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## WATERFORD CO. COUNCIL

Senator J Butler Chairman presided at a Special Meeting of the Waterford County Council held at Dungarvan on Tuesday last. Members present were—D Heskin, M F Walsh Ml McGrath D Coghlan Jas Quirke Ml O Ryan L A Veale G Torpey, Ml Butler, J Kirwan Ml Harty W Terry and W Dower. Mr T B Boyle Acting County Secretary, attended.

**Scholarships**  
The Acting Secretary informed the meeting that the Department had agreed to extend the date of entry for the Co Council Scholarships and that they had been advertised in the papers, and that school managers had been also informed about them. Applications were coming in slowly he said.

**Defaulting Land Annuitants**  
The Acting Secretary said that as members would remember the Manager had said at the estimates meeting that there was £50,000 outstanding from the Council in unpaid land annuities. Since that meeting they had received approximately £12,000 from the Land Commission and this left a balance of about £38,000 still outstanding. The Chairman informed the meeting that although the Acting Secretary at the Council's request had written to the Land Commission for an up-to-date list of defaulters the letter had not even been acknowledged. The list before the meeting was compiled in 1941 and out of date now.

Mr Coghlan then proposed that consideration of the list be deferred until the new list be got and to ask the Land Commission to send on the list as requested.

Mr Walsh seconded. At Mr O Ryan's suggestion it was marked second application. Mr Harty said that it was unreasonable of the Land Commission not to inform the Council of the amount of the grant before the estimates meeting.

The Manager had made allowance for £4,000 but the additional £8,000 would have meant a relief in the rates amounting to 7d in the £.

In reply to Mr Heskin the Acting Secretary said that the money could not now be used to relieve the rates this year.

**Consecration of Bishop-Elect**  
The next matter on the agenda was to consider the feasibility of presenting an address to the Bishop-Elect on the occasion of his Consecration on the 4th April next and to make any necessary arrangements for representation at the Ceremony.

The Chairman said that it was usual for the principal body in the County to have representation at such a ceremony and to present an address. The Acting Secretary would read the address and the Chairman and other members would be present.

Mr O Ryan said—as many members as wish could be present.

The Acting-Secretary said that it would all have to be at the members own expense.

Mr O Ryan said that any members who desire to be present should get in touch with the Acting-Secretary as soon as possible in order that adequate seating accommodation could be reserved at the Cathedral.

The Chairman Messrs Coghlan Torpey Harty Walsh, and McGrath stated that they would attend.

It was decided to leave preparation of the address to the Acting-Secretary and local members.

**Travelling Expenses**

A discussion took place on the allowance for travelling to and from meetings. The Acting-Secretary said that actual costs would be paid but the regulations stated that no allowance would be made for those living within 5 miles of the place of meeting. A rate of 1d per mile was also allowed for cycling.

Members protested against the 5 mile limit and requested the T.D.'s and Senators to discuss the matter with the De-

## VIEWS OF OUR READERS

### Swimming Pool Scheme

(To The Editor)  
Dear Sir—The Dungarvan Branch of the A.T. & G.W.U. recently sent a request to the Urban Council asking the members to support an application which the Union Branch had sent to the Town Manager re the method of employing casual workers at the Swimming Pool Scheme.

In your report of the meeting at which the letter was read, there appeared some observations made by the Councillors, one of which was made by Mr. Morrissey who said that the idea behind these schemes was to give employment to as many men as possible and if some men got a month's work, there would be others without any. I have been asked by the Branch to state that the Union's idea is to give work to as many as possible in the best way possible.

The present method of employing the men gives work to some on three days a week, others on four days and more on five days. The Union wants a 48-hour week for all with all casual workers getting an equal share. Thanking you for space in your paper—I remain, Yours faithfully

P RYAN, Branch Sec

### GOTTIERS GRIEVANCE

"Cottage Tenant" writing from Bleanis, Ballinacuit, on the remarks about the £4,000 estimated for repairs to Labourers Cottages, made at the Estimates Meeting of the Co Council, claims that the repairs which were done in a small number of the cottages were "botched" jobs and suggests that closer inspections should be carried out before the contractors are paid. He calls on the councillors to take up the matter with the Co Manager, with a view to making the cottages more habitable at once. (Due to pressure on space we regret we are unable to publish the letter in full.)

### Fine Gael Convention At Dungarvan

#### Gen Mulcahy's Speech

A County Convention of Fine Gael was held at Dungarvan on Tuesday last. There was a large and representative attendance from all parts of the County. General Richard Mulcahy presided.

Addressing the Convention, Gen Mulcahy said it was not necessary to consider the failure of the Government during the emergency, or lack of any outlook on the future, to see how irresponsible and incompetent they were to govern the country. A consideration of their record up to 1939 would be sufficient. From 1932 to 1939 every interest in the country was subordinated to the idea that Fianna Fail was the only group capable of doing anything in the country.

Farmers and agricultural labourers were sacrificed to the Government's determination to fight out their political disputes with Great Britain in a particular way, and the Government's plan for agricultural self-sufficiency resulted in a reduction of 48,510 male agricultural workers, from 1934 to 1939. Pointing out that between the years 1926-'27 and 1931-'32, the amount collected in rates and taxes had gone down by

Department

Mr Heskin also stated that 1d per mile was very little and it was also decided to raise this.

**Appointment**

The Chairman was appointed as representative to the meetings of the Irish Public Bodies Mutual Insurance Society.

**Acknowledgment**

An acknowledgment of the Council's vote of sympathy on the death of the late T. E. O'Shea was received.

£334,251. General Mulcahy said that there had been an increase of 11,400 persons per year in full-time employment during the five intervening years, as measured by the National Health Insurance Fund. By the year March 1939 Fianna Fail had increased taxation and rates by £4,701,000 and £1,607,675 respectively but their policy had completely wiped out any annual increase in employment.

Other speakers included Mrs Redmond, T.D., Mr W J Broderick, T.D., Mr Wm Dwyer, Cork, and Senator J Butler.

Mrs Redmond, T.D., and Senator John Butler, were the candidates selected to contest the Waterford Constituency in the forthcoming General Election.

### Death Of A Distinguished Irish Priest In England

VERY REV. JOHN O'SHEA, P.P., V.F., SELBY, YORKSHIRE

(From Our Cappoquin Correspondent)

We deeply regret to announce the death of Very Rev Dean John O'Shea P.P., V.F., Selby, Yorkshire England which occurred at St Mary's Presbytery, Selby on last Friday after a rather protracted illness.

The deceased clergyman was a native of Graigue, Kilcass, Co Tipperary, and was brother of Mrs Keating, Brookhill, Fethard, Mr Pierce O'Shea, Graigue, and Mrs Josephine Walsh, wife of Mr M. F. Walsh, P.C. Auctioneer and Valuer, Cappoquin.

He received his early education in the famous private Academy conducted in Clonmel by the late Mr John F. Boyle, who was later one of the most brilliant men in Dungarvan, and father of Mr T B Boyle the present efficient Acting-Secretary of the Waterford County Council.

He then went to St John's College, Waterford, where he studied for six years, after which he went to Leeds-Seminary to complete his studies, and was ordained in Leeds about 40 years ago.

His first parish was St Joseph's, Leeds, after which he ministered in St Catherine's, Sheffield and also in St Marie's Parish, do where he was appointed P.P., and placed in the Pastoral charge of the important Parish of Deepcar, Yorkshire, where he remained for 5 years, when he was translated to Google, Yorkshire, where he spent 11 years, when he was appointed Dean and Vicar Forane, and sent to St Mary's, Selby, Yorks, about 7 years ago.

In every Parish where he ministered in the extensive Diocese of Leeds he had proved himself a most zealous and saintly Priest and had carried out important improvements in the Churches and Schools in the various parishes which earned the gratitude of his parishioners so much that he was made the recipient of several valuable presentations from the grateful Catholics whose spiritual and temporal interests he had always so faithfully safeguarded and looked after.

He was a well-known and familiar figure in Cappoquin, where he regularly spent his annual holidays each summer with his beloved sister, Mrs M F Walsh, but owing to the difficulties of train and steamer travel, caused by war restrictions, he had to travel by Air Service on his last visit and had intended availing of the same service for his next visit, if God had spared him.

He was in every respect, an ideal type of the Irish Priest on the English Mission, whose every act both in Religious and Secular life was a credit to his native country, and particularly to his native county "Gallant Tipperary" whose people should be proud of having produced such a splendid type of Irishman and such a high and honoured Dignitary of the Catholic Church.

His death will be the comparative early age of 63 years



The time for the sowing of Spring Wheat is now limited to a few weeks. The country will need all the Wheat you can possibly sow during these vital days.

1. SOW EVERY ACRE POSSIBLE.
2. USE EVERY HOUR TO THE FULLEST.
3. CONSULT YOUR AGRICULTURAL INSTRUCTOR IN ANY DIFFICULTY.

# GROW MORE WHEAT SOW NOW!

Issued by the Department of Agriculture

is a severe loss to the Catholic Church in England, while it is also a sad and severe blow to his respected relatives in Tipperary and Cappoquin, for all of whom the most sincere sympathy is now felt in their great bereavement.

Late Mrs. Catherine Attridge, Keating Street, Dungarvan

It is with sincere regret that we record the death of Mrs Catherine Attridge, 14 Keating Street, Dungarvan, which took place at her home on Sunday 14th inst. Deceased was well-known and highly-respected throughout the district, and widespread sorrow was felt at her death.

At the removal of the remains to St Mary's Parish Church, on Monday, 15th inst, and at the

burial the following day in the adjoining cemetery, there was a big concourse of mourning relatives and sympathisers.

Rev P. Farrell, C.C., officiated at the obsequies.

The immediate chief mourners were—Mr. Dan Attridge (husband), John, James, Pierre and Tom (sons).

DUNGARVAN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

GRAZING TO LET

Offers for the grazing of portion of the lands of Williams Marsh are invited for a period of 11 months.

Area—9 acres, more or less. Further information can be had on application to undersigned.

Offers to be lodged not later than Friday, 2nd April 1943.

WM O'MEARA, Town Clerk.

## Irish Labour Party Public Meetings

At SOUTH MALL, YOUGHAL, On Saturday, March, 27th, at 8.30 p.m.

AT SQUARE, DUNGARVAN

On Sunday, March 28th, at 12 o'clock

Messrs W. NORTON, T.D., and Alderman J. PATTISON, T.D., with Messrs JEROME GUIRY, and Alderman J. O'CONNOR, will Address the Meetings.

WORKERS COME AND HEAR YOUR OWN PARTY SPEAKERS

VOTE Nos. 1 and 2 LABOUR

SALES BY M F WALSH, P.C. CAPPOQUIN

**Cappoquin Annual Bull Sales**

Will be held in MY SALEBYARD APRIL & MAY FAIR DAYS 12 o'clock (noon) Early Entries Solicited M F WALSH, P.C. Auctioneer & Valuer, Cappoquin

**Killahalla, Cappoquin (Clearance Sale)**

**AUCTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CATTLE, FARM IMPLEMENTS, HAY, STRAW, ETC**

Having disposed of the Farm for C P Hynes, Esq., M R C V S, I have received instructions to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION on the Premises on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31st, at the hour of 2 o'clock (summer-time) the entire Household Furniture, comprising Round Mahogany Table, Brass Iron and Timber Bedsteads, Sideboard, Chairs, Sofa, Wardrobe, Dining Tables and Wash Stands, Aladdin Stove, Book Stand Music Box, Hall Stand Pictures, Overmantle, Kitchen Utensils, etc. Also a quantity of First-Crop and Up-land Hay, Oaten Straw, Grass Harrow, Chill Plough, Planet, Grubber, Turnip Machine, Pulper, Troughs, Oat Bin and a number of Cows and Store Cattle etc.

Terms—Cash usual Commission.

Michael F. Walsh, P.C. Auctioneer & Valuer, Cappoquin

SALES BY QUEALY & BALLOT

**Dungarvan Annual Bull Sale**

Above Sale will be held on FRIDAY, APRIL 30th, 1943 at EGAN'S HOTEL YARD Entries Now Booking Quealy & Ballot Auctioneers & Valuers, Dungarvan

**Garryduff, Colligan, Dungarvan**

**RESIDENTIAL HOLDING FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY**

Offers will be received by the undersigned on behalf of Mr Patrick Moore for the lands of Garryduff in the County of Waterford containing 78 acres or thereabouts held in fee simple subject to the Revised Annuity of £14 11s 0d, payable to the Irish Land Commission under the Provisions of the Land Acts, 1903-1933

There is a substantial two-storied slated dwellinghouse on the lands which are in prime condition. The holding is seven miles from Dungarvan and suitable for grazing and tillage.

Quealy & Ballot, Auctioneers, Dungarvan. E. A. RYAN & CO Solicitors, having Carriage of Sale, Dungarvan

**TILLAGE AND GRAZING TO LET**

The undersigned will receive immediate offers for 18 acres of red ground for tillage and the grazing of approximately 60 acres of sound land both lots being situated at Ballycurrane, Clashmore and with immediate vacant possession.

FARRELL & MORRISSEY Solicitors, Dungarvan

**Notice To Cottiers**

All rents are to be paid on or before March 29th, otherwise proceedings will be taken. M. M. BARRON, Rent-Collector, Cappoquin

**WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL (Public Health Section)**

**COTTAGES TO LET**

Applications from Agricultural Labourers (as defined by the Labourers Acts, 1935) are invited for the tenancies of the following Cottages—viz—

Youghal No 2 Rural District (Rent Collector—Mr J Broderick)

55 Listigue (Rent Collector—Mr M Dee), 135 Rathlead

Dungarvan Rural District (Rent Collector—Mr M Dee), 135 Rathlead

Applications must be made on the official form to be had from the Cottage Rent Collector of the District and must be addressed to Mr Michael Flynn at his Office, County Home, Dungarvan, so as to reach him not later than 12 o'clock (noon) on Wednesday the 31st March, 1943

S. J. MOYNIHAN, County Manager, Dungarvan, 16th March, 1943

**CAPPOQUIN NEWS**

**A QUIET ST PATRICK'S DAY**

St Patrick's Day 1943 was one of the quietest National Festivals known in Cappoquin for many years.

There were large congregations at both Masses and appropriate sermons dealing with the life and labours of St Patrick in converting Ireland from Paganism to Christianity were eloquently preached by Rev T Fitzgerald, P.P., and Rev T Dunphy, C.C.

The Shamrock was proudly worn by all, but as the weather proved wet and gloomy this had a very depressing effect on the public, most of whom dispersed after last Mass.

A still more gloomy effect was produced at 3 o'clock (S.T.) when the funeral took place to St Declan's cemetery Dromroe, of Mrs Maureen O'Shea, the young victim of the brutal murder near Foubatha Cross on the previous Monday night, and which proved one of the saddest and most impressive funerals seen passing through the town for a long time.

This impressive scene only intensified the feeling of horror experienced by the townspeople and the public generally over the callous manner in which this young and popular Cappoquin lady had been sent to a premature grave, and there was a hush of deep sadness and sorrow as her funeral slowly wended its way to the cemetery followed by one of the largest contingents of mourners previously seen in Cappoquin.

With the dark shadow of tragedy hanging like a deathly pall over the town during the entire day, there was little desire on the part of anybody to indulge in any of the festivities usually associated with the National Festival in the past, so that the remainder of the day passed quietly in a restrained and subdued atmosphere, and entirely in keeping with the last solemn act of the dreadful drama which had its "final curtain" rung down over an early grave in St Declan's cemetery that day.

From the dark and sordid background of this terrible tragedy one bright spot however, emerges for the people of Cappoquin town and parish and this is that neither of the men arrested in connection with the murder belongs to this town or parish.

In addition to the list of Mass cards published last week in connection with the funeral the following was also sent, but arrived late as the sender did not arrive from Cork until the 5.30 p.m. train on St. Patrick's evening, so that she was unfortunately late for the funeral—

"To darling Maureen, with love and remembrance from your god-mother, Rita Crotty" while many further messages of sympathy have since been received by Mr Michael Glavin the grief-stricken father of the deceased.

**SUCCESSFUL PUPPY SHOW**

Under the auspices of the West Waterford Hunt a very successful

ful Puppy Show was held at the Kennels Dromana on Sunday week March 14th when 124 couples of puppies were exhibited.

Mr R J Mulcahy, Ardinnan, M.F.H. West Waterford Hounds and Mrs E Villiers Stuart Dromana, were present while Mrs Masters M.F.H. Tipperary Hunt and Mr Ion Villiers Stuart Dromana were Judges and both expressed the opinion that all the young animals entered showed exceptional quality.

The prize for the best dog hound was won by Mr R J McGrath Mount Rivers Cappoquin with his fine dog 'Placid' and the Misses McConville and Barns Ballinamult won first prize in the bitch class with their promising bitch 'Clipper'.

Mr Harry Miles "Whipper-in" to the West Waterford Hounds and keeper of the kennels rendered valuable assistance during the Show which was greatly appreciated by all.

**IMPORTANT FURNITURE SALE**

On next Wednesday 31st Inst. Mr M F Walsh P.C. Auctioneer will hold an important auction of a large collection of valuable household furniture etc for Mr C P Hynes M R C V S Lismore at the fine residence at Killahalla.

On the following day Thursday April 1st Mr Walsh will hold his first Annual Bull Sale in his Saleyard Upper Castle Street when a number of valuable and well-bred yearling bulls will be on view and as this will be fair day in Cappoquin we hope to see a large attendance of buyers, and some very keen competition on the occasion.

**A GREAT FOOTBALL TEAM**

The McDermotts' Senior Football Team, which is a purely military team made a wonderful show in playing the Senior Co Champions Stradbally to a draw on last Sunday in the first round of the Russell Cup Competition.

Doubtless, the Stradbally players and their followers felt very confident that the new Army team entered for the first time this year, would prove a "soft thing" for them but we at this end of the county who have seen them practising regularly in the Sportsfield here felt equally confident that they would extend the champions to the fullest extent and we now heartily congratulate them on their brilliant display, and wish them better luck when they meet again for the replay.

**ANOTHER GOOD DISPLAY**

On last Sunday the Cappoquin minor hurling team travelled to Tourin to play a friendly challenge match with Tourin minors on their own ground and after a fast and sparkling display of high-class hurling on both sides the result proved a draw, on the score—

Tourin—1 goal 3 points

Cappoquin—2 goals

The Cappoquin team was composed of a number of schoolboys and although they have not had much practice so far their grand display on Sunday should give them good heart and we feel confident that with better practice and training they should be able to give a better account of themselves at a later stage in the season and as they are all imbued with the right sporting spirit, they certainly deserve success.

**THE ROWING CLUB**

At the Annual Meeting of the Rowing Club held recently the following Officers were unanimously re-elected for the coming year—

Patron—Senator Sir John Keane Bart

President—Mr R L Keane, Belleville Park

Captain—Mr Ion Villiers Stuart Dromana

Vice-Captain—Mr L D Dunne

Hon. Treasurer—Mr M J Sargent P.C. Vice-Chairman

Mr Sean Bell having resigned from the position of Hon. Sec. Mr R J Curran, was unanimously elected as his successor, this being the only change in the personnel of the Officers elected last year.

The following were unanimously re-elected as Vice-Presidents—

Lord Charles Cavendish Lismore Castle Captain T O Jameson, Tourin—Dr Wm White, M O Derrineen, Cappoquin Messrs Gerald Villiers Stuart The Tower Kibbree, A W Paxman, Ballyrafter Lismore Gerald Fitzgerald, Lismore Castle B F Doyle, Gork M J Sargent, Cappoquin R J Collender do, Thomas F Olden do, James P Daly do, John E Crowe do James Lacey, do, and Patrick Lincoln, do.

With the exception of Messrs Thomas O'Keefe, and Liam Ryan, who have now left the town last year's Committee was re-elected, as follows—

Messrs J J Curran, F Ander-

son S Hick Wm H Doyle, John Regan Senr Paul Twomey M J Sargent Junr James Curran James Ahearne Joe Meade and J Regan Junr

An extended report of the proceedings at the General Meeting will be found in another part of this issue the above details having been unavoidably omitted from same.

The decision of the members at the Annual Meeting to have the photographs of Messrs R J Curran Cappoquin and B F Doyle Cork hung in the Main Boathouse Hall beside the photographs of the late Major Henry Villiers Stuart and the late Lieut-Col R H Keane was at once a grateful and grateful gesture of recognition and appreciation of the great work done for the club by the two former gentlemen over a long number of years.

**GRAND CONCERT IN BALLYMACARBERY**

The annual National Concert which has been held on St Patrick's Night for several years past was held in the spacious Hall in The Mill Ballymacarbery on Wednesday night week, and was attended by an ever-flowing audience drawn from Ballymacarbery Four-Mile-Water, Newcastle Clonmel, Ballinamult Touraneena Cappoquin, and other distant parts.

The object of the concert being in aid of Parochial Funds the people of the combined parishes of Newcastle and Four-Mile-Water can always be relied on to give the project their warmest support as a personal tribute of respect to their worthy and zealous Pastor Rev P Meskel who is so revered and popular amongst all his parishioners.

On this occasion great assistance was rendered by Mr M Desmond Manager Ballymacarbery Branch of the Knockmeal Co-Operative Society (which owns the Mill) Mr John Quinlan Mr J Conway Proprietor "Sportsmen's Bar" Ballymacarbery, Miss H J Lawless N.T. Four-Mile-Water and other willing workers in making all arrangements for the event so that the Hall was beautifully decorated with the National Colours and the stage had been tastefully draped with rich curtains and flags which lent a truly festive appearance to the scene.

Rev P Meskel, P.P., and several other clergymen were present and all were delighted with the high-class nature of the programme presented.

The concert opened with a rousing chorus of sweet and well-trained voices and this was followed by a grand selection of vocal solos instrumental selections and some very graceful exhibitions of step-dancing which proved most appropriate for the National Festival.

The performers in this class were a Troupe of schoolchildren specially trained by Miss H J Lawless N.T., and both teacher and pupils were loudly applauded for their splendid exhibition which was perfect in every respect.

Mr M Desmond a well-known local entertainer of repute was the leading artist of the night in a grand selection of humorous and sentimental songs for which he was repeatedly encouraged and applauded.

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**Husband And Youth On Murder Charge**

**Sequel To Death of Cappoquin Woman**

William O'Shea (23), husband of the deceased woman and Thomas White (17) both of Ballyhane Affane Cappoquin were further remanded in custody at Youghal District Court on Friday last charged with conspiring to murder, and with the murder of Mrs Maureen O'Shea (20).

A crowd outside awaited the arrival of the persons concerned in the case, and the Courtroom was packed when the prisoners made their appearance before Mr J S Troy, D.J.

Superintendent Doyle Lismore stated that in this case the prisoners were charged with the murder of Mrs O'Shea on March 15th. He wished to make a deposition and he intended to apply for a further remand in custody of both prisoners to Fermoy Court on March 30th, at 11 a.m.

Supt Doyle then made a deposition in which he stated he was Superintendent of the Garda Siochana and was stationed at Lismore. "On March 17th" he continued, "I arrested and charged both the defendants as set out. I read the charge over to each in turn in each other's presence and I cautioned each of them. Defendant O'Shea did not speak at all. Defendant White said 'I have nothing to say I am not at fault. I ran blind into it'."

The Superintendent said as he was still pursuing inquiries into the case he would ask that both prisoners be remanded in custody to Fermoy Court on March 30th.

The application for the remand was granted. Neither of the defendants asked any questions.

**LISMORE NEWS**

**POINT TO POINT RACES**

The sporting public in West Waterford are delighted to know that in spite of travelling restrictions and other obstacles the members of the Committee of the Lismore Point-to-Point Races have pluckily decided to hold their popular fixture over the beautiful Castle Farm Course this year, and everybody should wish them the best of success on the occasion.

The races were allowed to lapse last year owing to transport difficulties and it required a certain amount of courage to decide on holding this year's event but as Tallow has two successful fixtures both last year and this year there is no reason why the popular Lismore fixture should not be equally successful this year.

**BIG PRICE FOR TWO FIELDS**

Messrs Quealy and Ballot, Auctioneers and Valuers, Dungarvan on the instructions of Mr A W Paxman Ballyrafter House recently held a successful auction of two fields containing approximately 133 acres situated at the end of Church Lane practically within the town, and held in fee simple, free of rent forever with certain buildings thereon. The P.L.V. being on land £17 2s and on buildings £2 8s.

The sale aroused great local interest owing to the convenient situation of the land and after spirited bidding between several local gentlemen, the property was eventually knocked down to Mr Michael Scanlan Lismore at the fine price of £1,000 and usual auction fees.

**DEPARTURE OF A PROMINENT GAEL**

G.A.A. circles in Lismore will be much the poorer by the departure of their stalwart hurler, Mick Regan, who left for England this week to join the large band of Lismore men who have found remunerative employment there for several years past. "Mick" had been in England previously but owing to his outstanding qualities as a hurler he was brought back by the Lismore Hurling Club, and had since been a pillar of strength to the local team in many a hectic game.

Quiet and unassuming he was a great favourite amongst all the Gaels in West Waterford and while his departure will now mean a serious loss to the Lismore Seniors all his old comrades still wish him the best of luck across the channel.

**More Houses For Carrick**

Carrick Council has arranged to build 33 houses at an early date. Twenty-nine houses were let last month at Fair Green. There were ten applicants for each of the houses.

Printed and Published by the Proprietors at their Offices and Works, 78, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan.

Our "Smalls"

TURF FOR SALE—Bohadoon Mountain. Apply to E A Ryan & Co Solicitors, Dungarvan

FOR SALE—5 tons of mangels Apply to "Leader" Office, Dungarvan

FOR SALE—Good eaten straw—also sittings of RIR and Light Sussex good strain at 2/6 per sitting Apply Wm Slattery Ballygagin Dungarvan

FOR SALE—A Chromatic Accordeon in good condition Can be inspected locally Apply "Leader" Office, Dungarvan

FOR SALE—By Private Treaty Old-established Licensed—Premises in good town in County Waterford Held under lease Good business connection and quota All modern conveniences Price very moderate In perfect repair Full particulars to Box 44 "Leader" Office Dungarvan

TRESPASS NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that as from this date my garden at O'Connell Street Dungarvan, is laid with poison due to trespass by dogs Patrick Morrissey O'Connell St, Dungarvan, 24/3/43

FOR SALE—A Hohner Piano-Accordeon in perfect condition Can be inspected at "Leader" Office Dungarvan

BONSETTING—Mr D Lane BOTTSS, Bonsetter, Kanturk, Co Cork, will visit Dungarvan, on Friday April 2nd at Egan's Hotel, Dungarvan Hours 12 to 5 pm

FOR SALE—"Balfennett Baronet" a 2-year-old red roan pure-bred Shorthorn Bull For full particulars apply John Dunphy, Killosera

WANTED—Four men for Quarry work, two must be good hammer hands, good wages to suitable men Apply J Lynch, Ballyduff Dungarvan

NOTICE—The Service of a pure-bred British Friesian Bull ("St Oswald Padraig") at 10/- per cow Apply J Dunphy, Killosera

TO LET—Bungalow with splendid garden and outside sheds about one mile from Dungarvan. For full particulars apply to Box 88 "Leader" Office Dungarvan

TO LET—Two comfortably furnished bedrooms to suit two gentlemen, with use of sitting-room Full Board Terms etc on application to Box No 22 "Leader" Office Dungarvan

IN MEMORIAM DONOHUE—(Third Anniversary)—In loving memory of Mrs Mary Donohue, South Terrace Dungarvan, who died on March 24th 1940—RIP

HARTY—(Gortnadiha Ring), second Anniversary In loving memory of Thomas Harty, who died on March 22nd 1941

Pleasant memories of a father dear Often bring a silent tear (Inserted by his family)

HEELAN—(First Anniversary)—In loving memory of Josephine Heelan, Ballygelane who died on March 28th 1942—RIP Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on her soul Masses offered Inserted by "Bea"

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS ATTRIDGE—Mr Dan Attridge and family Keating Street, Dungarvan desire to return sincere thanks to all those who sent Mass cards messages of sympathy and attended the funeral of the late Mrs Catherine Attridge and they trust that this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment

POWER (Killosera) — The family of the late John Power Killosera desire to return sincere thanks to all those who sent Mass cards and who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement also those who attended the funeral, and they trust that this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment

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Patriotic Instinct

IT can hardly be true that the present generation of Irishmen and women are less patriotic than their predecessors, yet one wonders We do not hear as often as we should on the lips of our young men and women the fine songs written by the Nation's best poets and composers nor do we hear the easy bias of the Gaelic—the National Tongue These are beginning to fade from the everyday lives of the modern Irish citizen much as we hate to admit it and outside influences which have been insinuating themselves for so many years past are taking a firm root and are becoming more and more evident

With these insinuations is coming a lessening of respect for all things both national and patriotic The same respect is not paid to our National Anthem as was paid by the dead generation It is not honoured as it should be and very often we have seen crowds rushing away after a function while "The Soldiers Song" was being played There is usually no anxiety displayed to remove headgear or to stand at attention The Anthem is just treated with the same or even less respect as one of the jittersbug importations that we hear screaming from wireless receivers everywhere all days of the week

Even more flagrant disrespect is now being shown to the National Flag Whether this is from ignorance or apathy it is hard to say This was very evident when at Dungarvan on St Patrick's Day the Dungarvan L.D.F District Command had their District Flag blessed Very few, if any of the spectators doffed their hats when the Colours came on parade

Can we forget so easily If we remember that this flag has flown since Thomas Francis Meagher—a Waterfordman—presented it to the Nation, and has been the standard of so many of our patriots in their struggle against tyrannous oppression If we think of it flying over the G.P.O Dublin during Easter Week 1916 while Pearse, Connolly Clarke and those other glorious Irishmen fought the might of the British Empire

If we bear these things in mind we should find it easy and indeed a privilege to honour our National Flag and to pay the proper compliments to it when it is on parade

Since the beginning of the emergency the civilian population by virtue of the fact that they are the personnel of the Local Defence Force and other kindred organisations have become more military-minded But in so becoming we have not increased our respect for the National Colours An army man is taught from the very beginning that the highest honour must be paid to the flag of the Nation are the civilians and those emergency services to be found lacking in this respect

We think that if our people realise that they must always honour and never insult the Colours they will only be too glad to pay tribute on all possible occasions The flag stands for Ireland and all who love and honour their country should also love and honour their National Flag!

News Of The Town And Round About

DUNGARVAN PENSIONED TEACHERS—

At a meeting of the Pensioned Teachers of the Dungarvan area it was unanimously resolved—"That we the Pensioned Teachers of this area most urgently and earnestly request the Government to grant us immediately a bonus at least as generous as that given to existing Teachers, to enable us to survive this long-sustained emergency"

BALLINACOURTY L.D.F. PRIZE DRAW—

The following is the result of the grand drawing of prizes run by the above at their dance in Clonea on St. Patrick's Night 1st prize £3—Ticket No 502 Mr E A Walsh PC Ballinaharra (sold by Mr John Elstead Ballinacourty) 2nd prize 30/-Ticket No 2008 Miss Tobin c/o Greene's The Square Dungarvan (complimentary) 3rd prize 10/-Ticket No 380, Miss Kathleen Daly, Ballyclammer Clonea (sold by Mr J Morrissey) (—)

HELP THE AUGUSTINIAN AFRICAN MISSIONS—

By buying your Sweepstake ticket at Cunniffe's 11 Main St, Dungarvan, you will help the above cause as the proceeds from all free tickets is given to the Missions Please help in the good work

FIANNA FAIL—

A meeting of the Garanbane Fianna Fail Cumann will be held on Tuesday 30th March, at 8 o'clock p.m. (Summer-Time) All members, intending members and supporters are requested to attend at New School Garanbane on above date (—) G.A.A.—

The following are requested to be at the Gaelic Field, Dungarvan, on Sunday, March 28th, at 2.30 p.m. sharp, for match v Cathal Brughas—T Cashin, B Moloney, J Kieley, M Hallahan, M Moloney D Barron, M Curran, J Duggan T McHugh, J Norris, J Keogh S Condon, P Staak R Prendergast, N Power, J Hallahan, M Wade, T Butler, F Ahearne, F Hogan, G Con-

don N Phelan P Foley All are requested to have togs SYMPATHY—

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs E Allen Sexton St. Abbeyside esteemed wife of Mr Timothy Allen, Manager of Mr J J Crotty's Hardware Establishment, The Square Dungarvan on the death of her father Mr Timothy Casey which sad event took place at his residence Farnanes, Crookstown Co Cork on Friday 19th Inst

LATE MRS MARY LEAHY, LOUGHMORE—

Sincere sorrow was occasioned by the death at an early age and after a rather brief illness of Mrs Mary Leahy, Loughmore at the Dungarvan Hospital on Monday last Deceased was wife of Mr Thomas Leahy, son of the late Mr and of Mrs Leahy Coolagh Road Abbeyside and deep sympathy is now extended to him and his young family in their great loss

A large crowd attended at the removal of the remains on Monday evening to St Mary's Parish Church and again at the burial on Tuesday Rev T B Walsh, B.A. C.C. officiated

DUNGARVAN MINORS—

A meeting of all Minor Footballers and Hurlers will be held in the C.Y.M.S. Hall on Sunday after last Mass, to elect Captains for the coming year—Liam Crotty, Assistant Sec RED CROSS (MEN'S DIVISION)

An important meeting will be held at the Technical School on tonight (Friday) at 8.30 p.m. LABOUR NEWS—

The Public Meetings in Younghal Saturday evening 8.30 p.m. and Dungarvan Sunday at 12.0 o'clock to be addressed by Mr Wm Norton T.D. and Alderman J Pattison, T.D., with the candidates Messrs J Guiry and J O'Connor are arousing great interest and promise to be most successful In Dungarvan it is expected that the meeting will be the biggest for many years Delegates from the various Trade Unions and Organisations have accepted invitations to be represented

TURF—

A fresh consignment of the best-quality Kerry turf has just arrived at A Moloney & Sons, Dungarvan All orders receive prompt attention (—)

Western Divisional G.A.A. Notes (By AN RUNAIDHE)

Glorious Football in Russell Cup Game—Last Sunday's game between Stradbally (Co. Cham-pions) and the McDermotts (Army) proved the finest football seen in Dungarvan for many a year The champions proved worthy of the title in a hard first half when aided by a smart breeze the dashing Army team began a series of attacks that kept Stradbally hard put to keep the score anyway low Stradbally had a small bit of ill luck in this half when their goalie, who on the whole played a fine game missed a simple ball to give the Army a soft goal In the second half the Army were on the defensive and showed up wonderfully well The village forwards lost some chances of adding up a few points but they eventually came to level terms and were a point ahead at five minutes from full time

A dashing Army attack brought them level again and in the last minute the Army team almost got a point ahead A great game and a clean game Congratulations to both teams I will look forward to the replay on Sunday fortnight

Army Senior Hurlers—I hear that the Army boys are anxious to put in a senior hurling team I can not say if the Co. Board will accept entry into the championships but what about entering the West hurling competition, I am sure Tallow would be willing to forego the "bye" and make it a four team competition This would give us Lismore v Dungarvan and Army v Tallow with winners playing off in the final It is hoped to play the Lismore v Dungarvan game at Cappoquin on April 11th

Sunday's Games — Football fans will have a selection of games to pick from on Sunday Cappoquin meet Slabh gCua at Touraneena, Ardmore travel to Clashmore to play Geosh Emmetts while Cathal Brughas meet Dungarvan in minor and Kilgobinet meet there old rivals the Brickies in Junior football at Dungarvan Bobby Landers is very keen on Kilgobinet's chances this year and thinks that Sunday's game will prove he is right Perhaps so, Bobby, but Martin has a "dark horse" or so and he is a master hand at springing a surprise Fitzle also is likely to pull a fast one over Dungarvan as he did some time ago

LOWER PRICES AT: Edward Berestord's LOWER MAIN ST., DUNGARVAN For Suits, Suits, Shirts, Boots and Shoes Tossed and Soiled Goods at Reduced Prices SPECIAL VALUE IN OVERCOATS AND WINTER BOOTS EDDIE BERESFORD'S The Bargain House For Small Profits

Perfect in quality PADDY Old Irish Whisky

The First Of The Season—Affane-Modeligo have objected to Cappoquin junior hurlers and at the next Divisional Board meeting to be held in Dungarvan on Friday, April 2nd will go into the matter Until dealt with by the Board I will not make any comment

Junior Hurling Games—Ballyduff meet Lismore in Lismore on Sunday and McDermott's meet Camphire at the same venue As Jas Ahearna will be playing with his club at Touraneena the Ballyduff v Lismore game will, I expect, be refereed by John Fives

Last Sunday's Results (Russell Cup Competition)—At Dungarvan—SF Stradbally 2-4 McDermott's 1-7 JH (challenge) Dungarvan v Brickey Rangers Dungarvan won by a big margin Next Sunday's Games (Co Championships)—At Touraneena—JF—Slabh gCua v Cappoquin at 4 p.m. (ST) Ref J Moloney

At Dungarvan—MF Dungarvan v Cathal Brughas at 3 p.m. (ST) Ref P Ryan JF Kilgobinet v Brickey Rangers at 4.15 p.m. Ref P Ryan

At Clashmore—JF Ardmore v Geosh Emmetts at 3.30 p.m. Ref J Rourke

At Lismore—JH McDermott's v Camphire at 3 p.m. Ref M Regan Ballyduff v Lismore at 4.15 p.m. Ref J Fives

Ballyduff News

Military Concert—The Concert on Sunday night last was very well attended At last we know where Ballyduff North began and where Ballyduff South ended The L.D.F. boys looked very smart and well trained in the "Roll Of The Drum" The "Step-Together," representing all voluntary services was very enjoyable too At the conclusion the MO thanked everybody who helped We would like to thank the Lismore Dramatic Company for services rendered, also Mr D Feeney, for so kindly lending his hall for the concert

A Man And An Axe—There was once a man and he borrowed an axe he put the axe into a van to be brought to its destination, but the axe went a joy-riding and when the man who borrowed the axe wanted the axe he had to go many weary miles to recover it

Now the moral is this If you borrow an axe keep a tight hold on it else it may go a riding

A Poetic Tribute—Poets and writers have written prose and poetry on every and any possible subject We have never heard of our two local consistently enthusiastic fishermen been praised in either one or the other so for that reason we place this humble "gem" at their feet, or should we have said at the toes of their top boots We thank Tom Moore for having supplied us with the skeleton to work on, and if we have disturbed his sleep in any way we humbly apologise So we place our offering affectionately and reverently at their shrines

We saw from our doors when the morning was shining, Our two local fishers move jauntily on,

We stood at our doors when the sun was declining, The fishers still fished, but the fishes were gone.

Ah! such is the fate of the fond hopes we cherished, So passing the thrill of the fish we thought won,

And the waves that lapped round us so merrily at morning, Now leave us at eve on the bleak bank above

Ne'er tell us if bought fish severely adorning, Our plates for our tea when we come tired at night,

Cook for us, cook for us, the wee trout caught at morning,

They won't look too small in the evening's kind light Late Miss M Harris—The death took place recently at her home in Fermoy of Miss May Harris Deceased was only in her teens and her death came as a shock to her many friends though it was not unexpected

Until a couple of years ago the Harris family lived in Ballyduff The funeral to Mocollop was a very big one, all the old friends were there, and we are sure that many a prayer will be said for her by those who will pass her last resting place on their busy way

To her bereaved parents we offer our deepest sympathy.

CEANNTAR DUNGARVAN

Bás Pádraig Stundin 'Do cailleadh Pádraig Stundin ó Mhóin Eadtorra an tseachtmhain seo caithe Bhl sé ina scoláire Gaedhealach agus bhí eadhra sean-aimsreachta, idir amháin agus eile aige, agus é árd-fhonnmhár ar lad do scaipeadh Nil mórán daoine anois é ar fuaid an Chonndae anois Do bhí sochraid amháin aige Dé h-Aoine seo caithe, nuair a cuireadh i Reilig Aird Mhóire é Deirtear gurab í an tsochraid ba mhó í a bhí in Aird Mhóir le blianta fada Tá Pádraig ar shlighe na firinne anois, beannacht Dé le n-a anam

Seánmóin Gaedhlice Ba dheas le duine bheith ag eisteacht leis an Athair ó Dubhgaill i Séipéal na Pádraig eadhra trathnóna Lae le Pádraig Thug sé seanmóin bhreagh uaidh ar Naomh Pádraig agus ar a shaothar in Eirinn Bhl an séipéal lán go doras agus bhí suim thar meán ag na daoine sa tseánmóin. Tá súil againn nach fada go gclóisfimid seanmóin Gaedhlice uaidh

Leabhar Nuadh Is gaird go mbeidh leabhar mór nua Gaedhlice ar fáil Micheál ó Clonshaola ón Rinn do chuir le chéile é, agus airíghim ná full ann teora leis na h-eachtraí ata ann Ni fada go mbeidh sé ar an margadh

Our Small Adds Bring BIG Results

## Cappoquin Rowing Club

### Annual General Meeting

#### INTERESTING REPORT FROM MR. M J SARGENT, TREASURER

At the annual general meeting of the above club held recently in the Boathouse Hall, Mr. M J Sargent, Vice-President and Treasurer presided, and there was a fairly good attendance of members.

Mr. L. D. Dunne, Vice-Capt. in the course of his report deplored the fact that they were unable to hold their usual Regatta last year owing to transport difficulties and war conditions, generally, but hoped that when the present difficulties were over, they would be able to resume their rowing activities again with the same success as of old. (applause)

#### Secretary's Report

Mr. Sean Bell, Hon Sec submitted the following report—During the past year the membership was well up to the average of late years. Rowing during the year was practically at a standstill, as owing to transport difficulties it was impossible for crews to travel to outside regattas, and equally impossible for crews to come here.

The popularity of our regattas was exemplified by the desire of crews from Limerick, Cork, Waterford, etc., to come here if we could provide sufficient boats, but this we found impossible.

Notwithstanding all the difficulties we had two very enjoyable afternoons—one on the 17th May, and the other on August 30th, on each of which dates a series of Scratch Races were run. On the latter date we had visitors from Clonmel and Fermoy, and competition was so keen that not one race was won by more than half a length. It is evident from these races that we have ample material at hand to provide oarsmen for all grades within the scope of the I.A.R.U.

During the year we had several practice dances, and a series of Ciderella, and all night dances which were well attended and much appreciated by our patrons.

We also were visited during the year by some of the leading Theatrical and Variety Companies which are sure was much appreciated by those people in the locality who were not interested in dancing or rowing.

Considering all the difficulties, we had a fairly successful year, and sincerely hope that this cloud of war may soon pass away and once again we can return to normal times when boating can once again be carried on without let or hindrance.

The report was unanimously adopted, and a vote of thanks passed to Mr. Bell for the able manner in which he had carried out the duties of Hon. Sec. during the past year.

#### Treasurer's Report

Mr. M J Sargent, Treasurer, read the following report—

Before dealing with the financial report, I would like to say that we found it impossible to hold our Annual Regatta last year but we held two very successful Scratch Races. We are very grateful to our Fermoy friends and Clonmel R.C., for attending, and we were glad to have them as our guests. They helped to make the Scratch Races a great success.

Last year we had £25 12s 3d. and stamps £2 15s. to our credit.

Members' subscriptions £11 11s. 6d. Our membership has never been so low, and during the past few months, a good many of our "Boys" left for England, and wish jobs away from home. We wish them the best of good luck. As we had no rowing, a good many country members did not rejoin.

Donations £7 5s. This is a serious loss compared with £50 13s 1d. last year. We had no regatta collection, which always comes under this heading. The item, £7 5s. includes a very generous subscription from Mrs. Villiers Stuart of £5.

Badminton, £12 7s. is over £4 up on last year, and is a great help. The profit on the last Badminton Dance, between £8 and £10 was passed into the club funds.

Entertainments—£316 4s. 0d. down £105 7s 3d. All things considered, this is very good. We had no week-night practice dances. The St. Stephen's Night dance realised £43 14s 9d., as against £93 2s 5d. last year, and shows a difference of £50. Naturally all dances and entertainments are hit by lack of transport. We had £13 10s profit on concerts.

Billiards—£28 1s 5d shows an

increase of £5 7s 9d. This is a very good return, and justifies the expense of re-covering the table.

Hire of Hall is well up and shows an increase of 25/- on last year. The total income is £412 3s 11d. and is £136 0s 5d lower than last year.

Expenses—Caretaker's wages an insurance—£41 11s 3d. increase of £2 12s 1d and includes rent 24/-, income tax, £2 9s. 1d. and rates £3 17s 4d.

Rowing—£28 1s 11d a reduction of £95 13s 7d. This is easily explained. No regatta, no crews travelling. It includes cost of prizes for two Scratch Races, also for Race between Cappoquin, Fermoy and Clonmel Luncheon for visitors and country members, also some members of Blackwater Serenaders Band, who played a fine selection at Scratch Races and repairs to new Eight I.A.R.U. fee, £2 2s., and purchase of a second-hand oar 15/- and chaining of grounds for Scratch Races.

Maintenance—£40 12s 11d.—reduction of £7 5s 2d. this includes light £19 2s 11d., which I did not separate this year. It will always be an average maintenance item. Light shows an increase of £4 5s 3d. The increased income from billiards, badminton and rent covers this increase. Fire Insurance £5 18s 9d. Repairs to floor and roof. It also includes w.c. and Third Party Insurance. Tuning and repairs to piano, fuel, Mass cards, wreaths, etc. Above Insurance policies were taken out for first time.

Entertainments—Some people seem to think that dances are a paying proposition, but when you consider expenses—£244 1s against income £316 4s., it does not leave us very much. We paid £104 to bands. This includes £6 15s. Tallow Band at Badminton dance. Floor crystals, 3/- per packet—sometimes more—cost us between £10 to £12 this year, and of course entertainment tax stamps eat up 20%. Under this heading we paid two years' cost of dance and entertainment licences to our solicitor Mr. O'Gorman. Performing rights, £3 13s 6d., wages, printing and advertising. Practice Dance bands 30/- per dance. Dances are a profit for the bands and the state, and under present conditions are a gamble.

Billiards—£12 17s 6d. This covers cost of cues and re-covering table, cement chalk and sundries.

Sundries—£24 16s 11d covers a good many items viz, stationary, postages, wires, phones, some bill-posting, billiards sundries, cloak-room and raffle tickets, several rolls of tickets, post-cards, wrappers, envelopes, tips, bulbs, etc.

This leaves £45 11s 9d on hands, and stamps £3 16s 11d, total £49 8s 8d.

I would like the members to consider the figures and examine the books, receipts, etc.

The present committee attended regularly at all meetings, the officials did their work in a splendid manner. I would like to offer my very grateful thanks to Mr. John Regan Senr for the able and unselfish manner in which he controlled the dances and door during the past year. He certainly deserves a special vote of thanks from the members.

I would also propose a vote of thanks to Messrs. Regan and Anderson for the able manner in which they carried out the Billiard and Snooker Tournaments.

As you know, we held a series of concerts before Xmas, and we were able to hand £13 10s to the Military; also £13 10s to Mr. Frank O'Leary for the L.D.F. and Parish Council. I would like to thank the Commandants and Officers for their co-operation and assistance in sending us Question-Time teams and artists, also lending us equipment on so many occasions. I would also like to thank the L.D.F., the L.S.F., also Mr. Geo. Hely, and his Bohemians for their co-operation and help.

We were able to help—The Red Cross, the District Nursing Association, and the West Waterford Hunt. We also sent a cheque to Father Fitzgerald—proceeds of Whist Drive which was unfortunately spoiled by bad weather. However we did the best we could for all sporting and charitable objects.

This year we had an unusual amount of deaths amongst our members. We offered our sympathy to Mr. George Russell and Mr. Sam Hick on the death of Mr. James Russell and Mrs. George Russell. Michael Nugent one of our rowing members, passed away at a very early age.

Mr. Dick Curran, our Vice-President one of the club's

greatest members and supporters passed away and also his sister Mrs. Ryan. During the past few weeks Mr. Michael Mason always a great follower, very suddenly passed to his reward.

I am sure we all join in renewing our expressions of sympathy to the families and relatives of all the deceased.

It gives us the greatest possible pleasure to again thank the Father of the House Mr. Dick Collender, for his great assistance. May he remain a long time with us.

After a short discussion the Treasurer's Report was unanimously adopted.

The following interesting report was submitted by Mr. R. J. Collender Vice-President—This year 1943 is the 70th Anniversary of the founding of the Club.

It was co-incidental with the beginning of the railway through the town. The South of Ireland Waggon & Wheel Co. was in full swing and with the help of the young men employed there as well as those cutting the railway line and building the railway bridge, a club was formed, and where the present Boathouse stands the foundation of a small house to accommodate one boat was trunked and levelled out. Soon another boat was purchased, and a sculling boat and some canoes. A new wooden structure was built about 1882, when a new racing boat the "Sylph" was purchased, and a practice clinker-built boat "The Dark Blue".

Regattas on a small scale began to be held, and the club flourished. The club sent their crew to the Queenstown Regatta that year at the invitation of the Regatta Committee, where they astonished the Rowing Clubs of the South by easily winning the Queenstown Cup. In the words of the "Examiner" reporter, they passed the famous Glenbrook C.H.R.C. crew as if they were a crew of novices and their boat a second-class clinker-built. The names of the crew were—George Evans, (stroke) Patrick Cunningham, (3) James Moore (2) John Stanley (1), G. McKenna, cox.

Owing to some disagreement, a rupture of the club took place in 1885, but it was re-organised in 1886 when the writer was appointed Hon Sec having joined in 1881. From this onwards the deeds of the crews helped to make rowing history in the South. The victories of the crews during the last 30 years not alone at the principal Munster Regattas but also at the Metropolitan venue, are within the memory of many of the present members.

The present beautiful and capacious Boathouse is the fourth building during my membership. Its inception is due to Mr. B. F. Doyle aided by the late Jeremiah Dempsey. But to Mr. Doyle in particular, whose efforts the funds to complete it were raised.

The late Lady Kay Muir (formerly Mrs. Villiers Stuart) Dromana gave a magnificent subscription, and the club was dedicated as a memorial to her husband, Major Henry Villiers Stuart.

At the conclusion of Mr. R. J. Collender's remarks he suggested having a photograph of the late Mr. R. J. Curran and of Mr. B. F. Doyle, Cork (placed in the Club rooms, which was agreed).

A special vote of thanks was passed both to Mr. M. J. Sargent and Mr. R. J. Collender for their able and interesting Reports, after which the election of Officers and Committee was proceeded with and resulted in all the outgoing members being re-elected, with the exception of Mr. Sean Bell who owing to pressure of business resigned from the position of Hon Sec and although pressed by several members to continue in the position for another year he said he was sorry he could not do so and Mr. R. J. Curran, son of a former Vice-President, was then unanimously elected Hon Sec amidst applause, and he suitably thanked the members in a graceful speech.

At the conclusion of the meeting the Chairman asked all members present to stand and observe one minute silence as an expression of sympathy and regret to the late R. J. Curran Vice-President of the club and this was complied with by all.

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## THE NEW EXCLUSIVE SPRING FASHIONS IN COSTUMES, COATS, AND HATS, HAVE JUST ARRIVED

# MULCAHY'S DUNGARVAN

### Co. Waterford Committee Of Agriculture

#### Loading Facilities At Railway

Mr. M. F. Walsh P.C., Vice-Chairman presided at a meeting of the above in Dungarvan, on Saturday last. Also present were—Messrs. M. Harty, David Coganlan M. O. Ryan and M. Keating.

#### Correspondence

Letters from the Department dealt with the Scholarships to Agricultural Colleges for Boys and Girls.

#### Recent Resolutions

The recent resolutions passed by the Committee relating to the Control of Prices of Agricultural Seeds and Binder Twine and of Agricultural Machinery parts were, according to another letter receiving attention.

Mr. O. Ryan—There is not much information in that.

#### Appointments

The appointment of Mr. P. J. O'Sullivan as Temporary Instructor in Horticulture was approved and a resolution appointing Mr. P. J. Donnelly as temporary Agricultural Instructor for 3 months was passed.

Price of Wool—Not Enough

After other routine matters had been dealt with, Mr. Harty speaking on the prices given for wool said that people were entitled to more. Prices ranging from 9d to 1/3 were not satisfactory.

Mr. O. Ryan—They paid 1 1/4 for mountain wool in Balinacorney. I think Mr. Harty, that the merchants must have got away with it in your district.

Mr. Harty—No, the merchants are fairly reasonable. There has been an increase in the price of clothes, but none in the price of wool. A big profit to manufacturers should not be allowed. I think a fixed minimum price would eliminate unfair competition.

Mr. O'Ghlan—But then the minimum price might easily become the maximum.

Mr. Harty—The producer is not getting a fair do and I propose a resolution asking the Minister to fix an increased price.

This resolution was seconded and passed.

#### Travelling Allowances

Travelling allowances to Instructors who use horse or pony-drawn vehicles were passed as follows—horse-drawn—5d per mile, pony-drawn—4d per mile.

#### Loading Facilities At Railway

A letter from the G.E.R. replying to the Committee's recent resolution about improving the loading facilities at Dungarvan station was received and stated that the present arrangements were ample for all normal requirements. The improvements asked for would require a lot of money and the Company was not prepared to go on with such improvements during the emergency.

Mr. Harty—I know people who were there last fair day for many hours waiting to have their stock loaded. I was there myself on one occasion for five hours.

#### Later Start For Fairs

After a short discussion, Mr. O. Ryan proposed and Mr. Harty, seconded, and it was passed unanimously—

"That the Minister be asked to give the matter of holding fairs at a later hour deep consideration in order to facilitate people who at present are often an their feet from midnight to midnight on these occasions."

### Moorehill Notes.

Successful Dance—On St. Patrick's Night a very successful and enjoyable dance was held at the Cinema Hall Tallow and was attended by a very large gathering from far and near. The hall was specially decorated for the occasion, the floor was all that could be desired and the music which was supplied by the Brideside Serenaders

(specially augmented for the occasion) surpassed all previous performances. One and all had a very enjoyable night.

L.D.F. Instructor—Sergeant McCarthy L.D.F. Instructor, who has been instructing and lecturing to the various groups in this area has been transferred recently and his departure was deeply regretted. During his term at Moorehill he had proved to be very popular with all the members of the section, for he was an instructive and painstaking young man, and his lectures were always very interesting and easy to follow. His many friends wish him every success in his new district.

Obituary—We regret to announce the death of Mrs. A. Davis Barrack Street Tallow, which occurred recently at her residence after a short illness, and fortified by the rites of the Catholic Church. Deceased was a relic of the late Mr. W. Davis and was very popular with all classes, and the deep sympathy of the entire community is extended to her bereaved sons and daughter in their sorrow and loss. A very large concourse of people attended the removal of the remains to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tallow where they rested overnight. Requiem Masses were offered for the happy repose of her soul, and in the afternoon the burial took place in the family plot in the old churchyard, amidst many manifestations of deep regret. Rev. Fr. Corbett C.C. assisted by Rev. Fr. Kehoe, P.P., officiated.

Chief mourners included—Mr. D. Davis (son), Miss M. Davis (daughter), Mrs. D. Davis (daughter-in-law), Masters M. Wm. Davis and Thos. Davis, (grandsons), Mary Davis (granddaughter), etc., etc.

G.A.A.—On Sunday next a very interesting junior hurling match will be staged at the Janeville grounds between Conna and Moorehill, and granted fine weather a great game should result.

45 Drive—The hurling club 45 Drive was brought to a successful conclusion on Sunday night last at Moorehill Hall. There was a very large attendance, from all the surrounding districts and all the games were keenly and closely contested.

A most enjoyable evening was spent by all. The last table decided to divide the prize-money, and the winners were—Miss K. Dunne, Mr. J. Murray, Mr. D. Geary, Mr. F. Murray, Mr. J. Murray and Mr. W. Neville.

Local Tit-Bits—Have you ever strolled down the leafy avenues at Moorehill it must be a treat by moonlight, for quite a number of young men stroll that way of late, what's the attraction—the daffodils in flower the leafy trees or "what"? The poet says—"In Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love." "We wonder"

### BISHOP ELECT OF WATERFORD

Preparations are now well advanced in connection with the consecration in Waterford Cathedral on April 4th of Very Rev. D. Canon Cohanlan, as Bishop of Waterford and Lismore. His uncle Most Rev. D. Cohanlan Bishop of Cork, will be the consecrating prelate.

### WATERFORD CO. COUNCIL

The following Dispensary Districts may be availed of as RECEPTION AREAS in the event of an emergency—

St. Mary's, Kilsheelan No. 2, Rathgormuck, Portlaw, Kilmacthomas, Bonmahon, Tramore, Kilmacaden, Waterford No. 2.

Parents in those areas are strongly advised to have all children aged 1-15 years inoculated against Diphtheria at once.

Consult your family doctor or attend the County Council Clinics where treatment is free.

Signed / T. B. BOYLE

Acting Secretary  
Co. Council of Waterford

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