September 11 show £2,383,342 in total receipts, or £80,061 more than in the corresponding week last year. Receipts were at the rate of £110 15s 10d per mile of line open, an increase of £3 7s 6d a mile as compared with last year. ---

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A LIGHTHOUSE THAT LOOKS AFTER ITSELF.

The inner Farne Island has now a lighthouse which looks after itself. New automatic machinery has been installed which turns the acetyline gas on at dusk and off at dawn. The members of the old lighthouse staff have left. The gear, it is reckoned, will need only attention once in six months, so that for all but a few days in the year the island will be left to the bescon and the ~~~

# POPULARITY OF THE AUTOMOBILE.

It is estimated that at the beginning of the summer season, there were 373,900 automobile cars in active service in the United States, and estimating their value at 1,500 dols. each, their aggregate value is nearly 600,000,000dols. New York heads the list with about 60,000, California has 35,000, Himois 27,500, Pennysylvania 26,000, Ohio: 25,500, Massachusetts 25,000, and New Jersey, 20,000. Naturally, since these figures were compiled, there has been a large increase in the number of cars.

# - 62 ENGINE-DRIVER'S STRANGE MISHAP.

While J. A. Walker was driving the Irish mail train from Chester to Holyhead, just after midnight, the glass of the look-out, in his cabin was broken, and he was violently struck in the eye by some object, becoming temporarily dazed. The fireman, looking around for an explanation, dis covered a dead thrush on the foot-plate. Although his eye was bleeding profusely, Walker drove his engine through to Holyhead, where he went off

#### PLOTTING THE AIR.

A German aeronaut has devised a system of orientation which will help the German aviator, at least in finding his way through the air. Each German province is provided with a number, and every community is provided with a letter. A guide-book to be carried by the aviator contains a list of provinces and towns similarly designated. Thus if an aviator sees the character "40 A I" painted on the roof of a house in Rhineau he knows immediately where he is by referring to his book. At night these signs are to be illuminated. The system is now actually being installed in

#### AN AMAZING MEMORY.

. Sir Albert de Rutzen, the London magistrate, who presides over the Crippen case, has an amazing memory. On one occasion a prisoner thinking to get off with a light sentence, said that he had never appeared in the dock before. The magistrate, however, refreshed his memory with the remark that they had met in similar circumstances many years before. "'E ain't a beak," muttered the discomfitted one, amidst a storm of laughter from the court, "'e's a book." In spite of his advanced age, Sir Albert is still in fine physical condition, thanks to his athletic disposition. He rowed for Cambridge as long ago ag Arthur 1849, Lord Justice Chitty being in the opposing "was Uxford crew

following awards-Sergeant Young and Actingsergeant Blennerhassett, silver medal and £2; and Constable Joyce, certificate and £1.

# THE LATE MR. MICHAEL GUINANE

.The funeral of the late Mr. Michael Guinane, an Assistant Manager in the firm of Messre Cleeve Brothers, who passed away at his residence. St John's Terrace, Mulgrave Street, on Friday at the comparatively early age of 52 years, took place on Sunday afternoon from St. John's Cathedral for Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. The cortege was of considerable dimensions; a large number of friends from city and country attending to pay a last mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, and of sympathy with his bereaved family and relatives.

The chief mourners were-Mis. Guinane (widow), Master Gerald Guinane (son); Mr. James Guinane; Cloulara (brother); Mrs. McGregor, Sixmile Bridge (sister); Mr. Mathew McNamara (brotherin-law); Miss M. McNamara (sister-in-law); the Misses B. Julia and Mary Ryan, and Miss J. McNamara (nicces); Master John McNamara (nephew): Messes J. Kennedy, senior, J. Kennedy, junior, A. Kennedy, Thomas McNamara, John McNamara (Shelbourne), and Thomas McNamara (Clondtina), relatives.

The clergy present were—Father Connolly, C.C., Father Michael Murphy, C.C., St. John's

C.C., Father Michael Murphy, C.C., St. John's, Amongst the general public were Masses F. C. Cleeve, in the various staffs were represented by the following; —Meases M. Dooley, J. Cunningham, C. O. Jones, M. Riordan, F. Bourke, M. S. Hayes, M. Moloney, J. O'Donnell, T. Lane, E. J. Gallaher, J. M'Mahon, W. Forde, J. Manning, R. Lennon, W. O'Sullivan, J. Riordan, J. Hickey, J. Purcell, D. Blake, J. Blake, J. Ronan, T. Blake, N. Gallagher, F. Haslam, M. McLoughlin, C. A. Johnston, M. Quigley, E. Lysaght, J. O'Neill, H. O'Neill, P. Hurley, M. Grimes, M. Sheehan, Jas. Kennelly, Patrick Dowling, M. Flannery, J. Brockert, Jas. Bell, A. Hutchinson, John Hurley, Staff Messrs Bell, A. Hutchinson, John Hurley. Staff Messrs J. P. Evans and Co.—D. Hannon, W. Riordan, E. Collopy, S. Cunningham, J. Quirke, F. E. Collopy, S. Cunningham, J. Quirke, F. Patterson, J. Dalton, M. Cahill, J. Ryan, M. Shechan, W. Dundon.

Amongst those present from Clondara and district, deceased's native place, we're—Messrs M. G. S. Welsh, P. Mulqueen, D.C., P. Murnane, P. Bourke, J. Keane, Jeremiah McCormack, Pat O'Grady, Pat McMahon, Michael O'Grady, James McCormack, Michael Bielly, John O'Dwyer, McCormaek, Michael Rielly, John O'Dwyer, Edmond O'Dwyer, John Cremin, John Eahy, A. Stritche, D.C., John Madden, D.C., Ml. Hannan, D.C., John O'Shaughnessy, Martin Moloney, Ml. Stritche, E. Hynes, P. Sheridan, T. Whelan, Miss O'Shaughnessy, etc. Those also present included—The Mayor (Mr. T. Ryan, B.C.), O. Ryan (William street), James Forrest, J. Fenneli, P. J. Glecson, J. Kiely (Sarsfield street), R. Frost, D.C., P. Kennely, builder, James and Peter Loyle, P. Aherne, James Corbett, J. Haves—Guerin, anditor, G.S. W. P. Gorbett, J. Hayes — Guerin, auditor G.S. W.R., J. Tuite, do., J. J. Ryan (Patrick street), J. Ormston, J. Lane (Assistant Master Limerick Union), J. O'Brien (Catherine street), Ald. Donnelly, T. Byan, Catherine street; M. Glesson, Dr. Scaulan, D. O'Donovan, Glentworth Street, T. Garry, J. O'Donovan, Glentworth Gleson, Dr. Scanian, D. O'Donovan, Glentworth street; T. Geary, J. O'Donovan, Cathedral Place; P. J. Rea, John Killeen (McBirney & Co.), Alderman Donnellan, MI. Bartley, W. W. W. Sttaker, J. Winder, T. McInerney, Maurice Quilty, Annacotty, Martin and James Hassett, Thomondgate; P. McNamara, Shelbourne, etc. Carriages were sent by Mr. F. C. Cleeve, Lady Cleeve, Dr. Graham, Mr. M. G. S. Welsh, and numerous others.

numerous others.

Wreaths were sent by many friends, including Wreaths were sent by many friends, including the following:—"From his sorrowing wife and child"; "with heartfelt sympathy from Matt and Mary"; "with loving sympathy from Maggie and Julia"; "with deep sympathy from B. Collins; "with deep sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hassett"; "in affectionate remembrance of a quarter of a century's loyal and devoted service, from Cleeve Bros."; "with sad regret for an old associate and friend, Official Staff, Lansdowne"; "with deep regret from the Boy Employees, Caramel Factory"; "with deep regret from the Girl Employees Caramel Factory"; "with deep regret from the Girl Employees Caramel Factory"; with deep sympathy from the Men Employees, Caramel Factory.

out of the house.

Witress-Yes. His Honor—You say you do not know the value of your room? For what do you claim the

The Witness-There are five of us there, and we hold the house conjointly.

His Honor-That does away with your claim. Your evidence has disposed of the votes of the whole of you. The claim was struck out.

Other cases were disposed of, and the Court adjourned.

## This Day.

County Court Judge Law-Smith sat in the Crown Courf at half-past ten o'clock to-day and continued the revision of the Parliamentary and Municipal Franchise Lists for the city.

Mr. Wm. M. Beauchamp, Clerk of the Crown and Peace; Mr. C. H. Fitt, assistant do.; Mr. Wm. M Nolan, J.P., Town Clerk; Mr. Andrew Killeen, assistant do.; Mr. H. J. Guinane, Clerk of Union, and Mr. J. O'Brien, assistant do., were in attendance.

The general public, present in very number, included Alderman Joyce, M.P. Alderman

J. O'Brien, Alderman D. MoNeice. Mr. P. J. O'Sullivan, solicitor, appeared for the Nationalists.

Mr. J. H. Moran, solicitor, appeared for the All-for-Ireland League.

## AN OBJECTOR EXAMINED.

At the sitting of the court, John McMahon, a workman in the employment of Mesers Murphy, Glentworth street, was called by Mr. Moran to prove his signature to some

objections. The witness was sworn and said he wrote his

name for Mr. Moran to give an impression for the stamp (produced), Mr. Moran—That was before the 20th August

The witness did not answer.

His Honor-Did you hear the question?

The witness said he did, but he could not give the date.

Mr. Moran—Did you get a stamp afterwards, and did you sign certain objections?

The Witness—I signed certain objections, but I

could not tell you what they were

Mr. Moran-They were for the Abbey Ward. Did you sign a book?

The Witness—I signed some of it.

Mr. Moran—Was the body of the book filled up,

the names of the parties objected to filled up?

The witness at the parties objected to mice up:
The witness stated he could not say, being barely able to write his name. He did not see the date of the objections, but he identified the stamp (produced) which had a fac-simile of his

Mr. Moran Subsequently you declined to sign

the rest of the objections?

The Witness—I did, a few days afterwards,
Mr. Moran—Why did you do them then? The Witness-Because I did not at first know the meaning of them.

His Honor-Why The Witness-I did not know the meaning of

them, Mr. Moran—Did anybody come to you?

The Witness-Not until the day after, some people came to me and told me not to sign any more of the objections. They told me the meaning

of them, Mr. Moran-What did they tell you the

meaning of the objections was?.
The witness—They told me what they were for. I did not know what they were for before

Mr. Moran-On what day did they tell you about the objections?

The witness—About two days after I did it.

Mr. Moran—Did they say anything else to you!

The witness-Nothing else.

Mr. Moran—Come now, remember yourself Did they threaten you?

The witness—They did not, sig.

Mr. Moran—Do you remember telling me they went to your house and were looking at the number of your house;

The witness... That is a fact, but they did not

threaten me.

Mr. Moran—Did you tell me you were afraid?
The with a I did not, sir.
Mr. Moran asked if the witness had not stated that he had himself and his family to consider in the matter?