

tenant; old rent, L5; judicial rent, L8 10s. Edward Heaney, landlord; Patrick Driver, tenant; old rent, L14 10s; judicial rent, L10 5s. B M Wilson, landlord; Lucy Eonis, tenant; old rent, L17 judicial rent, L100. John Longfield and others, landlord; Bridget Kelly, tenant; old rent, L13; judicial rent, L8. Jane Keogh, landlady; Jane Toole, tenant; old rent, L100; judicial rent, L69; Sophia Newton and others, landlady; Sarah Giltrap, tenant; old rent, L53 16s 3d; judicial rent, L44. Viscount Bridport and others, landlord; J Best, tenant; old rent, L32; judicial rent, L27 10s. C O'H Trench, landlord; William Ryan, tenant; old rent, L260; judicial rent, L240. Rev F Fitzpatrick, landlord; J McGrath, tenant; old rent, L38; judicial rent, L32; Mat Cooper, tenant; old rent, L93; judicial rent, L60; James McGreer, tenant; old rent, L114; judicial rent, L77 10s; B McGreer, tenant; old rent, L23 12s 6d; judicial rent, L16 15s; William Kane, tenant; old rent, L16; judicial rent, L12 10s; Mary Byrne, tenant; old rent, L16; judicial rent, L11; William Byrne, tenant; old rent, L25 13s; judicial rent, L17 10s; Richard Whittle, tenant; old rent, L28; judicial rent, L18 10s; Edward Neill, tenant; old rent, L16 17s; judicial rent, L11; B Lawler, tenant; old rent, L34; judicial rent, L24; T Valentine, tenant; old rent, L22 8s 6d; judicial rent, L14 15s; Edward Noble, old rent, L28 10s; judicial rent, L22 10s. Edward Fenelon, tenant; old rent, L99 12s; judicial rent, L70. T J Gorman, tenant; old rent, L16 4s; judicial rent, L10 10s. Patrick Molony, tenant; old rent, L3 6s 2d; judicial rent, L2. Wm Keogh, tenant; old rent, L18 10s; judicial rent, L13 5s. James Reynolds, tenant; old rent, L6 3s; judicial rent, L3. Patrick Dowling, tenant; old rent, L16 16s 2d; judicial rent, L9 10s. M Ryan, tenant; old rent, L24 0s 5d; judicial rent, L18 10s. Wm Jackson, tenant; old rent, L23; judicial rent, L17 15s. Ellen Foley, tenant; old rent, L6 10s; judicial rent, L4 10s. M Keating, tenant; old rent, L40 5s; judicial rent, L30. Ann Lawler, tenant; old rent, L13; judicial rent, L11. Daniel Neal, tenant; old rent, L17 3s 6d; judicial rent, L11.

**Kilkenny.**—A Nationalist Convention has been held at Mullinavat for the purpose of selecting a Nationalist candidate to contest the vacant coronership in South Kilkenny in the Nationalist interest. There are four candidates for the appointment, namely:—Dr Walshe, Graigue; Dr Stephenson, Kilmacon; Dr Crane, Mullinavat, and J. O'Shea, solicitor, Callan. On the motion of Rev J. Purcell, seconded by Rev P. Doyle, Father Raffice, Mullinavat, was moved to the chair. Father Downey, Mullinavat, and James Scally, Callan, were elected secretaries. The Convention came to the conclusion to adopt no one in particular as the special candidate of the National Federation, but permit all to fight the contest on their own merits.

**King's County.**—At Tullamore Poor-Law Guardians meeting on January 26, David Sherlock, B.L.D.L., proposed:—"That we, the Tullamore Board of Guardians, desire hereby to place on record our admiration of the character exhibited by the late Cardinal Manning on all public occasions during his life, and our sense of loss sustained by the nation in his death." Mr Adams seconded the resolution, which was passed unanimously. The number of Parliamentary voters, according to the new lists for 1892, in Birr division is 5,253, divided as follows among the ten polling districts:—Bonagher, 519; Ballycumber, 214; Birr, 1,023; Fermagh, 891; Frankford, 619; Kinnetty, 520; Moneygall, 379; Moystown, 226; Shionone, 595; Thomastown, 267. Tullamore Division.—The total voters are 5,295, divided as follows among the seven polling districts:—Clara, 869; Clonbullogue, 313; Cloneygowan, 767; Edenderry, 555; Faby, 387; Philipstown, 691; Tullamore, 1,773; total in the County, 10,548.

**Leitrim.**—At the weekly meeting of the Board of Guardians at Manorhamilton, John Dolan, chairman, presiding, the seven families that were evicted by George Hewson, agent (this Mr Hewson was notorious as being formerly agent on the Olphert estate, Donegal), on the Montgomery estate, numbering in all thirty-five souls, appealed for outdoor relief, as they were refused re-admission to their homes, and had to depend on the charity of their friends and neighbours for food and shelter since. The part of the estate on which the evictions took place is situated in the parish of Drumkeeran, some miles distant from the town, and on the Killarga electoral division.

**Limerick.**—The O'Grady tenants on the Herbertstown estate met in the College, Henry street, Limerick, lately. Most Rev Dr O'Dwyer, who is interesting himself with a view to a settlement, was present. It is stated that the tenants agreed to an offer of eighteen years' purchase of their holdings.

The cattle and sheep fair comprised about 3,000 animals. The supply was about the same as previous year, but the animals were all in a very forward condition for the time of the year. Best beef sold at from 55s to 60s—the top price; inferior kinds from 45s to 50s per cwt; three-year-old heifers, L10 to L13; two-year-olds, L8 to L10; and yearlings, L4 to L6; milch cows sold at from L14 to L20, and springers at about the same figures; three-year-old bullocks from L11 to L14, and two-year-olds, L9 to L11.

At a meeting of the Limerick Branch of the National Federation recently, F. O'Keefe, M.P., said that in view of the approaching general election it was the duty of Limerick Nationalists to organise their forces. As far as he was concerned, if the people of Limerick

in any way said he was not to be honoured with a renewal of their confidence he would immediately stand aside, but he had looked into the register and found there were 5,084 votes on it. Even giving his opponents the whole of the Tory vote, he estimated that when a Nationalist candidate stood for Limerick city he would be sure of at least 3,500 votes.

**Meath.**—At a sale held at Kinnegad on January 22, the tenant's interest in sixty-two Irish acres of land, with dwelling-houses and offices thereon (part of Colonel Colclough's estate), subject to L82 a year rent, was purchased by Mr Glennon for L1,331, and the tenants' in about nine Irish acres (part of Miss Magan's estate), without any house attached, subject to L1 3s per acre, was purchased by Mr Weymes for L300.

**Monaghan.**—The Bishop of Clogher recently, when referring to the late Cardinal Manning during a sermon, said:—"Never had he but a kind and tender word to speak of Ireland and her people, even when speaking of their faults. Ireland had lost in him a dear and most influential friend, and he ought not to be forgotten in the prayers of the faithful."

The Nationalist of Castleblaney recently held a public meeting, at which the following resolution was enthusiastically and unanimously adopted, Canon Hoey presiding:—"That we send our best thanks to the Liberals of Rosendale for the splendid fight they have made for justice to Ireland, and we consider that such a victory does more than the severest Coercion Act to bring peace to Ireland and promote the friendship that should exist between the peoples of the sister kingdoms."

At recent meeting of the Castleblaney Branch of the National Federation, Very Rev Canon Hoey presiding, it was resolved, on the motion of B. McArdle, seconded by P. Duffy:—"That we consider the time has passed for reconciliation with a party that has proved itself so false to the interests of our country, and we consider that no proposals for re-union should be entertained until the minority have gone back and taken the opinion of their constituents on their conduct since the divorce proceedings against the late Mr Parnell."

**Roscommon.**—The work of erecting the machinery for the new artesian well in the Corn Market, Roscommon, has been commenced by Mr Watt, the contractor.

At the Boyle Quarter Sessions on January 25 the County Court Judge, Mr O'Connor Morris, in addressing the Grand Jury, said there were but four bills to go before them and they were of a very trivial nature.

**Tipperary.**—Charles M. Carroll, auctioneer, Nenagh, recently sold for L820 to Michael Moylan, the tillage and grass farm at Kilgurteen containing eighty acres, and held under J. D. Dwyer at L60 per annum.

Alderman T. J. Condon, M.P., addressed a meeting of his constituents at Grangemockler, on the eastern slope at Slievenamon, near Mullenahone. There was a large and representative gathering of people from Grangemockler, Mullenahone, Kilcash, etc., including the O'Brien and Figlash evicted tenants. Father Mulcahy presided. Mr Condon, in the course of his address, said the present session of Parliament will be one of most momentous to Ireland during our generation, and, perhaps, in the history of Parliamentary institutions in this country. His constituents endorsed the honourable member's Parliamentary career, and he returns to the House of Commons carrying their approval, which the Parnellites are not in a position to say.

**Tyrone.**—A large meeting of the Catholics of Cookstown was held recently in the new hall, lately given to the Catholic people by their worthy pastor, Very Rev T. Canon Rice. The hall consists of the fine day school recently occupied by the nuns now removed to their new and enlarged schools in connection with the convent, also class-room and apartments on ground floor. The whole, with some slight alteration, will make the most complete Catholic reading-room and hall in the country. About 100 members were enrolled. The enthusiasm and spirit displayed by all augurs well for the future of the new Catholic hall and reading-room.

**Waterford.**—Some weeks ago a police pensioner named Kingworth removed from Passage East and took up his residence in Costelloe's lane, Ballybricken. It appears he fled from Passage to escape the torments of some invisible person or persons who kept pelting his crockery ware and furniture about, in fact, making "smithereens" of his household effects. But the invisible one discovered the pensioner in his new abode and the flinging and smashing goes right on. The police are in the house, but what use are they against the invisibles, they are not so easily nabbed as a Nationalist. There are hundreds of persons constantly in the vicinity who can bear witness to the sport carried on by the occult quality, but are powerless to assist the pensioner.

**Wexford.**—In every part of Ireland (says an Irish paper) regret will be felt that John Barry, M.P., has decided not to again enter Parliament at the general election. Mr Barry has represented Wexford for a number of years, during which time his constituents have had the most implicit confidence in his honour and patriotism. Some time ago they offered to pay him for his services, but he