

The Galway Roads Committee is arranging to send representatives to the Councils in the County to view the roads in County Tipperary and to see the improvement brought about by steam rolling.

Captain F. Call, 1st Battalion Royal Irish Regiment, has been appointed adjutant of the Malabar R.V. at Calicut, in succession to Captain F. C. S. Dunlop, Manchester Regiment, who completes five years on November 14.

The death has been learned with extreme regret in county Tipperary of Mrs. M'Inerney, Nenagh, widow of the late Dr. J. M'Inerney, Ballinasloe, and sister of the late Mr. John Tumpane, auctioneer.

At a meeting in Shanagolden, Father Liston, P.P., presiding, a branch of the United Irishwomen was formed. The object of this Association is to draw together the women of Ireland, without regard to class, politics, or religion, in the endeavour to better the conditions of rural life, socially and industrially. Miss Reynolds, organiser, attended and addressed the meeting.

The death has occurred at a private hospital in London of Mr. John Cotter, Tipperary, brother of Rev. Garrett Cotter, Vice-President of Thurles College. Deceased had extensive business dealings in Tipperary for 28 years. The remains were brought from London to Tipperary for interment, the funeral cortege including many of the leading inhabitants of the town.

Mr. P. J. O'Shaughnessy, M.P., attended a meeting at Glin, at which resolutions were passed expressing confidence in the Irish Party, urging that they should "hammer into shape" the Insurance Bill to suit the needs of the country, and asking Mr. O'Shaughnessy to support that measure. Copies of the resolution on the Insurance Bill were ordered to be sent to Mr. John Redmond, Mr. Birrell, and Mr. Lloyd-George.

### DROWNING ACCIDENT NEAR BRUFF.

Yesterday afternoon a tailor named Cunningham was found in a trench at Miltown, near Bruff, dead. It appears that two lads were going home, and the place where the body was found is a short cut through some field, and when crossing a rather dangerous fence they saw the man in the trench. They were frightened, and ran to Bruff and gave the alarm. The police went at once to the scene of the accident, and found the man with his head and shoulders in one and a half feet of water, and one of his legs stretched out on the bank. The body was warm, showing that the man was not long in the trench. Having examined the place it was found that the poor man was evidently stepping across the trench to get on the ditch, and grasped a paling stick, which gave way, with the result that he was thrown into the trench on his head. The remains were brought to Bruff to await an inquest.—Cox.

### ASSAULT ON SIR MORGAN O'CONNELL.

Tralee, Wednesday.

At a special Court, held at Tralee to-day (before Mr. Wynne, R.M., and Captain Goodlake) G. Mullins, John Connor, James Connor, and James Murphy, from Rabcommane, some miles from Killarney were brought up again and charged with assaulting Sir Morgan O'Connell, Bart., of Lake View.

District Inspector O'Bierne prosecuted, and Mr. Murphy, LL.B., defended.

Sir Morgan O'Connell, sworn deposed that James Connor was brought before him the first time when in bed. He now saw him in daylight for the first time. He had no doubt whatever that he was the man who rushed at him with the uplifted step. With regard to the next prisoner, John Connor, Sir Morgan said—When I made the first deposition my impression was that he cycled up. I now do not believe this. The other prisoner, James Murphy, I did not see him doing anything.

The witness was cross-examined at considerable length.

Father Costelloe stated that when he came on after performing the marriage ceremony he found the wedding party pulled up on the road, and Sir Morgan O'Connell sitting down near his motor covered about the head and neck with blood. The prisoner Murphy was there, he thought, but would not swear it. A girl and a man appeared to be trying to keep back the assailants.

Dr. McSweeney described the wounds on Sir Morgan O'Connell, and the Court adjourned till Saturday.

### KILWORTH CAMP.

#### Proposed Important Extension.

During the past few days the War Office authorities have been busy negotiating with the tenants of lands in the Araglen district with the view of extending the present Kilworth Camp for the purposes of an artillery range. It is believed that about 6,000 acres of land will be affected by the proposed extension, and the tenants will have the option of selling their interest outright, or receiving a payment as compensation for injury done during the manœuvring season.

find an echo in the hearts of those who heard them. In parting with one that was so beloved, in feeling the loss of our dear brother, must also feel that a heavier loss has been sustained by his own parish and neighbourhood, where he ministered for many years, where his worth was chiefly known as a godly man, a kind and sympathising neighbour, and a firm and real friend in times of need. I will not enter into the sacredness of the home life, but we can lift up our hearts and pray for those whom he has left behind, that they may have God's sustaining grace. In thus parting with our dear brother and rendering him the last tribute of our esteem and affection, while we mourn over the loss by his removal, surely faith can pierce the gloom which surrounds us, and in which death envelops us here, and from the other side we can hear that welcome in the eternal light of God which the Master gave his servant: "Well done thou good and faithful servant. Enter thou into the joy of thy Lord."

The coffin, on which were placed many autumn flowers and wreaths of remembrance and regard, was carried from its temporary resting place, almost fronting the late Canon's stall, draped in black for the occasion, to the newly-made grave, south of the Cathedral, and where so many notable citizens of Limerick rest. The grave was lined with flowers, and the Bishop, the clergy and the laity moved in processional order to the graveside, the choir as the remains were lowered singing, "Now the Labourer's task is o'er." Several wreaths were laid on the grave, and at the close of the religious ceremony, after the Committal Service was read by the Dean, the Bishop pronounced the Benediction.

The chief mourners at the funeral were—Mrs. Luther (widow), Miss Luther (daughter) G. F. Dixon (brother-in-law), Miss Dixon, and Major H. J. Luther (nephew).

The clergy present were—The Bishop (Right Rev. Dr. Orpen), Dean O'Brien, Archdeacon Gabbett, Rev. Precentor Adderley, Rev. Chancellor Hackett, Rev. Canon Haydn (Treasurer), Canons Vance, Langbridge, McClean, Robertson, Bradley, and Lynch (Diocese of Cusheal and Emly), and Canon Gillespie (Diocese of Killaloe), Rev. T. F. Abbott (Precentor), Rev. J. T. Waller, Rev. H. A. H. Orpen, Rev. R. J. Colthurst, Rev. W. Keillor, Rev. G. L. Swain, Rev. G. C. Phair, Rev. F. G. Reid (Kilfinane), Rev. R. H. Semple.

Canon Atkinson and Ross-Lewin were unavoidably prevented from being present.

The laity included—Wm. Holliday, City High Sheriff, G. E. Farmer, Wm. M. Beauchamp, R. T. Lavery, F. St. C. Hobson, B. Barrington, solr., C. H. Fitt, S. Winter, P. R. Toppin, Gubbins, J. G. Kelly, J.P.; H. Lefroy, J. Hickman Shine, Joseph E. Galbraith, W. Croston, H. Russell, — Russell, T. Gale, W. Gale, J. Burrows, John Russell, Michael Ryan, J. J. Shine, W. Smith, A. Shire, J. Rowe, E. G. Fitt, W. B. Fitt, J. Stack, P. Kinevane, P. Henihan, M. Connell, J. Waugh, T. A. Ferguson, P. J. McGrath, E. Christy, P. McNamara, M. McNamara, Captain Verschoyle, F. J. Gleeson, J. C. T. Day, Courtenay Croker, Sir Alexander Shaw, T. Auchmuty, Dr. Long, G. Baldwin, T. Wall, R. Lee, John Heath, T. H. Brett, J. P. Rahilly, James Flynn, J. Hill, E. C. Winter, V.S.

The following is a list of wreaths—"From this devoted wife and little Theodora," "From all at Glenview," Mrs. Adderley, Miss Croker, Mr. and Mrs. Hickson, Mr. and Mrs. Burley Shine, Mrs. John Hunt, the Misses Dixon, Mr. Robert Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dixon, Mr. Harman Dixon, Mr. Cecil Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Dixon, The Bishop and Miss Orpen, Mr. and Mrs. Grene Barry, Mr. and Mrs. Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Muspratt, Mr. P. O'Donnell, Mr. W. Hall, Mrs. Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Hurley and family, Mrs. Creaghe, Mrs. Lawford, Miss Hunt, the Maids of Cahernarry, Dr. A. V. Shine, the Orphan Girls, "In very grateful remembrance," Canon C. V. and Mrs. Atkinson, Kilpeacon Rectory, "Theodora," Mr. J. Hickman Shine, Mr. and Mrs. Abbott, the Dean and Mrs. O'Brien, the Committee of the Limerick Protestant Orphan Society, Miss Kathleen Harding.

Several carriages were also sent, and the funeral arrangements were carried out by Messrs. Henihan and Co.

### RESOLUTIONS OF SYMPATHY.

#### Limerick Board of Guardians.

At Limerick Board of Guardians yesterday. Mr. Rahilly proposed the following:—"That we, the Limerick Board of Guardians, have heard with profound regret of the death of the Rev. Canon Luther, who was for very many years, Protestant Rector of Cahernarry Parish; his sympathy and christian charity towards the poor in the district in which he lived endeared him to the entire community whose expressions of regret amply testify to the relations that existed between the Catholic community and the deceased rev. gentleman; to his relatives we tender our sincere sympathy in their sad bereavement, and we direct our Clerk to forward a copy of this resolution to his widow." The resolution was seconded unanimously, and the Board then adjourned.

#### Clare Street Temperance Club.

At a meeting of the Clare Street Workingmen's Temperance Club last night, on the motion of Mr. James Connors, seconded by Mr. John Lyons, a vote of sympathy was passed with Mrs. Luther on the death of her husband, the late Canon Luther,

At present the Court was held fortnightly, and the requisition asked that in future it be held on the second Monday of each month. They wanted one session a month instead of two, and the change could only be accomplished with the concurrence of the magistrates assembled at Quarter Sessions.

Mr. P. T. Liston, solicitor, supported the memorial. The change would be in the public interests, and greatly convenience the magistrates and professional men attending Court. He was glad to say that litigation at Rathkeale Petty Sessions had gone down enormously, and that being so it was really a waste of time for the magistrates to be attending Court twice a month.

Mr. Beauchamp asked if any of the magistrates objected to the memorial, and there being no objection,

His Honor made an order changing the Petty Sessions to the second Monday of each month.

#### GLIN PETTY SESSIONS.

A memorial was received from the magistrates adjudicating at the Glin Petty Sessions requesting the Court to change the Sessions from fortnightly to monthly. The requisition was signed by the Knight of Glin and other magistrates, and suggested that the Sessions in future be held in the third Thursday of each month.

Mr. P. T. Liston, solr., as a practitioner in the Glin Petty Sessions Court, intimated his concurrence in the desire of the magistrates for the change, but instead of the Court being held as suggested on the third Thursday of every month it should be on the third Monday in order that it should not clash with Sessions held at other places adjacent.

His Honor—Has anybody anything else to say about the application? What do the police think?

District Inspector Smith said he agreed with the application.

Mr. F. Fitzgerald, J.P., proposed, and Mr. S. Pegum, J.P., seconded, that the requisition be entertained.

There being no amendment, the proposition was agreed to, and the change it suggested made.

The Grand Jury having found bills in the cases sent up for consideration, were discharged.

#### LICENSING BUSINESS.

The following applications for certificates for the confirmation of Excoise licences were granted:—Kate Ambrose, Ardagh; Michael O'Regan, Mainstreet, Rathkeale; Patrick L. O'Sullivan, Shanagolden; Thomas Roche, Main-street, Rathkeale; John Scalan, Maiden-street, Newcastle West.

In the case of Annie M. Cahill who applied for a confirmation of the certificate granted to her at the January sessions to trade at Bridge street Newcastle West, the police opposed the application on the grounds that the applicant had not traded, and had assigned her interests in the premises to another.

Mr. P. T. Liston, solicitor, appeared for the applicant, and having heard the evidence.

His Honor said he would rule as a matter of law that the applicant had not a license, and she was not therefore entitled to a confirmation of the certificate she sought. He ruled in that way without taking the opinion of the magistrates.

#### TRANSFERS GRANTED.

Transfers were granted to the following:—Samuel V. Bucknell, Main street, Glin; James Dalton, Shanagolden; Maurice J. Horan, The Square, Dromcollogher; John Kelly, Ashford, and Phillip McGrath, Athea.

With reference to the application of Patrick Dooley, Bishop street, Newcastle West, for a confirmation of the transfer of the license assigned to him,

District Inspector Beirne opposed on the four statutable grounds.

Mr. D. F. J. Sherlock (instructed by Mr. P. T. Liston, solicitor), appeared in support of the application.

He examined the publican to show that the premises were properly assigned to him, and were suitable in every way for carrying on the business.

The evidence of the police was to the effect the place was positively unsuited for the carrying on of a licensing trade. It was not enclosed as it should be, and was adjacent to a house which was utilised as the medium through which an illicit trade was plied on Sunday and after hours. The late holder of the license had been convicted several times for breaches of the Licensing Laws. By a majority the Bench granted the application.

#### NEW LICENCES.

John Aherne applied for a new hotel licence at Athea.

Mr. P. Kelly (instructed by Mr. D. Leahy, solicitor), appeared for the applicant, and stated that it was a very good sign of the times to see on the licensing paper that day applications for three hotel licences. The application was brought under the Act of 1902, which gave the magistrates power to grant these licences, provided the applicants had conformed to the provisions of that statute.

The applicant was examined, and stated that there was a great necessity for a licensed hotel in Athea. He had letters from several travellers complaining of the want of accommodation in this respect. He was able to provide everything that was required for a hotel, and hoped to give satisfaction.

District Inspector Foley cross-examined the applicant to show that the place did not come within the requirements of the Act of Parliament. There were not sufficient rooms and

Limerick people, and Mr. Limerick presided at the splendid programme opened with a duet by Miss O'Hea and Mr. Irene Ainsley's rich and beautiful voice to great advantage in "She sang with all due sweetness, and in reply contributed "Mattinata O'Mara next appeared, and accorded a rousing receipt house, and for some minutes he was in notes, "clear as a bell," effect in Handel's spirited "Alarm," which he sang bravely, it brought down the vociferous re-demands which was also heartily solo "Sonata A. ma Norah O'Hea, followed lady in this and the other later on, "Barcarolle" (complete mastery of the touch, characteristic expression, and fullness heartily applauded, as sh W. Dever sang "W. Godfrey), and soon favourite, his very the composition, elic encore, in reply to ever popular "Father O In answer to further very pleasing little Irish pleasing and attractively beautiful soprano did "Window," the interpret admired and won for stunted praise. Mr. Jose the house beyond m sympathetic, and exp "Oh, Lovely Night Birth-day," a very both by Landon was, of course, not to again delighted the h "The Heather Glen." consisted of a performan two acts of "Il Trov Evans as "Leonora," "Azucena," Mr. Willi Luna," and Mr. Joseph All the parts were excell encored, and Mr. Herb left nothing to be desire To-night another att presented, the first pa second (a rare treat) w and Delilah." We ant The concert arrange by Messrs. McCarthy &

### THE HALS

Lord Halsbury writes Will you allow me to say in a specific manner that as I know, or any single by any disloyalty to party? We desire Unionists, whatever view of the events of last A Unionist cause to the

on the question of a public, he said twelve licensed houses population of two or three Sargeant Miltor e Athea well, and as if was no necessity for licensed houses there.

His Honor said that had not brought him Act. However he who he had heard the other Thomas Leahy also license at Athea.

Mr. P. Kelly (inst solr.) appeared for the evidence submitted in reply to the court the ten rooms in his h District-Inspector I His Honor held the no jurisdiction to gr Mr. Kelly withdrew. Michael J. Walsh hotel license at Drom Mr. J. Condon, applicant, and point was one of the mos county. At present place in possession hoped to convince th been complied with.

The applicant was had ten sleeping ap cross-examination by the applicant admitt were so situated as to of the house.

His Honor held th ply with section 2 of circumstances Mr. Con tion.