

MISCELLANEOUS.

Mr S H Monroe, brother of Mr Justice Monroe, has been appointed Sessional Crown Solicitor for the county Armagh.

The Standard's New York correspondent says the Irish are planning a monster meeting there, to be addressed by Mr O'Brien.

The Daily News understands it is intended forthwith to appoint three additional Commissioners under the Irish Land Act of 1881.

It is stated that the Government will not give way on the clause which provides for changing the venue for important trials from Ireland to London.

A Reuter's telegram from Calcutta states that, should the Ameer be overthrown by the rebel tribes in Afghanistan, England and Russia would combine to suppress the disorders of the country, and put a new ruler, under their united protection, on the throne.

The North German Gazette states that the policy of Germany continues to be directed to bringing about an understanding between the two friendly powers of Russia and Austria, hinting by this semi-official announcement that serious differences continue to exist.

A Loughrea telegram states that information has just reached there of several attacks being made by Moonlighters on Wednesday night. They commenced at the village of Ballyshea. Stones were thrown into several houses, and walls pulled down. Afterwards they attacked houses near Ardrahan.

The Pope having received an official notification from the Prussian Government of the adoption by the Diet of the Ecclesiastical Laws Amendment Bill, has telegraphed to the Emperor William and Prince Bismarck, thanking them for supporting the measures, and expressing the desire for the prosperity of the German Empire and the Catholic Church.

News has reached Perth (Western Australia), that, on the 22nd inst, a hurricane passed over the north-east coast and struck the pearl fishing fleet. Forty boats are missing, most of them having gone down in the storm. Others were driven by the force of the wind far out to sea, and nothing has yet been heard of them. It is estimated that as many as five hundred and fifty persons have perished.

The Times' Philadelphia correspondent telegraphs—The colliers in the Pennsylvania anthracite region, 90,000 in number, are reported to be preparing for a strike on May 10th for an advance of wages of 10 per cent. As the supplies of coal are of excessive amount, the Anthracite Mining Companies are arranging for a suspension of work during part of May, so that the success of the strike is doubtful.

The twentieth annual meeting of the London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Company, Liverpool, was held on Thursday. A dividend of 12 per cent for the year 1886 was declared. The sum of £20,000 was added to the reserve and reinsurance fund, raising it to £300,000, and the surplus of £75,412 was carried forward. The dividend paid the previous year was 10 per cent, £40,000 added to reserve, and £71,697 carried forward.

MR O'BRIEN'S VISIT TO CANADA—Mr H J Cloran, president of the Land League, has received a cablegram from Mr O'Brien saying that he and Mr Kilbride will start for Canada on Monday, by the Cunard steamer. Mr Cloran says that Mr O'Brien will not make a crusade against Lord Lansdowne, but appeal to Irishmen to aid the poor evicted tenants. The Gazette, the official Government organ, says that Mr O'Brien must be restrained in his agitation.

NOVA SCOTIA AND COERCION.—The Nova Scotian legislature has adopted a resolution, moved by the Premier to the effect—

THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 30, 1887

THE DEATH OF MR W. H. O'SULLIVAN. At the usual weekly meeting of the Kilmallock Board of Guardians on Thursday, Mr McDonnell, V.C. in the chair,

Mr P O'Shaughnessy said that he took on himself the painful duty of expressing the deep and heartfelt sorrow of the members of the Board at the death of their dear friend, Wm H O'Sullivan. His feelings so overcame him that he was afraid he could not give suitable expression to the feelings of his heart on the subject. He had known Mr O'Sullivan intimately for over five and twenty years; he had been associated with him for thirteen years at that board, and they all knew that Mr O'Sullivan was really a guardian, who was a guardian of the poor above all, and in the real sense of the word. He was the dear friend of the labourers. They all knew that he was the man who placed them in that board-room in their position of elected guardians—as guardians in an independent position, who could speak and act as they thought. For there had been a time there when another class ruled the board, and Mr O'Sullivan, by his exertions, had destroyed that monopoly and left them independent governors and directors of the business of the union, quite irrespective of the higher classes. The people of Kilmallock knew well what Mr O'Sullivan had done for the benefit of their cause, of their town, and themselves. His last effort was—and it was almost the consummation of his life, as it was his highest ambition—to bring into the house those messengers of peace and good—the good Sisters of Charity. He strove for a long time to accomplish his purpose, and finally succeeded in having a house erected fit to receive them. He was sure it would be a long time before his place could be replaced to the guardians and the poor. He was ever indefatigable in their cause, but God's will should be done, and they should be satisfied to part even with the dearest friends. He begged to propose the following resolution, which he was sure would be unanimously carried:—Resolved—That we, the Guardians of the Kilmallock Union, having heard with profound regret of the lamented death of the late Wm H O'Sullivan, Esq, who for over thirty years was a member of this board, and for several years acted as chairman, and during his lengthened connection with the board, earned the respect and esteem of all classes, we therefore deplore his departure from amongst us at a comparatively early age, and hereby tender to Mrs O'Sullivan and the several members of the family our deepest sympathy in the very great loss they have sustained, and that the clerk be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to Mrs O'Sullivan; and that out of respect to the memory of the deceased the board do now adjourn." He was very sorry that any occasion had arisen in which he had the melancholy satisfaction in proposing such a resolution. He took the guardians as universally seconding the motion.

The motion was unanimously seconded and carried, and the Board then adjourned.

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