DR M. J. NOLAN'S RESIGNATION.

Tributes by Co. Down Mental Hospital Committee.

The resignation of Dr M. J. Nolan, brother of Mr Wm. M. Nolan, late Town Clerk of Limerick, from the position of Resident Medical Superintendent of County Down Mental Hospital, after the long service of 42 years, was announced in the last issue of the "Chronicle."

Dr Nolan is a well-known specialist in mental diseases, and on the occasion of his retirement in Co. Down high tributes were paid to his long and valued services to the Institution by the Managing Committee, which has accepted his resignation with sincere regret.

Senator J. Hill Dickson, J.P. (presiding), said he was sorry the Chairman of the Committee, Viscount Bangor, was not present to voice the feelings of the Committee on receiving the resignation of Dr Nolan, who had been one of the landmarks of Co Down for the past 42 years, during which he had been Resident Medical Superintendent of one of the institutions in the county of which they were justly proud. Dr Nolan's reputation as an authority on mental diseases was not confined to Co. Down, or to this institution, for across the water he was well known as a specialist.

"This institution is a monument to his zeal and foresight, and he built it up with the greatest care, so that it is as near to perfection as possible. To generations to come the County Mental Hospital will always be associated with Dr Nolan."

In losing Dr Nolan they were losing an outstanding figure in the administrative life of Co. Down and North Ireland.

Mr Blane said Dr Nolan for many years had been the mainspring of the institution, which he had brought to great perfection. In losing him they were losing a great friend.

Mr Hugh Brown said that ever since he could remember, Dr Nolan's name had been associated with the institution. The person who followed him would have a hard job to live up to the high ideals which he had set.

Mr James Ireland said that he had come in contact repeatedly with Dr. Nolan when he acted on a committee appointed by the Court for the management of patients' affairs. He always found Dr. Nolan a true gentleman. The institution and the patients would be the poorer for his leaving.

Mr M'Grady said the efficiency with which the hospital was conducted was the most eloquent tribute which could be paid to Dr. Nolan.

Mr Martin said that Dr. Nolan's impending departure filled him with sincere

DROWNING ACCIDENT AT TERVOE.

CITY YOUTH THE VICTIM.

Narrow Escape of Companions.

A very sad boating accident, resulting in the death of Christopher Myers, aged 17, of Little Clontarf Place, City, occurred in the Shannon at Tervoe on Sunday afternoon last.

The circumstances were detailed at the inquest held at Mungret yesterday by Dr. M. R. Clery, County Coroner, without a jury.

Sergt. O'Farrell, Patrickswell, conducted the inquiry.

Evidence of identification was given by William Myers, father, who stated that the deceased was employed at the Shannon Foundry, Limerick.

Joseph O'Sullivan, aged 18 years, of O'Curry Place, City, stated that he accompanied the deceased, Michael Myers, his brother and William Young to Tervoe. They procured a boat and went fishing in the river. They were out about an hour when it was noticed that the boat had sprung a leak. It began to fill rather quickly, and they pulled towards the shore. When thirty yards from their objective the deceased stood up in the craft, which immediately heeled over, and all were thrown into the water. Witness and Young struck out and swam ashore, and it was then observed that Michael Myers was in difficulties. Witness did not see the deceased, who had disappeared. He swam out, and succeeded in bringing Michael to the shore in an exhausted unconscious condition. Artificial respiration was applied, and he was brought round in about half an hour.

Corroborative evidence was given by William Young.

Guard Boland O'Curry street, in evidence stated that the body was recovered in 14 feet of water, some short distance from where the boat sank.

The Coroner recorded a verdict of death due to accidental drowning, and expressed sympathy with the parents, in which Sergeant O'Farrell joined.

Deceased was a nephew of Mr Dan Breen, T.D., Tipperary.

SHANNON PLAYERS.

"Black and Tans" in Kilrush.

A Kilrush correspondent writes :—"Nothing in Big Life," Louis J. Walsh's

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Application for Option Pe

The Mayor presided a Limerick Harbour Board were also present—Mess croft, M. Doyle, P. J. D F. Quinlan, B.C ; T. J. Treacy, Capt. E. B. Sha P. Goodbody, Ald. J. Re and D. O'Dwyer.

The officials in atte McNeice, Secretary ; T. gineer, and Captain C. H Master.

A letter was read from Co., solicitors, Dublin, inst., asking for extensio the building site at the do of a factory on behalf ducts. The letter poin thing had now been done formation of the Compa issue of the share capital. be made by the Industria and it was for them to proximate time for maki probabilities were that in the course of six we and the usual procedure pany was only incorpo prior to the public is Under the circumstan would not be in time lease of the site of th Board. If the Board in must be entered into within the time limite would mean that the pr to register the Company wise necessary, thereby tial capital for a peri wholly unproductive fo

Sir Linguard Gouldin the proposed Company Dillon, solicitor, a Dir to the city on Friday, ex to the Mayor, Mr P. F. and the Harbour Engi now be regarded that going through.

The Mayor said the Chairman and Mr Plu satisfactory. There this industry was comin capital would be £125, issue would be made by Company. In view Company had made recently it was not con