

Irish News.

W. J. Glasse, a solicitor of Strabane, died on October 14 after a short illness.

Two members of the Kells Board of Guardians have recently died—Edward Farrelly and Henry Doughty.

Listowel parish has sent through Gerald L. Stack, J.P., £30, as the first instalment of a contribution to the Parliamentary Fund.

The death occurred on October 17, at his residence, Altamount street, Westport, of Patrick McMahon, aged sixty-nine years.

There was no contest for municipal honors this year in Aghy. The retiring commissioners were M. Doyle, M. Lalor, J.P., M. Heffernan, F. J. Murchin, J.P., and J. Nugent.

The election of chairman of the Tralee Town Commissioners came off on Oct. 19, and resulted in a prominent Nationalist, St. John H. Donovan, J.P., being elected by 11 to 9 votes.

Dr. Thomas Laffan has, owing to some complications connected with the Comel Town Commissioners, tendered his resignation as a member of that body. He was chairman of the board for about sixteen years.

Their friends will regret to learn of the deaths of these Meath Catholics: At Roadman, Cushenstown, October 13, Edward Melia, aged eighty-five years; October 17, Canestown, Stackallen, Anne, widow of the late John Mongey.

The spire on St. Patrick's Memorial Church, Downpatrick, is almost completed. The new bell, which is, like the tower and spire, the bequest of the late Anthony Meckan, has arrived. It weighs two tons and a half, and cost £300.

At the meeting of the Coleraine Board of Guardians on the 13 inst., correspondence was read from the Local Government Board approving of the action of the Aghadowney Dispensary Committee in reappointing Dr. Morrison as medical officer for the district.

At Rathcabin, on the border of Tipperary, a man named Colwell was engaged in feeding a threshing machine at a farmer's house on Oct. 18, when his arm became caught in the machinery and was almost torn from his body. Very slight hopes are entertained of his recovery.

The result of the polling in Downpatrick for four town commissioners in the place of John Maguire, John Gilmore, James Johnston and James Hastings, who retired by rotation, and who were opposed by John McBride and Samuel Martin, was as follows: Maguire, Nationalist, 102; Gilmore, Nationalist, 87; Johnston, Unionist, 83; M. Bride, Unionist, 78; Hastings, Unionist, 73; Martin, Unionist, 62.

October 11 was fixed for the election of Commissioners to fill the vacancies caused by the retirement of Messrs. Jas. O'Gorman, Nationalist; M. Donohoe, Nationalist; Aidan Harper, Redmondite; Robert O'Leary, Redmondite, and M. Ryan, Redmondite, members of the Enniscomerty Town Commission Board. There was no contest, however. In Gorey the retiring Commissioners, Garratt Doyle, P. Webb, and James Byrne, have been returned unopposed.

On October 15 the voting in the municipal contest in Longford borough was held. The outgoing commissioners were Messrs. Igoe, Trimble, Plunkett, Redmondites, and J. J. M. Elnea, Conservative. Joseph M. Gaver, Nationalist, was the outgoing commissioner in the Abbey Ward, and was opposed by Mr. McElnea, who, foreseeing the result, withdrew. Mr. McGover was accordingly declared elected. The Nationalist candidates were: J. P. Farrell, County Delegate I.N.F.; Thos. Duffy, James Cooney and P. Gilchrist. The following is the result of the counting: Thos. Plunkett, 128; Jas. J. McElnea, 112; Thos. Trimble, 108; Peter Igo, 104; Thomas Duffy, 84; Jas. P. Farrell, 79; Michael Gilchrist, 59; James Cooney, 58.

Bishop Owens, of Cloyne, assisted by the Very Rev. L. J. Canon O'Neill, of Clones; the Rev. P. O'Donnell, Adm. of Monaghan, and the Rev. P. J. Lynch, on Oct. 18th, received the vows of the following young ladies at the Convent of St. Louis, Louis Ville, Monaghan; Miss Ellen McKeon, of Kingscourt, in religion Sister M. Alphonsus; Miss Annie Ryan, of Limerick, in religion Sister M. Malachy; Miss Annie Dowd, of Carrick-on-Shannon, in religion Sister M. Austin; Miss Mary Gillespie, of Dublin, in

religion Sister M. Clement, and Miss Alice M. Reynolds, of Malahide, in religion Sister Mary Gonzaga. Miss Connolly was received into the Order, taking the name of Sister M. Aiden.

At the Cas. Br. Quarter Sessions, on October 17, before County Court Judge O'Connor Morris, Lord De Freyne brought objections on the title against several tenants. When the case against John Giblin had been on, his solicitor, Mr. McDonnell, said he would like to make an offer. His position was that the same terms he offered the tenants before the court as were offered to other tenants by Lord De Freyne, to pay two years' rent by January. Anybody who knew Roscommon could not be blind to the fact that those tenants could not make their rents out of their holdings for some time past. His Honor said that Lord De Freyne should be glad to accept the offer just made. Mr. Blakey said that in face of his instructions from Lord De Freyne he could not accept the offer. De Freyne was not at home at present. His Honor said he had forty years' experience as a landlord, and concluded that it was better to drive the horse than to drag him. He asked Mr. Blakey to communicate with Lord De Freyne at once by telegraph, giving his honor's compliments, and asking him if he would accept the offer. He was thoroughly conversant with the land question in Ireland, and would advise Lord De Freyne to accede to the request. His Honor's remarks were greeted with cries of "Long life to you." He adjourned the cases till October 20. Mr. Blakey: "I do not think I can answer by Saturday (Oct. 20)." The Judge (emphatically), "if you do not take those terms I will put you on terms. I will have no nonsense, because I have power to put a stay on a decree to any limit of time, and what is more, I will do it. I insist on your communicating with Lord De Freyne." Ultimately the cases were allowed to stand till January.

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