

the time that he was acting as an ordinary local justice here, and he should say in all sincerity that he seldom met with a more upright and impartial magistrate than he was, or one that was on all occasions more kindly or more courteous to all who came in contact with him (hear, hear). In seconding the resolution to adjourn the court he wished to convey to his bereaved family and his young widow the expression of their deep sympathy and condolence.

Mr Hastings, on the part of the legal profession, appreciated thoroughly the remarks that fell from Dr O'Shaughnessy and Mr Irwin. They should be good judges of the merits of a magistrate, and the members of the legal profession joined thoroughly in the condolence that had been offered to his bereaved wife and family.

The Mayor (Mr Bryan O'Donnell) said as chairman of the bench he felt it a melancholy and sad duty to endorse every thing that had been said by the oldest magistrate in the city, and seconded by Mr Irwin and spoken to for the legal profession by Mr Hastings. For his short experience he always found deceased to afford great assistance to the bench—he was upright, manly and gentle. In another sphere in the Council of the Corporation he found him one of the most worthy and intellectual members of it. He was sorry that the good-by which he wished the magistrates when going on his holidays to the Continent should have been a lasting one. He should now ask Mr DeCourcy to convey a vote of sympathy to the young, amiable and accomplished wife of the deceased, his mother and sisters, relatives and friends. Votes of sympathy were sometimes a matter of form, but in this case he was sure that every one who had spoken to-day spoke from their hearts.

The Court then adjourned.

#### LIMERICK HARBOUR BOARD.

The Mayor (Mr. B. O'Donnell) presided to-day. Others present were:—Messrs. T. H. Oleeve, J.P.; William M'Donnell, J.P.; James Quin, J.P. After the reading of the minutes Mr Oleeve proposed and Mr Quin seconded the adjournment of the meeting as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Mr W. J. O'Donnell. The Mayor spoke highly of the deceased, and the meeting adjourned.

#### DEATH OF MRS. NOLAN.

We deeply regret to have to announce the death of Mrs. Nolan, wife of Dr. Nolan, Resident Medical Officer, Limerick Workhouse. Deceased was a most amiable lady, and was esteemed by a large circle of friends. The greatest sympathy is felt for her husband and family. Funeral on Wednesday at one o'clock from St. Munchin's Parish Church.

#### CITY POLICE COURT.

Mr. G. W. Bassett and Dr. O'Shaughnessy, presided to-day. There was only one case for disposal.

this he must have more power vested in him, and be able to compel that this article be sold by weight, as is done in other corporate towns and cities. If it is in the Corporation the fault lies they are not doing their duty to the poor class of people of the city, who are the sufferers by the present system.—Yours truly,

THOMAS TROY, Foreman Baker,  
17, Upper William-street, Limerick,  
August 28th, 1893.

#### DEATH OF THE BISHOP OF KILLALOE.

The Venerable William Bennett Chester, D.D., Protestant Bishop of Killaloe, died at 74, Harcourt-street, Dublin, yesterday afternoon. Dr. Chester had been in bad health for a considerable time past. His diocese was a very large one, comprising the united sees of Killaloe, Kilfenora, Clonfert, and Kilmacduagh. It contains over a million acres extending into the counties of Clare, Galway, King's County, Queen's County, and Tipperary. He was son of the Rev. John Chester, M.A., Rector of Ballyclough, and was consecrated Bishop on January 16th, 1884. His early education was received at Ennis College, of which the late Rev. Dr. King was principal. Entering T.C.D., he passed through his Arts course, won many distinctions, including the medal of the College Historical Society, four 1st Vice-Chancellor's Prizes and Honors in Hebrew. He took his B.A. degree in 1846, his M.A. degree in 1847, and his B.D. and D.D. in 1883. His first curacy was that of Kilrush, to which he was ordained in Christ Church Cathedral, and subsequently he was in turn vicar of Killard, rector of Ballymackey, rector of Kilkee, rector of Nenagh, and rector of Birr. He also held the dignities of Canon of St. Patrick's, Rural Dean, Chancellor of the Diocese, Archdeacon of Killaloe, and Chaplain to the Viceroy. He was Archdeacon of Killaloe in November, 1883, when the late Right Rev. Dr. Fitzgerald, Bishop of Killaloe, died, and at a meeting of the Synod of Killaloe, held at Limerick, Dr. Chester was elected to succeed him. In all the parishes over which he had charge he effected permanent improvements.

#### FATAL ACCIDENT IN THE CITY.

##### A CHILD KILLED BY A DRAY.

To-day about a quarter after 12 o'clock a child named Pat Walsh, of Hill's-lane, off Broad-street, was rolled over by a dray, and subsequently died from injuries received. The police arrested the driver of the dray, who was, however, released on bail. The owner of the dray is Mr S. M'Sweeney, William-street, and the driver, Michael M'Namara, Garryowen. An inquest will be held.