

Limerick Tragedy

Young Man's Death

Inquest Adjourned

Dr Mary Murnane Power, coroner for East Limerick, opened an inquest at the County Courthouse, Limerick, on Saturday afternoon touching the death of a young farm labourer named Patrick McNamara, of Adare, who was killed in a motor crash at Raheen, near Limerick, on Friday eve.

Following evidence of identification and medical evidence, the inquiry was adjourned on the application of the Garda authorities.

The tragedy occurred when McNamara and a companion were cycling out from the city. A motor car coming behind swerved in an effort to avoid the cyclist. The vehicle mounted the ditch on the roadside, and in turning over pressed the unfortunate youth underneath. He died from his injuries shortly after.

The two occupants of the car—a hackney driver and a passenger—were unharmed, with the exception of shock, and the car was only slightly damaged.

Capt J J Little, sovr., Middleton, represented the driver of the car.

At the inquest Supt Cooney stated that the identity of the cyclist who was with the deceased had not been established, and the authorities were most anxious to get in touch with him.
