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**URSUIT.**

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**TRAGIC OCCURRENCE AT FOYNES.**

STABBED TO DEATH.

THREE MEN ARRESTED.

**PRISONERS BEFORE THE MAGISTRATES.**

On last night a tragic occurrence took place at Foynes, which created universal regret and cast a shadow over the usually quiet and picturesque village. Yesterday being St. Stephen's Day it was observed as a holiday in the country district as well as in the cities and towns, and Foynes being a favourite resort for people in the surrounding districts, was visited yesterday by numbers of the working classes. The parties concerned in the present unfortunate incident live at Askeaton which is about seven miles from Foynes, and came to the latter place for a day's outing. The victim of the occurrence is a man named Michael Sheehy, of the farming class, who was employed as a milesman on the Waterford, Limerick and Western Railway, and the accused are three men named Michael, James and John Green, who are labourers, and one of them, James, was engaged in the same employment as the deceased, and both appeared to be on good terms. The parties met in Foynes yesterday, and on their way home about ten o'clock they assembled in the house of Patrick Welsh, of Foynes, who is also an employee of the railway company. It is alleged that the parties were more or less under the influence of drink, and while here a dispute, which occurred earlier in the day, was renewed between the accused and a man named O'Connell, who was in company with Sheehy. Fearing unpleasant consequences the occupier of the house sent for the police, and Sergeant Morrissey came on the scene. At this time Sheehy had evidently taken O'Connell's part in an altercation with the Greens, one of whom is alleged to have suddenly drawn a knife on the former, who immediately fell, exclaiming he was stabbed. It was immediately seen that the poor fellow had received a serious wound in the extremity of the abdomen, and Dr. Nolan, Shanagolden, and Father Conway, Foynes, were sent for, but before either arrived life was extinct. The Greens were at once placed under arrest by Sergeant Morrissey. The deceased, who was 32 years of age, was regarded as a quiet and unoffensive man. He is a brother of Mr. James Sheehy, D.C., Ballyallinan. County Inspector Hayes visited Foynes to-day in connection with the occurrence. The prisoners were brought up at the Foynes Petty Sessions to-day before the Hon. J. French, R.S.M., Mr. R. Coplin-Langford, J.P., and Mr. James Hogan, J.P., charged with having feloniously stabbed and killed the deceased.

Sergeant Patrick Morrissey, Foynes, deposed that at 10.20 p.m. on the previous night he, assisted by Constable James Cochrane, arrested James, John, and Michael Green, on the charge of having assaulted and stabbed one Michael Sheehy, of Ballyallinan, in the house of Patrick Walsh, of Foynes, which he believed caused his death. He prayed for a remand for eight days for the purpose of making further inquiries.

The prisoners did not put any questions to the witness, but Michael Green made the statement that Sheehy had asked him to box, and had knocked him down and kicked him.

The magistrates remanded the prisoners for eight days.

**LIMERICK HOLIDAY MEETING.**

STEWARDS.—The Mayor of Limerick, the City High Sheriff, P. E. Bourke, Esq., J.P.; J. O'G. Delmege, Esq.; J.P., D.L.; Bryan O'Donnell, Esq.; J.P.; W. Leahy, Esq.; D. Begley, Esq.; T. Morath, Esq.; G. O'Dea, Esq.; E. O'Connell, Esq.; J. Quin, Esq.; J.P.; O. D. Coll, Esq., V.S.; S. F. Dowling, Esq.; J.P.; M. Cahill, Esq.; J. H. Roche, Esq., J.P.; J. Flynn, Esq.; E. J. Long, Esq.; J. Clune Esq., J.P.; Judge—Mr. J. F. Tuthill, Esker, Lucan. Stakeholder—Mr. T. Brindley, Dublin. Handicapper—Mr. R. M'K. Waters, Dublin. Starter—M. A. Blennerhasset, Rates. Clerk of the Course and Scales, Auctioneer, and Secretary—Mr. M. J. Kenny, 29 Upper Mallow street, Limerick.

The St. Stephen's Day meeting at Greenpark was luckily favored with fine weather, a matter to be sincerely thankful for, considering the extraordinary down-pour which prevailed on Christmas Day. Indeed it was surprising that the going was in such condition good and the day's sport was of a most satisfactory kind. The attendance was large, the various excursion trains being well freighted, and we are glad to learn that the financial result of the meeting is a record one. The arrangements were admirably carried out, and the executive are to be congratulated on the result. Mr. and Mrs. O'Grady Delmege with characteristic hospitality entertained a large party, so that the wants of the inner man were amply supplied.

Details:—  
The HOLIDAY PLATE of 30 sovs., of which the second received 2 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. Winners extra. About a mile and a half.  
Mr. J. Whelan's Roseville, by Torpedo—Sacrificed, 6 yrs., 11st. 9lb. (M. Connor) ... 1  
Mr. J. O'Hara's Skule Bog, 4 yrs., 10st. (T. Regan) ... 2  
Mr. J. J. Quain's Red Hugh, 6 yrs., 12st. 2lb. (Mr. M. Hayes) ... 3  
Mr. M. J. Harty's Modest Moll, 4 yrs., 12st. (M. O'Neill) ... 0  
Mr. M. J. Purcell's Smoker, 6 yrs., 11st. 10lb. (P. Walsh) ... 0  
Mr. J. O'G. Delmege's Ballinagarde, 6 yrs., 11st. (H. Croker) ... 0  
Mr. T. A. Hartigan's Knocksouna, 4 yrs., 10st. 6lb. (M. Hehir) ... 0  
Mr. M. Fennell's Sunflower, 6 yrs., 10st. (T. O'Brien) ... 0  
Mr. J. Reese's Five Scents, 3 yrs., 10st. (P. Sherin) ... 0  
Mr. W. T. Cliff's Deanville, 3 yrs., 10st. (S. Dillon) ... 0  
Mrs. Harty's Old Tim, 3 yrs., 10st. (L. Ryan) ... 0  
Mr. Harty declared to win with Modest Moll. (Winner trained privately.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Roseville, 3 to 1 agst. Ballinagarde, 5 to 1 agst. Modest Moll, 6 to 1 agst. Five Scents, 8 to 1 agst. Old Tim, 10 to 1 any other.

Won by a short head; three lengths between second and third; Five Scents was fourth, and Ballinagarde next.

The ST. STEPHEN'S DAY PLATE of 31 sovs., of which the second received 3 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Winners extra. Three miles.  
Mr. J. Reese's Eureka, by Isocoetes—Prodigy, 4 yrs., 10st (P. Sherwin) ... 1  
Mr. Stacpoole's Sir Hassard, aged, 12st. (Murphy) ... 2  
Mr. R. Cummins' Master Felton, 4 yrs., 10st. carried 10st 3lb (E. McCormack) ... 3  
Mr. L. Quinlan's Niam, 5 yrs, 11st 12lb (M. O'Neill) ... 0  
Mrs. Hartigan's Molly Maguire, aged, 11st 7lb (T. Regan) ... 0  
Mr. M. Harty's Chionia, 6 yrs, 10st (Owner) ... 0  
Mr. J. Mark Clery's Glenduff, 5 yrs, 10st (J. ... 0

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