

given to the public, and all reply to be suppressed. "This seems open to," remarks Mr. Healy, in a sentence which seems to be meant than meets the eye, calling of the meeting and the result is Mr. McCarthy's own choice, Healy claims the attendance of the meeting. Both parties have now taken their stand, and Greek will meet Greek to settle mutual differences in the presence of a public referee. It is not merely a quibble. The whole future policy of the Government calls itself the Irish Parliament in connexion with their English Government to be decided on Thursday, and the result on that occasion will be decided by numbers. But it is not quite clear which side the victory will be in.

contemporary waxes wrath because the papers and newspapers missing the communication from Limerick yesterday morning. It says, there is a remedy for this state of affairs, and the public of Ennis have a right of complaint. We do not dispute that, but it is only right to point out the magnitude of the size and importance of the loss, not to speak of inconvenience, which suffers by the late arrival of the mails. In winter time, owing to the rough and heavy seas, the mails are frequently late in arriving at Kingstown, and are consequently late in reaching Limerick.

The result is that the ordinary mail from Waterford which carries these mails, is held up for an indefinite time at the quay, and the letters have to remain there until the next train arriving in Ennis at 1.25 p.m., and by the time the mail is delivered, it is too late to enable the Government to reply by the outward English mail which is here at 3.10 p.m. This is what happened yesterday, and again to-day, and it is, we fear, very often unless the Government are induced in an emergency of some kind to compensate the Waterford and Ennis Company for running a special

"5th November, 1895.

"Dear Mr Mayor—The Duke of Westminster desires me to convey to your Worship and the citizens of Limerick his best thanks for the generous and timely support so kindly given to the destitute victims of Turkish misrule and barbarities in Armenia.—I am, dear Mr Mayor, your Worship's very faithfully,  
"EDWARD ATKIN, Treasurer,  
"Armenian Relief Fund."

### ACTION AGAINST THE ENNIS TOWN COMMISSIONERS.

It is understood that the action at the suit of Captain C M Parkinson, J.P., Westbourne, against the Ennis Town Commissioners, in reference to the alleged nuisance caused by the manure depot, will come on for trial in Dublin to-morrow. The witnesses, of whom there are quite a number, left Ennis to-day.

### ACCIDENTS.

A labourer named Martin Hassett, was admitted into Barrington's Hospital last evening at 6 o'clock suffering from a fractured skull, he having slipped on the pavement.

A young man named Patrick Nestor, of Thomondgate, was also treated in Barrington's Hospital yesterday afternoon. It appears that the injured man, who is employed at Messrs Stewart's biscuit factory, was working a dough machine when one of his hands got caught in some cog wheels and was badly crushed. Only that the machine was quickly reversed by another employe the result would have been more serious.

### FATAL BURNING ACCIDENT.

Mr DeCourcy, City Coroner, and a jury, held an inquest this evening at four o'clock, on the body of Maurice Fitzgerald, aged 18, who died at Barrington's Hospital last evening, from injuries received from burning at the Limerick Terminus on the 25th of last month. Sergeant Lloyd conducted the proceedings on behalf of the police. It appeared from the evidence that on the evening in question the accused, who was employed by the Waterford and Limerick Railway Company, was standing with his back to the fire in the lamp room, and his apron, which was saturated with oil, caught fire. The boy rushed on to the platform all ablaze. Mr J J Scully, an official of the company, and James Rochfort, railway policeman, immediately endeavoured to extinguish the flames by wrapping their coats round him, but did not succeed until the deceased was terribly burned about the legs and body. He was at once taken to Barrington's Hospital, where he succumbed to his injuries about five o'clock last night.

The jury returned a verdict that the boy died from injuries received from burning, the same being accidental.

Four lives have been lost in Leith by a fire at the residence of James Pearson, engine fitter.

the Governors. It offered him a reasonable appointment if he was willing to accept certain conditions, and if he and Mr. Batchelor could come to an agreement. The letter of the 9th August referred to in the resolution was a private letter to Mr. Roberts, Consulting Architect of the Board, in reply to a friendly and personal communication from Mr. Brown, and gratefully acknowledged that gentleman. Mr Roberts had not had time enough to lay before the Board of his letter, and it is not a threatening terms nor anything of the kind. It may surely be assumed that a professional man of position and standing understands his own interests, and he is under no obligation to accept terms offered to him, if he is not satisfied with them. In the present instance it is not possible to find in the letters of Mr. Roberts any trace of dissatisfaction with his position.

"Under these circumstances the Board trusts that the Governors will continue to give their help and co-operation in carrying out the arrangements that have been agreed on, and that the assistance it can receive from the Board in the performance of its arduous duties will be such as a rule such as is given, is in the habit of consulting the Board in reference to all proposed asylum buildings, and largely influenced by their views and suggestions. It is manifest that harmonious relations between the two bodies are of great importance in the public interest, and the Board desires to express to the governors that as far as it is possible it is tending to cultivate and promote the same, and will be left undone.

"I am, sir, your obedient servant,  
"P. J. TUCKER,

The Chairman—I think that is a very good letter. It goes into every particular with the whole business, I wish however, that there was any expression on the part of the governors as to how they were treated with discourtesy by the Board.

Dr O'Neill—There was a resolution passed in the minutes of the 10th September, that the Board should be asked to send a copy of the minutes of the 10th September to the Governors.

The Chairman—Was there a resolution passed to that effect?

Dr O'Neill—The minutes were sent to the Governors, but Mr O'Donnell thought that they should have something to say to the outlay of money.

Mr Greene Barry—They are the Governors, and they are to be paid according to their own letter. We have nothing to say to it. They can appoint their own agents, and Mr Brown is simply taken advantage of by courtesy to the board. Assuming that the Governors are correct in the law, it is their right to appoint their own agents, and it is their right also to do the same as the simple paymasters.

The Chairman—It appears Mr Brown's letter in which he expressed his dissatisfaction with the arrangement made by the Board of Control, and that fact?

Mr Brown—That is so. They were