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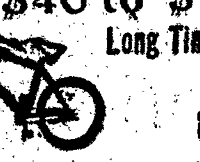

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CONNAUGHT.

GALWAY.

Dr. E. Edgar Flynn, Local Government Board Inspector, recently visited Ballinasloe for the purpose of inquiring into and reporting on the distress existing in the town and district. He received an unofficial visit from the clergy and some of the Town Commissioners, to whom he stated that the relief promised by the Government could only be given to small farmers for work in the congested districts, Moore and Creagh being scheduled under the Act as a congested district.

A meeting of the Gort Board of Guardians has been held to consider the reply of the Chief Secretary, relative to the distress in the Union. Upwards of 300 men from the locality attended, who stated that they had absolutely no work to do. Mr. J. A. Glynn, solicitor, secretary to the local Relief Committee, stated that they had made grants of fire wood to 165 families in town alone. A very strong resolution was passed by the Board, calling on Secretary Morley to grant some of the relief fund towards completing roads in the Union.

MAYO.

Miss MacBauley has been chosen Head Nurse, or Superintendant, by the Governors of the County Mayo Lunatic Asylum.

Several families in Coogue South have been evicted within the last few weeks. The townland is a portion of the Dillon estate, and is admittedly one of the poorest localities in the country. The people are in a state bordering on actual starvation. The parties evicted were—Widow Loughlin, Carrowrea, Widow Fitzmaurice, Brackloon; Martin Gara, Scregg; Pat. Waldron, Derrylahan. The two former were re-admitted as caretakers, The case of Martin Gara is particularly painful. His wife died about a year ago, and he himself has been an invalid and confined to his house for the last three years. He is now left homeless and helpless with a young family of seven children. Widow Loughlin has been admitted on condition that she pays two years' rent within a month, and in the event of her not complying with this condition the eviction will be permanently re-effected.

ROSCOMMON.

Mr. P. J. Delany, of Dunmore, who was well known in Nationalist circles, and who took a prominent part in the Gaelic movement, died recently.

At the meeting of the Roscommon Board of Guardians recently, Dr. Joseph McDonnell (brother to Mr. Farrell McDonnell, solicitor, Roscommon), was elected Medical Officer of the Workhouse, by eighteen votes against ten votes given for his opponent Dr. D. J. O'Malley. At the same meeting, Mr. John Murphy, Athleague, was elected master of the Workhouse, by a majority of three votes over his opponent.

SLIGO.

We much regret to announce the death of the Rev. W. Derham, C.M., which took place recently, at St. Peter's Phibsborough, Dublin, at the early age of 28 years. The deceased was a native of Sligo, and was ordained there about three years ago, after having completed his studies in the Vincentian Noviciate, Blackrock. His first appointment was to All-Hallows College, as Dean and Professor of History, where he fulfilled his duties with exceptional success. His health failing him, he was subsequently removed, for a change of work, to St. Peter's Phibsborough. The kind and amiable disposition which endeared Father Derham to all who knew him he preserved to the last, bearing his long and painful illness with a rare patience and cheerful resignation.

LEINSTER.

CARLOW.

Justice Murphy, accompanied by the High Sheriff, Lieutenant Colonel Hardy Eustace, entered the Crown Court, Carlow, and opened the Assize Commission. The Grand Jury having being re-sworn by Mr. J. D. MacCarthy, Clerk of Crown and Peace, Justice Murphy congratulated them on the fact that there was only one bill to go before them at this assizes, and that the county maintains its old and well-established character of being the most peaceful county in Ireland perhaps the most peaceful county in the United Kingdom.

DUBLIN.

The roll of members of the Royal Dublin Society was increased by 163 during last year, and the income of the Society for 1894 exceeded that of any previous year in the course of its history.

KILDARE

In the Bankrupt Court, Dublin, the case of Denis Murphy was called up. The bankrupt, who had carried on business as licensed grocer and vintner, at 94 Canal street, for the past twelve months, was examined, and stated that, during the previous week, he had removed all his stock and furniture from the premises in Capel street, and that they were taken by rail to Athy, to a shop which his sister had taken there, and in which she intended to carry on the business. The bailiffs had come in on his premises the previous week, and he thought it better to give the goods to his sister, to whom he owed £50, which she had given him when he had started business. Miss Murphy was examined, and stated that she got the £50 which she lent her brother from her father. Judge Boyde made an order for the return of the goods and furniture. In reply to Dr. Monks, solicitor, who appeared for Miss Murphy, she stated that she would take the goods and furniture at a valuation; and this offer was accepted by the creditor's solicitor.

KILKENNY.

Justice Murphy opened the Assize Commission for Kilkenny city. He was accompanied by the Right Worshipful P. J. Morrissey, Mayor, and Mr. T. Power, High Sheriff. Addressing the grand jury he said he had great pleasure in being able to inform them that there was no bill of any kind whatever to go before them. The criminal calendar in the city of Kilkenny had been a blank since last winter assizes, and he congratulated them upon the peaceableness of the city.

KING'S.

The Poor Law Guardians of Edenderry Union have elected Miss Mary Ennis to fill the office of Registrar of Births, Marriages, and Deaths in the Rhode Dispensary District, rendered vacant by the death of Dr. Mills.

LONGFORD.

The Most Rev. Joseph Hoare was solemnly consecrated Bishop of Ardagh and Clonmacnoise, in Longford cathedral, recently.

LOUTH.

The Boyne Regatta, at Drogheda, has been fixed to take place on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 18th and 19th June next.

MEATH.

In the Court of Bankruptcy, Dublin, the case of Ross J. McMahon came up. The bankrupt was a farmer, grocer, and auctioneer at Mullagh, in the county Meath. He had been examined the previous day and stated that he owed a number of debts for goods supplied to the shop. Mrs. McMahon, his wife, was now examined, and stated that the business of the shop was carried on by herself and that the goods belonged to her, although they had been ordered in her husband's name. Judge Boyd said that he would direct that the depositions in the case be sent to the Attorney General, with a view to a prosecution for perjury being instituted.

QUEEN'S

Sir Anthony MacDonnell has been selected as Lieutenant Governor of the Northwest Provinces, British Columbia.

WEXFORD.

Mr. Alexander Ross, eldest son of Mr. William Ross, of Enniscorthy, has been sworn in a solicitor of the Supreme Court of Judicature in Ireland Mr Ross intends practicing in Dublin.

WICKLOW.

We regret to announce the death of Mr John Chaloner Smith, C. E., president and past hon. sec. of the Institute of Civil Engineers of Ireland, and late chief engineer of the Dublin, Wicklow, and Wexford Railway, who died at the residence of his brother, Very Rev. Canon Smith, Clyde road, Bray, after a brief illness from an attack of heart failure.

MUNSTER.

CLARE.

We regret to record the death of James Brady, who for many years resided in Ennis, where he carried on a large and remunerative business, as a seed and hardware merchant. Latterly, with advanced years, he retired from business and took up his residence in one of the suburban districts of Dublin. Up to a very short time before his decease he enjoyed good health, but a paralytic seizure had a fatal termination recently. His remins were interred in Glasnevin Cemetery.

CORK.

Mr. Eugene Collins, who was for many years M.P. for Kinsale, died recently, at his residence, Porchester terrace London, from acute bronchitis.

A fire broke out recently in McAuliffe's, fruiterer, Patrick street, Cork. The premises are separated by a passage six feet wide from Messrs. Grant & Co.'s extensive drapery warehouses, owned by T. Lyons & Co., and these appeared in danger for a short time, but the Fire Brigade, under Capt. Hudson, speedily got control of the flames, and averted this danger. The upper portion of McAuliffe's premises was gutted, but the shop was not much injured. The premises are insured.

KERRY.

In Killarney, a little girl, daughter of Mr. John McCrohan, publican, Main street, was knocked down by a pony and trap belonging to Mr. P. Huggard, T. C. The little one, with a number of other children, was playing in Main street, when the pony and trap, which was occupied by Mrs. Huggard and her sister, drove up, stricking the little child and knocking her down. Several parties who witnessed the occurrence ran to the spot; but when the child was picked up it was found that she had received no serious injury.

LIMERICK

Mr Stannard McAdam, agent of Colonel O'Callaghan's Bodyke estate, died recently, from an attack of typhoid fever, which it is supposed he contracted in Dublin, some weeks previously. Mr. McAdam's connection with the Bodyke estate dated from 1891, after the position had been surrendered by two former agents, owing to the impossibility of collecting rent from the unfortunate tenants, who were bordering on starvation. Since then periodical attempts to seize have been made, and at times some exciting scenes were witnessed during the deceased agent's tenure of office.

TIPPERARY.

A meeting of the Nationalists of Clonmel was held recently in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the local branch of the Irish National Federation, for the purpose of responding to the appeal of Mr. Justin McCarty for the Parliamentary Fund. The meeting was large and representive, and most enthusiastic, all present subscribing with characteristic generosity. The Mayor (Alderman E. Cantwell, J.P.,) wrote regretting that he was unable to attend, as he was confined to his house by illness, and enclosing a cheque for £3.

WATERFORD.

The Chief Justice opened the Commission for Waterford city recently. His lordship who was presented with white gloves, complimented the Grand Jury upon the absence of crime in the city. Justice Murphy took his seat in the County Court and opened the Commission for the County of Waterford. He said he would be able to congratulate the Grand Jury on the condition of the county, were it not for the prevalence of cattle maiming, which he denounced as the most atrocious and cowardly kind of crime.

ULSTER.

ANTRIM.

At the Criminal Court, Glasgow, Henry Wyllie, smith, was charged with having married a woman in Glasgow while his lawful wife, Agnes Reid, or Wyllie, 43 Lepper Street, Belfast, was still alive. The agent for the defence stated that the accused belonged to Belfast, and after living happily with his wife they separated, owing to the intervention of her friends. The prosecutor said the accused ill-treated her. Sentence of six months' imprisonment was imposed.

ARMAGH.

A fire broke out in the Military Depot on Barrack hill, Armagh, recently. The fire originated in the married men's quarter of the barrack, and spread with alarming rapidity, doing considerable damage to the property in that portion of the building. The Military Fire Brigade, the City Fire Brigade, and the Armagh Police, by dint of hard work, at last got the fire under control, and were able to save a considerable amount of property from destruction.

DERRY.

A man named James Martin, a bricklayer, died recently after having received severe injuries by falling from the roof of a two-storied house in Meeting house street, while engaged in repairing a chimney.

DONEGAL.

The Assize Commission was opened at Lifford, before Judge Gibson, in the Crown Court. The Justice, in addressing the Grand Jury, said: 'Gentlemen of the Grand Jury of the county Donegal, there are only four small bills to go before you at the present Assizes, representing two cases each for assault. I am glad on my first visit to your important county, to be able to congratulate you upon its peaceable condition. I see, from the report from the County Inspector of Constabulary, that it is in a most satisfactory condition; and I earnestly trust that it will remain so.'

DOWN.

The influenza epidemic has reached Newry and the adjoining district, and has broken out in the military barracks, spreading among the men of the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, who are at present stationed there. Sixty men have been laid up with the disease.

MONAGHAN

At the Monaghan Assizes, a young man named James Joseph O'Neill was convicted of criminal assault upon a married woman named Catherine McManus, and was sentenced to five years' penal servitude.

TYRONE.

At the Assizes in Omagh, Nicholas McCormack, publican, Strabane, surrendered to his bail to answer an indictment charging him with the manslaughter of William Lamn, on the 27th of August, 1894. He was acquitted and discharged.

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Dated January 18th, 1895.

THOMAS B. MOONEY, Administrator.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

PURSUANT to an order of Hon J. A. Adlington, Surrogate of the County of Monroe, notice is hereby given, according to law to all persons having claims or demands against Mary O'Brien late of the City of Rochester, County of Monroe, State of New York, deceased, to present the same with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned Catharine O'Brien, executrix of the will of Mary O'Brien, deceased, at her place for the transaction of business as such executrix at No. 49 Bates Street, Rochester, N. Y., on or before the 26th day of August, 1895

Dated February 20th, 1895.

CATHARINE O'BRIEN, Executrix, etc.

IRVING PAINE, attorney for Executrix. Rochester, N. Y.

Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of Hon. J. A. Adlington, Surrogate of the County of Monroe, notice is hereby given, according to law to all persons having claims or demands against Edwin Sabins late of the city of Rochester, County of Monroe, State of New York, to present the same with the vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executors of the will of deceased at his place for the transaction of business as such executor at 346 State street, Rochester, N. Y., on or before the 30th day of April, 1895.

Dated October 20th, 1894.

ARTHUR KEEGAN, Executor.

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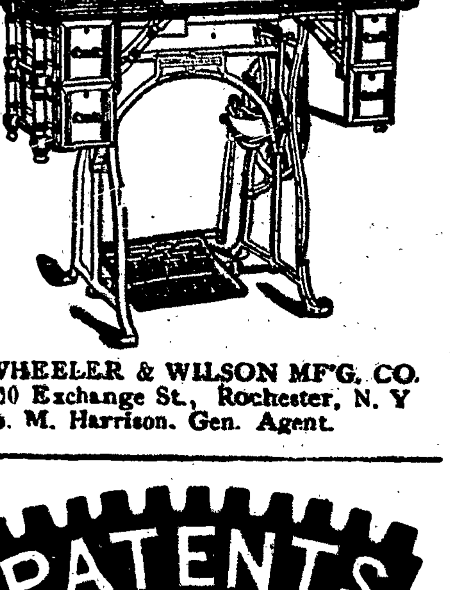

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