

stands in a very shady light. unknown in politics until three years ago, when the unfortunate split in the ranks of the Irish people enabled every member of the Whiggery to come forward as a red-hot lover of their country. He was the solicitor to the Limerick Federationists during the last general election, but for his services as solicitor for the Federationists he was, according to Mr. O'Donnell, well paid — we care not whether by the Government or otherwise. On how many public platforms did he proclaim his views before, and even after, the split? He seemed even afraid to go near a Federationist meeting at Kilmallock on Friday! And yet, this is the sort of man that the Begleyites and Clunites are to palm off on the citizens of Limerick as a trusty patriot—a man who, in coming, if we are to take the Kilmallock meeting as evidence, was not found on a public platform proclaiming what his party believed to be to be in the interests of the Evicted. Mr. BEGLEY has stated that they consider a compliment to Mr. HASTINGS, who was left it to be inferred that the conduct of the Mayoralty on that gentleman's part a party vote would be the best way of settling it. Are we to presume that the Federationists are obliged to pay off Mr. O'Donnell's claim on their gratitude by making him Mayor of Limerick? This is insulting; a more degrading proposition was never made in our city. It is a proposition that reflects on the integrity of every member of the Town Council, which ought, if they have proper regard for the good, cause them to scout its proposers from the Council Chamber. We have, we are happy to say, no doubts as to the result of the election on Friday. Only a man who is a "cave" could now defeat Mr. O'DONNELL and elect Mr. HASTINGS. We are confident from our knowledge that a majority in the Council, will not take up the matter and our next issue will, on Friday next, blazon forth the fact that the representatives in Limerick cannot be associated with, nor their National integrity

### THE MUNSTER ASSIZES.

The following is a list of the prisoners and persons out on bail, and who are waiting trial at the Cork Assizes which open on the 5th proximo: County of Limerick—Patrick M'Donald and Thomas Kearney, indecency; Michael M'Carthy, larceny; John Ryan, arson; Wm Ryan, assault; John Kennedy and others, murder; John W. Glynn, obtaining money under false pretences; Thomas O'Brien, larceny; Patrick M'Elligott, cattle stealing.

City of Limerick—Patrick Nihill, stabbing; Mary O'Connor and Patrick Shanny, infanticide, &c.; Thomas Mackey, larceny and obtaining goods by false pretences; John Fitzgerald and John Geoghan, indecent assault; John Kelly, abduction, Daniel Tucker, aiding in do; Denis Connolly, obtaining goods by false pretences; John Keane, assault and stabbing.

### THE CITY MAGISTRATES—THE ISSUING OF SUMMONSES.

A meeting of the City Magistrates is to be held on Friday in reference to the recent circular from the Castle with respect to the granting of summonses. The circular recommends that in the first instance application should be made for a summons before a magistrate who, if he considers a *prima facie* case is established, may then grant it, this procedure being more in conformity with law than the practice hitherto prevailing at Irish Petty Sessions Courts, where in the large number of instances summonses were granted without a previous application for same having been made to a local justice.

### DEATH OF A CHRISTIAN BROTHER.

We deeply regret to have to announce the death of Brother Conolly, of the Christian Brothers' parent house, Limerick, which occurred this afternoon. The funeral obsequies will be carried out to-morrow. Brother Conolly was born in Killala in the year 1828. He entered the Order of the Christian Brothers in the year 1844, and subsequently taught in London and Manchester, spending about 30 years on the English mission. Brother Conolly then came to Limerick, where he laboured for some years. Then he was transferred to Doon, where he lived till about a fortnight ago when, by order of the physician, he returned to Limerick to take baths. Some days ago he caught cold, which developed into bronchitis, from which he died this evening, fortified by all the rites of the Church, and assisted by the prayers of his religious brethren.

### SMASHING PUBLIC LAMPS.

Patrick Hayes, Patrick M'Namara, John O'Brien, and Patrick Reilly, *alias* The Pasha, a notorious character, were charged at the Police Court to-day with smashing last night, one of the large public lamps recently erected at the junction of Cornwallis and Upper William-street. Reilly is the fellow who distinguished himself during the recent election as a Federationist champion assaulting respectable citizens, and committing various offences without being brought to book for his action. Last night he and his companions were indulging in bad language, which was being continued until they varied their action by smashing the public lamp in question. Sergeant M'Aree and two constables arrested the

IMPERIAL PA  
To-day, in the House of Commons, a discussion on the Parish Council Bill. The Government accepted an amendment relating to the adoption of franchise for the parishes and the franchise of voters be taken by ballot. At a Parish meeting to put in force the Act of 1879, Mr Fowler stated that the Bill was in a chaotic state, and the attempt to reduce chaos to order failed. Amendments to the Bill, asking the Council to acquire buildings for meeting and for public houses, were negatived. Resolutions for enable recreation rooms to be erected were defeated by 264 to 20 votes.

### WANTON ASSAULT.

Miss Letitia Slattery, a young lady of the establishment of Mrs. Williams-street, was wantonly assaulted. A man who gives his name as Riedy, in company with another man, entered the premises and both were drinking. Having drunk their liquor, the man provoked, seized a bottle and struck Miss Slattery on the head, inflicting a severe injury. She was subsequently attended by a physician. Her condition to-day is improving. Riedy was arrested by Mr. Myles and brought up to-day at the Police Court. Mr Myles. He was remanded to prison. Depositions have been taken.

### LIMERICK HARBOR.

The following is a return of the arrivals at the Port of Limerick:—

ARRIVED  
Swan, 67 tons, Captain Power, to load oats.  
Austra, 341 tons, Captain Power, J R Tinsly.  
Active, 44 tons, Captain Power, Nenagh Cathedral.  
s s Marpessa, 1,071 tons, Captain Power, Azor, Bannatyne and Sons.  
s s White Rose, 165 tons, Captain Power, ballast, Galway, to load coal.  
s s Aranmore, 500 tons, Captain Power, general, Glasgow, Clyde.  
s s Marlborough, 1,100 tons, Captain Power, barley, Sebastapol, Barbadoes.  
s s Clytie, 177 tons, Captain Power, Glasgow, Power and Sons.  
Hornsby, tub.  
Knight of St John, tub.  
SAILING  
s s Aranmore, 500 tons, Captain Power, Glasgow, Clyde Shipping Co.  
s s Ardnamult, 669 tons, Captain Power, general, Liverpool, Limerick.  
s s Kenilworth, 97 tons, Captain Power, hay, Newport, Michael Power.  
Swan, 67 tons, Captain Power, R Power and Sons.  
s s Dean, 937 tons, Captain Power, general, Glasgow, Clyde.