

...mangous and turnips are also favourably spoken of, so that on the whole the prospects of the coming harvest are, to say the least, good. It may also be remarked that owing to the abundance of grass, dairy cows have maintained milk yields well, and supplies to creameries are plentiful and well up to normal. During the past few days a break has taken place in the fine summer weather. There have been drenching downpours of rain and a low temperature, but let us hope in the interest of the farmer as well as the holiday-maker the change is but temporary. This morning the indications were all to the good.

SEQUEL TO SEIZURE OF MOTOR CAR.

Limerick Guard's Sad End.

A verdict in accordance with the medical evidence—"That death was due to general sepsis, following a gunshot wound in the right leg"—was returned at the inquest held by Dr Oswald Murphy, Deputy Coroner at St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, yesterday, on Guard Patrick McCarthy, a native of Killarney, who died in that institution on last Tuesday as the result of a gunshot wound received while on duty near Limerick on July 3rd last.

Sergeant Thomas Farrell, Civic Guard, Limerick, stated that on July 3rd a motor car, the property of Mr A. Blood-Smith, solicitor, was stolen from outside his office in O'Connell-street, Limerick, at 10.30 a.m. At about 1.50 p.m., when accompanied by Guard M'Carthy and Guard P. Mullins, he saw the car approaching at Corbally, witness called on the driver to halt, but he failed to do so. Witness fired a shot in the air, but the driver continued on. Guard Mullins then fired into the engine of the car, and it stopped. The bullet apparently struck Guard McCarthy, who was standing on the left-hand side of the car, on the shin bone. He was taken to Barrington's Hospital, and on July 5th was removed to St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin.

Answering Inspector Ryan, witness said that he was satisfied that the shooting was accidental.

Guard Mullins corroborated.

The jury exonerated Guard Mullins from all blame. They expressed sympathy with the relatives of the deceased.

LIMERICK FISHERY BOARD.

letter. The farm was divided as follows:— Under cultivation, 24 acres 36 perches; in grass, 48 acres 1 rood 25 perches; occupied by buildings, 15 acres. All the farm produce such as milk, vegetables, etc., for use of patients is brought into the stores and valued at market prices and in that way a value of their record to the institution was kept. The farm was generally worked by patients' labour at no extra cost to the rate-payers, as these patients would have to be maintained had there been no farm attached to the institution to provide them with useful and profitable employment. The profit was, as stated, £833 12s. 7d.

DEATH OF REV. THOMAS GRAHAM, P.P.

The death occurred this morning at St. John's Hospital after a few weeks illness of the Rev. Thomas Graham, P.P., Donoughmore. The rev. gentleman had attained an advanced age, having been 63 years a priest, and he was one of the most respected clergymen in the diocese. He was educated in Maynooth College, and as Curate he ministered in St. Munchin's and Bruff amongst other places. He was successively P.P. of Cratloe, Ardpatrick, and finally of Donoughmore for about seven years. He did good work in connection with land purchase in these parishes. Father Graham was brother of the late Bishop of Syracuse, and nephew of the late Dean Hammond, Newcastle West. The news of the venerable clergyman's demise will be heard of with sorrow in the diocese. The remains will be removed at 8 o'clock to-morrow (Friday) evening to St. John's Cathedral. Obsequies will begin at 11 a.m. on Saturday at the Cathedral. Funeral immediately afterwards for Donoughmore.

DUNRAVEN CASTLE.

Late Earl's Book.

The late Earl of Dunraven had been engaged for a considerable time in the writing of a book on Dunraven Castle, the historic Welsh home of the family. In the work, which happily he finished before his last illness, he treats intimately of the former owners of the castle, its traditions and legends, its place in the successive centuries of Welsh history, of how it came to the Wyndhams, and what they have done with it. The book, which is to be published in the autumn by John Murray, will be more than a record of Dunraven Castle, and will have many sidelights on notable events and notable people.

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