

THE IRISH CAUSE MEETING AT SOLOHEAD.

Speeches by Father Keogh and Mr. Moloney, T.D. Rev. William Keogh, C.C., presided at a largely attended Solohead at Solohead, Tipperary, on Sunday afternoon, at which he and Mr. P. J. Moloney, T.D., were the chief speakers.

FAMOUS IRISH JUDGE IN NEW YORK.

(Written for the 'Weekly Observer'.) A few days ago I met an old Irish exile whom I had not met in many years. We were talking over what events, when my friend suddenly said: 'What do you think Judge Duffy would have done to the lady in Harlem who called the magistrate sitting in the police Court there a 'Black and Tan'?' I hesitated a moment and replied: 'I think the little judge would have paid her passage to Ireland and told her to go over there and enjoy the hospitality of those infamous politicians.'

MRS. DE VALERA AN INTERESTING INTERVIEW.

An account of an interesting interview with Mrs. Eamon De Valera, the wife of the President of the Irish Republic, is given in the 'Weekly Observer' by Miss Doria Stevens. Miss Stevens says she was introduced by Mr. De Valera to his wife 'as a garden party at the country house of Professor Bonn MacNeill, the Speaker of Dail Eireann, on the first day of the Truce.'

NEWCASTLE FAIRS AND MARKETS. THE PURCHASE QUESTION.

Important Public Meeting. Mr. W. Phelan presided at a public meeting held on Monday last. The other present were: Messrs. Michael Murphy, E. J. Kennedy, J. D. Cregan, M. O'Halloran, Ben Reidy, T.O.; M. Flynn, T.O.; Joseph Mulcahy, Michael Leonard, Michael Cregan, J. Mullins, Michael Cronin, M. J. O'Gorman, P.O.; J. J. Lacy, P. Quinn, T.O.; J. Kelly, T.O.; J. J. Lacy, P. Quinn, T.O.; J. Kelly, E. Linnan, etc.

IRISH PEACE. LLOYD GEORGE'S REPLY.

The Full Text. Gairloch, Thursday.—The Press Association wires.—The Premier received the last of the replies from his Ministerial colleagues respecting the reply to Mr. De Valera shortly before eleven, and felt free to telegraph the Government's answer to Dublin.

THE RAILWAY STRIKE THURSDAY'S SITUATION.

No Conference Held. On Thursday there was no change in the situation created by the strike on the G. & W. R. The stop-up of all traffic on the main line continues, but the branch line services south of Limerick Junction were maintained.

WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN.

Mr. Darrell Figgis, speaking at the Free Trade Hall, Manchester, on Sunday, said Mr. Churchill would have been wiser if he had couched his speech in other terms, for on this very issue he had made a grave mistake once before.

TIME FOR SILENCE.

Prior to the administration of Confirmation at Cashel on Sunday, Most Rev. Dr. Hartly, addressing the congregation, said: 'It is a matter of sense and good sense that we can have all that to the men in charge of Ireland.'

GRATEFUL CONVERT.

Dr. Fallon, Catholic Bishop of London, Ontario, has inherited £25,000 from a man converted by his preaching at the Bocharic Congress at Montreal.

BALLYAGAN GUMANN-NA-MEAN.

Concert and Collide. A most successful entertainment, organised by the local Gumann-na-mean, took place at Ballyagan recently. Being the first of its kind in the locality since the cessation of hostilities, it was, needless to say, a very welcome project to the public, after the strain of the past twelve months.

CATTLE DISEASE CURE.

A Reuter message from Paris says:—M. Escarpit, veterinary surgeon at Avallon, in the department of the Yonne, is stated to have discovered a complete cure for foot and mouth disease in cattle. The treatment takes several days. Experiments that have been made with it have up to the present had very satisfactory results, but experts say it will not be possible to pronounce any final verdict on the value of the treatment till there has been time to ascertain whether the disease re-appears.

G.A.A. MATCHES IN ABBEYFEALE.

The football match between Ballyhahill and Abbeyfeale was one of the best contested and most interesting contests which has taken place for some time on the Abbeyfeale sportsfield. Both sides played well, but the minor side credit to half-time, but the engagement resulted in a win for Abbeyfeale by 4 points to 2 points. In the hurling, between Abbeyfeale and Templemartine the latter team were victors.

SENATIONAL SHOOTING.

Police man Wounded in Limerick. A sensational shooting occurrence took place in the early hours of Monday morning at the Mary Street police district of Limerick. Various and conflicting versions as to what happened are current, but it is understood the matter is under investigation with a view to a report being made in due course. It is stated, at all events, that early in the morning Constable Cassidy was found unconscious near Mary Street Police Barracks with two bullet wounds in the chest, apparently an entrance wound and an exit wound. His condition is regarded as serious.

TIFFERARY TRAGEDIES.

Armed Conflicts in Streets. A strange tragedy took place in Tipperary on Wednesday night. A statement from Dublin Castle says that an armed conflict between civilians and police occurred in the town, as the result of which three civilians and two police were wounded. One of the civilians has since died. A joint inquiry is being made, the report says, into the matter under the liaison arrangements which were established when the present cessation of hostilities was agreed upon, no statement can be made by either side as to the cause or origin of the affair.

COEUSE OF LIMERICK.

Limerick, Thursday.—The injured constable, Martin Cassidy, who was shot in the back and chest, in Limerick, early on Monday morning remains a patient in the military hospital at New Barracks. His condition is somewhat improved, and the improvement is stated yesterday maintained. His condition, however, is very serious.

TRADE AND LABOUR COUNCIL.

At a meeting held on Tuesday night last, at the Temperance Hall, Newcastle West, the following members were present:—Mr. George Ambrose, N.T., Chairman (presiding); Messrs. Michael Murphy, N.T.; Denis Hunt (Police Union); Patrick Neughton and M. Dignan (Tailors); Patrick Sheehy and Patrick Ward (Amalgamated Society of Tailors); Ben Reidy, Jas. Herbert, Thomas McGinn, David Keating, Michael O'Mahony (I.T.G.W.U.).

COUNTY LIMERICK TRAGEDY.

Man's Body Suspended From Tree. The man whose body was found early on Wednesday morning suspended from a tree on the road between Milford and Dromcollogher, has been identified as that of a workman named John Fearis. Deceased was, as it appears, somewhat eccentric, and committed suicide by hanging himself with a rope from a tree near the residence of Mr. Jeremiah O'Brien, farmer. An inquest will probably be held into the tragedy.

CONFERENCE DEBARRED AS CERTAIN.

British Correspondent's Message. The Special Correspondent of the Press Association in Dublin wired on Thursday:—Mr. Lloyd George's reply to the last telegram of Mr. De Valera has been received in Dublin with extreme gratification. It is regarded as an ample justification of the persistent confidence with which the public has viewed the prospects of a conference between the British Government and the Sinn Fein Leaders. That Mr. Lloyd George's invitation will be accepted and that the appointed plenipotentiaries of Sinn Fein will go to London on October 11th is considered a matter of complete certainty. When Mr. De Valera's response will be in the hands of the Prime Minister is not yet known. I am informed, however, that it will not be sent at any rate until after a meeting of the Cabinet of Dail Eireann to-morrow.

GORK AND PROFITEERING.

The Cork Commission for the prevention of profiteering at a meeting on Saturday presided over by the Lord Mayor decided to write to the Dairy Farmers' Association and the Cork Milk Vendors' Association asking them for an explanation of the present high price of milk in the city and to send a representative to the next meeting, as it was the intention of the Commission, should the same be maintained, to establish milk centres or depots in the city.

PENNY POSTAGE.

Lord Blyth, in a letter to the 'Times' urges that the battle for penny postage must be won again. He is to hold her own after the period of respite granted. His lordship declares there is no equality secure method of obtaining the lion's share of the world's markets than by a cheap and expeditious postage.

GOLDEN JUBILEE OF ABBEYFEALE CONVENT.

The Sisters of Mercy, Abbeyfeale (writes our correspondent) celebrated the Golden Jubilee of the foundation of their Convent on the 24th inst., but on Rosary Sunday the grand party celebration of the anniversary will be more impressively observed. Pastoral High Mass will be celebrated by His Lordship the Bishop of Limerick, and at which a number of the Diocesan clergy will assist.

RECORD GOLD FIND.

What is said to be the greatest gold strike in the history of California has been discovered in the Santa Monica mountains there. It is declared that the gold (doubtless the richest strike made even in the Californian gold rush of 70 years ago).

WEST LIMERICK ISOLATION. No Dublin papers or mails reached Abbeyfeale for the past few days, and no wire has been transmitted nor received except by post since last April.

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