

LIMERICK OUTWARD BOUND VESSEL HELD UP.

On Thursday evening the steamer "Melissa," of Glasgow, was held up as she was about to leave the port after discharging a cargo of coals. Officials of the Transport and General Workers Union were, it is stated, responsible for this action, the reason advanced being that the vessel arrived with two firemen, and that she should on the outward bound journey take three. This request was refused by the master, and in consequence of the situation that had arisen no pilot would go on board.

The vessel left port last night on her outward bound voyage, the conditions of the Union having been complied with by the master.

EAST LIMERICK BRIGADE, I.R.A.

A hundred men of the East Limerick Brigade of the I.R.A. arrived at Kingsbridge at 1.20 on Tuesday, with Commandant Hennigan in charge. The men lined up in the station and marched in column en route for Beggars' Bush Barracks, where they will remain for some time for training and equipment.

FATAL COLLISION.

Carrier Killed.

John McCarthy, aged 41, and a native of Clonlara, was fatally injured on Tuesday evening while proceeding from Limerick with a load of merchandise. He left the city for Clonlara in charge of a horse and cart, and at a bend in the road he was overtaken by an oncoming Crossley tender, which collided with the cart. As a result of the impact McCarthy was thrown violently from his seat and received a fracture of the right leg and internal injuries. He was removed to the Union Hospital, where he succumbed after some time.

Mr Patrick Culloo, Coroner for East Clare, and a jury, opened an inquest on the remains in the Boardroom of the Workhouse last evening.

Evidence of identification having been given, the enquiry was adjourned for a week for the purpose of having a post mortem examination held as to the cause of death.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY.

The General Post Office, Limerick, will be open to-morrow St Patrick's Day from 9.30 a.m. to 11 a.m. for postal and telegraphic business. With this exception the holiday will be observed in the Post Office as elsewhere.

PRO-TREATY MEETING IN WATERFORD.

A Pro-Treaty demonstration has been announced for Waterford City on Sunday, 26th inst.

Burglaries in the city at night have become quite prevalent despite the activities of the Republican police. During the week several places in the city were broken into and rifled of money and goods. Last night an entrance was effected into one of the large business houses in O'Connell street and money taken away.

FULLY GUARANTEED BICYCLES.

For many years the Raleigh Company have done more than merely state the excellent wearing qualities of their bicycles—they have guaranteed it by an everlasting guarantee. Obviously, Raleighs must be well-made, otherwise the claims under this guarantee would be overwhelming. Every Raleigh, no matter what the price, is guaranteed "for ever," and that alone is sufficient to give the public confidence in "the all-star" bicycle.

IRISH DOG LICENCES

To be Issued from Post Office.

A Dublin message of Tuesday says:—The usual notices issued by the Clerk of Petty Sessions at Carrickmacross concerning the issue of dog licences have been cancelled, following the receipt of a circular from the Acting Registrar of Petty Sessions Clerks that these licences will in future be issued from the Post Office.

The Limerick Office has just received instructions to issue dog licences.

DEATH OF MR PATRICK MORONEY.

The death, which we regret to announce, took place at Clare-street last night of Mr Patrick Moroney, after a prolonged illness, and at an advanced age. The deceased had been connected with the building trade in the city for a long number of years, and was a well known figure locally. Ever courteous in his manner, and upright in his business dealings, he enjoyed the esteem of a large number of friends, who will learn of his demise with sorrow. The late Mr Moroney was a Golden Jubilarian of the Arch-Confraternity of the Holy Family, and in the Church at Mount St Alphonse evidences of his craftsmanship are shown. The funeral will take place from St John's Cathedral at 1.30 o'clock to-morrow for Mount St Lawrence Cemetery.

OUT AND ABOUT.

The mail car mail service between Newtownsandes, Tarbert, Glin, and Limerick has been resumed.

The North Tipperary Farmers' Union has called on the County Council to take immediate steps to have the agricultural grants made available for the relief of rates on agricultural land.

The Listowel Urban Council have decided to approach the Minister of Finance with a view to having the water-works loan wiped out. The loan which was incurred