

-advised proceeding, and, as the Com-
 oner affected observed at the close of
 meeting, the sooner it is forgotten the
 r. But the discussion, apart from this
 onal question, has a much more serious
 menacing aspect, and one that should
 the citizens much to reflect on. Senator
 lbody, managing director of the firm of
 natyne & Sons, stated in candid and
 fied language the true position of the
 extension project as it affects
 port, and his firm in particular.
 reviewed the situation broadly
 in doing so uttered words that can bear
 etition, and must give those who take
 ntelligent view of contemporary events
 l for reflection. The firm of which
 is head are the only importers of
 n in Limerick, and in that way are the
 est contributors to the revenue of the
 . For the year 1926 they paid exactly
 the port dues; but to carry on their
 iness economically, in view of the large
 s of vessel that is now engaged in this
 le, they require facilities which an
 ension of the dock would give
 m. For some reason not yet
 r, except on the ground of finance,
 re is a feeling that these facilities should
 er not be given, and, if they are, that
 y should be circumscribed or minimised.
 It is a rather false view to take of an
 ortant matter, and if persisted in may
 l to very unpleasant consequences for the
 t and city. This great firm has now
 ae to the conclusion that as a
 in importing centre the port has
 ched its limit for the handling of big
 amers, and what is required to put it
 ht and in conformity with modern
 ditions, is the provision of additional
 ter at the cill. The extension contem-
 ted would, to an extent, meet this, and
 advocates of the scheme in the Harbour
 ard are satisfied with the plans submitted
 the Consulting Engineer for giving effect
 what is only a bare necessity long overdue.
 ator Goodbody, it may be accepted, does
 use words lightly, or without measuring
 ir meaning, and when he asserted
 t if the facilities which his firm sought are
 forthcoming then it will have to take in
 other port, where it has already acquired

was born in India on 27th July, 1860, being
 eldest son of Mr W. F. Bernard, a Civil
 Engineer of Irish extraction. He was edu-
 cated at a private school, and proceeded to
 Trinity College, Dublin, in 1879, where he
 gained a scholarship. The following year
 he was Senior Moderator in Mathematics
 and Philosophy, and won successive prizes and
 distinctions, and obtained the M.A. degree
 in 1863. He was appointed Fellow and
 Tutor of Trinity in 1884, and was ordained
 in 1886. He acted as Chaplain to the Lord
 Lieutenant from 1886 to 1902, was Arch-
 bishop King's Lecturer in Divinity, 1888-
 1911; was Treasurer of St. Patrick's
 Cathedral, 1897-1902, becoming Dean in
 the latter year. He was elected Bishop of
 Ossory, Ferns and Leighlin in 1911. In 1915
 he was appointed Archbishop of Dublin. He
 resigned the latter dignity in 1919 to become
 Provost of Trinity Collegé.

Dr Bernard took an active interest in
 public life and work. He was President of
 the Royal Irish Academy from 1916 to 1921,
 a Commissioner of National Education for
 some years, and, later, a Commissioner of
 Intermediate Education. He acted on the
 Irish Convention of 1917, and was appointed
 a Privy Councillor. Distinctions and
 honorary degrees were conferred on him by
 various universities and colleges. A man of
 broad sympathies, Dr Bernard was a prolific
 writer, though few of his works appeal to
 the general reader.

CITY DROWNING FATALITY.

A young fellow named J. Flanagan, 4
 Fitzgerald's Cottages, Prospect, was drowned
 in a quarry hole at Rosbrien this evening.
 The deceased, who was eighteen years of
 age, went with another boy to bathe in the
 quarry hole, which is about twenty feet
 deep. They had not been long in the water
 when Flanagan showed signs of distress, as
 he was, it is stated, a rather indifferent
 swimmer. Despite the efforts of his com-
 panions he sank, and never rose to the
 surface.

RESCUE FROM DROWNING.

Last evening a young lady named
 O'Donovan had a narrow escape from
 drowning while bathing in the Shannon at
 the King's Island. Not being a good
 swimmer, she got into difficulties in the
 deep water, and at the time there was a
 strong current running. Seeing her position,
 the caretaker of the Baths, Mr M. Clancy,
 went to her assistance and succeeded, after
 a strenuous effort, in taking her ashore, in
 an exhausted condition. Mr Clancy has
 already on several occasions been instru-
 mental in saving life, and is the possessor
 of the Royal Humane Society's medal and
 testimonials for his bravery.

their backs to break the force
 the country into insecurity
 anarchy, said Mr E. Blythe,
 Finance, speaking at Cavan.
 wanted a gamble on another
 England let them say so. I
 peace and the fruits of peace,
 the men who had done stri-
 restoring order and security,
 the chance, could do work
 striking and fruitful in
 sphere.

Speaking after a Fianna F
 at Ennis on Sunday, Mr De V
 country needed a respite f
 stock-taking with a view
 reduction of costs. Fianna F
 to power, would govern acc
 ordinary law and administer it

Mr Sean Lemass, speaking
 in Westmeath, said that when
 of the murder of Kevin O
 published there would be sensa-
 Every single major step take
 Fail that involved a change in
 tional position would only be
 behest of the Irish people
 referendum.

In a statement issued on
 Sinn Fein is not contesting the

Limerick and Ele Campaign.

The two principal political
 city were active on Sunday
 rangements for the forthcom
 At mid-day Cumann na Gae
 large and representative meeti
 Courthouse, at which Mr P
 B.C., ex-Mayor, presided.
 gress with regard to
 already made in the constitu
 the election was outlined by
 and other speakers at the G
 last night, which the org
 acquired for the purpose of
 quarters.

Although the campaign p
 yet been opened in Limeric
 political parties who are conte
 constituency have been active
 end making arrangements fo
 fight between this and the po
 a Convention of Cumann na
 morrow the full number of no
 will probably be selected.
 that Messrs. G. C. Bennett an
 (outgoing) will be adopted, as
 Nolan, ex-T.D. Labour will
 the two outgoing men, Mes
 B.C., and P. Clancy.

Limerick Farmers Election.

At a meeting of the Lim
 Union Executive this eveni
 Hogan presiding. It was th