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**Clare Champion 24-8-2012**

**150 Years Ago**

**MARK OF RESPECT**

THERE were great bonfires and illuminations in Seafield, on Sunday evening last, when it became known that Mr William Brew was declared the tenant of the farm formerly held by his father and latterly by himself. There were several more applications to the agent, Marcus Keane, Esq; but he has acted most hon­ourably in handing it over to the old tenant, though more money has been offered for it by strangers. Mr Keane deserves great merit in thus leaving the land to Mr Brew; and we are certain that the act will be ap­preciated by Mr Keane's friends in that locality. Danc­ing was kept until three o'clock on Monday morning and the parties present spent an agreeable evening. Mr Brew is deservedly esteemed by his neighbours in that locality.