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## Dungarvan U.D.C.

### The Deelish Dam And Exploratory Works

### Town Hall Repairs As Far Away As Ever

Mr T McCarthy Chairman, presided at a meeting of the Dungarvan U.D.C. at the Town Hall, on Friday night last. Also present were—Messrs T. A. Kyne, L. A. Veale, M. Morrissey, D. J. Dahill, J. McGrath, Mr William O'Meara, Town Clerk attended.

#### No Reply

After the reading of the minutes Mr Morrissey asked the Clerk if any reply had been received from the Department about the recent resolution passed about the grant for the Deelish Waterworks.

Clerk—No sir

#### Sent Back Again

The Department of Agriculture in a letter dated April 9th 1943 dealing with the Council's resolution to amend the order defining the mouths of the rivers Colligan and Brickey stated that the alteration could only be made after inquiry into the expediency and necessity of such alteration. Before ordering such an inquiry, the Minister would have to be furnished with satisfactory evidence that there has been some material change in the local topography since the definition of 1933.

Mr Kyne—There is no need to define the mouth of these rivers as there are no inland fisheries there. All the order has done is to deprive these fishermen of a living. There can be no injury done to anyone by making the change.

Mr Morrissey—All rivers have had their mouths defined.

Mr Kyne—It's not necessary in this case.

Mr Morrissey—Would it be possible to make a case to put up to the Department?

Mr Kyne—I suggest that we write back and ask them to reconsider the matter as there are no inland fisheries in the Colligan except pleasure fishing. The order as it is only helping the fishers.

It was decided to send the letter back for reconsideration. Report of Engineers on Exploratory Works At Deelish Dam.

Messrs Delap and Waller, Consulting Engineers, in a very long and involved report, most of which dealt with technicalities, gave a record of the work done in Deelish up to March last.

The first portion of the report dealt with the general repairs of cracks found in the tunnel. On November 12th grouting was commenced and at the first attempt 180 gallons at a low pressure were pumped in before refusal. As 48 hours had to be allowed to elapse before each grouting, the work took some time to complete, and the men were employed only 2 days per week.

On December 15th a head of water was put on the tunnel and this showed that only a few places in the walls still leaked badly. More grouting was then done.

The contractor (Mr Fitzpatrick Kanturk), pointed out that so much grouting around the tunnel was more than he had envisaged when agreeing to any being carried out in the first stage but so much water was found to come through the floor and walls that it was essential to render the tunnel reasonably watertight.

Grouting finished on Dec 22nd, and the tunnel was securely strutted with timber to ensure that no collapse would occur and after Christmas the water was allowed to rise about 6" per day until January 15th it had reached a point 2½ ft below full level.

From the reports of the Clerk of Works who carried out inspections when the water was at different levels it was found that the springs downstream the reservoir on the western side of the river carried a certain

amount of discoloration when the water was at high levels in the reservoir and increased in volume.

Water was found to enter the tunnel and the valve tower and one or two other places not previously grouted and the contractor agrees that before the reservoir is filled again for a prolonged period it would be advisable to complete the good work by grouting at these points. The actual cost of this would not be more than £12 to £15.

A certificate was signed in the contractor's favour for £113 13s 11d on account of work up to Nov 5th 1942, and another on March 29th last for £294 2s 1d making the total to date £407 16s 0d.

Mr Dahill—Messrs Delap and Waller don't say in that report who is responsible. We agreed to carry on the work to see whose fault it was. Now surely to goodness, they can't expect the ratepayers to pay as it was not their fault.

Chairman—They are blaming the contractor. I agree with you Mr Dahill that the work was carried out to find who is bound to pay.

Mr Morrissey—Is the final certificate given yet?

Clerk—No I think it will be about 6 months before it is given as Mr Delap said during his last visit that they would have to allow the reservoir to be filled for 6 months first.

Mr Morrissey—And until the expiration of that time we can not fix the responsibility?

Clerk—I suppose not.

Mr Dahill—I can see the whole thing is falling on the ratepayers and not on the engineers or contractors. There are cheques going away every day.

Chairman—The work is almost finished now gentlemen but I can not see any extra water in town.

Mr Morrissey—Or you won't until you get a new pipe line. The main is too small.

Mr Dahill—They told the Council that there would be water over the moon up in Loughmore—there is none at all there. I do not know what to say.

Mr Morrissey—Will the final certificate come before the Council to be passed?

Clerk—I think the Manager must pay on the certificate of the consulting engineer.

Mr Morrissey—It is not exactly the payment of that but with the question of recoupment that we are concerned about, that is outside the grant. If the defects were found, according to the inquiry that was held those responsible should pay up and now that the exploratory works are finished I wonder if there is any chance of fixing the responsibility.

Mr Kyne—Doesn't it appear that there's a lot of hush-hush about the whole thing? If a man contracted to build a house for you and did it wrong wouldn't you come down on him for it? This thing should be pulled out into the open. It must not be allowed to go on and on until we are all dead and then there will be no one to question it.

Chairman—If we sit down and let them do what they like we are not fit to represent the ratepayers.

Mr Morrissey—I suggest we ask the Department to define responsibility.

Clerk—Would you wait until you get an answer first to your resolution about the grant?

Mr Kyne—Are Delap and Waller working for us?

Chairman—They are.

Mr Kyne—Then they should give evidence for us.

Mr Dahill—Adjourn it until we are advised by the Borough Surveyor.

Mr McGrath—Wouldn't it be just as well to wait for the six months and see what happens?

Mr Veale—I suggest you adjourn the discussion for a fortnight and invite the Manager to the next meeting.

Mr McGrath—The pipes from the Square to Deelish should be cleaned and some obstruction might be found. If it was cleared away it would mean plenty of water for the town.

Mr Dahill—When the leaks

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are due to bad grouting why should the ratepayers be blamed.

Mr Kyne—You'll never get any satisfaction until the matter is investigated by a judge.

It was decided to adjourn the matter to next meeting.

Youghal Road Sewerage. Mr Dahill asked what action had been taken about the sewerage at Youghal Road.

The Clerk stated that the Manager had made an order to have the matter referred to Mr Williams to have notice served. It was decided to refer the matter to the Manager.

It was stated that the repairs to the water supply at Mrs Walsh's, The Quay, and at Mr Gormley's, New Line, had been done.

Five Years Pending—Still Not Done.

The Chairman raising the question of the repairs to the Town Hall said that during the season of Lent when there were no dances the improvements should have been carried out. There had been nothing done although those seven weeks were a great chance.

Clerk—The plans had to be returned to the Department again. The Manager doesn't intend to do a big job there at all.

Mr Morrissey—That is best.

Chairman—It is scandalous that after five years the improvement was not carried out—wasn't it five years, Mr Clerk?

Clerk—Yes.

Mr McCarthy then asked if anything had in fact, been done about it and if any letter had been received from the Department on the matter.

A letter dated 13th April from the Department was then produced, but the Clerk said that no order had been made by the Manager on it.

The Chairman asked that the letter be read.

The letter stated that the plans as sent in should be amended as far as the sanitary arrangements were concerned and that a competent architect should be engaged for the job. The letter also stated that the existing wooden stairs should be replaced by a concrete structure to assist as a fire escape.

Chairman—The last plan of Mr Bowen was sent away in March 1942, and it takes them twelve months to send us down that letter. They are very smart but surely they are not as busy as all that.

Other Items.

The matter of the opening of the swimming pool was questioned and the Clerk said that they expected a further grant.

Mr Kyne referring to the road to the strand at Abbeyside said it was in a shocking state and should be cleaned.

The matter was referred to the Borough Surveyor.

Votes of Sympathy.

The sympathy of the Council was extended to Rev T B

Walsh B.A., P.P., St. Patrick's, Waterford, on the death of his step-brother, and to the family of the late Mrs. Sandford, Mitchell's Terrace.

#### Acknowledgments

Letters of acknowledgments were received from Thomas Leahy, Coolagh Road, Abbeyside, Mrs Whelan, The Anchorage, Abbeyside, Mrs Ellen Crotty, Mountain Villas, Dungarvan, Mrs Margaret Moloney, St. Barnabas, Abbeyside, Mrs Nora McGregor, Abbeyside, and Mr D. Attridge, Keating St., Dungarvan.

## THE BUDGET

### No New Taxation

Announcing in his annual Budget speech in the Dail on Wednesday last the Government's decision to borrow £3 555,000 to bridge the gap between estimated income and expenditure during the present financial year the Minister for Finance Mr Sean T. O'Kelly, declared that the nation's financial structure was sound, and that if it could retain its present position this country could count itself not unfortunate after the war.

In avoiding fresh taxation the Minister was consistent and conservative. Two years ago he declared that taxation in this country had reached its peak, and since that time his steadfast adherence to the principle of borrowing has deprived the annual Budget of much of its former expectancy.

Virtually no one expected new taxation this year, and there was none.

## DAMAGE TO PUBLIC HOUSE

In the case of Supt O'Mahony, Dungarvan, v Thomas Connors, no fixed abode, who was charged before the last Dungarvan Court with causing damage to the extent of £1 and robbing James Nugent, Ballymacart Publican of a quantity of liquor tobacco, lemonade and other articles, the accused appeared before Justice Troy, at Fermoy Court on Friday last April 30th.

The Justice adjourned the case to give the accused an opportunity of repaying Mr Nugent for the loss he sustained.

### ADJOURNED TO DUNGARVAN

In the case of Superintendent O'Mahony, Dungarvan, against James O'Mahony, Toor Aghish for the larceny of 5 head of cattle from Thomas F. Casey, Dungarvan it was erroneously reported in last issue that accused was a native of Old Parish. This should have read—Faha, Lognagoushea Ring. The taking of further depositions in

## Catholic Scout Notes

4th WATERFORD TROOP, C.B.S.I. (St. Joseph's Abbeyside)

Troop Meeting—Most Scouts were present in time and in Uniform though of course some were late and in mufti—the meeting wouldn't be complete without them. A novel way was proposed to begin the next Troop Meeting by way of a reception committee. The first Scout or Scouts to enter the Den line up near the door and as each Scout enters he shakes hands with each member of the Committee and takes his place among them. We had a spot of Drill and after the usual practice the Scouts then numbered "by Scout Laws". This was done well, but with many a furtive glance behind at the list on the wall. Next we had a Question Time in which the S.M. called out the Questions or Signaled them and the answers were rushed to the A.S.M. at the table. Then everybody sang except the giddy boys like Gerald who chattered like a parrot. Next for a closing item the three parts of the Scout promise were called out and each Patrol in turn stepped forward, saluted and said "On my honour I promise to do my best." The meeting ended with the Scout and National Anthems.

Knight Clan—The attendance at the Clan Meeting on Tuesday night was very weak, but it was a good meeting in some respects as full uniforms was worn by those present and a useful job of work was done in checking tents and camping gear. A Hike was arranged for next Sunday leaving Den at 10 a.m. for Stradbally and Bonmahon. We hope to see half-a-dozen on the trip, though no doubt the meeting dodgers will slack as usual.

Troop Hike—A Troop Hike will begin on Sunday at 10 a.m. to Ballyville in charge of Troop Leader T. Butler, K.E. and J. McEvoy, K.E.N. who will later be joined by A.S.M.

Tit-Bits—The electric light poles all over the town quake in their shoes when they see P.J. approaching, he has such a bad habit of banging into them. I don't know if he has had sight or if his eyes are not where they should be. You can imagine the surprise of all when Brino hauled out a watch of antique shape and cloak of tin. When he puts it in his breast pocket people wonder whether 'tis his heart beating is the cause of the noise. He got his bit of jewellery so that he could keep a check on Christy's pulse. Our New Ross, New Inn and no news correspondent reports that he visited the Rock of Cashel but was unable to enter the buildings. He being an expert on Geography argues that New Ross is in Co. Kilkenny, but of course the way things happen nowadays one never knows where one will be tomorrow. Perhaps towns are the same way so maybe you're right Mackey. Don't forget the Parade on Sunday Be in the Den sharp at 7.45 a.m. Perhaps the Reception Committee mentioned above may be there to welcome late comers. ESCRITOR

## OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

Miss Hanna Walsh (Late of Mrs. P. Halley's, Dungarvan) (DRESSMAKER)

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**Notice To Painting Contractors**

Tenders are invited for painting at the County Hospital, Waterford, in accordance with specification copy of which may be seen on application at the Office of Mr G H Jephson, Engineer, Courthouse, Waterford. Tenders containing the names of two solvent sureties who are willing to join the person tendering in a bond for the due performance of the contract must be lodged with me not later than 12 o'clock (noon) on Tuesday the 18th May, 1943. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By Order **MICHAEL O FLOINN,** Runaidhe  
Ofis an Runaidhe, Arus a'Chonntae InDungarban, 5adh Bealtaine, 1943

**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 — **Dungarvan Rural District** (Rent Collector—Mr. Ml Dee) 135 Rathlead 355 Ballingowan West 331 Rathnamaneenagh **Kilmaethomas Rural District** (Rent Collector—Mr Patrick Quinn) 340 Ashtown

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 Tuesday the 11th May, 1943 **S J MOYNIHAN,** County Manager  
Dungarvan, 28th April, 1943

**Moorehill Notes.**

**Grand Social**—On Easter Monday night the Tallow Social Club held a very enjoyable Cinderella at the Cinema Hall Tallow at which a very large crowd attended and one and all had a most enjoyable time. The Social Club dances are always very popular and this one lived well up to its predecessors, and the splendid selection of music delightfully rendered by the Bride-side Serenaders Dance Band, (which was specially augmented for the occasion) was much appreciated by all present. The dance concluded with the playing of the National Anthem.

**Delightful Entertainment**—The Cinema Hall, Tallow was overflowing on Easter Sunday night, when the local Lawn Tennis Club made their debut to the dramatic world, when they staged the well-known comedy, "The New Lord Mayor," in 3 acts. The various artists performed their parts in a manner that would have given credit to a professional very soon, we are to hold their own with the best. We take this opportunity of congratulating them, and wish them further successes in the near future.

**Sympathy**—The deep sympathy of the general public of Moorehill and district is extended to Mrs A Walsh, and Mr P Walsh Tallow, on their recent sad bereavement, occasioned by the death of Mr M F Walsh P.C. Tallow.

**Parish Council Meeting**—At a special meeting of the Kilwatermoy Parish Council held last week, it was proposed that the Council's sympathy be extended to the relatives of the late Mr D J O'Brien. Members referred to the late Mr O'Brien as an outstanding personality and as one whose quiet and kindly disposition and willingness at all times to serve his neighbour, his parish and his country, had endeared him to all who knew him. It was recalled that he was one of the pioneers of the Sinn Fein Movement in this part of the country. He was Chairman of the local Sinn Fein Club, Adjutant of the Kilwatermoy Old I.R.A. Coy, and he was a member of the old Lismore Rural District Council, at a time when all that was gained by being a public representative was danger and much personal inconvenience. Reference was also made to the able assistance

ing when they were commented on by those who are competent judges. We are very glad that such praise was given to them as they richly deserve it. All the members work hard during the day and devote their spare time to military training. We hope they will long be the outstanding Group of the L.D.F. **Red Cross Team**—Last week the victorious team here journeyed to Waterford to meet the other equally-successful teams. They secured third place. Tramore being first and Dungarvan second. We feel this is a very creditable record as the Ballyduff team had the cream of the county to compete with. **Late Mr P Lynch**—The death took place during the week of one of the older members of our community here, Mr Patrick Lynch. The deceased was keen and active up to a short time before his death. To his bereaved sons we tender our deepest sympathy. Only two months ago we sympathised with them on the death of their sister. It is hard that they should have met with a double bereavement in such a short time, but God knows best and He will help them in their need. **Maytime**—The loveliest month of the year is here, everything looks fresh, beautiful and unspoiled, the fields so fresh and green, the trees covered with soft green foliage, the apple trees covered with blossoms. What eye could look on their sights and not appreciate their beauty. Joyce Kilmer wrote "I think that I shall never see a poem lovely as a tree". It must have been in May he penned those lines which have lived long after he has gone. Here in Ireland we always associate May with Mary and rightly so. It would be a pity if while enjoying the beauties of nature we forgot her who is the Queen of Beauty. **Lucky Cross Word Winner**—We extend congratulations to Mr Thomas Keating, Collisheal who won a substantial money prize in a recent Cross-Word Competition, run by a Sunday paper. Mr Keating very promptly gave a subscription to the local Branch of the Irish Red Cross Society out of his winnings for which the Committee and members were very grateful. **"Between The Lights"**—On reading this book recently some quotations worth mentioning occur and which may interest our readers. We all need more mercy than we deserve. A loving character affords the only colours in a sea of a man. Time is God's loan, and character His interest. The waves of public opinion do not affect the tides of God's purposes. It's good to have money and the things that money can buy but it is good too, to check up once in a while and make sure you haven't lost the things that money cannot buy.

**LOCAL SECURITY FORCE (Dungarvan District Staff)**

**A Grand Cinderella DANCE**

Will be held in the **Town Hall, Dungarvan** On Sunday Night May 9th  
Music by **The Carrick Swingsters (Seven Performers)**

Dancing from 8.30 to 12.30 a.m. **Admission (incl. tax) 2/6** **COME AND ENJOY THE DANCE OF THE YEAR**

**Ballinacourty L.D.F.**

**Grand Cinderella DANCE**

Will be held in **Ocean View, Clonea** (in aid of above)

**16th, 1943**

MUSIC BY **JOHN REGAN** and his Swingsters Dance Band

Dancing from 9.30 p.m. to 3.30 a.m. **Admission—2/6**

**Notice To Creditors**

Re MARY BERESFORD, late of Kilmurray Cottage, Dungarvan, widow, deceased. All persons claiming to be creditors or otherwise having any claim against the estate of the above deceased are hereby required to send particulars thereof (in writing) to the undersigned—Solicitors—for the Executors within one week from this date. Dated this 8th day of May, 1943 **J F WILLIAMS & SON,** Solicitors, Dungarvan

which he gave some years ago in organising race meetings and other events for the purpose of raising the funds then so urgently needed for the renovation of the Kilwatermoy Church. The vote was passed in silence and the meeting adjourned.

**Local Tit Bits**—Despite the cold weather the cuckoo seems to be very busy down Moorehill way but was it a genuine cuckoo, we heard the other evening. Perhaps some of the boys could tell. Anyone with a quantity of hay for sale should report at once to your Moorehill correspondent. We heard 'twas in great demand the other Sunday night, 'why' we can't say.

**Ballyduff News**

**Easter Sunday Parade**—At the L.D.F. parade in Lismore on Easter Sunday the members of the L.D.F. here were complimented in their smart and soldierly appearance. As the parade was a representative one

take them as having been read. First of all let me express my own personal regret and the regret of the Board of Directors at the retirement of Mr Kennedy O'Brien who was Chairman of the Company from its incorporation up to the end of last year when he found it necessary for health reasons to resign from the Board. I am quite sure I am expressing the sentiments of everyone present in wishing Mr O'Brien a very speedy and complete recovery. The Accounts for 1942 showed that the net profit earned for the year after making provision for depreciation, Directors' Fees, Corporation and Excess Corporation Profits Tax and Income Tax amounted to £2064 which figure is almost identical with the corresponding figure for the calendar year 1941. Adding to the Net Profit Transfer Fees and the balance which was carried forward from the previous year we get a total balance of £6605. Out of this amount there has already been paid the Dividend on the Preference Shares for the half-year ended 30th June 1942 which required £244 leaving a balance to be dealt with of £6361.

The Directors propose and recommend that exactly the same rate of dividend on both the preference and ordinary shares of the Company will be paid for 1942 as that paid for 1941. In other words they ask you to sanction the payment of a dividend on the cumulative preference shares for the half-year ended 31st December 1942, amounting to £244 and the payment of a dividend on the ordinary share capital for the year 31st December 1942, at the rate of 10% per annum, less income tax which will amount to £750 and it is proposed to carry forward to the next accounts the balance of £5367 3s 1d.

With regard to the balance sheet freehold and leasehold premises at £7521 show an increase of £1,131, which increase is almost entirely offset by a decrease of £1091 in the value of plant and machinery, etc. Stocks, it will be noted show an increase of £9860 but again this increase is very largely offset by a decrease of £8,650 in the amount due to the Company by customers. Both of these changes are highly gratifying. The increase in stocks at a time when the majority of manufacturers are having the greatest difficulty in obtaining supplies of raw materials is very encouraging. There is an increase of £438 in the total amount due under the headings of Bank Overdraft, Sundry Creditors an Corporation and Excess Corporation Profits Tax.

When dealing with the Accounts for 1941 at last year's Annual General Meeting the Chairman referred to the installation some years ago of plant and equipment for the tanning of native sheep pelts. During 1942 the Company has tanned an even greater number of these native pelts and it is not too much to say that the volume of work done would have been very considerably less were it not for the processing of these pelts which now constitute a very large portion of the Company's raw material. During the past year supplies of East Indian Kips which constitute our raw material for the manufacture of boot upper leather, have become increasingly difficult to obtain and with the exception of occasional small parcels have now ceased. In order to maintain our production of upper leathers, so essential to the life of the community, plant and machinery were installed for the tanning of Irish hides, kips and calf skins. Large quantities of this raw material

are being used with excellent results and further development of this part of the Company's work is being actively pursued. When I tell you that practically 100% of our products are now made from native hides and skins you will appreciate how important this source of raw material has been to us in our efforts to meet the increased demand for leather since the outbreak of war. Native raw material would of course be useless unless it were possible to obtain the necessary materials to convert it into leather. In this respect the Company was fortunate in having large stocks which I am pleased to say we have so far been able to maintain. As to the future it would be idle speculation on my part to attempt to forecast results. All that can be said is that we are favourably placed from the point of view of supplies of hides and skins, and we have large stocks of essential processing materials. I feel therefore that we may look forward

ence. You will have noticed that two new names appear on the Board of Directors that is Mr James Hough and Mr C R Strutt. The former was co-opted by the Board of Directors to take the place of Mr Kennedy O'Brien who as I have already explained was compelled for health reasons to retire from the Board. Mr Strutt takes the place of Mr B S Woolnough. As no doubt you are aware Mr Strutt has been our Factory Manager since the commencement of manufacturing operations by the Company some seven years ago and I consider that we are very fortunate in having him on our Board of Directors. I am sure you would wish me to pay tribute to the loyal services given to the Company by my colleagues on the Board of Directors, by the Company's Managing Director Mr Reginald Dickens and its General Manager Mr Strutt and to each member of the Company's Staff. I now formally move that the Accounts of the Company made up to 31st December, 1942, and the Directors' report thereon be adopted and I will ask Dr Casey to second the motion.

**TRIBUTE TO DIRECTORS**

Rev Fr Walsh in a graceful speech said it was a pleasure for him to be present at the meeting, and paying tribute to the directors he said that they all had the utmost confidence in them and that such a report as was read by the Chairman was very satisfactory in the midst of the present emergency. **Workmen's Shares**—When the Chairman asked if there were any questions, Father Walsh asked if some provision could not be made for the holding of workmen's shares in the company. He said he had advocated such for a long time and wished it could be arranged. Mr Dickens said he was entirely in agreement with Father Walsh's statement and regarded it secondary only to a good providence scheme. Mr Dickens further stated that he had arrangements made to put the scheme into operation. Dr Casey supporting said it was only right that they should do something to look after their employees in their old age.

**LUNCHEON**

After the meeting the Directors and Shareholders were entertained to luncheon.

**VIEW'S OF OUR READERS**

**DUNGARVAN HURLING AND FOOTBALL** (To The Editor) Dear Sir—Please allow me space in your paper to correct a statement of "An Runaidhe" in your last week's issue. Under the caption "Is it on at Cappoquin," He states that there is some difficulty in our Club concerning the playing of juniors, and that our club were as much to blame as Lismore for the postponement of the senior hurling game at Cappoquin. Our club resent those statements and wish to state that they are not correct. The unity and enthusiasm at present prevailing in the club is marked by the recent displays of our teams—4 games, 4 wins—Also there is complete co-operation between committee and all teams. Regarding the match at Cappoquin it was Lismore that got the match postponed and not our club which the County Sec can prove—Mise, **SEAMUS O MANNCAIN,** Runaidhe

**THE DICKENS LEATHER COMPANY, LIMITED**

**Seventh Annual Meeting**

Mr P J Moloney, Chairman presided at the Seventh Annual General Meeting of the Dickens Leather Company, which was held at Egan's Hotel, Dungarvan on Thursday last May 8th. Others present were—Rev T B Walsh, B.A. P.P. Messrs R Dickens, P.A. Casey, J Beresford, J McHugh, An Fear Mor, C R Strutt, J Mansfield, Doctors Casey and Cusack and Mr Kelliher Secretary.

**CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS**

Gentlemen This is the Seventh Annual General Meeting of the Company. The Report and the Accounts covering the year ended 31st December 1942 have been in your hands for the usual statutory period and with your permission I propose to follow

First of all let me express my own personal regret and the regret of the Board of Directors at the retirement of Mr Kennedy O'Brien who was Chairman of the Company from its incorporation up to the end of last year when he found it necessary for health reasons to resign from the Board. I am quite sure I am expressing the sentiments of everyone present in wishing Mr O'Brien a very speedy and complete recovery. The Accounts for 1942 showed that the net profit earned for the year after making provision for depreciation, Directors' Fees, Corporation and Excess Corporation Profits Tax and Income Tax amounted to £2064 which figure is almost identical with the corresponding figure for the calendar year 1941. Adding to the Net Profit Transfer Fees and the balance which was carried forward from the previous year we get a total balance of £6605. Out of this amount there has already been paid the Dividend on the Preference Shares for the half-year ended 30th June 1942 which required £244 leaving a balance to be dealt with of £6361.

The Directors propose and recommend that exactly the same rate of dividend on both the preference and ordinary shares of the Company will be paid for 1942 as that paid for 1941. In other words they ask you to sanction the payment of a dividend on the cumulative preference shares for the half-year ended 31st December 1942, amounting to £244 and the payment of a dividend on the ordinary share capital for the year 31st December 1942, at the rate of 10% per annum, less income tax which will amount to £750 and it is proposed to carry forward to the next accounts the balance of £5367 3s 1d.

With regard to the balance sheet freehold and leasehold premises at £7521 show an increase of £1,131, which increase is almost entirely offset by a decrease of £1091 in the value of plant and machinery, etc. Stocks, it will be noted show an increase of £9860 but again this increase is very largely offset by a decrease of £8,650 in the amount due to the Company by customers. Both of these changes are highly gratifying. The increase in stocks at a time when the majority of manufacturers are having the greatest difficulty in obtaining supplies of raw materials is very encouraging. There is an increase of £438 in the total amount due under the headings of Bank Overdraft, Sundry Creditors an Corporation and Excess Corporation Profits Tax.

When dealing with the Accounts for 1941 at last year's Annual General Meeting the Chairman referred to the installation some years ago of plant and equipment for the tanning of native sheep pelts. During 1942 the Company has tanned an even greater number of these native pelts and it is not too much to say that the volume of work done would have been very considerably less were it not for the processing of these pelts which now constitute a very large portion of the Company's raw material. During the past year supplies of East Indian Kips which constitute our raw material for the manufacture of boot upper leather, have become increasingly difficult to obtain and with the exception of occasional small parcels have now ceased. In order to maintain our production of upper leathers, so essential to the life of the community, plant and machinery were installed for the tanning of Irish hides, kips and calf skins. Large quantities of this raw material

are being used with excellent results and further development of this part of the Company's work is being actively pursued. When I tell you that practically 100% of our products are now made from native hides and skins you will appreciate how important this source of raw material has been to us in our efforts to meet the increased demand for leather since the outbreak of war. Native raw material would of course be useless unless it were possible to obtain the necessary materials to convert it into leather. In this respect the Company was fortunate in having large stocks which I am pleased to say we have so far been able to maintain. As to the future it would be idle speculation on my part to attempt to forecast results. All that can be said is that we are favourably placed from the point of view of supplies of hides and skins, and we have large stocks of essential processing materials. I feel therefore that we may look forward

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ence. You will have noticed that two new names appear on the Board of Directors that is Mr James Hough and Mr C R Strutt. The former was co-opted by the Board of Directors to take the place of Mr Kennedy O'Brien who as I have already explained was compelled for health reasons to retire from the Board. Mr Strutt takes the place of Mr B S Woolnough. As no doubt you are aware Mr Strutt has been our Factory Manager since the commencement of manufacturing operations by the Company some seven years ago and I consider that we are very fortunate in having him on our Board of Directors. I am sure you would wish me to pay tribute to the loyal services given to the Company by my colleagues on the Board of Directors, by the Company's Managing Director Mr Reginald Dickens and its General Manager Mr Strutt and to each member of the Company's Staff. I now formally move that the Accounts of the Company made up to 31st December, 1942, and the Directors' report thereon be adopted and I will ask Dr Casey to second the motion.

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The top price of 26 guineas was obtained by P. Troy Helvick for an April 1942 Short horn who sold to E O'Donnell Modéligo Other prices ranged from 20 guineas to 16 guineas

**DAMAGES FOR GARDA SERGEANT**—

A settlement for £1325 and costs was announced before Mr Justice Martin Maguire in the High Court, Dublin on Thursday week April 29th in an action in which Sergeant John E Liddane GS Park Terrace Dungarvan, claimed damages against Mr Michael Morrissey, TD Main St, Dungarvan, for injuries suffered when Mr Morrissey's motor car, in which he was travelling, from Dublin struck the pillar of a gate at Curraduff corner, Portlaw, in February, 1942

**IRISH RED CROSS SOCIETY—DUNGARVAN BRANCH**—

Will members please note there will be no Home Nursing Lecture on tonight (Friday) Usual lecture on Friday, 14th May

**WATERFORD V TIPPERARY**—

The following members of the Senior Football Selection Committee—M V O'Donoghue Lismore J Moloney Nire P Hurley, Stradbally, and K Phelan Stradbally met at the Gaelic Field Dungarvan on Sunday last and selected the following to represent the County against Tipperary at Clonmel on Sunday, May 16th —

James Corbett Stradbally

M Coffey R McGuire A Fleming Dunhill Kilrossanty Stradbally W Ryan T Veale J Veale Nire Kilrossanty Stradbally P Kiely P Kirwan Stradbally

A. Power K Phelan J. Orpen Nire Stradbally Stradbally J Grady P McGrath M O'Connor Nire Brickey Rangers S'Bally Subs—R Hickey (Stradbally), P Lannon (Dungarvan), J Sammon (Stradbally), Sean McGrath (Ballycoe), D O'Sullivan (Nire)

**DUNGARVAN LAWN TENNIS CLUB**—

The Courts are now open to play Members and intending members are invited to enter for the Mixed Doubles Tournament to be held on May 13th, entrance fee 1/-, closing date May 10th

**TRANSFER OF POPULAR OFFICIAL**—

We take the following from a recent issue of the "Westmeath Independent"—His friends in Athlone learn with considerable regret, that Mr Phil O'Donnell assistant manager of the local Employment Exchange will shortly be leaving on transfer to Dublin at the same time they hope to hear in the near future, of his conquests down by the Liffey side When coming to Athlone Mr O'Donnell brought with him "a breath of the warm South," and his forceful personality has earned him ready acknowledgment in official circles But his varied interests carried him far afield and his sterling qualities won him prominence in the social life of Athlone and district As chairman of the Gaelic League chairman of South Westmeath G.A.A Board, and secretary of Athlone Coursing Club, Mr O'Donnell had the instinctive quality of putting first things first He was also a most impartial and able referee of Gaelic games There is no need to record his successes here as they are already well-known, suffice to say that the successes achieved by the various bodies to which he was attached were due in no small measure to the fact that "Phil" as he was popularly known, threw his great energy wholeheartedly into any work which claimed his interest His sports were mainly and his judgments on and off the field were expressed without fear or favour All his Athlone friends join in wishing himself and Mrs O'Donnell the well-merited success which Dame Rumour promises will shortly follow his transfer to the capital

We join with his many friends in his native Dungarvan in extending to Mr O'Donnell many years of health and happiness in his new sphere of activities

**GOLF NEWS**—

There was an entry of 26 for the Silver Cups Competition on Sunday last Mr P Walsh (18) with Nett Score 74 was awarded the Cup for h'caps 17 and over, and Mr P Ryan (20) was runner-up with Nett Score 75 Mr

Dan Phelan (15) won the Cup for h'caps of 16 and under with Nett Score 78 Messrs C J Murphy (8) and N Webster (16) tied as runners-up

**Next Sunday's Competition** will be similar to last Sunday's 1e 18 Hole Stroke H'caps 18 and under, 17 and over Prizes Silver Cups Draw at 3 pm

**LADIES BRANCH**—

Monthly Medal Competition—18 Holes Stroke—will be played on Sunday next. Draw for partners on Saturday Players who have not yet done so should give names to Ladies Hon. Secretary, Miss M Murphy

**45 DRIVE AT SCOUTS' DEN, ABBEYSIDE**—

The last Drives of this season will be held on Friday and Sunday

**DUNGARVAN H. & F. CLUB**—

The senior football team v Brickey Rangers is as follows —

L Crotty

T Sheridan D Good T Cashin J Barron J Mountain P Walshe D Lohgan C Moylan

B Moloney W Barron P Lannon P Butler J Good M Tobin

Subs—M Landers P Dwyer, T Carbery L Morrissey, V Morrissey M Whelan, J M Randles P Nagle

**GONE TO ENGLAND**—

On Wednesday morning last Mr Jimmy Waters who is well-known in Gaelic circles throughout the county left for employment in England He was accompanied by Mr Billie Burke, who was returning after spending a period at home with his parents Both took the best wishes of their many friends with them for their future success

**Western Divisional G.A.A. Notes**

(By AN RUNAIDHE)

**Our Senior Football Selection**—

The senior football selectors have made their choice of the players to represent Waterford against Tipp on 16th. I am quite in agreement with most of the players selected, but I would have certainly included on the team at least three of the McDermotts players, I also believe D Good and G Moylan are two that would be worthy of their places The selectors are of course the men for the job and I am sure they must have known that the players I mention are available but for some good reason they decided that the team they selected would be a better one Well I wish the team all the best on Sunday week

**At Tallow**—Eire Oge meet the Bride Rovers in the minor football championships at Tallow on Sunday Both teams have a big selection of youths to call on and it can be considered as anyone's game to the final whistle

**At Ballyloneen**—Another minor football game will take place in Ballyloneen on Sunday when Faha Rangers meet Stradbally Rovers I am not quite sure of the position of the Faha minor string but Stradbally lads will certainly be going all out for a victory J Ormonde N.T., Hon. Treas. of the Co Board will be referee

**Brickeys v Dungarvan**—At Dungarvan on Sunday the old rivals Dungarvan and the Brickey Rangers meet again Ever since their first meeting these teams have always given the public value for their money and Sunday promises that, and a little more Dungarvan will rely on the usual senior team with at least 4 or 5 juniors added to make up for those who have gone to England, and elsewhere Lannon Good Bros Moylan, Mountain, Barron Dwyer and Walshe will be the pick of the bunch I expect The Brickeys will I hear, have some surprise men and they are confident they will prove that they are fit for senior ranks M Curran, N McGrath, Power Bros, and Tommy Curran will be men Dungarvan will have to move to beat

**Old Parish And Clashmore Draw**—At Ardmore on Sunday last Clashmore and Old Parish played a hard and well-fought hour to end in a scoreless draw Hourigan and Lynch were the high-lights of the Old Parish team and the goalie John O'Connell was the hero of the hour for Clashmore Paddy Moloney veteran inter-county football star had charge of the game and he pays tribute to the fine sporting spirit the game was played on May 1 also pay a compliment to Paddy on the excellent way he managed the game One thing I noticed, the stewards from Ardmore club will have to see to it that the fences are manned in future, Quite half the spectators succeeded in seeing the game without paying

**Green Cross Fund**—The Green Cross match in Ballyduff on Easter Sunday between Conna and Ballyduff deserves special

**Irish Dairy Shorthorn Breeders' Society (WATERFORD BRANCH)**

**GRAND ALL-NIGHT DANCE**

Will be held in BOATHOUSE, CAPPOQUIN On SUNDAY MAY 9th, 1943

MUSIC BY The Brideside Serenaders (Specially Augmented) Dancing—10 p.m. Dress Optional

Admission (Incl. Supper & Tax)—5/-

Catering by MRS. KELLY, LISMORE F Anderson & T. Fives, Hon Secs.

**Some Successful Sales in 1943 by T. O. Hutchinson, M.I.A.A.**

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Lands at Riverstown, Tramore, for the Irish Tourist Board.  
Dairy & Tillage Farm at Shinganagh, for Mrs. Kathleen Delahunty.  
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City Residence, 12 Mayo, for Mrs A. Widger  
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Furniture & Old Irish Silver, for P. M. Doyle, Esq.  
Furniture, Spring Cottage, Tramore, for Mr M. Power  
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mention. As a result of the game and a raffle for cigarettes which was held on the pitch a sum of £5 was realised for the Fund This reflects great credit on the patriotism and earnestness of the Ballyduff Gaels in doing so well under adverse circumstances Worthy of note also is Lismore centre which sent its quota to swell the Green Cross Fund It is hoped to run a series of Green Cross games some date in the near future to make up for the abandoned games at Easter

**Div Board Meeting**—A meeting of the West Div Board will be held in the C.Y.M.S. Hall, Cappoquin, on tonight (Friday) May 7th, at 8.15 pm ST A heavy agenda including transfers, reinstatements and three objections will have to be dealt with A prompt attendance of delegates is asked Fixtures will be made at the meeting so all clubs interested should send delegates

**Last Sunday's Results**—At Ardmore—JF Old Parish 0-0, Clashmore—0-0

At Dungarvan—SF Stradbally, 2-7, Nire 1-3

**Sunday's Games**—At Tallow—MF Bride Rovers v Eire Oge 3-30 pm

At Ballyloneen—MF, Stradbally Rovers v Faha Rangers, at 4.0 pm Ref J Ormonde NT

At Dungarvan—SF—Dungarvan v Brickey Rangers at 4.0

p.m preceded by J F Challenge Ring v Kilgobinet, 2.30 p.m.

**Dungarvan Dramatic Club**

The committee and members of the "Dungarvan Dramatic Club have displayed their great energy by featuring a 4-nights programme in the Town Hall this week It speaks volumes for their capabilities that they should be able to stage two plays together like this, after about six or seven weeks rehearsing, and their efforts are worthy of the widest support from all The plays chosen are poles apart in appeal as the one is a Victorian thriller of the West End of London, and the other a rather modern comedy which focuses a certain amount of ridicule on Irish country life.

All the players taking part are to be highly congratulated for their fine acting, and the producers—Rev Father Magee and Professor O'Hara, should feel very satisfied at having produced such excellent fare All the performances were supported by the Dungarvan Orchestral Society under the baton of Mr. M J McHugh, who played select musical programmes

The two plays staged were "Gaslight," and "The Whip Hand"

**OUR PHONE NO—55**

**Dungarvan Leader**

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1943

**"AS YOU WERE"**

**WEDNESDAY** last was Budget Day, and Mr Sean T O'Kelly Minister for Finance as expected caused no sensations There were no increases in taxation and the gap between the revenue and expenditure—a sum of 3½ millions will be met by borrowing In avoiding any fresh taxation the Minister was consistent with the statement made by him in 1940 that as far as this country was concerned taxation had reached its peak He realised that any income derived from fresh taxation would be so small as to be negligible and he did the best thing to make up the deficit No branch of the community could have borne any further imposts and Mr O'Kelly's latest Budget will everywhere be received with favour and relief

As usual there were many shopkeepers who withheld supplies of articles during the past few days which they anticipated would be increased in price after the Budget These have been disappointed and their despicable practice now appears ridiculous It is a shame that in times like these when the cost of living has increased by 50% that shopkeepers are not satisfied to sell at existing prices but are always on the lookout for any pretext to push up costs still higher

People will be glad to see that Mr O'Kelly realises that they are put to the pin of their collars to exist under present conditions and seeing this that he thought fit not to straddle them with further burthens but took the chance of borrowing and passed on the responsibility to posterity This is as it should be and we congratulate An Tanaiste on his Budget of 1943

**News Of The Town And Round About**

**SUCCESSFUL BULL SHOW AND SALE**—

On Friday last, 30th April, Messrs Quealy and Ballot Auctioneers and Valuers Dungarvan, held their annual Show and Sale of Bulls at Egan's Hotel Yard, Dungarvan

A record number of entries which proved to be very much larger than previous years were listed on the catalogue

The prize-winners were—Class I 1st prize L Curran Ballynamuck Dungarvan, who sold to W Dower, Clashmore for 23 guineas 2, J J Whelan, Kilmaree, Dungarvan, who sold to

**CAPPOQUIN NEWS**

**CAPPOQUIN DISTRICT NURSING ASSOCIATION—**  
The annual meeting of the above Association was held in the C.Y.M.S. Hall last week. Lady Eleanor Keane, President presided, and there was a good attendance of members. Deep regret was expressed by the President and other members over the sad death of the late Mrs. Villiers Stuart, Dromana, who had been the efficient Hon. Sec. of the Association for some years, and high tributes were paid to the able and tireless manner in which she had always performed her duties, and also for her kind and generous support of the funds of the Association, and a vote of deep sympathy with Mr. Ion Villiers-Stuart, her respected husband and other relatives, was passed in silence, all the members standing, as a mark of respect to the memory of their esteemed colleague.  
Mrs. Keane Tivoli, Cappoquin, (daughter-in-law of Senator Sir John and Lady Keane), was un-

up-to-date catering arrangements which will be carried out by Mrs. Kelly, Chapel Street, Lismore.  
This courteous and highly-experienced caterer fully realises what a huge attendance from all parts of West Waterford will be at this dance, so she has laid in ample supplies, accordingly, and the excellent supper which will be served on the occasion should prove the most outstanding feature of a function which promises to be perfect in every detail.  
Messrs. F. Anderson and T. Fives, Hon. Secs., deserve great credit for the hard work they have performed in so thoroughly completing all the arrangements, but they as well as the members of the committee, should be amply rewarded by the wonderful success which will crown their efforts on Sunday night.  
**LARCENY OF FOWL—**  
A young man named Christopher O'Donnell, aged 19 years, stated to be a native of Kilrossanty, was arrested here at about 12.30 p.m. on last Friday

sure a big "gate" for the event. A most varied and attractive programme will be prepared for the fixture so that a great day's enjoyment can be guaranteed and some exciting cycling and athletic events are certain to be witnessed on the occasion.  
Look-out for further details in later issues.  
**CAPPOQUIN L.D.F.—**  
The local Group of the L.D.F. is making great progress under the able direction of Mr. Thomas Kelleher, the new Group Leader, who is infusing a great spirit of discipline and enthusiasm amongst the members of the Force. Several new members have been recently enrolled and Mr. Kelleher has appealed for many more and with the attractive new Uniforms, Greatcoats, boots, etc., now being issued to members, this should prove a special inducement to all the young men of the town and district who are not already members to join this excellent and patriotic Force without further delay.  
**DEATH OF MRS. E. KIELY, BARRACK STREET—**

**CONFIRMATION OUTFITS**

WE HAVE A COMPLETE SELECTION OF EVERYTHING REQUIRED FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

**MULCAHY'S DUNGARVAN**

them for the action they took. We are further reliably informed that Lismore will not be in a position to field any senior hurling team this season as the majority of the senior hurlers are all gone away.  
The latest blow to the Lismore senior team is the pending departure of Joe Duggan, who at the moment was the mainstay of the team and with his loss, due to his departure on the 17th May for England, all hopes of fielding out a senior team for the 1943 season is knocked in the head.  
Lismore Club will now have to concentrate on its juniors and we earnestly look forward to these boys to keep the flag of the Lismore G.A. Club flying as high as ever.

**G. A. A.— Stradbally's Victory Over The Nire**

At the Gaelic Field, Dungarvan, before a fine attendance and in good weather, Stradbally met and defeated The Nire in their Senior Football Championship match on Sunday last.  
The match was played in a good sporting spirit and hard knocks were given and taken as part of the day's work. The Stradbally men were the better finished footballers but The Nire set a pace for them and fought out the issue until the final whistle. The Nire team were last year's junior football champions and it was their first match in senior ranks for the 1943 season. Their display on Sunday last mark them as a team to be reckoned with during the present season.

**THE GAME**

From the throw-in the ball was sent to the Nire territory but was cleared and in a wing rush by Stradbally the ball was crossed to the right wing where a Stradbally forward nicely sent a grounder to the net giving them the first score. Even exchanges followed and the Nire men were playing a very fast and confident game. From a pass, Bill Ryan got possession and raised the white flag for the Nire amidst great cheering from their followers. Keeping up the pressure the Nire were in for a second point and Stradbally were hard put to it to stave off the repeated onslaughts on their back division. Stradbally were now pressing and from a free "Aero" Kiely put them ahead with a further point, giving Stradbally a 2-point lead.  
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had another point for Stradbally and shortly after a like score was registered for Stradbally. Keeping up their attacks the Nire defence were subject to a terrible hammering and Stradbally broke through for another goal and a point in quick succession. Stradbally were awarded a 50, but the free was cleared and the Nire were going into the attack when the short whistle sounded leaving the scores—

**Stradbally—2—3**  
**Nire—0—2**  
During the interval some positional changes were made in the Nire team and when the ball was thrown in for the second half the Nire men were all out from the start. The Stradbally defence proved sound and had play returned to the Nire end where after some rushes they added another point to their score. The Nire men were in hard luck some minutes later when after a great rush the ball went inches wide of the posts. Play was fairly even at this period and both sides were visited in turn but no scores resulted. The Nire back-line led by Moloney were disputing every inch with the Stradbally forwards. From a clearance the ball was in Stradbally territory and in a great Nire rush in which Power, Ryan and Halpin were prominent the ball was rushed through for a goal. This score put new life into the Nire men and Stradbally were well tested in all parts of the field.  
Stradbally were leaving nothing to chance and going the pace had the ball in the Nire territory where they had hard luck for a major score, the ball hitting the cross-bar and the Nire goalkeeper brought off a great clearance. Stradbally were now putting more length in to their kicks and were more or less the masters of the situation and after a few lively exchanges added another minor score. Following the kick-out Stradbally got possession and in some lively encounters around the Nire goal "Hero" Guiry and the Stradbally full forward were seen in some hectic clashes. Still pressing Stradbally had two more points scored before the final whistle went leaving the scores—

**Stradbally—2—7**  
**The Nire—1—3**  
For Stradbally O'Meara, N. Connors, Kiely, Phelan, Orpen, and Corbett were outstanding. For the Nire Moloney, Ryan, A. Power, Halpin, and M. Power played a great game.  
The teams were as follows—  
**Stradbally—**Jas. Corbett, J. Power, D. Hickey, J. O'Meara, N. Kiely, K. Phelan, J. Orpen, P. Kilwan, M. Connors, Jas. Sammon, J. Cummins, Jas. Whelan.  
**Nire—**Ed. McGrath, Jas. Moloney, Thos. Halpin, T. O'Grady, Jeremiah O'Grady, D. McCarthy, A. Power, Mce Power (Capt.), J. McCarthy, J. Roche, Denis Sullivan, Wm. Ryan, John O'Donnell, Pat. Halpin, J. Guiry.

In a junior football challenge match Brickey Rangers defeated Ballycoe.

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place of the late Mrs. Stuart, and Mrs. T. F. Oiden, was unanimously elected a member of the Committee in lieu of the late Mrs. Helena Ryan, Mill Street, who had been a loyal and energetic member of the Committee for many years.

We understand that through the kindness of Rev. J. O'Loughlin, Rector, and Mrs. O'Loughlin, a Grand Garden Fete and Sale of work will shortly be held in the beautiful grounds of the Rectory, near Cappoquin, in aid of the funds of the Nursing Association, when we trust the public of all classes will generously support this worthy and deserving event, full particulars of which will appear in a later issue.

**MEETING OF THE LOCAL BRANCH OF THE RED CROSS SOCIETY—**

A meeting of the Cappoquin Branch of the Irish Red Cross Society was held in the Carnegie Library on last Friday night.

Mr. M. J. Sargent, P.C., presided, in the unavoidable absence of Rev. T. Fitzgerald, P.P., Chairman, the other members present being Mrs. T. F. Oiden, Mrs. S. Kingston, Miss S. White, Divisional Officer, Miss E. Bell, Hon. Sec., and Mr. M. F. Walsh, P.C.

A letter was read from Rev. J. O'Loughlin, Rector, apologising for his inability to be present at the meeting.

Miss S. White was unanimously elected as delegate to represent the branch at the forthcoming County Convention of Red Cross Branches, after which it was decided to adjourn all further business as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Mrs. Villiers Stuart, a most valuable and esteemed member of the Branch, and a sincere vote of sympathy was passed to Mr. Stuart in his great bereavement.  
**HIGH PRICE FOR TWO GREYHOUNDS—**

During the past week Mr. Denis Meskill, motor owner and publican, Cappoquin, sold two valuable greyhounds to Mr. Harry O'Neill, Clonmel, for the substantial price of £320. Both animals are by the famous dog, "Creamery Border," so that they are very highly-bred, and must have been considered of outstanding value when such an experienced judge of greyhounds as Mr. Harry O'Neill paid such a high price for them.

The dogs were originally purchased as puppies by Mr. Meskill and carefully reared and finished by him, which proves what a sound and successful trainer of greyhounds he is and he has been warmly congratulated by his numerous friends.

ansaction—which has proved to be the best deal he has made with dogs for many years.  
**ALL SET FOR SUNDAY NIGHT'S GREAT DANCE—**

All the preliminary arrangements have now been completed for the Irish Dairy Shorthorn Breeders' Society's grand All-Night Dance which will be held in the spacious Boathouse Hall here on next Sunday night.

Not for many years have we seen such elaborate preparations being made for any dance as for this great event, as it is intended to show all patrons that the transfer of this annual social function from Dungarvan to Cappoquin, for the first time this year will be to the advantage of all concerned.

The artistic decorations in the Hall, the carefully-polished dancing floor, and the splendid music by the talented Brideside Serenaders' Band, Tallow, are certainly three features which should add to the comfort and enjoyment of all but the last and most important feature of the lot will be the excellent and

charge of the larceny of two fowl from a farmer named O'Sullivan residing near Ballyduff. The larceny had first been reported to Sergeant Kelly Ballyduff, who phoned the Guards in Cappoquin to be on the look-out for a certain man suspected of the offence, so when Guard Moloney saw a strange young man in town with two live hens dangling under his arm he immediately questioned him, when he admitted having taken the fowl but alleged that as O'Sullivan had owed him some money due for wages he had taken the fowl in part payment of the debt.

Before his arrest on Friday it is stated that O'Donnell had attempted to sell the fowl to a Cappoquin poultry dealer, who however, became suspicious and refused to purchase them.

A special court was held in the Guards Barrack on Friday night before Mr. M. F. Walsh, P.C., when the defendant was formally charged with the offence and after hearing the evidence of Guard Moloney, Mr. Walsh remanded the accused on his own bail to the Lismore District Court on Thursday May 13th. It was then too late for the defendant to start to walk home to Kilrossanty, and as he had no money on him to pay for a night's lodging in Cappoquin, Guard Moloney proved his great humanity by paying for his bed in a certain popular lodging-house and also provided him with his breakfast next morning, before the unfortunate fellow started on foot on "The Long, Long Trail" to his native Kilrossanty.

But the best part of the story yet remains to be told.

The two live hens were placed in charge of a certain Guard from Friday night until Monday, when they were returned to Mr. O'Sullivan, their Ballyduff owner, but they showed their gratitude for their kind treatment by laying two eggs on Saturday, Sunday and Monday mornings, so that the Guard in question got a half-dozen newly laid eggs as a reward for his kindness, but the only thing now troubling his conscience is the question—Has he eaten six stolen eggs? We think it would take a modern Solomon to answer this question!

**INTERESTING JUNIOR HURLING MATCH—**

Everybody here felt glad that the Senior Hurling match between Dungarvan and Lismore billed for the sportsfield on last Sunday, had been cancelled. In view of the runaway victory scored by Dungarvan over Lismore only a fortnight previously

them, while Lismore is so unprepared, would have been of no interest, and would not have attracted a dozen local sportsmen to the field.  
The Glen Rovers Lismore sportingly travelled over, however, to play a friendly junior hurling match with Cappoquin Juniors and put up a very game display, but the more-seasoned and better-experienced Cappoquin players proved too clever for them, and won a most interesting game by a substantial score.

**CYCLING AND ATHLETIC SPORTS—**

The Cappoquin Cycling and Athletic Club at the annual meeting last Friday night, decided to hold a Novice Cycling and Athletic Sports meeting in the Sportsfield here, on Sunday May 30th.

As this will be Confirmation Day in Cappoquin there should be an unusually large number of people in town for the religious ceremony so that it ought prove a most appropriate day for the sports and should en-

ed amongst all classes of the townspeople by the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Kiely which occurred at her residence in Barrack Street, at a ripe age on Tuesday morning. She was relict of the late Mr. Patrick Kiely who was a most respected and trustworthy Postman for many years over the Cappoquin to Aglish route and was a native of the Aglish district, being a member of the well-known Moloney family.

Deceased was mother of Mr. E. Kiely, a most efficient and popular member of the Civic Guards at present stationed in Adare Co. Limerick and of Mrs. Elizabeth McCarthy, Barrack Street while two elder sons have been in the United States for many years.

During her long residence in Cappoquin the late Mrs. Kiely was held in the highest esteem as she was a lady of a quiet and unassuming manner and a kind and generous neighbour who had enjoyed the love and respect of all.

The remains were removed to St. Mary's Catholic Church on Wednesday evening and after Requiem Mass for the repose of her soul the funeral took place to St. Declan's cemetery Dromore, on Thursday, a full report of which will appear next week.

**LISMORE NEWS**

**THE RECENT L.D.F. PARADE—**

In our report of the big L.D.F. Parade on Sunday week, which appeared in last week's issue we stated that the Guards of Honour on the occasion was supplied by the Tallow Group and the Colour Party by the Ballyduff Group.

We have since been informed that both the Guard of Honour and the Colour Party were supplied by the Ballyduff Group under the command of Group Leader Hickey and we have much pleasure in making this correction as the smart and disciplined appearance of both the Guard of Honour and the Colour Party was a distinct credit to Ballyduff and its able Group Leader.

**THE PALLADIUM CINEMA—**

Some very high class pictures have been shown in the popular and cosy Palladium Cinema here for several weeks past and a further big treat is in store for picture-goers during the coming fortnight. For full particulars of further great attractions see posters.

**G.A.A. NEWS—**

All the supporters of the Lismore Club were keenly disappointed that Lismore failed to

Dungarvan in their senior hurling championship tie. When we were told the position as regards the senior team in Lismore we could not blame

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Friday May 21st 1943 Hours  
3.30 to 5 p.m. (S.T.)  
**DUNGARVAN—**Mrs. O'Flynn's  
(Newsagent) The Square  
Saturday May 22nd 1943  
Hours 10.30 a.m. to 4 p.m. (S.T.)  
As transport is now becoming more difficult I may not be able to attend at DUNGARVAN regularly in the future.  
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