

stopped, however, until the borough of Hazleton was reached. An investigation which has since been made shows that the subsidence has been great. The colliery pillars have been entirely removed, and there are now several holes large enough for an engine and train to sink in them, and several hundred feet in depth.—*Dalsiel.*

THE PAUPER'S PIPE.

The male inmates of the Islington Workhouse have signified their intention of availing themselves of the Board's offer of 1 oz. of tobacco per week. To supply them 150 lb. a month of the "fragrant weed" is required. The question as to the particular growth of tobacco to be given was discussed at great length at a meeting of the guardians. Mr Budd, as the representative of the non-smokers, asked whether a special room would be provided for the non-smokers; if not they would be the victims of a terrible nuisance. The chairman (Mr Furlong) thought that no provision had been made. Miss Varley wanted to know what equivalent the gentler sex was to have to the ounce of tobacco. The chairman did not know, but believed that some Boards were giving the old ladies lollypops. Miss Varley: Well, they are very fond of sweets. The clerk said that some time ago there was a recommendation to give the old women an extra allowance of tea, but nothing came of it. The Chairman: That can be brought up again. The Board then proceeded to examine the tenders and samples for the supply of tobacco, and a debate arose as to what kind they should have. Mr Stonelake expressed a hope that the inmates would not be bound down to shag. The delicate palate of the birdseye smoker ought not to be offended with the stronger flavour of shag. What pleasure, he asked, would those who delighted in the pungent taste and aroma of cut cavendish get from the milder birdseye, and, again, what enjoyment would the smoke from shag have for those who delighted in the soothing influence of returns? Miss Varley believed there was a tobacco called Turkish, and added, what about that? The chairman thought that they could not study the particular taste of every pauper. They would have demands for all kinds, and some would no doubt ask for Turkish and cigars. Ultimately it was decided to fill the pauper's pipe with shag, and a large quantity will be purchased at 3s 3d a pound.

The Great Northern Railway of England yesterday issued a notice of return to the old rates for conveying dairy produce. The extra charges made since January 1st should be refunded.

A conference of South Wales and Monmouthshire miners' delegates was held at Cardiff yesterday, Mr William Abraham, M.P., presiding. The Chairman ruled that no one should be heard unless he supported the sliding scale, and the delegates of the Federation of Great Britain withdrew.

The *Globe* learns from private sources of information that the reported engagement of the Duke of York to Princess May of Teck is true, and that the announcement of it is imminent. There is every reason to believe that the marriage which will follow in the Spring will be a thoroughly popular one.

A committee of the Republicans has been constituted at Rome, in order to promote a general agitation in Italy, in favour of a complete inquiry into the bank scandals. It is proposed to organise meetings in the principal towns. It is affirmed from a document found among Signor Toulougo's papers, that the Banca Romana paid over two million lire to deputies and Ministers.

JAN 19

GUINNESS'S DRIED GRAINS.

PRICE from 1st FEBRUARY, £3 15s per ton, on rail, Dublin.

SOLE AGENTS FOR MUNSTER:

KILOH & CO., LTD., CORK.
Feb 7

EXTRA-SUPERIOR aged Wether Mutton for sale; hand-fed; carcasses weigh from 60 to 100 lbs; price per half carcass 6½d per lb; delivered free in Limerick. Apply, Steward, Ballinagarde, Limerick.
Dec 29

FOR SALE, Handsome Thoroughbred Mount St Bernard Dog; age 19 months, in *Kennel Club Gazette*; price £10. F. W. Nicholson, Esq. 61, South Mall, Cork.
Feb 11

TO BE SOLD, LAURELVILLE, situated on the North Circular Road. For particulars, apply to F. G. M. Kennedy, 28, Upper Cecil street.
Feb 14

TO LET,

BUILDING GROUND on the Military Road. For particulars apply at 12 Newenham street; or, Messrs. Dundon and Doyle, solicitors.
Jan 21.

Announcement of Births, Marriages, and Deaths not exceeding 5 lines (which must in all cases be duly authenticated) are charged 2s 6d each. For very additional line, 6d

BIRTHS.

Price—February 13, at 84 Lower Leeson street, Dublin, the wife of George Roberts Price, Q.C., of a daughter.
Morris—February 10, at No 2 Victoria terrace, Naas, the wife of John Morris of a son.

MARRIAGE.

Murphy and Moore—February 6, at the Church of the Three Patrons, Rathgar, by the Rev Father O'Donnell, P.P., Miltown, John Murphy, Blackrock, to Julia, youngest daughter of the late Alfred Moore, Manchester.

DEATHS.

Coll—February 10th, at Knockmore, Bruree, Bridget, wife of P. J. Coll.
Evans—At 20 Thomas street, Rosilina, dearly and beloved child of Mary Anne and the late William Evans, aged seven years. Funeral at 9 o'clock on Wednesday morning.
Bourke—February 12, at Barrington's Hospital, Mr Thomas Bourke, compositor, aged 49 years.
Abraham—February 11, at her residence, Montgomery street, Carlow, Ellen Anne, dearly-beloved wife of John Abraham, senior.

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The Treasurer of Barrington's Hospital acknowledges with thanks the following subscriptions:—The Great Southern and Western Railway Company, £10 10s; A Friend (per James C Trench, Esq. Dublin), 4s; Major General Lloyd, £1.

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Limerick.
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WANTED a qualified once. Apply The Keeper, Birdhill
Feb 9

ARMY

TENDERS for the Kindling Wood months, from 1st stations in the Cork the undermentioned on Wednesday, the 2 and Coke, and on 1 for Kindling Wood. Forms of Tender obtained on application Adjutant General commanding Army Service Head Quarter Office, 6th February, 1893
Feb 14

CORPORATION

55 & 56 The Shop Hours' Act Workshops Act, 18

THE Town Council Thursday, the an Inspector to carry above Shop Hours'. The person so appointed a period of three months appointment will be Applications will be Hall, up to 11 o'clock

R. MA
Feb 14, 1893.