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Accommodation of the most comfortable
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APPROVED PERSONAL SECURITY, WITHOUT PUBLICITY.
Terms are given on receipt of Application, and will be found to
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TO THOSE REQUIRING A TEMPORARY ADVANCE THE ABOVE IS THE
BEST AND MOST RELIABLE.
FOR TERMS AND PARTICULARS APPLY
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FASTEST AND FINEST BRITISH
STEAMERS INCLUDING THOSE WORKING
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HULL ROUTE
'CORNIFIA' and 'CORNIFIA' (Turkish).
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MESSAGES.
TO NEW YORK. To HULL. To HULL.
Lacada... Sat. Nov. 18. ... Tue. Nov. 21.
Umbr... Sat. Nov. 25. ... Tue. Dec. 5.
Carnia... Sat. Dec. 3. ... Tue. Dec. 19.
Fares—Glasgow from £15. Second Cabin from
£9. Third Class from £5 10s. and upwards
(according to steamer).
An allowance of 10 per cent. on the homeward
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11, St. Colman's Quay; Michael Foley and
P. Evans, Dungarvan; Mrs. Kate Begley, Cor-
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Every Monday (Direct) ... 2 pm
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Waterford Steamship Company

INTENDED ORDER OF SAILING—
NOVEMBER, 1905.

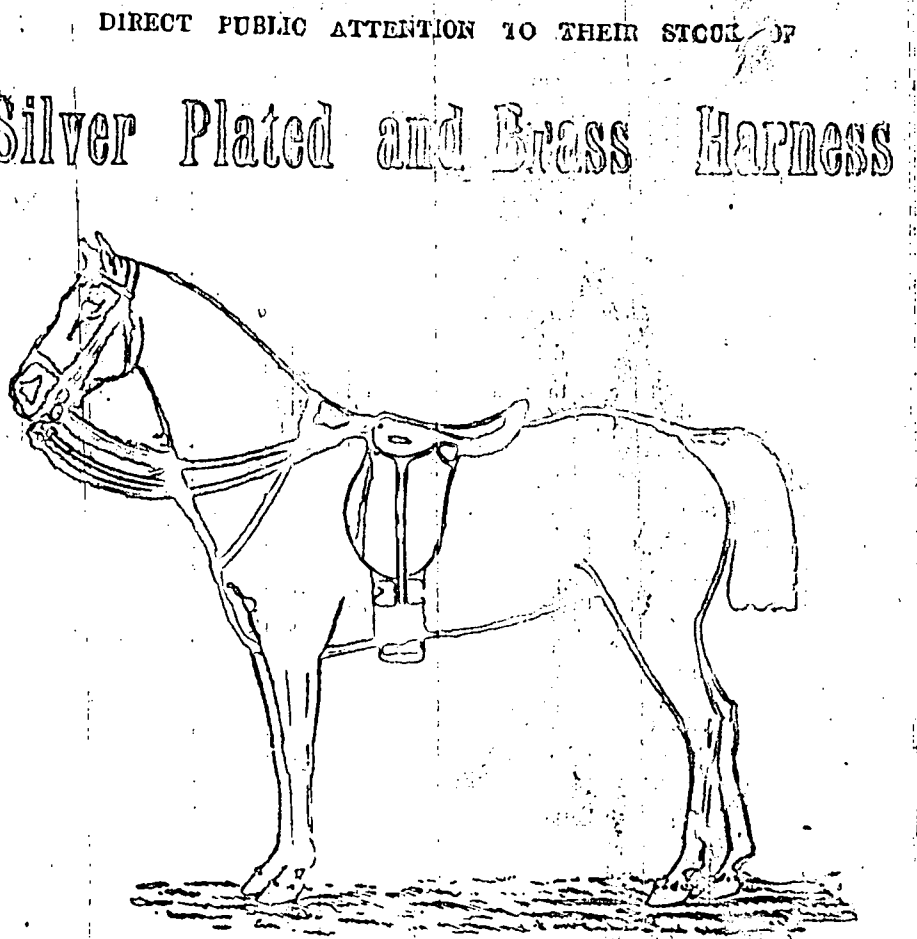
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BIGNALL	BIGNALL	BIGNALL

NOTE.—The Waterford Steamship Company (Limited) receive Good Friday Leave for the ship on the conditions mentioned in the above table. The ship will be open to receive passengers arriving by the Night Mail from London, Liverpool, Bristol, and Glasgow, on the day of departure. Passengers arriving by the Night Mail from London, Liverpool, Bristol, and Glasgow, on the day of departure, will be received at the ship on the day of departure. The ship will be open to receive passengers arriving by the Night Mail from London, Liverpool, Bristol, and Glasgow, on the day of departure. Passengers arriving by the Night Mail from London, Liverpool, Bristol, and Glasgow, on the day of departure, will be received at the ship on the day of departure.

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HEAD COLLARS AND HALTERS.
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WATERPROOF LOIN COVERS AND
DRIVING APRONS.
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CHANGES AND RAY CROCK,
CHANGES OF LEATHER AND
OTHER GAMES.
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SADDLE CLOTHS,
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CROSBY ORANGE—Teas of finest description to suit all Purchasers. Sugar, Dried Fruits, Spices, etc. in great variety.
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MOST COMFORTABLE.
MODERATE TERMS.
This Old-Established and favorably-known Hotel is most convenient to Trains, Express Steamers, and Business Centres.
VERY BEST SUITING.
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Suits made to measure, fit and style guaranteed.
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CROSBY—P. Nugent, 76, Main-street.
DUNROPHY—J. Collins, The Square.
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Glasgow—John Murphy, Greener.
New Ross—W. Hines, and Patrick Hunt, 10 Quay.
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Country orders carefully attended to.
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LIFE, FIRE, Fidelity Guarantee and Burglary
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Is now continuing on a New and more Enlarged Scale the
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With a Large and Fresh Stock of the Best Brands of Irish and Canadian Hams and Bacon (Green and Smoked), Fresh Lard, Margarine, Cheese, etc. Fresh Potatoes, Sausages, Black and White Puddings, Butter and Eggs received daily. Prices the lowest possible, and will be found to compare favorably with any in the trade.
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Fresh Cakes and Confectionery of all kinds from his own Bakery (23 QUAY) can also be had at O'CONNELL STREET.
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Mrs. Shilly, John-street.
Mrs. Doyle, Lombard-street.
Mrs. Gough, Barrack-street.
Mr. Wardell, Quay.
Mrs. Gough, Quay.
Mr. James Power, Ballybricken.
Miss McDonnell, Bridge-street.
Mrs. Doherty, Lombard-street.
Mrs. Gough, Quay.
Mr. J. Collins, Gladstone-street.
Miss Power, Barronstrand-street.
Mrs. Quilly, John-street.
Messrs. Gough, Quay.
Mr. Levin, John-street.
Mrs. Johnston, John-street.
Mrs. Condon, Passage East.
Mr. M. H. Harte, Limerick.
Messrs. Gough, Quay.
Mrs. J. Harte, Lower Grange.
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200 RATS KILLED

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Borough, Waterford, after using one of
"WATERFORD'S" "Reliable" Rat
Poison. Equally good for Mice, Snails, and Rats.
Dogs and Cats will not touch it. Price 6d. per
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WATERFORD'S "Reliable" Rat Poison is
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100 First-Class Bedrooms from 2s. per Night.
Ladies' and General Coffee Rooms; Lodges,
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RESTAURANT ATTACHED.
Soup, Fish, Entrees, Joints, Poultry, Sweets,
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Henry G. Kilbey,
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Cool's Coupons accepted.
Telephone 1888. Telegrams—"Four Courts, Dublin."

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P. O'KEEFFE & SONS
Call special attention to their large Stock of
Ecclesiastical, Tombs & Monuments
Of the Best Material procurable, and obtained at the
lowest possible cost and executed in the most
skillful manner.
The Proprietors are also prepared to make
Orders for every description of Stone and Marble
Work. Also a large selection of Italian
Marble. O'KEEFFE & SONS have taken over
the business of Messrs. O'KEEFFE & SONS, and
will continue to supply splendid Stones and Rubble
at the same prices.
CHIMNEY PIECES REPAIRED AND NEW
In their extensive Premises they can execute any
Work entrusted to them at the shortest notice, in the
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Engineer, Millwright, Iron and Brass Foundry
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Who are tired of
the old-fashioned
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KILMACHTHOMAS BOARD OF GUARDIANS.

TUESDAY. THE ADVERTISING QUESTION AGAIN.

MR. DEMPSY'S REPLY TO THE "STAR" ARTICLE.

INTERESTING SPEECH. FACTS ABOUT THE "NEWS".

(From our Reporter).

The weekly meeting of this Board was held on above day. Mr. G. Gleeson, Chairman, presided, and the other members present were Messrs. Michael Power (Admonition), Mr. Dempsey, James Coffey, Maurice Foley, Maurice Walsh, James Power, James Torpey, John O'Connell, William Buckley, John O'Driscoll, Patrick H. O'Connell, John O'Driscoll, Nicholas Fitzgerald, Michael Lanihan, Patrick Wall.

The following officials were in attendance: Messrs. Michael Walsh, Clerk; Patrick McCreary, Assistant Clerk; Patrick O'Connell, Mr. Shanahan, Medical Officer, Mr. Believing Officer Thomas Power and John Coffey.

THE DOCTOR'S RESIDENCE AT BONA-MAHON.

The following letter was read: Bona-mahon, 13th November, 1906. Gentlemen—I beg to inform you that the room in the bath house, which is flat and covered with lead sheeting, is leading to such an extent that I cannot use it. I have to leave the room in the morning and also that the paper is falling off the wall in such a manner that it is necessary to have the room repapered and the health of myself and family—I am, gentlemen, your obedient servant, W. J. POWER, M.O.

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TRAMORE PETTY SESSIONS.

IMPORTANT GAME CASE.

A WARNING TO POACHERS.

(From our Reporter).

Before Messrs. Ulrick Bourke, B.M., presiding; Martin J. Murphy, H. J. Fordo, H. E. Bonner and Fred Budd.

INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL APPLICATION.

Rev. Father Condon applied for the admission of an industrial school for the children named Merrin, and the Bench directed Sergeant Collins to make inquiry into the circumstances and report to the next sitting of the Court.

FROM KILBRIDE TO MOONVOY.

Sergeant Collins presented an elderly man named James Meera for being drunk at Kilbride on the public road.

Defendant—What have you to say for yourself?

Defendant—I was not at Kilbride. It was Moonvov.

Chairman—Were you drunk at Moonvov, anyhow?

Defendant—I had a cup taken there (laughter).

Sergeant Collins—He was drunk all along the road, and was found lying on the road (laughter).

Defendant—There was more than me there (laughter).

This being the defendant's first appearance he was fined 1s. and costs.

JOLLY COMPANIONS.

Patrick Fanning and Patrick Fitzgerald were charged with being drunk on the evening of Sunday, the 11th inst.

Patrick—What have you to say for yourself?

Patrick—We were not drunk, and each was fined 6d. and costs.

A DOUBT DEBT TO PAY.

Thomas Power was summoned by Constable Timothy Murphy for being drunk on the 6th inst.

Chairman—What is this man's record?

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DUNGARVAN BOARD OF GUARDIANS.

THE WHITECHURCH DISPENSARY RESIDENCE.

(From our Reporter).

The usual weekly meeting of the above was held on Tuesday in the Board-room, Dunganarvan, Mr. J. Donohoe, D.M., presiding.

Chairman—Mr. J. Donohoe, D.M., presiding. Also present—Messrs. John Walsh, C.O.; Wm. Stacey, J.P.; Thos. Kelly, P. Pole, M. Parks, J. E. Byrne, J. O'Connell, J. O'Connell, James Ryan, P. McCarthy (Ring); James O'Connell, J. Dwyer, B. Tobin, M. Tobin, J. Kirwan, J. Walsh, P. Flynn, F. Stuart, Joseph Power, P. Ryan.

THE LANE DR. HUNT.

A letter was read from Mrs. Hunt stating that Dr. Hunt had died in Dublin, and thanking the guardians for their kindness in giving her the pension allowance.

It was ordered that the Clerk write to Mrs. Hunt and convey to her the sympathy of the Board on the bereavement of her husband.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT CLERK.

Mr. J. A. Dwyer read the following:—The Clerk's Office, 4th Nov., '06.

Sir,—Pursuant to my intimation as appearing in the Guardian's notice of 30th Oct. and of which due notice has been given to each member of the Board, I beg to make application for an assistant, and have such of the following facts: The work of the Clerk's office for some years past has become so considerable that I have had from time to time to procure and pay for one or more clerks to assist me in my duties.

Defendant—What have you to say for yourself?

Defendant—I was not at Kilbride. It was Moonvov.

Chairman—Were you drunk at Moonvov, anyhow?

Defendant—I had a cup taken there (laughter).

Sergeant Collins—He was drunk all along the road, and was found lying on the road (laughter).

Defendant—There was more than me there (laughter).

This being the defendant's first appearance he was fined 1s. and costs.

JOLLY COMPANIONS.

Patrick Fanning and Patrick Fitzgerald were charged with being drunk on the evening of Sunday, the 11th inst.

Patrick—What have you to say for yourself?

Patrick—We were not drunk, and each was fined 6d. and costs.

A DOUBT DEBT TO PAY.

Thomas Power was summoned by Constable Timothy Murphy for being drunk on the 6th inst.

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DUNGARVAN AND WEST WATERFORD NEWS.

FROM OUR RESIDENT REPRESENTATIVE.

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE. PUBLIC MEETING AT KILBOBINNET.

WEST WATERFORD SOLED.

Speakers by Rev. Father Bourke, C.C., Messrs. O'Shea & O'Brien, M.P.s.

From our Resident Representative. Notwithstanding that Sunday was one of the worst days which has been experienced...

Mr. O'Shea, in the course of his address, said that the first thing that he had to say...

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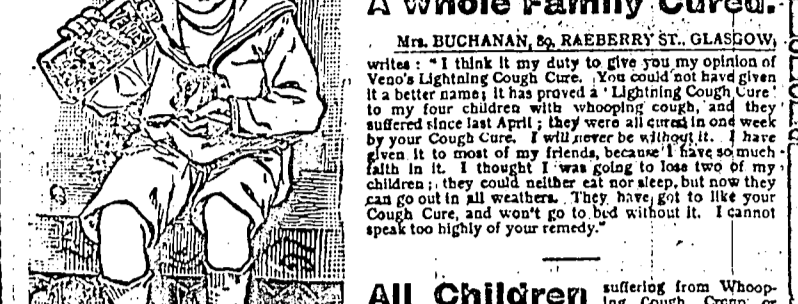
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A Whole Family Cured.

Mr. Buchanan, of Rabberty, St. Glasgow, writes: 'I think it my duty to give my opinion of Veno's Lightning Cough Cure...'

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Ask for VENO'S Lightning Cough Cure. AT CHEMISTS AND DRUG STORES EVERYWHERE.

Can be effectively removed by taking 'Pierro's Medical Ointment'.

SIR JOHN KEANE'S ESTATE. WANT OF ESPRIT DE CORPS AMONGST THE TENANTS.

Dear Sir,—Your widely circulated journal please allow me to present the state of affairs in connection with Sir John Keane's estate.

Rev. Father Bourke says that it is right. Well, I had the pleasure of meeting him last night at a meeting in Liverpool.

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THE FREE BRIDGE BILL.

THE FREE BRIDGE COMMITTEE. FLAUNT THE FAIR WAGES RESOLUTION.

IS THIS PUBLIC MONEY WELL SPENT?

From 'The Evening News' Nov. 15, 1905.

A Bill has been prepared in connection with the Free Bridge Scheme and the Corporation, and it will shortly be brought before Parliament...

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Persons suffering from Rheumatism, Eczema, Scalding, King's Evil, Glandular Swellings, Bone Disease, Sores, Abscesses, Bad Legs, Psoriasis, Ringworm, Eruptions on the Skin, and Blood and Skin Diseases of every description, will find Herbine a most effective remedy.

MRS. CUTLAR AND MISS VOLMER (Certificated Teachers)

Begin to announce that they intend on MONDAY, 27th NOVEMBER, Opening CONVERSATIONAL CLASSES & PRIVATE LESSONS (New System) in GERMAN AND FRENCH, ALSO MUSIC LESSONS.

THE ANGLO-HIBERNIAN EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

Requires the following class of Servants for London and North and South of Ireland immediately (no applications entertained from domestics under 18 years of age).

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Advertisement for 'HAVE YOU A BAD LEG' with an illustration of a leg.

Advertisement for 'BELL'S OASH PREPARE FOR PATENT MEDICINES' with a list of ailments.

Advertisement for 'AT TOLINE'S' with a list of products and prices.

Advertisement for 'THE FREE BRIDGE BILL' with a list of names and titles.

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Advertisement for 'HORSER, CATTLE, DOGS, BIRDS' with a list of ailments.

Advertisement for 'BARRINGTON'S SOAPS' with a list of ailments.

Advertisement for 'MUSIC' with a list of titles.

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WATERFORD DISTRICT LUNATIC ASYLUM.

SIR WM. G. D. GOFF, BART., COMPTROLLER-MENTOR BY THE BISHOP.

The monthly meeting of the Joint Committee of Management of this institution was held on Monday. The Lordship the Most Rev. Dr. Sheehan, Bishop of Waterford and Lismore, presided, and the other members present were—Very Rev. Canon P. F. Flynn, P.P., Ballybricken; Sir Wm. G. D. Goff, Bart., P.P.; Capt. Wm. C. Coghlan, J.P.; Mr. David Hyland, T.C.; Chairman Waterford Board of Guardians.

Dr. J. A. Oakshott, R.M.S., and Mr. G. J. Briscoe, Clerk, were in attendance.

SIR WM. G. D. GOFF, BART., COMPTROLLER-MENTOR BY THE BISHOP.

Sir Wm. G. D. Goff, Bart., having entered the chair, rose and said—Gentlemen—I wish to make a few remarks before the business of the day comes to be transacted. I just observed coming into this room one of the oldest members of this board, who recently received high honours, and who has received them as the reward, I might say in the judgment of all citizens, of a life of good and public service. There is no need for me to speak at length as to what Sir Wm. Goff has done for this city. In every movement, I think I might say, within the recollection of all the members here, that has been taken up, no matter what kind, for the good of the city, he has taken a prominent and a most practical part—(hear, hear). Speaking of him merely as a member of the board, he has been from the beginning one of the most regular, one of the most energetic, one of the most intelligent, and one of the most useful members—(hear, hear). Men who have given a life for the public service, as he has given, and who have been honoured as he has been honoured, I think are occupying a position in which all the citizens should feel glad, and in a manner, honoured themselves—to see him occupy such a position, and for that reason I believe that we who have known so much of his public worth in public departments, and particularly in connection with this institution, should testify our pleasure at what has been done for him, congratulate him upon it, and wish him many, many years of health, happiness, and energy to work as he has worked in the past for this city generally, and in particular for this institution—(hear, hear).

Sir Wm. Goff then rose, and said—My lord and gentlemen, I thank you most sincerely, and his lordship in particular, for the kind way he has spoken of me. No one, my lord, is more fully conscious than I am of my own short comings. I know that I have to a certain extent tried to do my duty as a citizen in Waterford, but I feel I have often neglected opportunities that I might have taken advantage of, and I know one thing for certain, and that is, that although I may have been rewarded as His Gracious Majesty has been pleased to reward me, there are many who have done equal and better services for their country who have been passed over, not having been born perhaps, under the same guiding star as I have—(laughter). I thank you, my lord, most sincerely, and you, gentlemen, of this board—(applause).

FACTS AND FIGURES.

In the Asylum last board day, 523; admitted since; 8; discharged and died, since, 6; remaining in house this day, 650; corresponding period last year, 642. Chargeability of patients—to County of Waterford, 370; to City of Waterford, 180.

REPORT OF R.M.S.

Dr. Oakshott reported as follows:—

November 15th, 1905. My Lord and Gentlemen—Since last meeting the health of the inmates has been good and the general condition of the institution satisfactory. There has been an increase of two patients since last month, and of eight, compared with this time last year. The increase is altogether on the male side of the house.

The contracts has been duly carried out, except blue flannel and stout blay calico, which, not being equal, were rejected. The latter is left for your decision as the manufacturer states that it is equal to standard, though it is lighter in weight and narrower than our pattern.

The food supplies were, as a rule, good, except fish and coffee.

The quarters for male attendants are now ready for occupation. I would suggest that the attendant in charge of this house should get a small increase of pay for extra work and responsibility.

Sir George O'Farrell visited the asylum on the 1st inst. His report comes before you to-day.

In accordance with the statutory rule 103, I have taken in a temporary attendant in place of the laundress granted three months' sick leave.

Dr. Oakshott said with regard to the blue flannel, he did not pass it, it was not up to the standard, and it was taken away. As to the calico, they were in dispute about it. In his humble opinion it was not equal to the standard. Anyone who was an expert could see that it was not up to the standard.

Chairman—I am sorry we haven't the Mayor here—(laughter).

Dr. Oakshott—With regard to the food, the fish last Friday was not up to the standard, and I wrote a pretty sharp letter to the contractor about it. With regard to the coffee it was the first supply of a new contractor, and it is guaranteed to be Irish manufacture, but I say in my humble opinion it was not coffee at all. I wrote to the contractor and I have not got a reply from him since.

Chairman—This was the first time you got it?

Dr. Oakshott—Yes, my lord.

Dr. Oakshott said as to the attendants' quarters he decided to put the senior attendant in charge of them. Of course, it was a question for the committee whether they would approve of that or not.

In reply to the Chairman, Dr. Oakshott said that the senior attendant occupied a separate room at present, but he would be responsible for order and discipline in the attendants' quarters.

Chairman—Will his responsibilities be much increased by the transfer?

Dr. Oakshott replied in the affirmative, and added that the senior attendant had got increased work and increased responsibility.

Chairman—He has got a head before, ability and control to give notice of motion. Some one is going to give him this increase.

Chairman—What salary has he at the present time?

Dr. Oakshott—£35 a year. Canon Flynn intimated that he would give notice of motion to increase the senior attendant's salary.

THE MONEY DUE BY THE CORPORATION.

Before the minutes of the last meeting were read a discussion took place in reference to the finances.

Dr. Oakshott said there was a balance in bank of £319 17s. 7d., and added that there was no money coming in except in a few instances of paying patients, and unless they got their money from the Corporation, which was £800, they would not be able to meet the current demands of next month.

Chairman—Up to what date is this money due by the Corporation?

Dr. Oakshott—It was due on the 30th of September.

Chairman—Is that out of the rate-in-aid?

Dr. Oakshott—Mr. Fealy said in his letter sending his cheque it was due in consequence of not receiving the rate-in-aid.

Chairman—I am to gather from that, that as far as the rates are concerned they paid us what they got out of the city rates, and if there is a deficit this deficit is on the part of the Treasury. Now we say we cannot get on without this money.

Capt. Coghlan said as far as his memory served him, the Corporation had got the money.

Dr. Oakshott—I cannot say that.

Chairman—You are in a position to state what they said?

Capt. Coghlan—This question was before the last meeting of our board.

Chairman—This matter ought to be settled once and for all.

Dr. Oakshott—Here is Mr. Fealy's letter. He then read the communication as follows:—I enclose cheque for £1,846 10s., being his year's maintenance due to the lunatic asylum, £250 being the estimated amount of this

the Corporation that owe us the money at all. You understand perfectly well, we receive money from the Corporation under two headings. First, we receive money which we will call their own, and secondly, we receive money which they get from the Government to pay to us. They are merely receivers. The money passes through their hands.

Capt. Coghlan—Why not get the Government to transfer it to us?

Dr. Oakshott—They used to do that before the Local Government Board came in. When the Act came into force they said they would give the money to the contributing bodies.

Capt. Coghlan—The only thing I see about it—have the Corporation power to compel the Treasury to give this money in proper and due course?

Chairman—It would be well to have this matter settled with the Inspectors once and for all. If they say "you must demand this money from the Corporation, and the Corporation are bound to pay you," we will let the Corporation fight it out then.

Capt. Coghlan—How soon will that take place?

Dr. Oakshott—We will have an answer from the Inspectors by next meeting. In the meantime the contractors will have to do without their money as we have to pay the staff.

The Chairman's suggestion was unanimously adopted, and the subject dropped.

VISITING GOVERNORS REPORT.

Mr. Thomas Nolan, as Visiting Governor, reported as follows:—

Old Court, Kilmacdonagh, 4th November, 1905.

Accompanied by Dr. Oakshott I visited the greater part of the asylum buildings to-day, and found every portion of them in a satisfactory state. The tweeds and flannels made on the premises by the patients are of a very good description. The crops on the farm are very good. I would recommend that a very

WATERFORD HARBOUR BOARD.

The monthly meeting of the members of this body was held on Monday, Sir James A. Power, Mayor, presiding. There were also present—Messrs. C. Morley, D.L.; John N. White, J.P.; Richard Power, J.P.; H. J. Ford, J.P.; W. H. Craig, William H. Farrell, John Kearney, E. H. Ardagh, E. W. White, and John Strangman.

Mr. John Allingham, Jun., Secretary, and Mr. Friel, Engineer to the board, were also in attendance.

SIR WILLIAM GORFF, BART.

When Sir William entered the room, the Mayor rose and warmly congratulated the newly-made Baronet upon the distinction conferred upon him.

Alderman Power—I am sure we all join in that.

Several Members—Hear, hear.

QUAY COMMITTEE.

The following is a record of the principal subjects dealt with during the month at the various meetings:—

12th October, 1905.—Messrs. E. W. White in the chair; W. H. Farrell, R. Power, J. Kearney, and A. Farrell also present. A letter was read from the Inspector of Factories relative to alleged non-compliance with the regulations in respect of a wharf at Scotch Quay; also fencing of coys on the crane and the testing of the chains. It was ordered to reply that as the Committee did not know what wharf was referred to, they would be glad if the Inspector would call to the office on his next visit to Waterford and point out to the engineer the matters to which he desired to draw attention, and to add that the chains are tested and entered in the register, and the crane cog wheels fenced as required by Mr. Bellhouse.

19th October, 1905.—Mr. J. Strangman presided. Also present—Messrs. Morris, W. H. Farrell, E. Phelan, E. White, H. J. Ford, and R. Power.

of Waterford, to hire the Cork vessel for the probationary period of three months at a total cost, including charter and working expenses, of about £50 per week.

The board approved of this decision.

THE PILOT COMMITTEE.

At the meeting of this Committee, Mr. J. N. White presiding, Capt. Kennedy, pilot master, reported that in consequence of the dismissal of Pilot Fitzgerald a hand was wanted at Passage, and the Captain recommended that Phil Murphy be transferred from the cutter, he being a Passage man, with the longest service on the boat, to act as second-class pilot at Passage station.

Captain Kennedy also reported that as the cutter had still mine hands, the vacancy in her crew need not be filled up at present. Edward Rogers, Rogers, another cutter pilot, applied to be transferred to Passage East.

The Committee, however, decided to abide by the pilot master's recommendation, and to shift Murphy to Passage for three months' probation.

OFFICIAL REPORTS.

The Engineer wrote—I beg to report that during the past month the dredger Sicily has dredged and removed from opposite the Liverpool hulk, 6,400 tons of mud and sand, at a cost of 34d. for dredging and removal. The cost of repairs to hulks and stages for the past month was £49 7s.

Captain William Kennedy reported that the buoys below Passage were in good order, also the Passage lighthouse. He visited Dunmore station during the month and found the pilot cutter in good order.

The Harbour Master's report was also read, and was, as usual, of a satisfactory character.

Chairman—That, gentlemen, concludes our business. The meeting then adjourned.

THE

BONMAHON MINES

DEVELOPMENT SYNDICATE.

SOME OF THE DIRECTORS.

The "Mining World and Engineering World" says:—

This is an Irish venture which is shortly to be introduced to the public. It is capitalized at £200,000 in £1 shares of which 12,500 are reserved for working capital. We observe the names of Mr. S. B. Illingworth, J.P., amongst the members of the Board, and are quite sure it will carry with it a large number of mining investors who know the admirable service he has rendered to the St. John Del Boy Co. The Chairman of the Company is Sir James A. Power, Mayor of Waterford, and another Director is the Earl of Orford, J.P., D.L.

The property has been reported on by such well-known engineers as Mr. J. H. Collins, F.G.S.; Mr. Gregory, and Mr. H. T. Marks. The latter with Mr. A. L. Pearce, will be Consulting Engineers. The metal brokers are the well-known firm of Messrs Henry Bath and Son. This is a well-conceived attempt to revive the copper mining industry in Ireland, which, but for untoward circumstances, would never have been allowed to languish. The property covers 190 acres, and is close to the Bay of Bonmahon. The records show that from 1824 down to 1874, the mines were worked with remarkable success, notwithstanding the somewhat primitive methods then in vogue. At that time copper was 40 per cent. lower in price than now and between 1824 and 1855, the sales in Swansea alone of Bonmahon copper realized £1,329,232. The working costs were £355,621, and the profits and royalties amounted to £643,611. Changes took place in 1885 by means of amalgamations, which were far from advantageous, and in the end the mines were closed down. It is proposed now to re-work them, and judging from the reports that have been prepared by the gentlemen we have named and others, there is every prospect of success, particularly in view of the Company's low capitalization.

A LONDON EXPERT COMMENTS

The subjoined extract is from the London "Sunday Times" of the 12th inst. Its financial article is read by everybody across the water who takes an interest in Stock Exchange affairs:—

"The development of the mineral resources of Ireland seems like assuming practical shape. For some months past there has been active investigation of areas stated to contain important mineral deposits all over the country. The first area to be exploited is the well known copper deposits in the neighbourhood of Waterford. For this purpose a syndicate is about to be incorporated, the Bonmahon Copper Mines Development Syndicate, Limited. It is formed to acquire the mining rights of the Knockmahon and Tansardstown Mines, situated at Bonmahon, in the County of Waterford. For more than fifty years, dating from 1824, these mines were worked with success, over two million pounds worth of copper having been got out of same, the profits and royalties for that period being returned at over £500,000. About twenty-five years ago, the work was abandoned owing to the low price of copper and primitive methods of mining then obtaining. Several well known mining experts have reported on the present position of these mines, among them the Irish Government expert. The success of the venture will be watched with some interest, since it would be of some bearing on Irish affairs, the difficulties of which are largely economic.

The West Waterford Office

OF

"THE NEWS" and "EVENING NEWS"

IS SITUATE

At Main - Street, Dungarvan

(OPPOSITE AUGUSTINIAN FRIARY).

Orders received for all classes of Printing and Wrapping Papers.

Capitation Grant not yet received from Dublin.

Chairman—I have always contended, and I contend still, that we have no manner of reasonable claim on the Corporation for this money. The Corporation are bound to pay us out of monies under their control, and by that some out of the rates, but with regard to monies that are not under the Corporation's control—monies that is to say of which they are not in a clerical capacity the receivers and handers over to us. I hold we have no right to look to the Corporation for that, and they would act wrongly in burdening the city in order to meet our demand.

Capt. Coghlan asked from the Treasury power to get the money from the Treasury.

Chairman—The easiest way to deal with this matter is, let us refer it to the Inspectors. We are between two fires—we are between the necessities of this house on the one hand, and the Corporation on the other hand, and I don't think that is a proper position to put this committee into. We ought not to be bound to be perpetually opening up this matter, but we ought to throw the responsibility upon those who have the final voice in the matter. The Inspectors of Lunatics are the proper persons to refer all matters to that we cannot deal with ourselves, and the sooner we do that the better and not allow this thing to be coming up here month after month.

Capt. Coghlan—How will you be in the Treasury? Have they power to get it from the Treasury?

Chairman—Pardon me, Captain, it is not

fine three years old mare which I saw on the farm be sold.

An order was made accordingly. Mr. Merdin J. Murphy, J.P., was appointed to act as visiting governor for the ensuing month.

LAND STEWARDS REPORT.

The Land Steward (Mr. E. O'Gorman) reported as follows:—

Gentlemen—Since last monthly meeting the usual farming operations have been carried out. The potatoes and mangol crops have been removed from the ground and are secured in pits. The potatoes produced about two tons per English acre. I bought 24 pigs and had 13 slaughtered.

THE MUTTON CONTRACT.

There were three tenders received for the above, and that of Mr. Thomas Phelan, Barronstrand-street, at 7d. per lb. all round, being the lowest, was accepted.

FURNITURE FOR THE BOARD ROOM.

Tenders for furniture for the board room were next considered, and those of Messrs. Robertson, Leslie and Co., and Messrs. James Hearnes and Co., were accepted for different articles.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING COMMITTEE.

It was arranged to have a meeting of the electric lighting committee held the week after next. The committee consists of the Bishop, Sir Wm. Goff, Bart.; Messrs. M. J. Murphy and D. Hyland.

Prepaid Advertisements—Two pence, 12 Words.

Mr. Friel reported that the dredging now asked for by Messrs. Goulding outside the up stream end of the berth at their wharf would be pretty extensive, and he thought the cut would fill up. It was ordered to send a copy of the report to Messrs. Goulding.

The Clyde Shipping Company wrote further in respect to the recent Banda accident. It was ordered to reply that the board contemplated changes in the system of dredging, and would endeavour to meet the Company's views when opportunity offered.

At the meeting of the 2nd November, the Factory Inspector wrote to say that it was the boiler-bulk at the Scotch Quay to which he had referred, and Mr. Friel now stated that the necessary work had been carried out.

The Harbour Master reported that he was lifting the coal ladder lighter, belonging to Mr. Sam. Morris, which foundered some time ago at the Greenbank railway bridge.

John Kirwan, father of the young man who was accidentally drowned on the 23rd Sept. last, while fishing off the Dunamann hulk, wrote applying for some assistance, the deceased boy having been a great help to the support of the family.

The Committee ordered the Secretary to reply that they regretted the case was one in which they felt they could not expend their funds.

Alderman Power now mentioned that Mr. A. B. Graves was present at the committee meeting, and that he had very kindly undertaken to do something for the father.

THE DREDGING COMMITTEE.

This Committee reported, in effect, that they had an inspection made of a self-propelling hopper barge, fitted with a "grip" dredge, belonging to the Cork Harbour Commissioners, and at present working in Cork. They decided, with a view towards seeing whether a vessel of this style would suit the requirements

RUGBY FOOTBALL.

ROCKWELL COLLEGE v. OLONMEL.

(WIN FOR ROCKWELL AFTER A HEARD TUSSLE.)

The above match came off on the Rockwell grounds on Thursday last, the 9th November. Olonmel travelled with a strong team. They were minus the services of Ryan (Secretary) and Hoffmann. Rockwell played minus the redoubtable Mike Ryan of International fame. However, his brother Jack was to the fore, and did yeoman service for the boys in blue and white, being here, there and everywhere throughout the game. He it was who was instrumental in bringing off the first try for Rockwell. (Half-time score:—

ROCKWELL 1 try
OLONMEL nil

In the second half O'Brien scored a soft try for Rockwell, and the full time whistle sounded (leaving the Rock boys winners after a hard fought game by two tries (6 points) to nil.

Olonmel led by far the better of the game, gaining the Rockwell boys two tries. However, the two Bussells were winner over repeatedly, and it was only the strongest combination and keen tackling of the Rockwell boys that saved them from defeat. When Olonmel learns the art of combination they will be hard to beat.

THE DUNLOP COMPANY.

To the Editor.

Laharian House, Portlaw, 9th November, 1905.

Dear Sir—As you were kind enough to publish my letters, would you, in the interest of a company whose shares are so largely held in Ireland, ask for an expression of opinion from the shareholders as to—

- (1) Setting aside to wipe out old Debentures £40,000
- (2) Offering 4 per cent. Perpetual Debentures to be offered to 5 per cent. holders 45,000
- (3) Giving the 5 per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares to the Ordinary Shareholders 50,000
- (4) Together with a bonus of 10 per cent. on account of arrears (second 5 per cent.) 10,000
- (5) Leaving all surplus earnings (net) to the shareholders as at present 60,000

Profits are estimated at £204,000. Yours truly, LAHARIAN.

IMPORTANT TO RACING MEN.

It beats the Dublin Evening Papers at Kilmacow, Mullinavat, Ballyhale, Thomastown and Bennetsbridge by hours. Is in Kilkenny 35 minutes before all its rivals. Racing, Hunting, and all Sporting Reports and Notes, and all current News. The ONLY EVENING Paper reaching Kilmeaden, Carroll's Cross, Kilmacthomas, Durrow, Dungarvan, Cappagh and Cappoquin WITH RACING RESULTS AND BETTING is the Waterford EVENING NEWS. It is also the only Evening Paper with Racing Results reaching Carrick-on-Suir, Kilsheelan, Clonmel, Cahir, and Stations on Limerick Line.

CARRICK-ON-SUIR BOARD OF GUARDIANS. SATURDAY. THE WORKHOUSE PORTER'S SALARY—MOTION TO INCREASE IT—LIVELY DISCUSSION. BIG ATTENDANCE. THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD AND PROPOSED PURCHASE OF FEVER HOSPITAL PREMISES.

(From our own Reporter).

The weekly meeting of this Board was held on above day. Mr. James Doyle, V.O. (Harristown), and subsequently Mr. John O'Donnell, Chairman (Ballycathane), presided. The other members present were:—Miss Rebecca Grubb; Miss E. M. Kenny; Messrs John Sheehan, J.P.; M. V. Power, J.P.; William Heame, J.P.; Matthew Drohan, J.P.; Thomas F. Morrissey; James Cahill; Robert Walsh; Thomas Sexton; Thomas O'Ryan, Edward Purcell, E. Norris, William Shanahan, Thos. Carbery, James Dunphy, James Mara, J. Bewe, Thomas Shea, Maurice Connolly, Wm. Nugent, James Doyle (Clashroe), Richard Holden, Mr. Nugent, David Flynn, Michael Mullins, John J. Michael, P. Delaney, Thomas Flahavan, M. Kennedy, Thomas Power, Thomas Blackmore, John O'Donnell (Glenafocca), M. Curry. The following officials were in attendance—Messrs James Mullins, Clerk; J. O'Sullivan, Assistant Clerk; James Walsh, Master, and Relieving Officers Maurice Hickey, Philip Dalton and Martin Power.

THE MASTER'S REPORT. The Master reported that on the requisition of the Medical Officer, on the 6th inst., he proceeded to the services of Dr. Murphy to assist in the case of Johanna Neill a patient in the infirmary. He also employed Margaret Phelan as temporary caretaker of the female idiots at a remuneration of 1s. per day with relations. It is necessary to invite tenders for 30 pairs women's and 50 pairs of men's shoes, also 5 dozen wool handkerchiefs. He bought 21lbs beef during the week at the contractor's expense. There were 52 casuals during the week. Mr. M. V. Power—As to the meat, Master, do you often have to buy meat elsewhere. Is it that the meat supplied by the contractor was bad? Master—No, but the meat ran short with the contractor. Mr. M. V. Power—Oh, I see. The contractor hadn't sufficient meat to supply you. Master—Yes. The matter then dropped. An order was made to advertise for shoes, and ask local tenders to furnish tenders for supplying the handkerchiefs. The report was approved of.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT. Dr. P. Stephenson, M.O., reported as follows:— November 11th.—Gentlemen, I recommend some respectable person be engaged for the chronic ward. I requisitioned the services of Dr. Murphy on 8th inst. to assist me in putting in a Sayers jacket in a case of spinal disease. I recommend he be paid £1 1s. Miss Barry is still indisposed, and I have asked the Master to engage someone to do her duty for a few days. Mr. R. Walsh—As to the recommendation in reference to the chronic ward is there a new appointment. Mr. M. V. Power—It is practically a new appointment, Mr. Walsh. Miss Grubb—It is very hard to get a suitable person. It was decided to let the Master and Doctor make the necessary arrangements for the present.

THE LEASE OF THE FEVER HOSPITAL. The Local Government Board writing in reference to the proposed purchase of the workhouse fever hospital premises stated that they would be glad to be furnished with full particulars as to the terms on which the fever hospital premises are held. If the guardians have a lease to themselves they (the Local Government Board) requested it might be forwarded for their inspection, and no further proceedings should be taken in the matter of the proposed purchase until the guardians hear from the Local Government Board again. Mr. Purcell—Is there a lease in existence with regard to the hospital? Miss Grubb—There is a lease in existence. Chairman—There is what the Local Government Board want. Mr. Purcell—That is what the Local Government Board want. The Board ordered that particulars be supplied by the Clerk.

THE WORKHOUSE PORTER—MOTION TO INCREASE HIS SALARY. Pursuant to notice Mr. Thomas Sexton moved:—That the salary of Mr. Michael Hearn, Workhouse Porter, who has nearly 14 years' service, be increased by a sum of five pounds per annum, owing to the work of his office having during the past few years been

much increased as regards the number of hours and consequent on the employment of outside persons as scrubbers and attendants who come into work at 6 o'clock in the morning. The appointment of a midwife residing outside also entails on this officer the calling of the midwife when required at night. Continuing Mr. Sexton said—Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen, I think it is hardly necessary for me to explain to you the manner in which Mr. Hearn has discharged his duties here for the past 14 years. I am coming to this Board myself for seven years and during that time I always found Mr. Hearn a most reliable and efficient man. I know, on sick leave, he has got his duties. I may say that night and day he is on duty. He must be at his post at all times. He is, no doubt, a capable official, and I found him always obliging with everyone he met—guardians and visitors to the hospital. I don't think it is necessary for me to say any more. You heard the motion read, and I now merely propose that it be adopted. Mr. O'Ryan seconded the motion. Mr. Norris—Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen, I have great pleasure in supporting Mr. Sexton's motion. I think if any officer deserves a little increase Mr. Hearn does. He is a painstaking and hard working man. If I am sure no one will oppose the granting of the small increase proposed to him. I admit that taxation at present is high enough, but after all when we have a deserving officer I think it is only right to support him and improve his position. Several Members—Hear, hear. Mr. Sexton—I may mention that I made enquiries as to the salaries paid workhouse porters in other places. Mr. Norris—It is hardly necessary to trouble the Board with that. They have higher salaries in smaller unions I know. Mr. Doyle (Harristown) said before the motion was put to the Board he would like to say a word or two. He had nothing to say to the way Mr. Hearn discharged his duties. He was courteous to the visitors of the poor as well, but when he took office he was found to give his whole time to the duties, and he (Mr. Doyle) did not see why they should turn around now and give Mr. Hearn more money. As to the question of the extra duty he did not mind that at all when a man was bound to give his whole time to the duties of his position. The position was not a very bad one. There might be smaller unions where larger salaries were paid. He saw no other reason given for granting the increase besides saying the man wanted more money. The ratepayers' interests had to be considered, and on principle he felt bound to go against the motion. He would propose that no increase be given. Mr. Cahill said as one who knew Mr. Hearn and the satisfaction he had given he had great pleasure in supporting the motion to increase his salary. There was no better officer in any union in Ireland than Mr. Hearn, or no man more courteous or obliging (hear, hear). He had shown at all times the greatest goodness and willingness to perform his duty, and consequently he would support the increase. Mr. Norris—I hope Mr. Doyle won't be so determined as to press his motion. Mr. R. Walsh—it is not seconded. Mr. Norris—I hope he will withdraw it and let us be unanimous. It would be a great pity to have a division over it. Mr. Doyle—I quite agree with all that has been said about Mr. Hearn, but I am going on the principle of the thing. Mr. O'Ryan said that Mr. Hearn had been promised an increase of salary before his predecessor died. He said that Mr. Hearn did not seek the increase, but it was his friends who took the matter up. Mr. Cahill—He is one of the ablest porters in Ireland and one of the worst paid. Mr. Thomas Morrissey said the salary paid the porter in Clonmel workhouse was nearly double that paid to Mr. Hearn. The salary paid to the porter in Thurles, Dungarvan and Kilmacthomas was also much larger than Mr. Hearn's salary. Mr. Sexton—I may say that it was not Mr. Hearn or his friends who asked to bring this motion forward. On the contrary I am responsible for it myself. Mr. M. V. Power said he regretted very much that he had to second Mr. Doyle's proposition. On principle they should oppose all increases. Mr. Norris—I am sorry we didn't act up to such a principle in the past. The Chairman pointed out that there was an order on the books in reference to the question of salaries, and he thought that should be rescinded before Mr. Sexton could bring on his motion, or it would meet the case of Mr. Sexton included in his motion that all former orders be rescinded. Mr. Sheehan—Was this order made with regard to Mr. Hearn's salary? Chairman—I am not opposed to the increase at all. Clerk—There is an order on the books that the matter be referred back to committee, and the committee never met. That order had reference only to one salary. Miss Grubb—What salary would that be? Clerk—The salary of the Matron. Miss Grubb—She didn't get the increase. Clerk—No. Mr. Sheehan—But what has that to do with Mr. Hearn's salary? Miss Grubb said that those mentioned in Mr. Sexton's motion as extra duties which Mr. Hearn had to perform were always discharged by the porter at the workhouse. Personally she had a very high regard for Mr. Hearn, and if he was a workhouse servant she would not have the slightest hesitation in increasing his wages, but she was not there to represent him, but personal feelings or wishes. They had been told that the Matron, who had been in the position for years, was refused an increase of salary. She was not putting the Matron and the porter on the same footing. If they advanced for a porter they would get many applicants, but she felt sure that not one of them would be equal to Mr. Hearn (hear, hear). They were not there to

satisfy their own wishes, but they were there to do what was right in the interests of the ratepayers. She regretted exceedingly that she would have to vote against the increase as she did not see where the increased work came in. If Mr. Hearn had increased work to do she would not oppose his getting increased money. A poll was taken and there voted—For the increase—Messrs Cahill, Delaney, Morrissey, Wall, O'Ryan, Burke, Holden, O'Donnell (Glenafocca), Flynn, Carberry, Shanahan, Kennedy, Curry, Flahavan, Sheehan, Drohan, Connolly, Norris, Nugent, (Wm.), Dunphy, Nugent, (M.), Shea, Bewe, Walsh, Mullins, Mara, Heame, Sabon, Power (Thomas), Doyle (Clashroe), Blackmore, and Miss Kenny—32. Against—Messrs Doyle (Harristown), Power (M. V.), and Miss Grubb—3. The Chairman and Mr. Purcell declined to vote. The Board then adjourned.

AMERICAN TOBACCO.

THE SHORTAGE IN THE CROPS.

EFFECT IN UNITED KINGDOM.

PRICES ADVANCE.

MR THOMAS GALLAGHER INTERVIEWED.

Mr. Thomas Gallagher, head of the great independent firm of tobacco manufacturers, Messrs. Gallagher, Limited, who has just returned to Belfast, after his half-yearly visit to the tobacco plantation in America, confirmed, in an interview with a representative of the "Belfast Evening Telegraph" recently, the report that there is a serious shortage in certain of the American crops, which will lead to an advance in prices. The classes of tobacco which will be chiefly affected in Ireland are Irish roll, cut cavendish, and kindred tobaccos. "When may the effect on prices be expected?" Mr. Gallagher was asked. "The market has already opened," he replied, "and the prices have jumped considerably." "Will the increase be a large one, in your opinion?" "The market has opened 1d. per lb. higher, and I should not be surprised if the advance reached 2d." "The cause" said the "Tobacco King" in reply to a question, "Oh, that is easily explained. The shortage is in the dark or Kentucky crop, and the Virginia crop, both of which are only three-fourth crops. The farmers last year got their tobacco put up in factors with a view of preventing trusts from getting it at prices lower than the farmers thought was value. They thought, especially in the Clarksville district, that the Italian Regie, or Government monopoly, would buy that tobacco from them, as it generally purchases the heaviest dark tobacco that is grown. "But they could not agree as to price, and I have learned in the course of my investigations, that the inferior grades have been sold to the American Tobacco Company for conversion into snuff for home consumption. The Italian Regie, not having been able to come to terms with the farmers' alliance, are now going into the dark regions to buy this year's crop, and if they do that, as I have every reason to believe they will, they are likely to put the price up very considerably, as they can afford to pay a very much higher price than the Britisher can do, seeing that the tobacco manufacture in Italy is a Government monopoly. "The outlook for the independent manufacturer is a serious one, as the present condition of things will have a far-reaching effect, and will raise the price of raw material very considerably. Mr. Gallagher's tour was through Kentucky, Virginia, and North Carolina, and he attributed the shortage of the crop to the immense damage done by the heavy rains. "The farmers," he added, "did not carry out their threat last year to plant a short crop in order to keep up prices. There was a full crop planted, but the heavy rains washed a great deal of it out. The difficulties of the farmers who cultivate tobacco plantations, Mr. Gallagher said the chief one was that of getting sufficient labour. They were short of men, in consequence of the attractions of the mines and railways, and it was becoming increasingly difficult to get negroes to work the crop. The effects of the situation will, said Mr. Gallagher, be felt equally by the Combine as by the independent manufacturers. "It is an open question, however," he stated, "whether there will be any change in the retail prices, in view of the fight in the trade, which is still being waged, and is as keen as ever. Mr. Gallagher complained that he had been misquoted to some extent in an interview which he gave on the day of his arrival in England from the States to a representative of the London "Daily Mail."

FLORENCE DOUGHTY CASE.

CERTIFICATE OF INSANITY.

Miss Florence Doughty, who was sentenced to seven years' penal servitude for shooting a solicitor and his son in London, has been certified to be insane, and the Home Office have intimated that she will be removed to Broadmoor Asylum.

CARRICK-ON-SUIR UNION. NO. 2 DISTRICT COUNCIL.

ADJOURNED QUARTERLY MEETING.

SATURDAY.

(From our Reporter).

The adjourned quarterly meeting of this Council was held on above day in the boardroom of the Carrick-on-Suir Workhouse. Mr. John Sheehan, J.P., Chairman, presided, and the other members present were:—Messrs John O'Donnell (Ballycathane), John O'Donnell (Glenafocca), Thomas Flahavan, M. Nugent, Thomas Carbery, Michael Curry, Maurice Kennedy, Maurice Connolly, James Dunphy, William Shanahan, E. Norris, Matthew Drohan, J.P.; James Doyle (Clashroe), William Nugent, David Flynn. Mr. James Mullins, Clerk, was in attendance, as were also Mr. O'Donnell, Rent Collector, and Mr. A. F. Quirk, Rate Collector. The minutes of the previous meeting having been read and signed, The Council proceeded to the consideration of tenders for works in accordance with plans and specifications. Mr. Michael Kirwan, Graingerush, tendered at 6d. per perch for 200 perches for 6 1/2 years 204 perches of the road between Patrick Ballyn's house at Clonmel and Martin Walsh's house at Ballycathane, &c. The Chairman said that this was the only tender that had been received. Mr. Norris—We had better accept it then. The tender was then accepted. The next and only other item on the chest was the following—To repair for 6 1/2 years about 300 perches, more or less of the road leading from John Dowley's contract at Ballynacorra, at a cost not to exceed 6d. per perch per annum. District charge. There were six tenders received, and that of Mr. Michael Power, Clonmel, at 27 1/2 d., being the lowest, was unanimously accepted.

IRRECOVERABLE ARREARS.

Mr. A. F. Quirk, Rate Collector, submitted his arrears sheets, which were examined. Mr. Drohan—What is the amount of the irrecoverable arrears? Mr. Quirk—£275. 0d. It used to be £34 and 6d. Mr. Flahavan—The country is getting better.

COST OF AUDIT.

The sum of £4 4s., the cost of auditing the half-year's accounts of the Council, was ordered to be paid.

SANITARY CONDITION OF THE DISTRICT.

The Local Government Board wrote requesting to be informed what action was taken by the Council in reference to their inspector's report as to the sanitary condition of the district. Mr. Quirk—I don't think there is any action necessary. The Local Government Board to be informed accordingly.

INFECTIOUS.

Dr. Walker, M.O., reported a case of infectious disease.

THE COTTAGE AND THE NOTICE TO QUIT.

Mr. Norris called attention to the fact that a cottier in Kilsheelan named Hickey had been served with notice to quit, although he owed no rent. "This," added Mr. Norris, "is bringing us back to the days of the Penal Laws." I would like to know what the cause of it is. It is a great shame that a man is going to be dispossessed without owing a penny. I would ask Mr. O'Donnell, Rent Collector, are there cottiers in the district who owe three and four months' rent? Mr. O'Donnell—From time to time they do. Clerk—Mr. Hickey's house was reported as in bad condition, and the Council in their generosity decided to repair it for him, and Mr. Hickey would not have it repaired. Instead of thanking the Council for being good enough to get it repaired he turned away the man that was sent to repair the house. Mr. O'Donnell got another man to put Mr. Hickey, I suppose, in good humour. Mr. Norris—Who is repairing the cottage for him, or how is it going to be done? It was repaired before and repaired very badly, with the result that a storm swept away the house. If I understand rightly it was not a mason that was got to build the walls, and if this thing is to go on we need not be surprised at being called on to repair the cottages very often. However, I think the man Hickey is wronged, and I will leave it to the Council to say whether he is or not. Chairman—That may be, but there was an order made to have the cottage put in repair, and when the man went to repair he wasn't allowed to do so. Mr. O'Donnell (Ballycathane)—Mr. Norris says the man that went to do the cottage was a tradesman, and that is a very serious statement to make. Mr. Norris—I don't want to make a bogus statement at all. Mr. O'Donnell (Rent Collector) said the man he got to do the work was a carpenter. Clerk—The story goes that this man (Hickey) and the man Mr. O'Donnell called in had a bit of a difference, and they thought they would work out their differences and

have the Council as a buffer (laughter). Mr. Norris—It seems very strange a carpenter was got to build walls. This cottage was repaired before and it went down, and it will go down again. I thought it was queer that the man should be served with a notice to quit because he happened to disagree with a man that was repairing his house. Chairman—Why was he served with notice if he only owed a week's rent? Mr. Norris—I wish every cottier was as clear with regard to rent as he is. Mr. O'Donnell (Glenafocca)—Who gave authority or made the order to have him served with notice? Mr. O'Donnell (Rent Collector)—The Council. Mr. Norris said that Mr. Hickey (the cottier) was present, and he would tell them about the matter. Mr. Drohan—Will you tell the Council, Mr. Hickey, why you prevented the man from doing the house? Mr. Hickey—Because I thought he wasn't fit to put up walls. Chairman—Who was he—was he the carpenter or the mason? Mr. Hickey—He was the carpenter. Mr. O'Donnell (Rent Collector)—This man did mason work from time to time. The Chairman said he did not think it was right to get a carpenter to do a mason's work. Mr. Drohan (to the cottier)—You should not interfere with any man employed by Mr. O'Donnell. If the work was badly done you would have nothing to say to that. You could make your report to the Council and tell the class of work that was done and it would be remedied, but you took the law into your own hands, which you should not have done. Mr. Hickey—But I saw faulty work done before. Mr. Drohan—I think it would meet the case if Patrick Hickey expressed sorrow for what he has done, and promises not to interfere with the rent collector again. Mr. Norris—I think it would be wrong to ask Mr. Hickey to do any such thing. Mr. Drohan—All these cottages are the property of the Council. Mr. Hickey is only a monthly tenant, and he should not interfere. He is a good tenant, and I hope his tenancy will last a long time. Mr. Norris—Hear, hear.

Mr. Drohan—If he is willing to express regret for anything he has done I will move that the matter drop, and have no more to say about it. Mr. Norris—I think it would be a monstrous thing to serve a man with a notice to quit who does not owe a penny rent. He would give notice of motion to have the order rescinded. The matter then dropped. The remaining business was unimportant.

CARRICK-ON-SUIR PETTY SESSIONS THURSDAY.

LAMP BREAKING IN THE TOWN.

(From our own Reporter).

These fortnightly sessions were held on above day before Mr. Ulick Bourke, R.M., and Mr. C. H. Pearse.

LAMP BREAKING IN TOWN.

Sergeant Kearney summoned William Healy on a charge of breaking a lamp on the 14th October at the end of Cook Lane. Mr. J. F. Quirk, solicitor, appeared for the defendant, who was not present. The Sergeant stated that on the 14th October he was on duty with Constable Brazil at about a quarter to ten o'clock that night; they passed the defendant in the Main Street, and went for some distance towards the West Gate when they saw the defendant with another man approaching the lamp at the end of Cook Lane. The defendant took up a position under the lamp, and later on they (the Sergeant and Constable Brazil) saw the defendant glass breaking. The other man, who was at the end of the lane ran away. The (complainant) ran after them to get their names, and Constable Brazil caught Healy and challenged him. Mr. Quirk—You didn't see Healy break the lamp?—No, but I saw him approaching it. I examined the lamp next morning, and concluded from the position that Healy took up under the lamp that no one could have broken it but Healy. Mr. Quirk—Was there a man with Healy?—There was. Mr. Quirk—He might have broken it as well as Healy. I should have mentioned that the police have no right to bring this prosecution at all. It should be a prosecution of the suit of the Gas Company, and it should not be a public prosecution at all. Constable Brazil corroborated. Sergeant Kearney informed the Court that all information in reference to the case was made by a boy named Patrick Lonergan. The latter was then called, and Sergeant Kearney was proceeding to read the information when Mr. Quirk objected. Mr. Bourke said that the Sergeant could examine the boy from the information. In reply to the Sergeant, Lonergan then stated that on the night in question there were two other boys with him, and one of them (Patrick Lonergan) was at the end of Cook Lane when he met Jimmy Kearney and John O'Leary. He saw the defendant come up the Main Street, strike the lamp and break it. Mr. Quirk—Where were you standing?—At the end of Cook Lane. You were standing under the lamp?—I was. How far was Healy from you when you saw him strike?—He was at Carroll's. There was another man with him. Are you sure it was not the other man that broke the lamp?—I am.

Mr. Apptd, Manager of the Gas Works, said the extent of the damage to the lamp was 2s. 6d. Sergeant Kearney—Were there any other lamps of yours broken that night?—Yes. Mr. Quirk—Confine yourself to the lamp in question. Let Sergeant Kearney show by what right he brings the police prosecution. Mr. Bourke—If this kind there is no compensation awarded, but we can fine for malicious injury. Mr. Quirk—The police could prosecute for riotous conduct, but they have no right to bring a prosecution for malicious injury. The only party that has the right to bring a prosecution for malicious injury is the person whose property is damaged. Mr. Bourke—William Healy is convicted and fined 5s. and costs. If you like to appeal, Mr. Quirk, we will fine him 21s. Mr. Quirk—Thank you, sir, but I won't mind appealing (laughter).

UNFRIENDLY NEIGHBOURS.

Annie Anderson summoned Mary Rothwell and her son for abusive and threatening language, and applied to have the latter bound to the peace. The defendant had cross summonses against the complainant and her mother, Mrs. Mullins, the parties reside in New Lane. Mr. Quirk, solicitor, appeared for Mrs. Anderson, and stated that his application was to bind the defendant to the peace, because his client had suffered a terrible amount of annoyance, abuse and threats at the hands of the defendant. His client was a respectable woman, and her husband was also a respectable man. Having heard the statements of the complainant and defendant. The Bench bound the latter to the peace in 25 and two sureties of £2 10s. each, or in default a month's imprisonment. The case against Edward Rothwell was withdrawn, and the cross cases were dismissed.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE CASES.

An attendance order was obtained against Thomas Cashin, and Margaret Heahsey, fined 2s., and costs for not sending her child to school. Mr. Quirk appeared on behalf of the School Attendance Committee, and Mr. Gray, Inspector proved the cases.

WITHDRAWN.

Mr. Quirk informed the Bench that Mr. E. Landy had decided not to apply for a renewal of his license. Mr. Bourke—Very well. I will mark it withdrawn.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Michael Kenny, summoned by Constable Holmes for being drunk and disorderly, was fined 7s. 6d. and costs. Thomas Walsh, summoned by Head Constable Neill, was fined 6s. 6d. for drunkenness. A man named McGrath, summoned by Constable O'Brien for allowing an ass, his property, to wander on the public road, was fined 2s. Patrick Moloney, summoned by Constable Mara, was fined 2s. 6d. for drunkenness.

CRUELTY CASE.

Patrick Foley was prosecuted by Sergeant Kearney for ill-treating his wife and children. Mr. J. F. Quirk, solicitor, watched the case on behalf of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. The Sergeant stated that on the 24th October a complaint was made that the defendant put his wife and children out of the house at New Street. He found the children out in the street, and they told him they were afraid to go in. He went into the house and found defendant there drunk. He asked him why he persisted in keeping his wife and children out, and he said they could go to hell. Constable Power corroborated. Mr. Quirk said he thought it would be well to issue a warrant for his arrest. The Bench requested Head Constable O'Neil to see the defendant and tell him that the case has been adjourned for a fortnight, and if he didn't treat his wife and family properly he would be sent to goal.

POSSESSION CASE.

Margaret Harding obtained a decree for possession against Ellen Webster, as did also Alice Coghlan against William Maher. Mr. Heame proved the amount of rent due in each instance. This concluded the business.

TRAGIC DEATH OF A NOTTINGHAM BUTCHER.

KILLED BY A GOODS TRAIN. London, Monday. Mr. Horace Phillips, a butcher of Eastford, Nottingham, was knocked down by a goods train and killed at Melton Mowbray last night. He had been missing from his home since Friday last.

TWO LADIES KILLED BY A FALLING TREE.

London, Monday. Two ladies driving along the South Road, Northfield, near Birmingham, to-day, were killed by a large tree which fell upon them.

ARTILLERY DRIVER DROWNED.

Driver Smith of the Field Artillery, was drowned while training a gun, one of his comrades at Portsmouth on Sunday afternoon.