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LIBRARY SERVICE TO BE MADE
MORE EFFICIENT

SALARY INCREASES APPROVED

£11,000 ESTIMATED INCREASE FOR
ROAD WORKS

At the quarterly meeting of the Waterford County Council held in Dungarvan on Monday last the Provisional Road Works Scheme for 1947/48 providing for a total increase of £11,000 over last year's allowance was adopted.

It was stated that the increased demands from the Subsidiary Bodies would approximately amount to an increase of 2/10d in the £, and with the added increase of 1/1d in the £ for Roads the total would be 3,9d an increase which the Chairman (Mr J. Butler) said would be a bit of a shock to the ratepayers.

Library Service To Be Made More Efficient And Adequate
A report from the County Librarian advocating the changing of the Libraries Committee Headquarters from Lismore to Dungarvan for administrative purposes already published and in furtherance to the matter a deputation from the Committee consisting of Rev Dr Curtis O'S A Prior, Dungarvan, Rev Dr J. O'Connell, Dungarvan, and Mr F Mac Murchada Co Librarian came before the meeting to press their case for a new Library Headquarters to be erected in Dungarvan at an estimated cost of £8,000.

Addressing the members Rev Dr Curtis said—At the last meeting of the Co Waterford Libraries Committee it was unanimously decided that the Waterford Co Council be requested to grant our petition namely that a new Library Headquarters be erected in Dungarvan. This building will serve a twofold need—it will guarantee adequate library service to the people of Dungarvan and it will also ensure that a supply of books throughout the county will be efficiently maintained.

With regard to Dungarvan all admit that for a town of more than 2,000 people the present library building is unsuitable. No adequate stock of books can be maintained in this building. It is too small in the same way different types of books cannot be kept in the building. When people come to exchange books they have to jostle with each other in an effort to examine the books displayed on the shelves. The present sphere of the building destroys the value of a library service.

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be more later on?
Co Librarian—That is natural in any case of expansion. We are only looking for 1d in the £ and we must bring up the standard to that compared with modern service. You don't put old and rusty steamrollers out to roll over roads as well as the same kind of the Library service.

Mr Ormond—The demand for books in Lismore is greater than in Dungarvan?
Co Librarian—You must look into the reason for that. There is only one small room to deal with a population of over 5,000. In 1941 the issues in Dungarvan were 37,000 as compared with 15,000 in Lismore. There has been a decrease in Dungarvan since due to the inadequacy of the room.

Mr Ormond—It all boils down to a question of money. If Dungarvan might be more convenient but no money will be saved.
Mr O'Ryan—Does Mr Murphy think that the service is adequately serviced as to its requirements or must a new library be built in Dungarvan even if the headquarters are not changed?

Co Librarian—Oh yes.
Mr Murphy—What does Dungarvan contribute towards this rate?
Chairman—It is a County-Urban rate.

Mr O'Ryan—I agree with the Co Librarian Mr Murphy that we are not getting service in Dungarvan.
Mr Ormond reiterated the points already made by him.

Mr Quirk—I think Dungarvan has no one to blame but themselves for the position they find themselves in at present. Lismore and Cappoquin avail themselves of the offers at the time and get libraries free gratis and for nothing from the Carnegie fund and the same offer was made to Dungarvan but they did not take it. I think that as Lismore was so far-seeing at that time it is a bit late for Dungarvan to be coming in at the eleventh hour for a change.

Chairman—I want to make it clear that Dungarvan is not looking for anything the suggestion on has come from the Librarian's committee.
Mr Quirk—Everyday that I see here somebody comes along asking for a 1d. They say it is only a farthing and is not much but those farthings mount up to a great deal and as a result we will have to strike a rate which will be in shillings. If we have any money to spend we should spend it on our men as they badly need an increase. I think that it is a time to save and we should not entertain this scheme.

Mr O'Ryan—It is not a question of whether the headquarters are to be moved to Lismore or Dungarvan but the matter is whether the county want a better service. I think it does and £8,000 is a trivial cost in return for the service the people will get. I know the County Librarian and I know the County Council and I know the people in the County and I know the people in the County and I know the people in the County.

Mr O'Ryan—As the member who moved the motion 17 years ago to have the library service started I wish to second Mr Quirk. There is no doubt about the need of a more adequate library service in towns which have circulating libraries and have some chance of getting books but you have none beyond the public service in country areas and there are greater demands everyday. Dungarvan is the natural centre of the county and is the ideal administrative centre. I strongly recommend the approval of the Committee's request. I am well aware it will be an additional 1d on the rates but the poor people of the county have very little recreation and there is recreation and education in these books and if we can supply that need it is the smallest thing we can give to the people.

Mr O'Ryan—It is a matter of having an efficient service for the county and the only way that can be done is by adopting the scheme of the committee. The service in Dungarvan is undoubtedly very poor and for the past number of years the library has moved from one poky hole to another there and a proper service must be provided. It is not really a question of having the headquarters here in Dungarvan but of having a proper service in the county, but Dungarvan must have a library and on the question of an administrative centre I think Dungarvan is the only place in the county and the service in the county must I think be the worst in Ireland. I agree with the views of the deputation.

Mr Ormond—I would like to know if it would make the service any easier to have the Headquarters in Dungarvan. I don't think so. The saving on transport would only be about £20. The repairs in Lismore would cost only about one-third of what it would take to build a proper library in Dungarvan. I propose before you do anything that we get expert opinion on the matter. I think that the whole cost of the scheme will be much more than 1d on the rates.

Mr O'Ryan—That argument leaves out the need that exists of providing a library in Dungarvan. Mr Quirk—I think the matter could be left to a select committee and the Manager.

Mr O'Ryan—We all agree that a library service is necessary and it boils down to a question of costs to the ratepayers and they must be our first consideration. If we don't put bread and butter on the table we can't get anything. Mr Murphy—We should get expert opinion as to the costs of the scheme. It is very difficult to get expert opinion on these things. Mr O'Ryan—We should get expert opinion as to the costs of the scheme. It is very difficult to get expert opinion on these things.

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CAPPOQUIN NEWS

REGRETTED DEATH OF A CAPPOQUIN MAN IN CHICAGO
We regret to announce the death which occurred recently at his residence in Chicago of Mr Martin J. Colbert son of the late Mr and Mrs Michael Colbert. Mr Colbert was a native of Cappoquin and was aged 35 years. He was a well-known and popular man in Cappoquin and was a member of the Cappoquin G.A. He was survived by his widow three sons and one daughter to mourn his loss.

Two of his sons have secured important Government positions and the youngest son, Mr Columcille Colbert sang the Requiem High Mass. His cousin, Father Daniel Colbert was also present at the obsequies. He is the son of Mr Daniel Colbert of New York.

The late Mr Colbert was brother of Mother Columcille Colbert, President of the Incarnate Word College, San Antonio, and of Mrs Ryan, wife of Captain and Mrs Daniel and Michael Colbert of New York. Also Mrs Gaivin Youghal, Mrs Bateman, Mrs Street, Cappoquin, and Mrs McGrath, Allen Street, Cappoquin.

The unexpected death of this well-known and highly-popular gentleman caused widespread regret in Cappoquin and the deepest sympathy is now extended to his sorrowing relatives in their sad bereavement.

SUCCESSFUL AUCTION
Rev L. Walsh, Auctioneer and Valuer, Cappoquin held his usual monthly auction on Thursday last (far day) at his Salesrooms, Castle St. A large number of household articles were offered for sale and were readily disposed of at very good prices.

ST MARY'S CHURCH, CAPPOQUIN RENOVATION
We would like to make known to the public and more particularly the parishioners of Cappoquin that St Mary's Church is at present being completely renovated in the very best manner. The operation of all is expected in this most deserving work by helping in the various forms of help. Heavy expenses which are being incurred in the aid of the fund. These expenses will include—Whist Drives, Concerts, Raffles, Jumble Sales, etc. It is a considerable sum of money and since any amount has been raised for the Church and consequently a lot of repairs are needed. It is up to the people to do their part by helping in every way to defray the expenses which will be incurred. The writer has been asked to make a very special appeal to the members of the Women's and Men's Societies to help with the co-operation of all it shall be easy to pay off the debt.

As this is only a preliminary announcement we will give more fuller details in later issues.

It is intended to hold weekly whist drives at the C.Y.M.S. Hall, Mill Street, the first one will be held on next Wednesday night, Feb. 14th at 7.30 p.m. All the members are expected to be present and the succeeding drives to be held each week.

MEN'S CO-OPERATION
The meeting of the Men's Branch of the Sacred Heart Confraternity will be held in St. Mary's Church on tonight (Friday) Feb. 14th at 7.30 p.m. All the members are expected to be present.

DESMOND CINEMA
On Sunday night next George Hart, Claire Travor and Signe Hasso will co-star in 'Johnny Angel'. This is a thrilling and absorbing drama superbly played by a great cast of brilliant stars. Land of the Outlaws will be a second feature for Sunday night and the splendid Western film will prove grand entertainment.

On Monday and Tuesday Clark Gable, Greer Garson and The Man Who Would Be King will be the star attraction. This is a most moving story brilliantly told and superbly acted with three of the screen's most brilliant stars. The lovely picture 'Firefly' will be the star attraction. This grand musical with Jeanette MacDonald and Allen Jones will long be remembered as a triumph. A mid-winter meeting of the above was held at the Court House, Lismore on Tuesday 11th inst. Mr E. Murphy T.C. presided. Others present were Messrs M. F. Walsh, M.C.C. T. Donagan, M.C.C. O. Gorman, T.C. The Secretary Mr J. Murphy was also present.

Eighteen claims were presented for consideration and after some discussion sixteen were passed and two disallowed.

THE 'FLU' EPIDEMIC
Several people in Cappoquin and surrounding districts are still suffering from a mild form of influenza. Dr Wm. White and Dr Winifred White, our esteemed doctors, are having a very busy time attending to the sufferers. Mr. White also has her hands full in attending to sick patients.

The weather in Cappoquin for the past three weeks has been very severe hence the epidemic of influenza.

We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to the widow sons, daughters and Mr. Michael J. Walsh, Cappoquin. The deceased gentleman was brother of Very Rev. D. Canon Walsh, P.P. St. Mary's, Clonmel, and father of

BALLYDUFF NEWS

G.A.A.—A most enthusiastic meeting of Ballyduff Gaels was held in St. Michael's Hall at 8 p.m. on Thursday 6th February. The Secretary's Report for 1946 and Balance Sheet were gone into and passed unanimously. The financial position showed a small debit balance due principally to heavy travelling expenses but this will be offset when the Club's share of the 1946 G.A.A. receipts is received.

Notification was received from the outgoing chairman Mr James Quirk that he was not going forward for election this year. This news was received with regret as Mr Quirk is one of our outstanding Gaels who has always given unstinted support to the Club and to the ideals of the G.A.A.

The following officials were elected for 1947—
President—Mr James Quirk
Chairman—Mr Patrick B. Fahy
Secretary—Mr Patrick Feeley
Treasurer—Mr John Hickey
Committee—Messrs John Daly, M. Beecher and Denis Canning.

Representative on Western Board—Mr John Daly
Tribute was paid to the outgoing Secretary who did not seek re-election.

It has already been decided to affiliate a junior hurling team and a most interesting discussion took place on ways and means. It was very encouraging and augurs well for the success of the Club to see every member present take an earnest part in this discussion and several good suggestions were made to assist in the efficient running of the Club.

As a result of a vote Mr Denis Canning was appointed Captain of the team and Mr Leo Farrell, Vice-Captain.

On the financial side it was decided to run a series of Ceilidhs and a 45 Drive to start at an early date. Membership Cards are also available for sale at 10/- each. Both young and old—to join the Club. Membership fee is only 1/- and cards can be obtained from any of the officials.

You Gaels do not be satisfied with lip service come into the organisation and assist in a real revival of the Gaelic spirit.

At the Chairman's meeting the Club was said to be in a sufficient support was received it was intended to start Irish classes under the auspices of the Club and he appealed to all members interested to hand in their names to him as willing to join the classes.

At the Court House Lismore on Friday 7th inst. one representative from each G.A.A. Club in the Lismore Group were formed a committee for the purpose of affiliating and running a senior hurling team to be composed of members of the junior clubs in the Group. It was unanimously decided to form the Club under the name of Avonmore Senior Hurling Club with the following officials—
Chairman—Mr B. Fahy Ballyduff
Secretary—Mr J. Vaughan, Lismore
Treasurer—Mr J. Fives Tourin
Representative on Co. Board—Mr J. F. O'Donnell

Team to be affiliated and insured at next Co. Board meeting of the Co. Board Colours—Red and Black
Arrangements were tentatively made for the holding of a trial match at Lismore on Sunday 9th March.

The West is certainly awake in G.A.A. matters and is confident of getting senior and junior honours this year.

Mumintire Tire—The Ballyduff Dramatic and Choral Societies ran under the auspices of the local branch of Mumintire Tire are going from success to success. Their show in Midweek last Sunday night during the East Cork Drama Festival was enthusiastically received and the Society's production of 'Paul Twynning' was hailed as being of outstanding merit.

It looks as if we will have another Cup to add to our Village trophies soon.

By the way don't forget to support the Mumintire Tire Social in St. Michael's Hall Ballyduff on Friday 14th inst. The previous Socials have been very successful and our old friends the Lawrence Dance Band have been specially engaged for this occasion.

Obituary—The news of the death of Mr John Kenneally Ballyduff which occurred in Waterford last Monday, was received with the deepest regret by his neighbours and friends. The remains were re-interred to St. Michael's Church Ballyduff on Tuesday where they were received by Rev M. Dowley P.P. and interment took place in the adjoining cemetery after Requiem Masses on Wednesday—R.I.P.

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DAIL DEBATES

The following questions were asked by Mr D. Hesklin T.D. in the Dail recently—
Question—To ask the Minister for Lands in view of the very great hardships encountered by farmers and grain growers during the harvest season and also during the sugar beet campaign will he grant a remission of rate for one year to compensate them for their hardships and extra costs arising from causes outside their control?
Reply—The answer to the Deputy's question is in the negative.
Question—To ask the Minister for Justice if it is his intention to introduce legislation to relieve local authorities from liability for the payment of compensation for malicious injuries to property and to make provision for a scheme of national insurance of property?
Answer—No such legislation as suggested is contemplated so far as the Department of Justice is concerned.
Question—To ask the Minister for Industry and Commerce if he is aware of the great inconvenience caused to people travelling by bus from Waterford to Cork via Youghal Bridge where passengers must leave the bus at one end of the bridge and walk across the bridge a distance of about six hundred yards and while so doing are exposed to bad weather and if in view of this very great inconvenience he will direct Coras Iompair Eireann to establish a ferry service at the bridge for which special motor cars are available at Youghal.
Reply—I am advised that the service requested by the Deputy has been provided ever since July.
Question—To ask the Minister for Agriculture in view of the scarcity of agricultural workers and the dangers threatening the agricultural industry particularly in the case of milk and bacon he will agree to the setting up of a Commission representative of producing farmers and agricultural workers to arrange prices of agricultural produce generally to provide for reasonable profits for farmers and their families and reasonable wages for the agricultural workers so as to encourage them to remain on the land.
Question—To ask the Minister for Agriculture if he will state when the bill for the setting up of a tribunal for the fixing of agricultural prices will be brought before the Dail for discussion.
Reply—As both questions relate to the same subject I propose to answer them together.
The present system on which the Agricultural Credit Corporation operates is not in the best interests of agricultural production. In my opinion the corporation should be established by the agents of the Government to administer money that would be made available for the improvement and encouragement of agricultural production. It is not yet possible to say when the bill will be ready for introduction.
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Tallow & Moorehill Notes

Off To The Races—The residents of Tallow and Moorehill utilised all means of transport to get to Lismore Races on Wednesday week. Local hackney owners although very busy were unable to cope with the crowds, and horses and traps, bikes and the old reliable shanks were all to the fore in getting to the races with the result, that at 2 p.m. Tallow looked like Goldsmith "Deserted Village". All are gone. Lovers of the sport of Kings lost heavily in the opening event when the former Moorehill horse Squirrel III, although winning the race was objected to, and the objection sustained.

The open heavyweight provided the best race of the day, when in a terrific finish, the old reliable Tallow horse Springfield Boy, ably piloted by Mr M O'Riordan dead-heated with Mr D Barry's Killavon. Six horses faced the starter in the open maiden race and the Conna horse Red Haste and Bright Point were thought most of but from nowhere as it were came the Tallow horse Gondoller, ridden by Mr F McCarthy, to score an easy win for his popular owner Mr Noel Condon. The open farmers race saw only four horses face the starter and for a period backers of the winner Brown Crust had an anxious time and coming to the last fence Joe Soap was in front but approaching the run in Brown Crust got ahead to win a great race by four lengths. The confined hunt race was another exciting race and Castlecomer was thought most of to eventually finish second to Miss P Barnes Christopher Robin.

So ended the first Southern Point-to-Point Races of 1947 and for some lucky fellows it meant bulging pockets after the day—for others we think the majority pockets full of nothing! Why worry sure it is the glorious uncertainty of the turf and if we are down today, another day will come and luck will be with us. All race-goers are now looking forward to the Tallow Races which will be held as usual on the famous Springfield course on April 9th. So until then good luck.

Grand Social—On Wednesday night last a grand social was held at the Regal Ballroom Tallow and was a great success the attendance surpassing all expectations, and despite many counter-attractions patrons were present from all the surrounding districts, and all spent a most enjoyable night. Delightful music was supplied by the ever-popular Brideside Serenaders and to the music of this lovely band dancing continued until the strains of the National Anthem brought the function to a close.

Meet Me At The Regal—Another very fine programme was presented at the Regal Cinema, Tallow during the past week, and each night saw large and appreciative audiences fully satisfied with the splendid pictures screened. Next week another grand selection of pictures will be shown. On Sunday night the old favourite Johnny Mac Brown will start in "Stage Coach Buckaroo". On Monday and Wednesday nights, W C Fields will feature in Charles Dickens great classic "David Copperfield". This is a film no picture-goer should miss. On Thursday and Friday nights we will see Edward Arnold in "The Hidden Eye". For fuller details of the weeks programme see advt in this issue.

In Gaelic Circles—The meeting of the Brideside Rovers and Ballyduff in the opening round of the West Waterford junior hurling championship is already arousing considerable interest in the Brideside town and although the match is nearly two months away, speculation is rife as to the result. For the past twelve months Gaelic pastimes have been at a standstill in our midst and their resumption in 1947 is very welcome. In 1945 the Tallow junior team reached the Western final while in 1946 Ballyduff did likewise so Gaels all over the West are now looking forward to this game when two old rivals will meet and when a great game is anticipated.

Tuesday Night—"All over the Brideside town and surrounding districts the chief topic of conversation is Tuesday night's grand variety and dramatic concert under the auspices of the Kilwatermoy Dramatic Society, who are paying their initial visit to the Regal Cinema, and from reports to hand a record crowd is expected to be present. All over East Cork and West Waterford, this talented company have earned a very high reputation so patrons of the Regal Cinema on Tuesday night can rest assured of a grand enter-

tainment. The programme will include a very laughable 3-act comedy "The Bachelors Dilemma", which is reputed to cure all ills, even where doctors fail but a word of advice, if laughter is bad for you please don't come. The supporting programme will include music, song and dance, and will conclude with a 1-act comedy "Courting Under Difficulties". So if you are having any difficulties in your love affair, come to the Regal Cinema on Tuesday night, and perhaps you will find a way out, but be sure and leave dad and mam at home or—come and see for yourself. Doors open 7.30 p.m. Commencing 8 p.m. So tell all your friends and make sure of coming early and get a comfortable seat.

Obituary—It is with deep regret we record the death of Mr John Cotter, which sad event occurred at his residence Newtown Ballynoe, on Tuesday last after a rather brief illness and at a moderately advanced age. The deceased was a member of an old and highly respected family, and was held in the highest esteem by all who had the pleasure of knowing him. Of a kindly genial and unassuming manner, deceased was popular with all classes, and his demise is deeply and deservedly regretted. To his bereaved relatives deep sympathy is extended in their great sorrow.

On Wednesday evening the remains were removed to St Catherine's Church Ballynoe where they were received by Rev Fr O'Donnell C.C. who recited the prayers for the dead the accompanying cortege being very large and representative.

On Thursday morning Requiem Masses were offered up for the happy repose of his soul and in the afternoon the funeral took place to Ballynoe cemetery where the interment took place in the family burial plot in the presence of another large gathering of relatives, friends and sympathisers, and amidst every manifestation of deep regret.

The last prayers at the graveside were recited by Rev Fr O'Donnell C.C.

Grand Dance—On Sunday night a very successful dance was held at the Parish Hall Conna and despite very wintry conditions was attended by a large crowd. The hall was specially decorated for the occasion while the floor was perfect and the music which was supplied by a first-class orchestra was outstanding.

Fishing Season—On February 1st the fishing season opened in the Blackwater districts and fishermen report very poor returns which they attribute to the very wretched and winter weather conditions which have been manifest all over the district and hope for better returns when weather conditions improve. The price at present is 3/6 per lb and this is considered good with supplies normal. Considering the hard and laborious work a fisherman's life is let us hope a successful season awaits them.

Congratulations—Miss Mary Montayne the popular and energetic Hon Secretary of the Co Waterford Camogie Board, has been the recipient of hearty congratulations on being returned unopposed as Hon Secretary for 1947. The various County Board officials paid glowing tributes to Miss Montayne at the recent Convention and her return again this year was only a small tribute to one who has spared neither time nor trouble to bring the Decies Camogie team to the top of the ladder. While 1946 was not a very successful year in inter-county competitions it is Miss Montayne's one ideal and ambition in 1947 to bring the elusive All-Ireland Cup to the Decies. Her many friends join in congratulating her on her return as Secretary again this year and all wish her and the Camogie Board another successful season.

Late Mr J Kelleher—At a specially convened meeting of the Inch Dramatic Society the Hon Secretary Mr D O'Callaghan said they had learned with extreme regret of the recent unexpected death of one of their former members the late Mr James Kelleher (formerly of Kil-county) but more recently of Woodview Tallow. Like every member of his family the late Mr Kelleher was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him and to his bereaved wife (also a former member) and family, as well as to his brothers and sisters their heartfelt sympathy went out in this affliction that had so unexpectedly befallen them. He moved that they extend to them their condolence in this their great sorrow.

Miss Mary Ahearne seconded the vote and said they were all sorely grieved at this great loss that had befallen such a deservedly esteemed family.

Other members having spoken in similar terms the vote was passed in respectful silence.

45 Drive—In order to augment the funds of the newly-organised St Patrick's Hurling Club, a 45 Drive will be held at Kilwatermoy School on Sunday March 9th and a special appeal is made to all Gaels to give this 45 Drive their best support. A hurling club is a great asset to any parish but without funds it cannot exist, so it is hoped the forthcoming drive will prove a wonderful success. First rounds can be played anywhere, and cards for same can be obtained from any member of the Committee. The drawing of prizes in aid of the Knockanore Camogie Club which was to take place on February 2nd has been postponed and will now be held on the night of the 45 Drive—March 9th.

Regretted Demise—The announcement of the death of Miss Susan Ryan which sad event occurred at the residence of her niece Moorehill on Monday of last week, occasioned deep and widespread regret. The deceased lady was a member of one of the oldest and most respected families in the district, being daughter of the late Mr Patrick Ryan Dunmoon. The late Miss Ryan was a member of the Nursing profession in which capacity she was well known not alone in her native district but all over West Waterford and East Cork where her skill and efficiency combined with her gentle and unassuming manner endeared her to all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance. A grand type of Irishwoman she was never really happy only when helping someone in sorrow or trouble along life's weary pathway while the betterment and upliftment of her fellow-countrymen and women was her ideal in life. Her passing is deeply and deservedly regretted and to her bereaved relatives deep sympathy is extended in their sorrow and loss. On Tuesday evening the remains were removed to the Church of the Holy Cross Kilwatermoy where they were received by Rev Fr Walsh C.C. Glendine assisted by Rev Fr Walsh, C.C. Ardmore (cousin of deceased) who blessed the remains and recited the prayers for the dead. The cortege accompanying the removal of the remains was very large being representative of all classes and testified to the respect and esteem in which deceased was held. On Wednesday morning Requiem Masses were offered up for the happy repose of her soul and immediately afterwards the interment took place in the adjacent cemetery when all that was mortal of deceased was reverently consigned to mother earth in the presence of another large gathering of relatives, friends and sympathisers and amid every manifestation of deep regret. Rev Fr Power P.P. Knockanore assisted by Rev Fr Walsh C.C. Glendine, officiated. The Chief mourners were—Mrs T Roche Moorehill Miss Winnie Murray Cappoquin Miss Mary Murray Dublin (nieces) Mr Wm Hunt Dunmoon Mr Sean Murray N.T. Killenale (nephews) Mr E Hunt Dunmoon Mr P Murray, Cappoquin (brothers-in-law) Mrs M Leahy Templemichael, Mrs M Hunt Rhinecrew (sisters-in-law) Mr T Roche Moorehill grand-nephew) Mr J J Roche Moorehill (nephew-in-law) etc. Mass cards were received from the following—Bridle George and Michael Jim and Margaret McGrath, T F and Jean Olden John and Leo Donoghue Johanna O'Donnell and family Moorehill Athletic Club. Molo ney family her faithful friend Mary Barrett Kitty O'Donnell J V Conway and family Winnie and Mary Kilwatermoy Dramatic Society Tessie, John and Tom, Leahy family K and M Noonan Rhinecrew family Fr O'Donnell, Helena Roche. A large number of telegrams and letters of sympathy were also received. Ar deis De go raibh n-anam.

Votes of Sympathy—At a specially convened meeting of the Kilwatermoy Dramatic Society held on Tuesday night the following vote of sympathy was passed—"That we the members of the Kilwatermoy Dramatic Society tender to Mrs J Roche and family, Moorehill, our deep sympathy in their recent sad bereavement—RIP."

Successful Entertainment—A very enjoyable entertainment under the auspices of the Kilwatermoy Dramatic Society was given at Inch Hall on Sunday night week and was very successful a very large crowd being present. The programme opened with two songs "By the Bright Silvery Night of the Moon" and "Jennie with the Light Brown Hair" sung in delightful fashion by Mr P Casey, who received rounds of applause. A reel and jig and a hornpipe by the

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Misses Godsil and Tellier followed and they received rounds of applause. Miss N Ahearne sang 'I'll be your sweetheart' and in response to a loud encore 'Bonny Boy Blue'. An Irish song by the Misses Godsil was the next item and to a loud encore 'Sailor Boy'. A three-act comedy followed and kept the audience in roars from beginning to end and at the conclusion of each act and at the close they received loud applause. Those taking part were—Misses Kathleen O'Callaghan, Mary Ahearne and Kitty Dunne Messrs Sean Murray Declan Ahearne Tom Roche and Frank Murray one and all of whom performed their respective parts in first-class fashion and time and again during the night the audience showed their appreciation. The next part of the programme opened with two comic songs by Mr D Ahearne (a parody on) 'My Old Skillick Hat' and 'Mick McGalligan's Daughter' and simply brought down the house. Mr D McSweeney sang in charming fashion 'Absence' and to an insistent encore 'Underneath the Lamplight'. Miss M Ahearne sang 'The Sunshine Sailed Away from Killarney' and 'My Old Irish Mother' and was loudly applauded. Mr P Casey again delighted the audience with 'My Mary of the Curling Hair' and 'Beautiful Dreamer' and was applauded to the echo. Before the end the MC thanked the audience for their attendance and the various artists who helped to make the entertainment such a success. The programme closed with the playing and singing of the National Anthem. During the intervals a selection of Irish airs was played on the accordion by Mr L McGrath Moorehill.

Severe Weather—Very severe weather has been the order during the past week, frost sleet and snow being the order of the day, accompanied by a bitterly cold east wind. All farm work is at a complete standstill. It is hoped that by the time these notes appear in print weather conditions will have improved.

Local Tit-Bits—It's good to know that a certain "little Colleen" across the channel hasn't forgotten "dear old Erin's Isle" and appeared at a recent Fancy Dress—as a 'Charming Irish Colleen'—with the homesteaders were as Irish—Jimmy O'Dea experienced a

lot of trouble in that popular film 'The Border' when he crossed it and he all accounts one of the Brideside boys had better be careful on the Cork-Waterford border in future especially 'Oh' we nearly left the cat out of the bag!

So one of the Brideside Boys is only playing "first sub now" well sure first sub isn't so bad but you couldn't beat the real thing.

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Kilmacthomas And District News

Factory Destroyed By Fire—An outbreak of fire which occurred at the factory Kilmacthomas early on Wednesday morning...

WASHED ASHORE IN BOAT—Survivor Of Lost Ship Suffering from acute exposure and in a state of collapse...

Catholic Scout Notes

Troop Meeting—The attendance at the meeting was on the small side and I understand that quite a number of chaps are on the sick list...

Death of Sister Gabriel Moloney—It is with profound sympathy we announce the death of Sister Gabriel Moloney...

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WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL

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Matters Referred To
Mr. Morrissey
Mr. Morrissey said that the Knockboy Lane road was very bad and the pump at Knockboy Cross had the cement around it broken and as a result the water was oozing back into it. Mr. Morrissey said that the Aragon Bridge was now almost down altogether and people were complaining that they could not use it. He said that a few days previously someone had brought a boat from the Blackwater to try and save it.

Complained of Cold
At this point of the meeting Councillors Duggan and Kyne and others complained of the cold in the Courthouse and asked if any heating was available.

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£11,000 For Road Works
Presenting the Provisional Road Works Scheme for 1947 Mr. D. Sheedy, County Surveyor said that the estimate originally presented to the Council was £155,000, which would have represented an increase of 3/8 in the £ on the rates, but £30,000 of steamrolling had been knocked out leaving a present total estimate for roads of £125,000 approximately and the readjusted figure would represent an increase of 9/8. Of this £22,650 would be expended on main roads of which £42,750 would come from grants and £59,144 on county roads (of which £23,331) would come from grants. The estimate was based on securing the highest possible amounts from Government grants. The County Surveyor said that the total did not include £2,850 for repairs proposed by Councillors.

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should be much more than in the higher ones.
Chairman—I agree with Mr. O'Ryan as some officials in the County Council are very lowly paid but I think the recommendation to meet that point.
Mr. O'Ryan then proposed a resolution which was seconded by Mr. O'Ryan that the Council recommend to the Manager the following increases to the permanent staff of the County Council as from January 1st last including existing emergency bonus—
50 per cent increase on salaries up to and including £300
40 per cent increase on salaries over £300 and under £500
33 1/3 per cent increase on salaries over £500
The resolution was passed unanimously.
Manager—On behalf of the staff I wish to thank you for your approval I'm sure they'll appreciate it very much.

Audits
A number of audits were before the Council.
Mr. O'Ryan stated that he saw in one case where the audit was for a 2 year period he thought that there should be an audit every year something unpleasant had occurred in a committee of the Council which would not have happened had there been an annual audit.

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CAMOGIE

Annual Co. Convention Of Waterford Co. Board

The Annual Convention of the Waterford Co. Camogie Board was held in the Courthouse Dungarvan on Sunday Feb 2nd. A very representative number of delegates were present. Owing to the unavoidable absence of Rev W Flynn P.P. Life President Mr. Hartie was elected to the Chair. Addressing the Convention Mr. Hartie said he was complimented in being appointed Chairman for the Convention and he thanked the delegates for the honour they had conferred upon him. He briefly reviewed the year's work which he regarded on the whole as a successful one. Though our county he said went down against Cork in his opinion we were the better team but suffered from over confidence. We could hope for better results in 1947.

Secretary's Report
The Secretary Miss Mary Montayne then read the following report:
Rev. President Ladies and Gentlemen I submit herewith my report for the year 1946. I am glad to report that the year 1946 witnessed a further progressive movement of Camogie in our County. Early in the year the Eastern and Western Divisions were formed and both worked advantageously. In fact we were the winners of the game Twenty-four teams in all were affiliated.
Our financial position is satisfactory in no small measure to the efforts of Mr. J. Byrne and his Club.
The County Championships were played in a sporting manner. St. Mary's (Dungarvan) meeting St. Columcille's in the County Final.
This match was played in Waterford. It was an exciting game, where hard hitting and fast pulling was the order of the day. In camogie circles it aroused no small amount of speculation and enthusiasm. This time the East carried the honours. Congratulations to St. Columcille's and to St. Mary's—better luck next time.
Inter County Championships
Cork travelled to meet Waterford at Dungarvan in the final round of the Munster Championship. Fortune did not smile so benignly on us on this occasion. The play was started short of three of our principal players. Need it be wondered at that in such circumstances our team had to struggle to maintain an even balance of play against a hard-fighting team who went all out to snatch victory. Yet with a bit of luck it was admitted on all sides that our County should have won the day. However I hope 1947 will be more propitious.
In conclusion I wish to thank our esteemed President, Rev. W. Flynn for his help and continued interest in the Association. We extend to him our deepest sympathy on the death of his brother.

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THE GRAND NATIONAL SWEEP CLOSSES FEBRUARY 17TH

IRISH SWEEPS BALLSBRIDGE DUBLIN

The loss of the Munster Championship match against Cork in the past year shook our organisation to its foundations and we were not for the fact that the pioneers of the revival of Camogie in the County had built on a rock this Convention might not be held today. We shall get over the second and third calamities. We will meet and beat Cork again, of that I have no doubt. Miss McGrath will (D.V.) in the present year return to her best form and prove herself to be as in the past the best player in Munster. Her whole-hearted courage in coming out to field although suffering from a serious injury to the leg will be an incentive to all county players in the future. The loss of Miss Flynn from the Chair is above all the one serious loss to the organisation. I would ask this Convention to place on record in the minutes our appreciation of all she has accomplished for the furtherance of Camogie in this County both as our Chairman and as a playing member of our County team. It is fitting that we should regret the temporary loss of our old friend Mr. Cleary from our Board. He was enthusiastic and sincere in the promotion of the game. I will leave it to the Convention to again appraise the worth of the Hon. Secretary and Treasurer. I will remind the Convention to sincerely thank Mr. L. Comerford for his efforts during the year in writing weekly Camogie Notes for local papers.

Mr. Hartie
Mr. Hartie said that he regretted that Mr. Byrne was absent owing to illness. Mr. Byrne had said had done wonderful work for the county.
Mr. Comerford said a very special tribute should be paid to Mr. Byrne for his efforts for the County.

Election of Officers
The election of Officers resulted as follows:
Chairman—Mr. Jim Byrne elected unopposed.
Vice-Chairman—Miss B. McGrath.
Hon. Secretary—Miss M. Montayne elected unopposed.
Hon. Treasurer—Mr. P. Butler.
Miss R. Daly, did not go forward for the County.
The Secretary then thanked the Convention for her election. Mr. Hartie congratulated the Secretary on her election and said that she deserved the thanks of all for the splendid work she had done for the county.
Mr. Cunningham, in endors.

Mr. Byrne's Report
The following report from Mr. Byrne was next read—
I wish to thank the Convention for electing me to the position of Chairman. I promise to do all in my power to be worthy of your trust. I feel I am assured of the whole-hearted cooperation of the Officers of County and Divisional Boards as your Chief Executive Officer for 1947 it is my duty to state the policy of the Co. Board at this the beginning of our policy is to leave no stone unturned to gain our objective—the winning of All-Ireland honours in 1947. The second plank is to see that sportsmanship shall permeate all the actions of clubs and officials both on and off the field. During the year we suffered three major reverses namely (1) The loss of our Chairman, Miss Flynn (2) The injury to our Captain Miss McGrath, (3)

ing Mr. Hartie's remarks said in his opinion there would be no Camogie in Waterford were it not for the work done by the Co. Secretary.
Munster Convention
The following officers were elected at the Munster Convention—Mr. Byrne and Mr. Cunningham.
Mr. Byrne Miss Murphy and Mr. Hartie were appointed as delegates to Congress.
Representatives On Munster Council
Miss Murphy and Mr. Byrne were elected to represent the Board at the Munster Council.
Nominations—Munster Council
President—Rev. M. Morrissey P.P.
Chairman—Mrs. O. Shea
Treasurer—Miss M. Montayne
Minutes
(1) That this Convention be asked to abolish Rule 3 of the draft bye-laws Waterford Co. Camogie Board and revert back to the system of one Board to be known as the Waterford Co. Camogie Board.
The motion was defeated after some discussion.
(2) That the latter part of bye-law 22 of the bye-laws nominated must signify their willingness to stand for election as provided on nomination paper.
This motion was also defeated.
(3) That an Inter-County team shall consist of 15 players and play the full length of G.A.A. pitch.
After a full discussion this motion was defeated.
(4) That when a player is hurt the game to continue until the ball is out of play.
This motion was defeated after all the points were fully discussed.
(5) That County and Inter-County referees be not selected without due consideration of their ability. This also applies to goal umpires.
This motion was recommended to the Munster Council and to Congress.
(6) That South Kilkenny teams be included in Co. Waterford Area as there is no Board in Kilkenny.
This motion was ruled out.
(7) That this Convention be asked to define 'Other exceptional circumstances' Rule 10 (c) of bye-laws.
The definition of Convention was in accordance with as decided by referees. Each case to be taken on its merits at a Divisional Board.
(8) That not later than 1st March in each year be a letter

to read before first round of the Championships be played. Rule 21 of bye-laws.
No Cramps granted after first round of Championships.
(9) That the Convention be asked to define whether or not a Divisional Representative to Co. Board had the power to vote at Divisional meetings.
After some discussion it was decided that Divisional Representatives have power to vote.

KILLEAGH NOTES
Killeagh Gaelic League—The members of the Gaelic League Killeagh are to be heartily congratulated on the grand work they are carrying on in promoting and encouraging the Irish dancing and history of our Native Land at the weekly classes held at the Killeagh National Schools on Wednesday nights. On Sunday night next the Cork will again assemble at the Killeagh for the purpose of enjoying themselves and once more dancing our beautiful Irish dances and it is expected that a record crowd will be in attendance.
The weather—Very severe weather is at present being experienced in Killeagh and district. A retired member of the R.I.C. informed me that during his long service in the Royal Irish Constabulary he never witnessed such weather. The Killeagh area is at the moment under the complete control of King Flu and Queen Ration and it is sincerely hoped that their troops will be withdrawn to other regions without delay.

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