

gatives is attributed to Mr Patrick Consul, and hence the disfavour he has fallen with the victors. It is unaccountable that the United Government have received little or no support from their own Minister lately, and the officials are much puzzled by his ordinary reticence. Nothing is known of the report that he was shot to be false, and there is a rumour he has escaped, and is now on his way to

has been exceptionally favoured this year in the presence of various associations who have seen the Irish Capital as their place of resort. They have been hospitably received and have enjoyed their stay in Dublin. The presence of so many visitors will certainly be a good feeling which should exist between the subjects of the same Empire, and it is to be said the more the English and Americans see of this country the better they will be disposed to the Institute of Journalists successful influential body—the Association of Commerce. The Conference of the day. The Lord Mayor dispensed the dinner at the Mansion House in a style worthy of the Chief Magistrate of a great City. The day devoted to a visit to Powerscourt, where the visitors will be received by the Countess and Lady Powerscourt, and this will be the President of the Dublin Association of Commerce will entertain the guests in the Leinster Hall. The subjects of the Conference were of great importance, and outsiders find it difficult to follow the proceedings closely. Sir Albert Rollitt spoke in favour of the desirability of uniting more of our commercial relations existing between Ireland and the Colonies. It is the old cry of Fair Trade and Protection. If the Colonies cannot be induced to give up their protection the speaker thought the Colonies should be expected to make some concessions. This was thoroughly discussed, and a large quantity of statistics were quoted in support of the various views expressed, but the Protectionists remained of one opinion as that with which the speaker coincided. The adoption of the decimal coinage—in fact of the metric system—was advocated; a reform should be made sooner or later. The importance of building lighthouses, light-ships, and other navigational aids with the general telephonic system in the country was also pointed out, and it was suggested to bring the matter under the

DEATH OF MR. MICHAEL SELLORS, SOLICITOR.

We regret to announce the death of an old and highly respected citizen, Mr Michael Sellors, Solicitor, George street, who passed away this morning at St Albans, whither he had gone some six weeks ago for the benefit of his health. Mr Sellors had been an invalid for some months back, but it was hoped that with change of air he would, ere long, become convalescent. The contrary has proved the case, and Mr Sellors numerous friends here received the sad intelligence this morning with sincere regret. The deceased gentleman, who was sworn in a solicitor in 1855, was a highly esteemed member of his profession, and he enjoyed a very large and varied practice in the Superior Courts. He was of a courteous and retiring disposition, and in private life made the acquaintance of a host of friends. We deeply sympathise with Mrs Sellors and her family in their bereavement. The funeral will leave the Limerick Terminus at 1:25 p.m. on Saturday for St Munchin's.

INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATIONS.

PASS LISTS.

In our last issue we published a list of probable prize-winners and exhibitioners. In the general pass lists the following amongst other local names appear—

BOYS.

SENIOR GRADE.

- Enright, Jn, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Harold, John J, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Harold, Rd, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Henry, Samuel, Drumlohan, Limerick.
- Hogan, Jn, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Lennon, John, Christian schl, Limerick.
- McNamara, Peter J, Christian schl, Limerick.
- McSwiney, John, Sacred Heart col, Limerick.
- O'Connor, Joseph M, S Heart col, Limerick.
- Ryan, James, sen, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Walsh, P J, jun, Diocesan coll, Ennis.

MIDDLE.

- Ambrose, P, St Munchin's coll, Limerick.
- Fitzgerald, E, St Munchin's coll, Limerick.
- Foley, Patrick, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Frost, Joseph, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Hanna, Wesley F, 121 George street, Limerick.
- Hehir, Michael, Diocesan coll, Ennis.
- Hogan, Patrick, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Jacques, Thomas, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Kavanagh, T A, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Kearney, M, St Munchin's coll, Limerick.
- McGrath, Patrick, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Molony, John B, St Munchin's coll, Limerick.

JUNIOR GRADE.

- Airey, George, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Anglim, Wm J, St Munchin's coll, Limerick.
- Beahan, Michael J, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Bourke, Michael, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Brassil, Martin, Diocesan coll, Ennis.
- Buckley, Patrick, St Munchin's coll, Limerick.
- Butler, Patrick, Christian schools, Limerick.
- Coffey, John J, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Cole, Edward, Christian schl, Limerick.
- Coughlan, Michael, Christian schools, Limerick.
- Devane, Richard, Sacred Heart col, Limerick.
- Ebrill, Charles, Sacred Heart college, Limerick.
- Ebrill, Geo, Sacred Heart col, Limerick (210, '90).
- Ebrill, Stephen F, Sacred Heart col, Limerick.
- Enright, James, St Munchin's college, Limerick.
- Flynn, Patrick, Christian schools, Limerick.

LIMERICK FISHERY BOARD.

The usual monthly meeting of the Limerick Board of Fishery Conservators was held in the Grand Jury room of the County Council house. The Hon. Gaston Monsell, J.I. chairman, presided. There were also present: Captain Vansittart, J.P.; Mr R. W. C. Reev, D.L.; Mr James Greene Barry, J.P.; Mr Place, Captain Vansittart, junr.; Mr J. E. Mc C. Heaton-Armstrong. Mr J. B. Alton, Secretary; Mr E. H. P. Ford, Assistant Secretary; and Mr Rogerson, Inspector, were in attendance. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

THE BOARD AND THE FISHERY INSPECTOR.

The Chairman read the following:—
 "Office of Irish Fisheries, Dublin Castle, 17th August, 1890.
 "Sir.—The Inspectors of Irish Fisheries in receipt of your letter of the 9th inst., pointing to be a reply to communications addressed to the Board of Conservators on the 5th and 29th July last.
 "The Inspectors regret being obliged to occupy the time of the Conservators in again going to the subject of which they complained in their first letter, dated 5th June, addressed to you as chairman of the Board, and in pointing out the neglect of some employment of the Board, which neglected in that letter, has nearly led to the adjournment of the inquiry held at Athlone on the 2nd of June, and also in disabasing your mind from some misconception under which, by your own letter, you seem to labour.
 "Your letter to me is dated the 9th inst. According to the report of the meeting of the Limerick Board held on the 6th inst., and which was published in the *Munster News* of the 8th inst., you are reported to have stated as follows:—'I am requested by the Board to answer the letter of the Inspectors of Irish Fisheries. I had answered that letter they favoured in the letter to which you have just listened. I shall now read to you the letter that was written to them.'
 "A letter which purports to be a copy of the letter, dated the 6th inst., is then published. Your letter to me is dated the 9th inst., 10 days afterwards—and is not accurately in accordance with the paper referred to.
 "The second letter is addressed to the Chairman of the Board, and not to you, as stated in the paper report.
 "In your letter of the 19th inst., you state that you were requested to answer the charges brought against the Board in the communication from the Inspectors dated 5th June, but you had met those charges the Inspectors thought it better to write another letter to the Board.
 "In the first place, I am to point out that in their communication, 'make charges against the Board,' they simply complained that neither the Inspector of the Fishery nor the water bailiffs at Athlone, had received instructions to measure any of the nets in the river, and that the solicitor who had acted on behalf of the Board had not received instructions to have necessary preliminary investigations made by the bailiffs or Inspector, and that they consider it right to inform the Board of the facts of the matter, &c., &c.