

Ireland in the matter of its means of transit, and until such were done they could not hope for much progress. The Viceroyal Commission recently appointed to enquire into the working of the Irish railways, he hoped would throw much light on what he and others had to complain of, and do something to set it right. Mr. J. F. Power next spoke and said he quite agreed with Mr. Field as to the important part played by transit in connection with the Industrial Revival of Ireland. When Mr. Field spoke of transit he spoke of it, in relation to the railways as the traffic in inland waterways was of limited importance, and moreover they were controlled by the railways. The local rates in Ireland were much higher than in Continental countries, but what could be done to bring about a revolution. The last speaker had spoken of State control as a solution, but he did not agree with it, having regard to reasons, the most prominent of which was the repugnance of the Irish people to the hard and fast rule of Government. Mr. E. Gibson denounced the Irish railways as most detrimental to the trade of the country, and until they were purchased by the State there would be no fair play for the commerce of Ireland.

Mr. George de Belle-Ball (Drogheda) said he was pleased to get an opportunity of speaking on the subject of railway policy. He instanced cases of preferential railway rates as applied to Drogheda, where they were to establish a line of coasting steamers to combat the monopoly of the railway corporations, especially the Great Northern Company. Mr. Field reverted to some of Mr. Power's observations as they related to foreign railways and their working. He referred to the injury done to the Irish live stock trade as it concerned the handling of stock, and said the only thing the carriers did was to extract the last penny out of the public to their detriment. Mr. E. Shackleton submitted a paper on the clothing industry. Some discussion followed, and the conference adjourned subsequent to a paper on agricultural machinery by Mr. W. F. Nichamara.

Reported To-day.

BY WIRE AND OTHERWISE.

The death is announced of Signor Guiseppe, the well-known Italian dramatist.

Two quick-firers and one other gun have been taken from a torpedo boat at Sevastopol. No trace of the weapons has been found.

In recognition of his efficiency, Sergt. Lyons, Co. Kerry, has been presented with a medal by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

The dejeuner recently given by the City of Madrid to the King of Spain cost £895 3s. 6d. for the actual meal, while one to the King of Greece cost £873 10s. 6d.

A naphtha explosion and fire at the premises of the Liverpool Boiler Cement Co., on Saturday afternoon caused fatal injuries to a labourer named John M'Nulty and three others were injured.

Prof. de la Roche is low doing Alpine climbing, but for several days he has been confined to his bed owing to the correspondence. The announcement of his retirement is, he says, purely a fiction.

Having partaken of a good sized lump of undercooked beef, twenty-two guests at a wedding party at Liverpooldale, near Newcastle, England,

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, & DEATHS

BIRTHS.
PERROTT—August 31, 1906, at 21 Hollingbourne gardens, West Ealing, to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Perrott—a son.
SMYLY—September 3, at Portobello House, Dublin, the wife of Sir Philip Crampton Smyly, Chief Justice, Sierra Leone, of a daughter.
WEBSTER—September 1, 1906, at Marmullane Regory, Passage West, Co. Cork, the wife of Rev. Charles A. Webster, of a son.

MARRIAGES.
GILMOUR and WATTS—August 30, 1906, at Trinity Presbyterian Church, Cork, by the Rev. J. H. Murphy, M.A., D.D., Rev. John Gilmour, B.A., second son of the late Rev. John Gilmour, Mountjoy, Omagh, to Olive Constance, youngest daughter of Edward Colston Watts, Summerhill South, Cork.
GOLDEN and WEEKES—August 28th, at St. Kevin's Church, Dublin, by the Rev. J. O. Gage Doherty, M.A., Rector of St. Mary's, Dublin, Henry K. Goulden, fourth son of the late Richard Goulden, senr., and of Mrs. Goulden, Rathscanlon, Tubbercurry, County Sligo, to Alice Weekes, only daughter of the late James Weekes and of Mrs. Weekes, 23 Emor street, South Circular road, Dublin.

DEATHS.
CARTER—August 31, 1906, accidentally drowned, at Letter Roseshill, Co. Galway, Richard Hugh Carter, of Veteran's Lodge, Galway, Co. Court Registrar, for Co. Galway, aged 54, sole surviving son of the late Richard Carter, of Wellpark, Galway.
FITZGERALD—On the 28th August, at Fleetwood, of typhoid fever, contracted in camp, Gerald FitzGerald, Captain 5th Battalion Royal Munster Fusiliers, of Fremington, North Devon, late of Ballydonohua, Co. Limerick.
LYNCH—September 1st, at his residence, Ballincollig, John Lynch, vintner; deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and family—R.I.P.
O'BRIEN—On August 30th, at Castle Morros, Co. Kilkenny, the residence of her son-in-law, Ellen, widow of James Thomas O'Brien, sometime Bishop of Ossory, Feras, and Leighlin, and daughter of the late Chief Justice Pennefather, near the close of her 92nd year.
O'CALLAGHAN—On August 31st, at Cummeen, Kilgarvan, Daniel O'Callaghan, aged 66 years. R.I.P.
O'CONNOR—August 29th, at his residence, Cromogue, Milford, Charleville, John O'Connor, aged 65 years—R.I.P.
RICHARDS—August 30, 1906, at his residence, Rathurret, Warrenpoint, Co. Down (suddenly), Charles Frederick Richards, Brigade-Surgeon, R.A.M.C., youngest son of the late Edward Richards, Rector of Clonallon, aged 67 years.
SMYE—September—1906, William Smye, Secretary to the City of Cork Steam Packet Company, second son of Richard Smye, of 3 Carngisue, Cork.

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 Marino ...
 Vidal ...
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