

City Drowning Mystery.

The body of a man, identified as being that of John Long, of Ballinaguin, was recovered from the Shannon at Arthur's Quay on Wednesday morning. Some men on the quayside noticed the body floating on the surface, and procured a boat into which they placed the remains and brought them ashore. Subsequently they were removed in the Fire Station ambulance to Barrington's Hospital morgue. The man, who was aged about 45 years, was well built, and had not been any considerable time in the water.

THE INQUEST.

Mr J S McNeice, City Coroner, held an inquest at Barrington's Hospital.

Catherine Long, Fedamore, daughter of deceased, said her father was aged 49 years. He left home on Tuesday without saying where he was going, and in good health and on good terms with his family. He was inclined to worry over small matters.

Dr Morris, House Surgeon, said death was due to asphyxia, caused by drowning.

A verdict of "found drowned" was returned.