

cross-examined by Mr Gleeson—One of the two outside called on the two men in the house to take away the watch.

Mrs Catherine Keating, wife of John Keating, gave evidence that on the Friday after the occurrence she went to Thomas Sullivan, the prisoner, and said she would have him prosecuted if he did not have her husband's watch returned; he asked to say nothing more about it and the watch was returned; the watch was returned that night by a man whom she did not recognise. In answer to Mr Gleeson, she said that at the Limerick Assizes a man named Hartnett was charged with being one of the party, and pleaded guilty; three other houses in the locality were asked the same night.

Mr Wright, D I, was examined; and the evidence closed. His lordship in summing up the evidence said the outrage could not be called a moonlighting outrage in the ordinary sense in which they understood the term. If it was an outrage at all, it was one of the larceny type.

The jury disagreed, and the accused was sent back to be tried by another jury.

ARSON IN TIPPERARY.
Michael Bourke pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with having on the 28th August last set fire to a rick of straw, the property of Mr Thomas Keating O'Mahony, near Armel.

The prisoner was not professionally represented. Mr G. Wright, Q C. and Mr J. F. Moriarty, (instructed by Mr George Bolton, Crown Solicitor for Tipperary), prosecuted.

Mr O'Mahony gave evidence that the prisoner had been in his employment, and was dismissed some time before the burning of the straw, which was valued for about £20, and was entirely concealed; he saw the prisoner in the vicinity of the rick before it was on fire.

The prisoner's brother, James Bourke, deposed that he having been requested by the prisoner to order Mr O'Mahony for an order for a pair of boots, and the order was not given, and the prisoner, who had two matches in his hand standing near the rick of straw, said he would set fire to it: witness mentioned him against doing so, but in a short time subsequently the rick was on fire; witness did not see the prisoner set fire to the rick.

There were no witnesses examined for the defence, and his lordship having summed up, the jury retired. They were unable to agree and the prisoner was put back.

The boy, Michael Bourke, in whose case the jury had agreed, was subsequently tried and convicted by another jury. Sentence deferred.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO FIRE CAPTAIN DAWSON'S PLANTATION.
The two young men, Patrick Lonergan and Michael Darcy, who were arraigned early to-day on a charge of attempting to set fire to the plantation of Captain G. Massey Dawson at Clonbeg, in the South Riding of Tipperary, were put forward for trial.

The evidence was that, on the night of the 3rd day, two constables who were lying in ambush in the plantation overheard the prisoners conversing with one another. Lonergan was asked to say, "Give me a match and I will set it to the b—y place." He struck several matches, but without success, and then exclaimed, "They're damp; they won't light." There was a crackling of matches, after which the prisoners went away. Next morning when the police searched the place they found 16 half-burnt matches at the spot.

The defence was that the men stopped at this place to light their pipes when on their way and when under the influence of drink. The jury, after deliberating for about an hour and a half, announced a disagreement and were discharged, while the prisoners were put back.

CHARGE OF ATTACKING A HOUSE IN TIPPERARY
Matthew Armstrong pleaded not guilty to an indictment charging him with having, on the

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BIRTHS.

Kirwan—Dec. 3, at Goresbridge, Co. Kilkenny, the wife of Thomas Kirwan of a son.
Norman—Dec. 7, at 6 Stonor road, West Kensington, London, W, the wife of Arthur W Norman, of a son.

MARRIAGE.

Edwards and Farthing—Dec. 7. at Saint Andrew's, Guernsey, Channel Isles, by the Rev J N Pilbeam, Thomas Edwards to Rose Farthing, of Natteaux Villa, St Andrew's, Guernsey.

DEATHS.

Nolan—On the 11th December, 1891, at the Crescent, Limerick, of broncho-pneumonia, Mary, relict of the late James Nolan, aged 68 years—R.I.P. Funeral at 9 o'clock on Sunday morning from St Michael's Church.
Coghlan—December 10, at Grannagh House, Waterford, Dr Coghlan, Coroner.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The Rev Canon Gregg thankfully acknowledges the following contributions for Christmas dinner for poor Protestants:—Mr Robert Hunt, £1; Mr Vanderkiste, £1; A Friend, 10s; Anonymous, 5s. The Secretary Protestant Orphan Society thankfully acknowledges from Mrs W E Malley (annual subscription), £2; Earl of Limerick, ditto, £5; Kilmallock Branch (per O Eyre Townsend, Esq), £5 10s; R Hunt, Esq (annual subscription), £2; Messrs J Hogg & son, ditto, £1.

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Oct 17

MARKETS.

LIMERICK MARKETS—D.

CORN—There were 176 barrels of oatmeal this day, 699 barrels of oats, 100 barrels of barley. Wheat from 11½d to 13½d; oats (round), 10d to 10½d; do (Tarr) black oats, 9d to 10d; barley, 10½d

BREADSTUFFS—W and S patent, whites, 33s 0d; fines, 32s 0d; oatmeal bran, £7 5s per ton; special bran, £7 0s; special pollard, £6 15s; do C, £8 0s; do F, £8 8s; do X F, £8 3s per sack. The above are whole

BUTTER—There were 130 firkins of this day. Top price for good from 70s to 78s; medium, 64s to 70s to 64s. All 3-0-14. Lumps fetched per lb.

EGGS—Hen eggs, 1s 2d to 1s 6d per egg, 1s 4d to 1s 6d.

MEAT—Hind quarters of mutton, quarters, 7d; roasting beef, 9d; st 9d; corn beef, 7d.

FOWL—Turkeys, from 7s to 12; 6d from 4s 6d to 7s do. Chickens, 2s to market of fowl.

DEAD PIGS—Dead pigs sold at from 10wt this day.

AMERICAN BACON—Short rib middle rib backs, 41s; clear backs, 40 middles, 36s.

HIDES AND SKINS—Hides, 2s 3d to kip and runner, 1s 9d to 2s 6d per st 1s 8d to 2s 0d each; horse skins, 9s; ass skins, 2s 6d to 3s 0d each; sheep 5s 6d each; goat skins, 10d to 1s 4d

HAY & STRAW—There were 31 ½ loads of oaten straw, and five loads of reed in market this day. Rye hay, 85s; upland hay, 40s to 75s; oat 47s; wheaten reed, 52s 6d to 58s

CARROTS—There were 4 loads of carrot to-day, which sold at 30s per ton.

TURNIPS—There were 33 loads of turnip to-day, which sold at 14s to 16s per

POTATOES—There was 52 loads in market, which was sold at 3½d to

DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET.
(L. Cuffe & Sons' Report)
At our Christmas market to-day demand for well-finished beef, with slight advance. Rougher descriptive to replace, at about late rates. Good suitable for our Dublin victuallers, but more money; other classes of sheep request at barely last week's price 58s to 60s per cwt; secondary and 50s. Wether mutton, 6½d to 6¾d per 5½d. 3,485 beasts, 5,789 sheep.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

CORK BUTTER MARKET.

1sts	Ordinary	..	125s	Mild-cv
2nds	..	..	110s	Super-fine
3rds	..	..	94s	Fine Mild
4ths	..	..	77s	Mild
	Kegs.	..	..	Cc
				Fine Mild