

## IC SAFETY BILL.

### ter's Revelations

#### new Hostilities in Winter

safety Bill received a second reading in the Daily. The Labour members propose against the proposals to intern the "state of war" had ceased to log persons guilty of robbery under the Act. The Home Affairs said that the Bill would be "sifted." Some would be sent to the workhouse, others would be retained in custody. It is absolutely necessary for the safety of the country.

extracts from a document written by the "Irregular" in support of this claim. was—"If liberated, every irregular will take up arms again. We have all our arms ready. We will be free soon." The Minister said, wrote to his constituents, "The Republican Army is not beaten. It is only a matter of time before it will be in its arms, and intends to go on the offensive in the winter."

## R BOMB OUTRAGE.

### Belgian Soldiers Killed.

reports of a settlement of the Ruhr have been further retarded by the bomb explosion on the Belgian leave train outside Cologne, in which ten Belgian soldiers and many others were injured. Great indignation over the occurrence and the German Embassy is being expressed.

severe measures of repression" are already being taken and hostages have been taken, the theatres closed, and the movements of the inhabitants restricted.

## PRESENTATION TO MR CHARLES DOWNEY.

interesting presentation took place in the evening of the Limerick Steamship Company, when Mr Charles Downey presented with an illuminated address and a resolution revolving bookcase complete comprehensive collection of volumes of the company, the gift of the staffs of the company and the masters of the company's fleet.

presented, artistically executed by Messrs. Keefe and Sons, of this city, was a tribute to the memory of Mr Downey, who was held by the company of the Company, and recorded their retirement after so many years in the company.

Keefe, in making the presentation on the staff, paid tribute to the never-fading memory of Mr Downey, who always distinguished them all, especially in time of sickness. He expressed their sincere hope that they might long be spared to enjoy his old rest from active life.

Downey, in thanking the staff for their presentation, made interesting allusion to the past history, and reminded his hearers that the company was now within four years of its centenary, it being one of the oldest Irish Companies, and the first to build its own ships and equip them with machinery made in the shipyards in Ireland.

## THE MAIL SERVICES.

# DEATH OF THE MOST REV. DR. HALLINAN.

## Deep Regret in Diocese.

### Numerous Messages of Condolence

It is with feelings of deep and sincere regret we announce that the Most Rev. Dr. Hallinan, Catholic Bishop of Limerick, died at the Palace, Corbally, at a quarter to six yesterday morning after a week's illness. His Lordship attended at the meeting of the Catholic Hierarchy at Maynooth a fortnight ago, and on returning to the city he did not feel well, but confirmed a number of children from St John's Parish at St John's Cathedral on Sunday, 24th June. He spent the evening with the priests at the Presbytery, and when he returned to Corbally later he felt worse. Next morning his medical attendant, Dr J Devane, was called in, and considering the case serious, had Dr P F Graham in consultation. The disease from which the Bishop was suffering was diagnosed as acute congestion of the lungs. On Thursday the distinguished patient, not showing any signs of improving or yielding to the medical treatment, Dr J O'Carroll, Dublin, was wired for, and he arrived on Friday night. He agreed with the diagnosis, and gave it as his opinion that, although there was a hope, all the conditions were against his lordship's recovery. Dr O'Carroll left on Saturday evening, and the Bishop's condition grew worse. On Sunday evening he began to sink, and towards midnight it was obvious that the end was near.

On Friday morning the last Sacraments were administered by the Very Rev Canon O'Driscoll, P.P., V.F., St Manchin's.

During his illness the late prelate was visited by a number of the Diocesan clergy, including Right Rev. Monsignor O'Donnell, P.P., V.G., Rathkeale, and the Venerable Archdeacon O'Shea, P.P., Kilmallock, as well as the Most Rev. Dr. Harty, Archbishop of Cashel and Emly, and the Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, Bishop of Killaloe.

Amongst the callers at the Palace during Dr Hallinan's illness was the Protestant Bishop of Limerick, Dr White. On Sunday in St Mary's Cathedral prayers were offered up for the Most Rev. Dr Hallinan's recovery.

Although it was known in the city that the Bishop was indisposed, the first intimation that he was seriously ill was on Friday, the Feast of SS. Peter and Paul, when at all the Masses in the city churches prayers were asked for his restoration to health.

The news of his death yesterday morning was received with deep regret by all creeds and classes, and throughout the day numerous messages of sorrow were received at the sad intelligence. The late Bishop was a gentle and unassuming man, beloved by his people, and by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

The Most Rev. Denis Hallinan was born at Kilbradran, Shanaghten, in 1839, and received his early education in Limerick. In his youth he showed great aptitude for study, and during his ecclesiastical course, which was prosecuted at the Irish College, Rome, this aptitude was developed to a remarkable degree. During his last year at the Irish College he took the degree of Doctor of Divinity, and was ordained in 1874. His first curacy was in Newcastle West, where he remained until 1886, when he was transferred to St Michael's, Limerick, of which parish he later became Administrator.

Manchin's:—"I knew the late Bishop since 1882; he was always gentle, kind, and amiable, and his sole concern seemed to be the interest of the Church and of religion and the Gloria. He has gone to his reward, may he rest in peace. Of course I will go to his funeral."

Dublin.—Very Rev Canon O'Driscoll, Thomondgate, Limerick—Allow me, through you, to express the deep sense of loss and sorrow which I feel, in common with priests and laymen of the diocese, at the death of our gentle Bishop. It is not so easy to fill the place of one so approachable, so amiable, so affectionate.—Stephen M. O'Mayor.

Sincere sympathy with priests and people of Limerick.—JOSEPH MURPHY (Belfast).

From Bishop of Ross—"Greatly regret the death of holy Bishop. Will attend obsequies."

From the Archbishop of Dublin—"Sincere sympathy with priests and people of Limerick at the death of venerable and esteemed Bishop. Diocesan engagement prevents my being present at obsequies."

Regret deplorable loss of saintly Bishop Father Dominick, Provincial, O.F.M."

College laments loss distinguished son.—College, Rome.

Sincere condolence on death of Bishop Finbar Ryan, Dominican Provincial."

Offer our sincere sympathy in your loss. Will attend funeral.—President United College, Cork."

## References at Revision Court

At the concluding sitting of the City Revision Court yesterday morning, the Clerk of the Court and Peace, Sir Francis E. Kearney, LL.D., in revising and Registration Officer, referring to the death of the late Lordship Most Rev. Dr. Hallinan, whom he had known for many years, and whose excellent qualities, as a priest and a Bishop, were greatly appreciated by all creeds and classes of the community, Sir Francis, as a fitting mark of respect to his lordship's memory, addressed the court after disposing of some urgent business.

The Town Clerk, Mr W. M. Nolan, concurred in the observations of Sir Francis. He referred to the death of Dr Hallinan as a lifelong friend of his family. His lordship was held in the highest affectionate esteem and regard, not only by his co-religionists, but by the clergy and other denominations in the diocese, as he was appreciated for his kindly disposition and his tentatious manner in which he performed his acts of charity, particularly amongst the poor of the city.

The Court then adjourned.

## Touching Tribute at Arch-Confraternity Meeting

At the meeting of the St John's Division of the Arch-Confraternity of the Holy Family, St Alphonsus Church last night, the Rev. Fr. Robinson, O.S.B., Spiritual Director, addressed the members of the late Bishop, and his family, the Confraternity and its members. He referred to the action taken by his lordship in connection with the great religious peace demonstration in the city on the 25th February last, and the members of the great Sodality marched in procession through the streets, and were addressed by the late reverend Prelate of the Cathedral. Father Robinson read a touching address from his lordship's address, and announced that both Divisions of the Arch-Confraternity, as the Boys' Division, would take part in a procession connected with the removal of the remains from the Bishop's House, Court, and to the Cathedral.