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# Death From Drowning

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## Young Man's Sad End.

A sad tragedy occurred on the River Shannon near the Railway Bridge spanning the river at Corbally on Friday evening, as a result of which Cornelius Hickey, aged 19, of Oliver Plunket street, lost his life by drowning. With a companion he proceeded to moor a boat on the river. He then boarded an old boat, which was held by his companion on the bank by a rope. This boat, which was half filled water, swamped, and deceased was thrown into the river. The body was recovered after some twenty minutes, and despite every effort to restore animation by the members of St John Ambulance Brigade they were unavailing.

At an inquest held at Barrington's Hospital by Mr J S McNeill, Deputy City Coroner, a verdict of death by drowning was returned.

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