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ber 2nd. Dissecting rooms opened October  
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October 15th.

### LIMERICK LEADER.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAY 15, 1912.

### LIMERICK'S DUTY

The necessity for giving a prom-  
and generous support to the Home Rule Fund  
is, in more than one respect, even greater  
to-day than it has been at any previous  
stage of our political struggle. Now that  
we are on the very threshold of a National  
triumph the opponents of our claim to self-  
government are making a vigorous and  
unscrupulous effort to frustrate at any cost  
the realisation of our hopes. Possessed of  
immense financial resources, they are spar-  
ing no expense in the fell work of poisoning

at a special court, held at Adamstown,  
Michael Lyons, farmer, Ballycally, Kilmoy,  
was returned for trial on a charge under  
Section 5 of the Criminal Law Amendment  
Act. He was admitted to bail, himself in  
£40, and two sureties of £20 each.

### HOME RULE FUND

### LIMERICK TO TAKE ACTION.

The Right Worshipful the Mayor (Coun-  
ciller T Ryan) has called a public meeting  
to be held at 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday  
next, 21st inst., for the purpose of starting  
a local fund in aid of the above. It is hoped  
that the meeting will be attended by all  
who have the interests of their country at  
heart, and that the Limerick contribution  
will be worthy of the city and districts  
comprising the Parliamentary division,  
which is so well represented by Alderman  
Joyce in Parliament. The meeting will be  
held in the Council Chamber, Town Hall.

### RATHKEALE NATIONALISTS.

A large and representative meeting of  
the Nationalists of Rathkeale was held in  
the Carnegie Hall, for the purpose of inau-  
gurating the local collection in support of  
the Home Rule Fund. The chair was taken  
by Mr J J O'Mahony, M.O.C., President  
Rathkeale Branch U.I.L., who explained  
the object of the meeting in a brief and  
effective speech, which was enthusiastically  
received.

Mr. M. Conway, who represented the  
National Directory, then addressed the  
meeting at length.  
On the motion of Dr. J. Bouchier Hayes,  
seconded by Mr. T. F. O'Dea, A.O.H., a  
vote of thanks was accorded to Mr. Conway.  
The Chairman asked for guarantee  
subscriptions, and amidst applause a large  
sum was guaranteed.  
A committee, consisting of several of  
the most representative and influential  
men in Rathkeale, was appointed to take  
charge of the collection, and the proceed-  
ings concluded with the singing of "A  
Nation Once Again."

### Titanic Disaster

### PERFORMANCE OF THE REBELS WIFE.

"We again beg to remind our readers that  
*The Rebel's Wife*, a charming Irish drama,  
will be performed in the Theatre Royal on  
Friday night by St. Michael's Temperance  
Dramatic Class. The piece is very well  
worth seeing, and we hope there will be a  
crowded house on the occasion. Before the  
performance begins Mr. Fogarty will kindly  
show the new pictures relating to the  
Titanic disaster, and these in themselves  
should prove a great attraction.

### REGRETTED COUNTY LIMERICK VICTIM.

A correspondent writes:—Much regret  
was felt by the people of Bruff and Lough-  
gar districts when it was learned that Mr.  
Patrick Dooley, son of Mr. Edmund Dooley,  
of Patrickswell, was amongst the number  
who went down with that ill-fated vessel.  
The unfortunate victim was home on hol-  
days from Chicago, chiefly for the purpose  
of seeing his aged father, perhaps (but now  
too true) for the last time, and left in good  
spirits. He was a fine type of our exiled  
countrymen and on several occasions won  
distinction in American athletics. During  
his last visit to his native land he went out  
of his way to meet all his old friends and  
while doing so he made several fresh  
acquaintances who were delighted with his  
kindly and gentle manner. Mr. Dooley  
was also one of the truest Irishmen that  
ever emigrated to the great Republic of the  
West and never kept his purse closed when  
the cause of Ireland needed it.

### Boy's Narrow Escape

On Monday evening a city boy named  
Christopher Rea had a very narrow escape  
from drowning. It appears that he was at  
play near George's Quay when he acci-  
dentally fell into the water and would  
certainly have been drowned but for the  
timely assistance of a man who was at  
work near, who seized him by the collar as  
he was being swept down by the current  
and pulled him out in a state of collapse.  
He was subsequently treated at Barrington's  
Hospital, but refused to remain.

### NEW SUPPLY AUTUMN & WINTER FURNISHING AND OVERHAULING, O'CALLAGHAN, THOMAS.

practised the thing is would be a more  
straight direction to alleviate these poor  
persons.

Mr. R. Frost asked Mr. Donnellan to  
allow his motion to be adjourned for a week  
to give the other members a chance of  
visiting the hospital.

Mr. G. Frost opposed this, and said they  
should decide the matter once and for all.  
Mr. MacSweeney, L.G.B.I., said he read  
with amusement and surprise how the  
Guardians opposed the motion to expend  
£250 to relieve congestion in the Hospital  
for the benefit of 30 or 35 persons, whereas  
they allowed an official £257 without a  
demonstr.

Chairman—What is that about?  
Mr. MacSweeney said the clerk would tell  
them the facts. Continuing he said cases  
could arise in the city that could not be  
dealt under the Insurance Act, and these  
cases should be provided for under the  
Medical Charities Act, and these cases  
should be treated in the house. He was  
surprised why Mr. George Frost, with the  
fragrance of Oranish woods and the splendid  
chanson on breeze (laughter), would oppose  
the motion without even having considered  
it on its merits.

Mr. G. Frost—It was discussed on its  
merits long ago.

Mr. C. Quilligan said from what he saw  
in the general hospital he should support  
Mr. Donnellan's motion.

Mr. Rahilly thought the matter should  
be left in the hands of the committee ap-  
pointed. If the County Council and Borough  
Council were successful in erecting a sanato-  
rium they would remove the congestion in  
the hospital.

Mr. MacSweeney said even if the Lime-  
rick County Council and Borough Council  
were successful, it would be physically im-  
possible for a sanatorium to be built within  
two years.

Mr. O'Regan denied very strongly that  
the members who would vote against  
the motion were opposed to proper treat-  
ment of the sick poor. He held that under  
the '98 Act, and under the Insurance  
Act, the County Council and Borough  
Council would be able to make provision  
for dealing with acute cases. The Act,  
in fact provided and encouraged County  
Councils to make provision for the acute  
case. Mr. Donnellan had not told them if  
his motion was adopted there would be a  
change in the nursing staff, as if the  
patients were removed from the general  
hospital they would have to provide a  
set of staff nurses, and the other officers of  
the house would require an increase of pay.  
Mr. Donnellan said they were paying £800  
for treatment of consumptives in Wicklow  
and this amount would cover the expenses  
of the nurses and attendants in the house.  
Mr. MacSweeney said if the congestion  
was not relieved he would report the  
matter to the Local Government Board  
calling for an inquiry, and compel the  
Guardians by mandamus to do so.

After further discussion a poll was taken  
when there voted:—

For Mr. Donnellan's motion—Mrs O'Brien,  
Mrs M'Donnell, Miss Moroney, Miss Bar-  
rington, Messrs Michael Gilligan, Thomas  
Donnellan, K O'Brien, M M'Inerney, O  
Quilligan, James Lawlor—11.

Against—Messrs T Bourke, John Fitz-  
gerald, James Hurley, J P Rahilly, George  
Nagle, John O'Halloran, Michael Hannan,  
Michael Fitzgerald, George Frost, Thomas  
Hogan, A Brennan, James O'Regan, James  
Bright—13.

The motion was accordingly declared  
lost.

### CITY BANK CASE

### CASHIER RETURNED FOR TRIAL.

At the City Police Court yesterday, a  
magisterial inquiry into the charge of em-  
bezzlement of £1,000 against Mr. George  
O Norris, first cashier of the local branch of  
the Bank of Ireland, was concluded before  
Mr P J Kelly, B.M.

Some further evidence of the alleged al-  
teration of figures being given the defend-  
ant was returned for trial.

Mr. P. J. O'Donnell, solicitor for the de-  
fence, said one of the sureties was unwell,  
but he would be able to procure sub-  
stantially the same bail.

Defendant was allowed to stand out on  
bail to Friday when the bonds will be com-  
pleted.

The ss "Shannon," which has been lying  
up at Waterford for some time past, has  
been purchased by the Limerick Steamship  
Co. and will ply on the lower Shannon from  
June the 1st.

Constable Rogers, a constable Rogers stood  
up and looked at Mr. Roche, and said,  
"I'm not drunk," Mr. Roche said,  
"Are you the man that was at my office  
this evening about 1 o'clock?" he said yes,  
and Mr. Roche said, "you were all right at  
that time in any case," as he was about to  
send away Mr. Roche said, "I will give my  
opinion as to your present condition at the  
proper time," some time after Mr. Roche  
had left Dr. Ambrose arrived; he  
walked up to Constable Rogers, and said,  
"is this the man?" Constable Rogers said  
yes; Constable Rogers then stood up; the  
doctor spoke to him, and asked him what  
day he had been on during the day;  
Rogers replied "I was on town duty during  
the day," and some further conversation took  
place; the doctor then directed him to walk  
up and down the floor; the constable  
walked a distance of about four yards  
towards the wall, and turning round he  
looked at something from the wall; witness  
noticed that accused walked stiffly and  
staggered; he walked the double distance  
specified twice; he made no attempt to  
walk around the day room, which was a  
large one.

Cross-examined by Mr. Condon—Might I  
suggest to you that things were not very  
pleasant in this barrack about this time?  
Well there was an investigation next  
morning, but I don't agree with your  
suggestion.

Was there an abstract charge of drunk-  
ness pending at this time against one  
of the police stationed here? There was.

And in which you were one of the prin-  
cipal witnesses in support of the charge  
along with the D.I.? Yes.

Are you aware whether the result of that  
investigation has yet been published?  
The President ruled the question out.

Did you know Rogers was to be a wit-  
ness for the defence? I did.

And Horan? Yes.  
And Collareen? I believe they were all.

Was O'Hara examined for the defence?  
No. He was on leave.

The fact is the night before the Court o  
Inquiry, your case is this man was drunk  
Yes.

Now, you were standing at the doorway  
at 7.50? Yes.

Will you produce the note book?  
Mr. Beirne declined to produce the note  
book.

The matter was left undecided by the  
court till a later stage.

Cross-examination continued—To the be-  
of his recollection there was no one in the  
dayroom but Constable Horan when Oc-  
stable Rogers came in; he would not oc-  
cur to him that other constables were  
present; to the best of his recollection  
Constable Collareen was not there, but  
would not contradict him if he swore  
was.

I put it to you that you directed Consta-  
Collareen in the room to take charge of Oc-  
stable Rogers? I told him at the door.

I put it to you that Constable Colla-  
was in the day room? He may be in the  
dayroom when Rogers came in, but  
came from the kitchen to me when I cal-  
him.

What orders did you give for parade?  
first said "fall in for parade" and "a  
handcuffs."

You have not told us about handcuffs  
to this? I said I paraded him; that  
included in the parade.

Will you describe exactly what  
means? Did he display handcuffs?  
but he unlocked them.

Did you say left turn? I did not.  
Did you use the word disarms? I  
have. I'm not sure whether I said  
will do or disarms.

Now, what was this for? The para-  
usual.

Is it usual for a man whom you believe  
be drunk to be paraded? It is not.

A man who had given two stagger-  
against yourself and the other against  
jamb of the door. Did you see it  
was against the wall he staggered?  
is what I entered in the notebook, b  
my judgment the jamb and the wa  
synonymous terms.

Was Mr. Hurley, J.P., here this eve-  
He was not here to my knowledge.

Now, what time did this man get o-  
He was getting sober from about 9 o-  
What hour was he discharged by  
stable O'Hara? I believe about 11 o-  
but I cannot swear it.

Cross-examination continued—He  
Acting-Sergeant Urell that he had a  
notice of Constable Rogers for dr-  
ness.

Did the Acting-Sergeant say I  
nothing wrong with him? He me