

on to the works in contemplation, in order to prepare an Order under section 1 of the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1878, defining the area of charge for the expenses incurred by the project.

It was agreed to acquaint the Council with the division of the circumstance prior to any being taken.

DELEGATES TO PUBLIC HEALTH CONGRESS.
 In connection with the appointment of delegates to the coming Congress of the Royal Institute of Public Health, to be held in Dublin, the Local Government Board directed the attention of the Council to a copy of their Order of the 12th July 1894, from which it appeared that sections 2 and 4 of the Public Health and Local Government Conferences of 1885, the Council was empowered to incur the reasonable expenses incurred by any member or members in attending such conference, and purchasing the reports of any conference. The maximum number of members authorised to attend any conference was two.

The Chairman—We won't mind attending. We mark the document read.

ENGINEER'S REPORTS.
 In consideration of the Engineer's reports on the proposed alterations to the water supply, the Council adjourned after disposing of the business of a departmental character.

CLERGYMAN'S NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING.

Rev. Father Byrne, S.T.L., St. John's College, Waterford, had a narrow escape from being drowned whilst bathing at Tramore yesterday. He swam out a good distance, but in returning was caught by the under-current, and was unable to make any headway. Three young men named Joseph White, Thomas Murphy, and Michael Armstrong, went to his assistance, bringing a life-belt with them attached to a rope held by the bathing men, and by this means the gentleman was brought safely ashore.

THE CORPORATION.

The weekly meeting of the Standing Committees of the Corporation was held last night, the Mayor in the chair. At the Water Committee the order of Messrs. John Shaw and Company, Mary Hill Iron Works, Glasgow, was accepted for the supply of 780 yards of six inch cast iron water pipes at £156. The tender of Messrs Blakeborough and Sons, Brig House, for the supply of special valves and fittings at £94 8s was accepted. The officers in attendance included Mr. A. Killeen, Assistant Town Clerk, and the City Engineer.

At the quarterly meeting in Belfast yesterday the Royal Society of Antiquaries in Ireland, following were elected members—Rev. M. Butler, D.D., P.P., Glendalough; Rev. M. Butler, F.R.I.B.A., Dublin; Rev. B. S. Craig, Killybegs; N. Taylor, solicitor, Dublin; and Rev. J. Craig Wallace, Raphoe.

Mr. M. O'Neill wished to have the child produced. O'Shaughnessy had gone through his division denouncing him.

Mr. Barrington suggested that as the Relieving Officer was not present the matter should be adjourned for his attendance.

Mr. M. O'Neill—Very well. I would suggest an adjournment for a week.

The Clerk said the Relieving Officer was on holidays, and would not be in attendance for three weeks.

In the circumstances it was decided to adjourn the matter for three weeks.

FUNERAL OF CANON MILLS.

The funeral of the late Rev. Canon Mills, M.A., Rector of Bruff, took place yesterday, the remains having arrived from Dublin, where the deceased clergyman passed away on Sunday. There was a large attendance of the parishioners, and numbers of other friends to pay a last mark of respect to the memory of the rev. gentleman who was justly esteemed and respected by all who knew him. The chief mourners were—Miss Mills, and Miss Annie Mills (Daughters), and the Rev. Mr. Mills, brother of the deceased. The Service was read by Rev. Chancellor (Father) Booth, M.S., Minister, Killybegs. The Rev. Mr. Donohier, Rector of Knockanahilly. The Bishop of Limerick and Ardferd delivered a very impressive and touching address. The hymns sung by the church choir were "Abide with Me," and "Peace, Perfect Peace."

STRIKE OF LONDON DOCKERS.

Serious Developments.

Enormous losses have been caused by the strike of workers and carmen in London. Fruit, fish, meat, and vegetables are lying at the docks and markets in great quantities, and the strict picketing of the strikers prevents any successful effort at their distribution. It is stated that nearly 100,000 men are now out, and the latest development is a threat on the part of the London County Council tramway men to join the strikers. The attitude of the railway carmen causes considerable apprehension. The Conference at the Board of Trade adjourned without coming to any agreement. At Liverpool the strike of goods railway porters is extending, and there also the work of distributing fruit supplies is carried on with the greatest difficulty. Passenger porters are gradually joining the men in the goods departments.

POLITICAL SITUATION.

The Government's plans have been materially changed during the past twenty-four hours. The Premier has not returned to town, and consequently there is no audience of the King. It is not definitely known whether the King will pay his visit to Studley Royal to-morrow.

The Furness Railway dividend is three-quarters per cent.

Cloahast, Knocklong.

REMOUNT CLUB.
 Class 10 (Money prize for War Horse)—1st prize, Patrick Butler, Ford—Chestnut mare, a P. Primrose; 2nd, Patrick H. Pallaagreen, Co. Limerick.

HUNTER MARES AND IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY.
 Class 12—Special prize off improvement Society—W. Kelly, Hill House, Coolna Peter.

Class 13 (Open)—Best led under—1st prize, Miss M. Tipperary—Little John, bay Dwyer, Ballinlina, Golden.

DRIVING PRIZES FOR HOLIDAYS.
 Class 14 (Open)—Best trap—Pony and Trap, not exact prize, James White, Kyle, bay; 2nd, S. J. Toole, Tipperary; Keating, Fethard, Tipperary.

POULTRY.
 There was a large show of prize winners being Mr. R. H. A. Cooke, Thurles; Hamboro; Mrs. Maas, Ardfi Rathcoola, Co. Kildare; Mr. Miss Rafferty, Oola; Rev. Mrs. Smithwick, The Cottage Mitchell, Banna; Mr. R. town, Co. Waterford; Mr. Mr. J. Hunter, Cahir; Mr. Miss Miller, Pallaagreen Kyle; Mrs. Hosford, Skibb Cappawhite; Mrs. Hosford; Mrs. Hayes, B. Rathnavoon, Tipperary; Donohill; John Greene, Lillian Maas, Ardfinane; Field; Mr. R. O'Brien, O'Keefe, Ballydrind, Cal Newtown, Monard; Mrs. J. Monard.

JUMPING.
 Best pony, 12½ hands bank, three hurdles and gate—Crough, Monard; 2nd, Tomboy; 3rd, Denis Quinn.
 Best performer, five year hurdle, bank, stone wall, and ant Grubb, Cloghnan—Tom shall's Cuoko; 3rd, Capt Pastry.
 Championship for best pony any age, over hurdle, bank—1st, Mrs. Marshall's Oul Lieut. Grubb's Tommy.

DRIVING.
 Best pony and trap—Tipperary; 2nd, Robert Heur Paddy.

Cashel Urban Council asking each of the Irish influence the respective Court Bill, now before Ireland. Dr. Laffan was