray, J 8 Gaffacy, C 8; E
G Fitt, — McMurrough, Dublin; J T C Day.
M Slater, W McGuire, R Holliday, J
Dedds, solicitor; D O'Neill, A O'Donevan,
T H Brett, P Hartigan,
Alderman P
McJonagh, J.P; V J Turnec, J W Elliott, F
Kiely, J Flyan, W McArthur, R Normoyle, W
Walpole, J Brennan, T Enright. J H Page, C
Maybury, T Hartnett. J Leahy, J Larkir, E
Ryan, J Griffin, M Hayer, W Hough, James
Thompson (Manager Uister Bank), J Welply.

The following members of the staff of Mesars J MoBirney and Co were present—Mesars M O'Loughlin, W Gibb, M Fitzgibbon, W O'Byrne, J Thompson, J Lynoh, J Flysn, F Lammie. M Hough, T Young, M Lenihan, T Smith, W Watson, C McClean, J O'Dwyer, P Carew, O'Neill, M Daunt, M Murphy, P Ryan, P Cresty, J Danagher, V Grant, T Cantwell, T Noonan, L Mahon, C Donöghue, C O'Callaghan, T Fitzgerald, J Gallaghan, M Steergon, T Larnehan, T Ryan, W Butler, J Flanhery, C Noonan, M Fitzgerald, J J Downer, P Colline, J Kelly, J Lyons, M Wallace, J Daiy, P Kelly, T Walsh, J Crotty, P Hassett, etc.

THEATRE ROYAL.

Crowded houses greet the Irish Players at the Theatre Royal, and the plays presented have been followed with the greatest interest and pleasure. It is important to remember that to night, Saturday, will be the closing night of a most suggessful

LICENSE TRANSFER.

Mr M Clohesy was granted a libence trans the premises, No 1 Dook Road.

LARCENT CHARGE.

A case in which a young girl named Walshe, a demestic servant, was charged largeny was dealt with under the First Off Act.

A PROTEST.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICE CHRONI-

DEAR bin,—I have heard with dismay that a scheme is on foot, that steps have actually been to convert three houses in the Crescent into sof public entertainment. It seems to me the project cannot be but abhorrent not only residents of the Crescent immediately consent to every citizen.

The proposed site is opposite one of our Churches. It is, therefore, evident to eve that the hours of entertainment must inev clash with the hours of evening devotions. Catholic community I need not enlarge of

incongruity of such a situation.

Again, the Crescent has long been a recog professional residential quarter. It seems without adequate reason, to infringe on such scriptive rights. Furthermore, in view of present pressing need of housing accommod I think it against the best interests of our cascrifice so many splendid and capacious idences.

I confidently appeal to the good judgme the citizens to show their unanimous opposit any such proposal.—Yours etc.

November 28th.

THE COAL SITUATION Debate in Parliament.

" CINIZE

A vote of censure on the Government which the form of a demand for an inquiry into the prices and the Government's coal policy in gewas moved by Mr Brace in the House of Com yesterday. Sir Aukland Geddes, in the cou his defence, sought to justify the July estime which the 6s increase was based, and also s to justify the present reduction of 10s per ton estimated that at the present rate of produ there would be a profit of about £17,000,000 c financial year, and in this profit he hoped t the necessary fund to meet the cost of the I duction. Also he stated an accountant had appointed to inquire into the data on whice coal prices were based and to report thereon a division the vote of censure was rejected b wotes to 49.

TURNIP-LIFTING MACHINE.

Any implement which promises to save tilabour on the farm is of importance at the proday, and so the trials of various turnip-lemachines held at Edinburgh last week are with in detail in "The Agricultural Gaza (England). As a matter of fact the trial more severe than the machines would be like encounter in the ordinary course, as they we rapidly that the farmer could select a time the weather and soil conditions were favours and the demonstrations followed a week of and rain. Three makes, all very different appearance, and in the method of speration, on view.

TIPPERARY CLERGYMAN ATTACK