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#### OZANAM FETE.

The inclemency of the weather during the past few days has affected the attendances at Ozanam Fete, which was opened on Saturday evening by the Bishop, Most Rev. Dr. Keane, in Laurel Hill Convent grounds. The pleasant change that the weather has taken to-day will, it is to be hoped, help to stimulate the attendance until the closing of the Carnival on Sunday night Certainly the Executive Commitnext. and lady promoters have everything possible to attract the public to Laurel Hill grounds, and it would be a poor commentary on the citizens if they did not, distinct altogether from the object of the Fete, extend it whole-hearted support. The Bishop, in performing the opening ceremony, stressed the obligation that rested with the people to take part in this great work of charity, and said if the better circumstanced did not assist the poor, then nobody else could do it. Undoubtedly the Society of St Vincent de Paul, on whose behalf the Fete is being held, has been accomplishing beneficial work for the destitute of the city, and its expects, when the occasion has offered, that the citizens will not be slow to lend their support—generous support—to the Fete, and make it worthy of the charitably disposed in our midst.

#### DEATH OF MRS TIDMARSH.

We regret to record the death, which occurred at her residence, Lota, North Circular Road, on Sunday, of Mrs Elizabeth Tidmarsh, widow of Mr David Tidmarsh, who for a number of years was Chairman of Cannock & Co. The deceased lady was of a very retiring disposition, and a liberal supporter of charity. Her demise has been heard of with sincere regret by numerous friends in Limerick and elsewhere, who deeply sympathise with her family in their bereavement. The funeral took place to-day, and was private.

#### INSTITUTE OF BANKERS.

The successful candidates in the final examination in connection with the above include:—Messrs. John Bailey (Newcastle West) and J. F. Coffey (Rathkeale), National Bank, and Mr Wm. O'Reilly, Ulster Bank, Limerick.

insurance benefit.

The resolution is in the following terms: "That the Dail is of opinion that the Government should introduce, without delay, proposals for legislation, to amend the Unemployment Insurance Acts, so as to extend the period over which Unemployment insurance benefit may be paid to men and women who are willing to work but unable to find work."

Discussion of the resolution will naturally range over the whole subject of unemployment.

# EXTRAORDINARY DUNDALK OUTRAGE.

### Master Builder Kidnapped.

Mr Joseph Parks, a master builder, of Dundalk, was seized by armed youths on Sunday, blindfolded, and taken three miles into the country, where he was stripped, tarred, and feathered. When liberated he found himself near the Dundalk Racecourse.

The motive for the extraordinary outrage is almost as extraordinary as the outrage itself. Several months ago Mr Parks's house was raided by a number of youths, who held up" the household, and carried off some ammunition, which was found in a lumber room. Later, three youths were charged at the Louth Circuit Court, and at the two hearings the juries disagreed. They were then sent to Green street, Dublin, for trial, and last week, when charged there, they refused to recognise the Court, and were sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

One of the raiding party on Sunday told Mr Parks that the tarring and feathering was a reprisal for his evidence in the case against these other youths.

## DEATH OF BRIGADIER-GENERAL PARKER.

We regret to learn that Brigadier General R. G. Parker, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., of Castlelake, Sixmile Bridge, and Garrykennedy, Nenagh, died suddenly in Bristol on Sunday last. Deceased, who had a distinguished war service, was second som of the late Mr R. G. Parker, Ballyvalley, Killaloe, Co. Clare.

#### LIMERICK GOLF CLUB.

Result of Flag Competition:—Rev. M Fitzpatrick, C.C., 1st; Rev. Thos. Mulvihill, C.C., 2nd.

Stokes-Wallace Cup Competition:—Final Maurice Fitzgibbon beat W. Henry.

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