

side, and at the same time the other driver swerved to the left. This led to a head-on collision. Witness got out and spoke to the driver of the other car. He appeared dazed and excited. The other passenger in the car was unconscious.

Guard Corbett gave evidence of visiting the scene of the accident. He met Nolan, who admitted he was driving on his wrong side.

In reply to Mr K Noonan, solr., for defendant, witness said that judging by the position of the cars after the accident, Tierney would have nine feet to get through if he kept well in to his own side.

Patrick Boyle, a passenger in Tierney's car, corroborated Tierney's evidence, and added that their car was practically stopped when the collision occurred.

James Nolan, the defendant, said he was driving from Dublin on the night in question. Approaching Kilmurry he was driving on the crown of the road, he saw a Ford V8 coming towards him on its proper side. He went to pull to his own side, but at the same time Tierney swerved across. He never admitted that he was driving on his wrong side. He was blinded by Tierney's lights, which were on full.

The Justice imposed a fine of £1, with £2 4s expenses.

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### LATE MR. P. J. O'NEILL.

Mr. Patrick J. O'Neill (38), Abbeyfeale whose death occurred in Dublin, was a prominent member of the West Limerick Brigade, Old I.R.A., and took part in many engagements during the Anglo-Irish struggle. Votes of sympathy with the relatives were passed at special meetings of Abbeyfeale C.Y.M.S and G.A.A. branches.

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A special meeting of Limerick County Council will be held on Saturday next to consider emergency regulations issued by the Government and to pledge support to the Government in all steps taken to preserve the neutrality of this country.

### THE NORTH.

At a meeting of the Irish Livestock Exporters and Traders' Association held in Dublin, the question of the importation of livestock into Great Britain and Northern Ireland was discussed.

The matter has been under consideration between the Department of Agriculture and the Association, and for further consideration a decision of the exporters was postponed for a future meeting.

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### SHELLS FIRED IN BELFAST LOUGH.

Residents of Carrickfergus, Co. Antrim were on Tuesday morning startled by loud reports. Many thought an air raid was pending, but investigation showed that when a vessel steaming up the Lough was not showing the regular signals two shots were fired across bows. One of the shells ricocheted off the water, passed over the houses in Carrickfergus, and crashed into a wall, joining a dwellinghouse.

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### SACRED IMAGE SAVED.

When Czestochowa, the Polish Loughborough was bombed the monks of the Jasna Gora Monastery managed to save the miraculous image of the Virgin and have it.

This was revealed by refugees from the town, Havas reports from Warsaw.

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### LIMERICK DELEGATES.

Mr J. M. Casey, B.C., and Mr P. E. Casey, B.C., will represent Limerick at the Municipal Authorities Congress, held in Cork on Tuesday morning.

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The reduction in the abnormal cross-Chanel traffic, evident on Tuesday was even more pronounced yesterday when two ships which arrived at Laoghaire brought the total of 1,150 passengers. Women and children were in the majority.