Cathedral in 1897 for the curacy of Cappoquin, the rector of which was then, as now, the Very Rev. R. Bradshaw Burkitt, M.A., Archdeacon of Lismore.

#### SHANNON FISHERIES.

# No Intention to Hold Inquiry.

In the Dail yesterday, Mr Burke, Parliamentary Secretary (for the Minister for Industry and Commerce), said there was no intention of holding an inquiry into the question of the Shannon fisheries. The E.S.B. in operating the Shannon works would, as far as was consistent with the maintenance of the power supply, take steps to minimise flooding, but the Minister had no functions which could lead to the holding of an inquiry into such a matter.

#### WHITSUNTIDE.

#### Cheap Travel Facilities.

Whitsuntide is a popular time for excursions, and attention is therefore directed to the Great Southern Railway arrangements which are given in an advertisement appearing in our columns this evening. These are applicable to the 22nd, 23rd, and 24th May between all stations and at cheap fares. It will be seen that local excursions include a special train from Limerick at 3 p.m. for Castleconnell and Killaloe on Whit Monday, and the issue of afternoon tickets to Foynes, per 2.15 p.m. train. Tramore races are a catered for.

## DEATH OF MISS B. COLEMAN.

The death took place yesterday at her residence, Rutland-street, of Miss Bedelia Coleman, a member of an old Limerick family, and sister of Mr. T. Coleman antique dealer and bookseller. She was very highly esteemed by all who knew her, and the sympathy of numerous friends will go out to her relatives in Funeral arrangements appear in obituary notice.

At the Feis Ceoil in Dublin yesterday James Bourke, 9 Broad street, Limerick, took first place in Senior Fiddle Competitions, for which there were 13 entries.

Castleconnell, where the proprietress, Mis O'Donovan, provided a first-class tea for the party, which comprised nearly one hundred in all

At Cruise's Hotel last night the delegates were entertained to supper, at which Mr J. White, Chairman of the Reception Committee, presided.

The toast of the Union was proposed by Mr M. J. Keyes, B.C., and responded to by Mr W. Norton, Dublin.

Mr M. Buckley, Dublin, submitted the toast of "Labour," to which Messrs J. McQuane, J. Carr, and A. Lyons replied.

A vote of thanks was proposed to the Mayor (Alderman P. Donnellan) by Mr J. Fitzpatrick, Dublin, and to which he replied.

An enjoyable smoking concert followed.

# REPRESENTATION ON ELECTRICITY SUPPLY BOARD.

#### Negative Reply.

The Secretary to the Electricity Supply Board has written to the Corporation relative to the resolution passed at a recent meeting, asking that Limerick should, having regard to its proximity to the Shannon Power Scheme, get representation on the Board. In reply, the Secretary states that his Board was not prepared to introduce local representation on that body.

The matter will come up for consideration at next meeting of the Council.

## DEATH OF MR WM. BECKETT.

The death took place yesterday, at his residence, 6 Richmond Terrace, of Mr Wm. Beckett, after an illness of some months He was an ex-sergeant of the R.I.C., was formerly in charge of Corbally station, and later at the Docks, retiring on pension several years ago. He was of a kindly and retiring disposition, and the sympathy of numerous friends is extended to his widow and family in their bereavement. One of his sons occupies a high position in the Indian Civil Service.

Miss Nestor has just returned from London Markets, and is now showing a large collection of Tailor-made Costumes, Coats, Three and Fourpiece Garments, Sports Wear, Smart Hats, at 1 Patrick Street.