

performance was a gratifying one conducted the opera with

REGIMENT—Major Spyer, who promoted Lieutenant-Colonel Regiment stationed in this of the late Lieutenant-Colonel s regiment in 1871, became nd major in 1888. He had the back in temporary comnt officer served with the regi-n War, and also with the Nile i. Major Guinness, of the 2nd ndia, becomes second in com-ant-Colonel Spyer.

NG CLOTH—"The Solvyt" is v polishing cloth and duster, be as serviceable in the hands domestic servant, as in those groom, or yacht steward. The undyed cloth, with a soft pile polish without scratching the is found exceedingly handy by e are numerous testimonials as well as people of various e tried this article. It is sold sterers, ironmongers, chemist,

YACHT CLUB—Mr A Parker, J P, nual meeting of this club held week. The financial state-club to be in a most flourishing eing a balance to credit of v providing additional sport purchase two yachts of the r or the use of members for racing es; the types being one class A small committee was ap-at this idea and make the ments with local and other vey was unanimously elected ensuing year.

IGARO—"The well-known and tten topical journal, the *Dublin v* reached a much wider sphere an that embraced by the ppropriately altered its name o. The issue of January 26th new heading, and we observe nt devoted to critical comments , and it may be remarked that st been recently equipped with ery respect the paper displays ess, and we have no doubt that s success will be even more has been in the past. Under of Mr Sydney Brooks this re-

OTHERS, AUCTIONEERS.

Ebrill, wool merchants, and S taken over the business of the arthy, auctioneer, and intend heretofore. It is unnecessary Messrs Ebrill to the public. own as the representatives of rising Limerick family, the late ill, wool merchant, Limerick, enjoyed a wide-spread connec-name as a business man was the strictest probity. His sons wing in his footsteps. Since , Mr Wm Ebrill, one of the two ve taken up Mr M'Carthy's ed on the business with con-and to the complete satisfaction

After the fire the interior of the building presented a very wrecked appearance, the High Altar being deprived of its valuable contents, and the place saturated with water. The damage, which is covered by insurance, is estimated at between four and five hundred pounds. Besides the District-Inspector and Head-Constable McBrinn, the police who rendered conspicuous assistance were Sergeant Michael O'Shea and Mounted Constable O'Shea, and some other constables. What caused the fire is unknown, the church having been locked up for some considerable time before it was discovered. The Mayor was present and rendered all the assistance in his power, and special mention must be made of the men who so unhesitatingly and determinedly set to extinguishing the fire.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT AT THE DOCKS.

A very melancholy drowning accident occurred last night, or early this morning, at the docks, the victim being a small farmer named John Adamson, residing at Janeshorough, Southhill. The facts of the sad occurrence appear to be these. The unfortunate man, who was about sixty-five years of age, came to Limerick yesterday evening in a donkey trap. He delayed some time in the city, and must have been in the vicinity of the docks, as the donkey was found straying about the quay this morning. Constable Connell received intimation of the circumstance, and caused a search to be made, with the result that at low tide this morning Adamson's body was found near the dock. A valuable silver watch, which stopped at twenty minutes past two, was found in the vest which deceased wore, and also 4s 6d in silver. The Constable had the body removed to the morgue, and communicated the circumstances of the case to the Coroner, who will hold an inquest to-morrow at twelve o'clock in the City Courthouse.

A YOUNG LADY DROWNED NEAR NEWPORT.

A very melancholy drowning accident occurred a few days since near Newport, county Tipperary. It seems that Miss Charlotte Powell, daughter of Mr James Powell, of Derryleigh House, Newport, a young lady who had many friends in Limerick, left her father's house for a walk, and mentioned that she would be back in time for dinner. She did not, however, return, and from inquiries made amongst the servants, it was ascertained that she had gone in the direction of Clare Glens. Her long absence gave rise to alarm, and some members of the household having gone out to look for her, they found the young lady drowned in a neighbouring river. It was evident she had endeavoured to cross a ridge, when she was seized with a weakness, or else missed her footing, and fell into the water, which at this particular point was extremely shallow. Mr Coroner Gleeson held an inquest on the body, and a verdict was returned to the effect that the deceased was accidentally drowned. Much sympathy is expressed with the family of the deceased in their great sorrow.

ACCIDENT AT PALLASKENRY.

Last week, while a farmer named Moloney, residing at Pallaskenry, was exercising a stallion in the neighbourhood of the village, the animal became restive, and knocked his owner, kicking him on the head as he lay on the ground. Fortunately, Moloney did not receive the full force of the kick, or he certainly would have been killed. As it was, however, he sustained a very nasty wound on the back of the head together

for the gentlemen listening to him must re and would readily admit that they had their late secretary an officer whose place would not find it easy to fill. No doubt man's place was filled; that was what th every day. The greatest men the wor had seen had died, and their places wer and the world went on all the same. Ea vidual knew, however, that when an offi had s rved them faithfully was taken fro that they had sustained a serious loss. family of the deceased he would ask the l tender their sincere sympathy in the bereavement. His family had lost in devoted father and a loving husband Limerick had lost a really good citizen.

Mr M'Donnell said if it were necessar individual member to second the resolutio so, with the same feelings as had b pressed by Mr Spillane.

The Mayor, in declaring the resolution mously passed, said he had nothing to what had been said but to simply end remarks made by Mr Spillane and Mr M' A more courteous, willing, or a more officer they could not find. He had alway the utmost interest in the harbour, and into its working a tact, energy, and a essential to the welfare of the city.

THE APPOINTMENT OF SECRETARY.

Mr Power said the death of their l friend, Mr Harris, had left the office of S to the Board vacant, and although he k M'Swiney would act *pro tem*, still he th necessary that the vacancy should be fill early as possible. He, therefore, begged pose that a meeting of the Harbour C sioners be called for next Friday, wh would proceed to appoint a suitable persc the office of Coll ctor and Secretary, now by the death of Mr Harris.

Mr Cleave suggested that they sho meet on that day to arrange the salary, a advertise for the position.

Mr Power considered that unless n motion were given to alter the salary secretary it should stand as it was. He it would be to the interest of the Board t vacancy as soon as they could.

Mr Russell said he thought it would be tory to the memory of their late secreta had so capably filled the office for so mat if they were to appoint a person knowing v very little about the office, at the same a salary as was paid to their late secretary

Mr Power said he had no objection to r salary.

Mr Spillane concurred with Mr Russ Harris had taken the office at the begi a salary of £250, and he would sugge the new secretary should commence wi salary.

The Board agreed with this, and on th of Mr Power, seconded by Mr Russell, unanimously agreed to, that on next F four o'clock, the Board would proceed t secretary at a salary of £250 a year.

On the motion of Mr J P Gaffney, sec Mr Cleave, Mr M'Swiney was appointe tary *pro tem*.

Mr Power alluded to the services ren Mr M'Sweeney, and suggested that at ne ing the Board should consider whether h should be increased.

The meeting then adjourned.

CORPORATION COMMITTEE:

The weekly meeting of the Corporat mittees was held to-day in the Mayor Town Hall.

SANITARY COMMITTEE.