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ST. JOHN'S TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.

On the first of a series of those social reunions, inaugurated by the Dramatic Class, took place at St. John's Temperance Hall, Saint John's, and was a gigantic success. Close upon 100 persons—male and female—took advantage of the invitation of the committee (Messrs Shanahan, John Dowd, James Guinane, and Patrick Ryan), who, in addition, got through their programme in excellent style. Dancing commenced at 8 o'clock and continued until 12 o'clock. The party were ushered by the ladies into the dining-room, where a "nicely-laid" table was prepared for them. The energetic president, Rev James Shanahan, occupied the chair, and was supported on either side by Rev Father O'Shea, Rev Father O'Donnell, O.C; Mr John Shanahan; Mr John Hickey, secretary; Mr Denis O'Dwyer, etc. After supper the chairman addressed the company in terms, after which songs and recitations were rendered—Rev Fathers Griffin, O'Shea and Shanahan also contributing to the melody. Dancing was again indulged in until 12 o'clock, and after partaking of some refreshments the night's enjoyment was at an end. Mr Patrick Ryan acted as emcee, and left nothing undone to make the evening comfortable. Messrs E. Dowd, Fitzpatrick and Ryan treated the company to some fine pipes, Irish jigs and reels during the evening. The next social gathering will come off on the 2nd, '94.

CHOICE OF MEDICAL OFFICER AT PALLASKENBY.

The choice of Medical Officer for the district of Pallaskenby in the Rathkeale Union came off on the 27th inst. and created a considerable amount of interest. There was a full attendance of members of the committee—three candidates presented themselves: Dr J B Hayes, Rathkeale; Dr J J Hayes, and Dr Hannigan, Dromcollogher. Dr J B Hayes was proposed by Sir J J Hayes, and seconded by Mr. Lynch, Dr J J Hayes was proposed by Mr. Taylor, and Dr. Hannigan was proposed by Mr. Sheehy, and Dr. Cremins was proposed by Major Gloster, and seconded by Mr. Taylor. On the first poll Dr. Cremins fell out, having been taken between Dr. J B Hayes, the former received 8 votes, the latter 6, and Dr. Hannigan was elected.

THE TRADES' COUNCIL.

Meeting of the Trades and Labour Council on to-morrow night in the Mechanics' Hall at 8 o'clock. Business important.

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buyers alike suffering loss and inconvenience, owing to the gross irregularities that are suffered to continue in connection with the Clonroad fairs. Half the cattle and sheep remained unsold, the only export trade being Messrs Spellicy of Ennis. The general quotations were—for three year old bullocks and heifers, £12 to £9; two years old, £8 to £6, and year olds, £5 to £3. The top price was obtained by Mr A. Bannatyne's steward for a lot of three year old bullocks £17, and three year old heifers, £15. Mr H J Studdert, J P, sold a lot of heifers at £15. Mr Patrick Caher sold 40 three-year-old bullocks at £13 15s. Mr J Cullinan, solicitor, sold a lot of three-year-old heifers at £13. Mr J B Kelly sold a lot of three-year-old bullocks at £11 10s. Milch cows at £15 to £12. The supply of sheep was much below the average. Year and half olds quoted at from 35s to 30s, and lambs, 23s to 20s. The top price for fat sheep was obtained by Mr Thomas Cullinan (Cappa), 48s 6d. Mr M Caher sold a lot at 48s. Mr James Kelly a lot at 47s 6d. Mr Coroner Cullinan a lot at 40s, and Mr Patrick Lynch a lot at 37s 6d.

LOWER SHANNON STEAMSHIP SAILINGS. DECEMBER.

FROM LIMERICK.	FROM KILRUSH.
7 Thursday no sailing	7 Thursday 12 n'n
8 Friday 8 a.m	8 Friday 1 p.m
9 Saturday 8 a.m	9 Saturday 2 p.m

Passengers and goods to and from Limerick, Tarbert, and Kilrush booked daily as above.
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MARRIAGE.

M'CURTIN AND MOLONY—November 30, 1893, at Saint Francis Xavier's, Upper Gardiner-street, Dublin, by the Rev J. Frost, O.C., Silvermines, William, eldest son of Patrick M'Curтин, Corroogue, Tipperary, to Mary Josephine, eldest daughter of the late P. J. Molony, Nenagh, county Tipperary. No cards.

DEATHS.

MACNAMARA—On to-day (6th instant), at Barrington's Hospital, after a very brief illness, John MacNamara. Deceased was brother to Mr Joseph MacNamara, Patrick-street, and was for about twenty years in the employment of the Market Trustees. He was a staunch Nationalist, and is much regretted by a large circle of friends.—R.I.P. Funeral at 2 p.m. to-morrow (Thursday) from St. John's Cathedral.

FITZPATRICK—December 4, 1893, at Mount Mellera Abbey, Cappoquin, the Right Rev Abbot Fitzpatrick, aged 81 years, after a short illness from influenza, and in the 45th year of his Abbacy.

CULLIGAN—November 30, in Dublin, after a few days' illness, Minnie, eldest and only surviving daughter of John Culligan, Esq., J.P., Kilrush, county Clare, deeply regretted by her fond father, brothers, and a large circle of friends.—R.I.P.

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