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## PENSMAN takes you Behind the Spotlight

### TOUGH WINTER, BLEAK PROSPECT

After what has to date been one of the severest winters in living memory, the prospects which face the farmer and all ratepayers of Co. Waterford in the next few months can, in present judiciousness, be described as anything but bleak.

Last week I mentioned, in writing on another subject, that there was a possibility of an increase of 3d. in the rate for the year. It is not quite this figure that will be very near it.

In an effort to lighten the burden of the Health Authority and decided to change their minds about the paying of a debt which had been caused by the payment of increased salaries to their staffs. It is interesting to note that the Accountant of the Health Authority has not only agreed to this but I suppose this is a mere

However, although the Health Authority has decided to reduce the rate to 4d. there is further bad news for the man and woman who will be paying the rates. The scheme submitted for the maintenance of our main and county roads by the County Engineer calls for an increase of 3d. in the rate for the same service next year and the County Engineer does not include provision for the expenditure necessitated in clearing the roads from the recent heavy snow falls. According to official figures this has already topped the £500,000 mark and could well be more. This being so, the final demand for roads could well be 4d. over last year. With an extra couple of shillings on for the all-embracing "General Purpose" expenditure and other odds and ends here and there, the total increase for the coming year.

**LOCAL AFFAIRS**

I find it hard sometimes to understand the way local affairs are administered. I am not aiming my remarks at the local authorities in Waterford merely in this regard. I know from experience that throughout the various administrative areas they run much the same.

One of the things I will never understand where this county is concerned is the fact that recent snowfalls that no emergency existed in the Nire and that nothing had got out of hand. All during the past week people have been seeing pictures and reports in the daily Press which show even at this late stage—the one which shows a road which was closed for a few days. How much worse must they have been if it had not been for the intervention of the Council?

The second thing I find it hard to understand took place at last Friday's County Council meeting. This concerned a motion to extend the back date for wage increases for officials a further six months from that which they were given in April 1, 1961. At the meeting on the previous Monday when it was decided to adjourn all matters on the agenda it was specifically agreed to deal with this particular motion on Friday.

However, when Friday came the motion was not moved for the simple reason, and the proposer himself made no bones about it, there was no chance that it would not be passed to all members who are known to

Here is Thomas Davis' great battle, particularly cherished by all Republicans as it tells of the father of Irish republicanism. I publish it this week at the request of John Moriarty, who has written to me from Birmingham for the

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SI EACH

When the storms sweep down the plains of Kildare. Once I lay on the sod—it lies over Wolfe Tone. And thought he cherished in prison alone. He came, unavenged, and his country unfreed— "Oh bitter," I said, "is the burden's neck."

I was woken from my dream by a hand who came into the home of the dead. They carried no corpse, and they carried no stone, a monument for— Wolfe Tone.

They were students and penants, the wise and the brave. And an old man who knew him from cradle to grave. And children who thought me heart-hearted, they they came to see Wolfe Tone. On that sanctified sod were forbidden to play.

But the old man who saw I was mourning, they said, "Young Wolfe Tone was laid. And we're going to raise him out of the gloom. A plain one yet fit for the simple and true."

In Bodenstown churchyard there is a green grave. And wistfully of the winter winds rave. Far better they suit him than the rain and the gloom. Till Ireland, a nation, can build him a tomb.

**PAID UP HEALTH AUTHORITY DEFICIT**

County Council Recommendation Accepted

Waterford County Council on Friday last decided by 13 votes to 2 to recommend to the Health Authority that a decision to pay off a debit balance (net) of £23,167 altogether this year be changed to spread the payment over two years.

The proposal was made by Mr. C. Curran, Chairman, and seconded by Senator J. J. O'Leary, County Accountant, who told the members that the total increase in the Health Authority Estimate required a rate of 2d. 8d. in the £1. An increase of 2d. over last year. That included the payment in full of the debit balance of £23,167. The latter was spread over two years. The increase would be reduced to 1d. this year.

Mr. T. Lannon said that this debt was caused by increases in the rate of 2d. over last year. He said that the County Council would have to pay them he told them at the time that it was bad.

Mr. O'Leary told Mr. N. Walsh that the original figures were £23,167. He said that the Health Authority were in the red. Mr. Walsh remarked that this was a terrible state of affairs. An amendment by Mr. Lannon, seconded by Mr. O'Leary, was defeated 13 votes to 2.

**ACCEPTED BY HEALTH AUTHORITY**

When the County Council recommendation came before the Health Authority on Monday last it was passed by 12 votes to 2.

Mr. Lannon stated in the course of discussion on the matter that the debt balance had resulted from reckless spending.

Mr. F. Monegy, Accountant said that the amount of the debit balance was £23,167. When Mr. Walsh pointed out that a different figure was given them by the County Council Accountant, Mr. Monegy replied that the actual figure was that given by him.

**WON GAEL-LINN PRIZES**

Two Gael-Linn prizes went to Co. Waterford this week: to Mr. Michael O'Connor, Clonsa, Dungarvan, and to Mrs. N. Grant, 123, Morrison's Road, Waterford, who each won £40.

**RUGBY INTERNATIONAL EXCURSION TO DUBLIN**

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On Thursday, 9th February, in connection with above Rugby Excursion tickets, first and second class, will be issued to Dublin by ordinary trains where train services allow.

**GO places with C.I.E.**

## Surprise Move In Wages Back Date Motion

### Deputy's Decision A Bombshell

— Says Chairman

One of the main items on the agenda for the adjourned special meeting of Waterford County Council held in Dungarvan last Friday, was a notice of motion sponsored by Mr. T. A. Kyne, T.D., and supported by Councillors J. Butler, S. Whelan, H. R. Dowd, G. Heskin, and D. Montayne, calling for the Council's approval of back-dating salary increases granted to officials of the Council from April 1st, 1961, to August 1st, 1960. It was decided before adjourning the meeting on the previous Monday to take this item on Friday, but there was a surprise turn when Mr. Kyne stated at Friday's meeting that he was not going to move the motion because a number of members who would be prepared to support it were not present at the meeting. There was a further surprise when one of the supporters of the original motion, Councillor S. Whelan, asked that his name be withdrawn, and stated that he would no longer be in favour of it.

When the matter came before the Council on Friday, Mr. C. Curran, Chairman, said that this was an item which had come before the Council on several occasions since the salary increases were passed about eighteen months ago. As all members were fully aware of the position he proposed that there should be no further discussion but that a vote should be taken at once.

Mr. Kyne then dropped his motion and he informed the meeting that it was his intention not to move the motion and asked that it be postponed. He said that his reasons for backing this line of action were that the Local Government Officials' Union, which was to come before the Council on Friday, would be unable to come and also that a number of Councillors who were prepared to support the motion were not present at the meeting.

Mr. Lannon—If I may say so, it is very wrong for any official to go around to members to sign a paper and ask them to vote in a certain way. I don't see why an official should go to a member's door to ask him to sign such a paper or to vote for a certain way. I think it is very wrong as a matter of fact.

Mr. W. Foran—I believe otherwise. It is democracy to let the officials do that and coax the members if they can to support them.

Mr. Lannon—I think the system is wrong where officials can go around to members with "map" questions. Mr. Foran—No, I don't think so. I don't think it is wrong to go around to members with "map" questions. Mr. Lannon—It is making no sense at all. Mr. Foran—It is making no sense at all. Mr. Lannon—It is making no sense at all.

Mr. Kyne—If the Council don't agree to postpone it I will not move it. That's all. Mr. N. Walsh—That's holding the gun up to us, isn't it? Mr. Kyne—It is. Mr. N. Walsh—That's holding the gun up to us, isn't it? Mr. Kyne—It is.

Mr. O'Leary—Cut it out altogether. Mr. Kyne—If the Council do not agree to a postponement and the mover of the motion does not move it, then the motion can be put in again for a later meeting.

**CAME AS BOMBHELL**

Chairman—By law and in accordance with the Council's Standing Orders Mr. Kyne is entitled to do what he is doing but his question not to move the motion comes as a bombshell.

Mr. Kyne—I give my word that I will move it at the March meeting irrespective of what the position is.

Mr. T. Lannon said that the motion be adjourned to the March meeting.

**CONVANSING CHARGE**

Chairman—It is no intention taking rigorous action on this matter today but if it goes on any longer I will take a line of action to see that the item never appears on an agenda again. I have been told on good

## COUNTY COUNCIL ASKED TO APPROVE £341,000 ROADS ACCOUNT

### Will Jump Rates By Approx 3/6.

In his provisional Roads Works Scheme for 1962/63 submitted to last Friday's meeting of Waterford County Council in Dungarvan, Mr. J. D. Hall, County Engineer, asked for approval for the expenditure of a total of £341,200 on main and County roads. The net increase over last year would be £151,000. The County Engineer's report stated that the current year's provision of £2,000 for contingencies would not be adequate to deal with the problem created by the recent heavy snowfalls and he would have to approach the Council for the near future to provide extra funds to cover the additional costs involved. This additional charge on the roads would be a charge on the ratepayers in respect of the general scheme.

It was decided to defer consideration of the scheme to the general estimates meeting.

**SNOW CLEARING AND RED TAPE**

Tributes for the grand work done by the County Council in clearing snow from the Nire Valley were paid by Mr. Kyne, Mr. Butler, Mr. Heskin, and Mr. J. G. Dowling, Co. Secretary.

Mr. Kyne said that the Nire Valley was not the only place in the county which was hit by the snow. Up to now, he said, he had not attended a case where he had not been able to get back for three days. Mr. Fahy—No one can refuse how bad things are in the Nire.

**EMERGENCY COMMITTEE SET UP**

Later in the evening a joint Emergency Committee of the County Council and County Committee of Agriculture was set up. Its members were Messrs. C. Curran, J. Fahy and K. O'Ryan, Mr. J. D. Hall, Mr. P. Conroy, C.O. and Mr. J. G. Dowling, Co. Secretary.

Following meetings on Friday night and Saturday morning it was decided to ask the Minister for Agriculture to request the help of an Army Unit from Clonsa. This was done about forty soldiers have been helping County Council workers with heavy machinery and tools supplied by the County Council, to clear passageways to the still snow-bound families.

**Members Congratulate Council Official On Promotion**

The Chairman and members of Waterford County Council joined at last Friday's meeting in congratulating Mr. Keating, Staff Officer in charge of the Office Rate Collection on his appointment as Accountant to Tipperary (S.R.) County Council.

Mr. Curran, Chairman said that while they congratulated Mr. Keating on his promotion they regretted to see him leave Waterford as he had always been a most capable, courteous and efficient official. He was the one man said the Chairman, who was mainly responsible of making a success of the office rate collection system which he had always carried out in the most human manner. Mr. Keating was a most conscientious and honest official who possessed all the abilities to win further promotion for himself.

Mr. J. P. Power, who was seconded by Mr. J. P. Little, and Mr. P. J. Little, congratulated Mr. Keating on his promotion. Mr. Keating said that he was very glad to hear of his promotion, they would be sorry to see him go.

**TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT**

Mr. Dowling told the members that an order had been made appointing Mr. Paddy Hogan of the Accounts Department as temporary office rate collector in place of Mr. Keating.

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G.A.A. Convention

Untoward Incidents Were Few And Far Between Secretary's Report

Chairman Refers To Obligation To Guide Youth

Two hundred and twenty-five delegates from one hundred Clubs in the County gathered for the Annual Waterford G.A.A. Convention at the Friary Hall, Dungarvan, on Sunday last. It was, as the Chairman, Mr. S. O'Maoldomhnaigh, stated, a great tribute to the Association that despite the still snow-bound condition of several parts of the County such a big number of delegates made a point of attending the Convention.

There was little or nothing of a controversial nature arose and the business was concluded in record time.

The Convention got under way at about 2.30 p.m. and besides the Officers of the Co. Board, the attendees also included Mr. P. Fanning, Chairman Minister Council.

SECRETARY'S REPORT AND ACCOUNTS

Mr. C. Ware, Secretary, reported that the accounts for the year 1962 had been audited and found correct. He also mentioned the various expenses incurred during the year and the balance sheet for 1963.

NEED FOR YOUTH GUIDANCE

Mr. S. O'Maoldomhnaigh, Chairman, stressed the need for youth guidance and the importance of the G.A.A. in providing a constructive outlet for young people.

APPEAL TO PLAYERS

Mr. S. O'Maoldomhnaigh appealed to all players to continue to support the G.A.A. and to play a part in the development of the game.

THE IRISH LANGUAGE

Mr. S. O'Maoldomhnaigh mentioned the progress of the Irish language in the County and the efforts being made to promote its use.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The County Board elected its officers for the year 1963, including the Chairman, Secretary, and Treasurer.

CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS

Mr. S. O'Maoldomhnaigh delivered his address to the Convention, emphasizing the G.A.A.'s commitment to youth and the future of the game.

An objection shall take up further part in the same competition until the alleged infringement has been disposed of by the Divisional County or Provincial Committee. (Port Cladach).

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The Association of the individuals concerned. Our programme at the outset was of a very comprehensive nature but due to the spirited co-operation of the teams clubs and all others concerned it is gratifying to record that nearly the entire programme which involved the playing of so many matches was disposed of during the year which was no mean accomplishment. The exception was the non-completion of the Sargent and Phelan Cup Competitions. This may be explained by the many commitments undertaken by the clubs concerned in other competitions.

Another motion tabled by the County Board was to investigate whether it would be feasible to procure Assembly Rooms of their own in the County was deferred to County Board.

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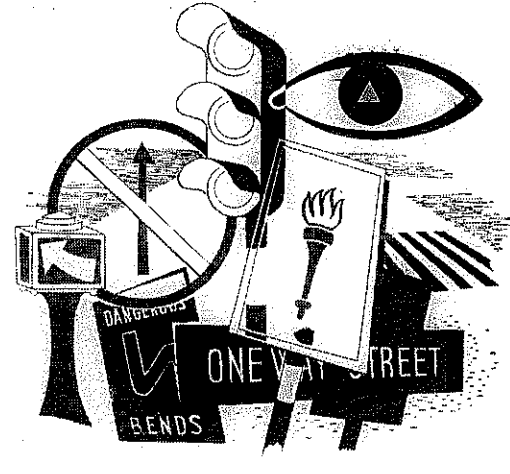
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Do you see, and if you see, do you understand? Many accidents occur from looking without seeing, or seeing without comprehending, thereby suddenly becoming involved in a situation which should never have arisen. A car is seen, its speed or its position is wrongly estimated. A pedestrian crosses the road, he looks to the right; but he is in a one way street and should have looked to the left. Road signs are frequently noticed visually and ignored mentally. Road signs are helpful to the pedestrian as well as to other road users. On every occasion observe what is happening before you place yourself in the middle of it.

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A.G.M. OF CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. CLUB

There was a record attendance at the Annual General Meeting of the Cappoquin G.A.A. Club, held on Saturday night, January 19th.

The Chairman, Mr. M. O'Meara, expressed his pleasure at the large attendance and extended a welcome to Rev. J. Kennedy, P.P., and Rev. M. O'Meara, C.C., both of whom briefly addressed the meeting.

The Secretary, Mr. J. Fraher, reported on the progress of the club during the year and mentioned the various achievements of the teams.

The Treasurer, Mr. J. Fraher, reported on the financial position of the club and mentioned the various expenses incurred during the year.

The Chairman, Mr. M. O'Meara, thanked the members for their support and mentioned the various achievements of the club during the year.

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# OFFICIAL OPENING OF NEW YOUGHAL BRIDGE

## Very Historic Occasion

Commenced little more than two years ago the new Youghal Bridge which has been the subject of discussion since 1927 was blessed and formally opened on Wednesday, January 23. The blessing ceremony was performed by Rt. Rev. Dean Barron, P.P., V.G. Ballybricken, Waterford, in the unavoidable absence of Most Rev. Dr. Cohanlan, Bishop of Waterford, while the formal opening of the bridge was performed by Mr. Donagh O'Malley, Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Finance, who was deputising for Mr. N. Blaney, Minister for Local Government who was taken ill in Dail Eireann late the night before and was unable to fulfil the engagement.

Members of the Oireachtas, Waterford and Cork County Councils and officials as well as a big attendance of general public were present for the historic occasion.

The new bridge is a concrete structure and consists of five spans. The longest span is 120 feet and the total length of the bridge is 620 feet. It is about 1/4 mile further down the river Blackwater than the old bridge which was situated on the site of the present bridge.

The bridge is situated on the site of the old bridge which was built in 1770 and was destroyed by a storm in 1850. It was replaced by a stone bridge in 1850.

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# OBITUARIES

## Mrs. M. Brédget, Mercy Convent, Dungarvan

Mrs. M. Brédget, Mercy Convent, Dungarvan, whose death last occurred was on January 27, 1963. She was 42 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the religious life of all of the parishes in the district. Her death was a great loss to the community.

## Mr. M. Walsh, Aglish

The death took place on Sunday, 27th inst. of Mr. Maurice Walsh of Ballyparra, Aglish. He was in his 70th year and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Mrs. M. Russell, Aglish

The death occurred at her home in Aglish of Mrs. Mary Margaret Russell, on Thursday, 27th inst. She was 71 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Mrs. Rose Martin, Birmingham

We grieve with regret the death of Mrs. Rose Martin, a native of Birmingham, who passed away on Monday, January 27th. She was 70 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Miss Johanna A. Maher, Ring

Sincere sympathy was occasioned in the death of Miss Johanna A. Maher, Ballinacorney, Ring, who passed away on Sunday, January 27th. She was 75 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Late Mr. W. Downing

The death of Mr. William Downing took place at his residence on Sunday, January 27th. He was 80 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Mrs. Kathleen Cashin, The Burgury

The sad event of the death of Mrs. Kathleen Cashin, The Burgury, occurred at her residence on Sunday, January 27th. She was 60 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Mrs. K. Walsh, Kilkannon

The death of Mrs. Kathleen Walsh, Kilkannon, Cappagh, occurred at her residence on Sunday, January 27th. She was 70 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Mrs. Mary Hennessy, Rice's Street, Dungarvan

The death occurred at her home in Rice's Street, Dungarvan, of Mrs. Mary Hennessy on Sunday, January 27th. She was 80 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Mr. T. Ducey, Cappagh

Widespread and deep regret was caused by the death of a comparatively early age of Mr. Thomas Ducey of Cappagh, who took place at his residence on Tuesday, 15th inst. A man of quiet, retiring disposition, he was a popular figure in the district.

## Mrs. Nora Nugent (nee Flynn), Grange, Youghal

Sincere sympathy was occasioned at the death of Mrs. Nora Nugent which occurred at the District Hospital, Dungarvan, on Wednesday, January 23, at a comparatively early age and after a brief illness.

## Mrs. Sarah Mayo

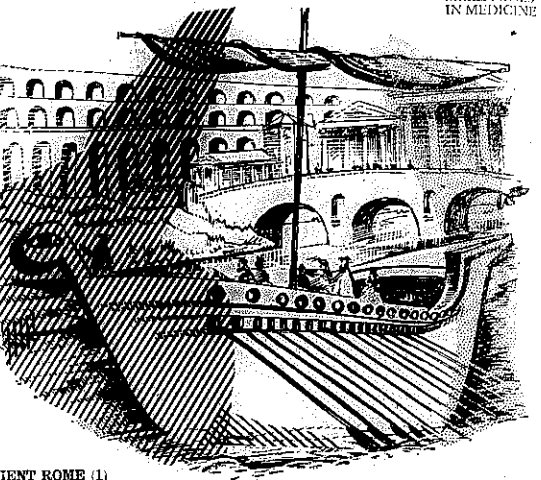
The death of Mrs. Sarah Mayo, Ballymacbratney, took place on Saturday, January 26th. She was 70 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.

## Late Mr. James P. O'Donnell, Lismore

Chief mourners in connection with the death of James P. O'Donnell, Lismore, were: Mrs. J. O'Donnell (wife), Mrs. J. O'Donnell (sister), Mrs. J. O'Donnell (sister), Mrs. J. O'Donnell (sister).

## Mr. Michael Carey, Ballysaggart, Lismore

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Mr. Michael Carey, Ballysaggart, Lismore, who passed away on Saturday, January 26th. He was 60 years of age and was a well-known and popular figure in the district.



ANCIENT ROME (1)

Though the Romans did not regard highly the practice of medicine as a profession, they made their contribution to the science in the field of Public Health and Hygiene. There was an ordinance, for instance, which forbade all burials within the city and another which dealt with the water supply to the city. It is estimated that 3,000,000 gallons of water reached the city daily in its 14 great aqueducts and each house had its own cistern and system of taps.

The major contribution of the Romans, however, was the establishment of the hospital system. The legend of the founding of the first hospital is well known. A sacred serpent, on a ship returning from Epidaurus, where he had been sought during a plague, slipped overboard and landed on St. Bartholomew's Island, whereupon the plague ceased. A hospital was founded on the place where it landed. Years later, it is said, a monk from this hospital went to London to found St. Bartholomew's of that city.

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# ARMORE AND GOAT ISLAND SEA ANGLING CLUB A.C.M.

The Annual General Meeting of Armore and Goat Island Sea Angling Club A.C.M. was held in Armore on Saturday, January 12th. The reports of the Hon. Sec. and Hon. Treas. showed that the club had an active year in 1962, and sponsored four open sea competitions, including one of the two heats of the European Sea Angling Championships allotted to Ireland. The financial position is sound.

A committee meeting will take place on Saturday, January 26th, and on the last Saturday of each month during the year.

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Obituary notice for Mrs. M. Walsh, Aglish, mentioning her death on Sunday, 27th inst. and her family members.

Obituary notice for Mrs. M. Russell, Aglish, mentioning her death on Thursday, 27th inst. and her family members.

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Tallow and Round About Notes

Death of Miss Mary Casey - It with deep regret we record the death of Miss Mary Casey, which sad event occurred rather unexpectedly at Main Street, Tallow, on January 23rd.

Death of Miss C. E. Arnold - We regret to record the death of Miss Charlotte Arnold, which occurred at a private Nursing Home, Cork, on Sunday, 27th January.

Employed As Baker With Well-known Youghal Bakery - Mr. John Hannon, Mr. Hannon has over thirty years experience in the bakery trade.

Returned To England - Mr. Peter Henley who spent his Christmas holidays at his mother's home at New Street, returned to England last weekend.

Death of Miss K. Barry - The death took place at the private Nursing Home, Fermoy, on January 2nd, of Miss Kitty Barry, Glenarouling, Castletown.

Public Tolley - Mr. R. Walsh asked when it was proposed to open the new public toilet at the quay. He remarked that since the two big wrought iron gates were hung on it it looked like a prison.

Threat To The Irish Printing Industry

The recent announcement in Dublin papers that a Dublin printing union had concluded an agreement for operating film-setting machines in Dublin was the first definite piece of information that the Irish Printing Industry had of a printing project which it had been rumoured for about four months.

The agreement is between the Dublin Typographical Printers' Society and the representatives of an organization "Graphic Films"—controlled by Mr. Roy Thomson, the Canadian newspaper multi-millionaire.

This is subject to satisfactory Government assistance being extended, the announcement added. The printing industry has, without avail, been seeking information about Mr. Thomson's project.

Whether or not a State grant is to be given to the new concern is not clear. It is, however, a matter of some importance.

Mr. P. Conroy, C.A.O., said that if this appointment was made, it would be a matter of some importance to the County Council from the point of view of the County Council.

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The Irish Printing Industry has been seeking from State Departments and official bodies information on this and other relevant factors. It is still in the dark.

The printing and newspaper industry is the fourth largest in Ireland, and wages paid are amongst the highest in this country. Its provincial sector is widely decentralised.

Alterations have been made to the printing industry in Ireland but not been expanding its exports in recent years.

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LISMORE AND DISTRICT NEWS

Presentation Convent Building Fund 46 Drive - Card playing are reminded that the final of the month, Holy Hour will be held on Sunday night next in the Courthouse, Lismore.

Monthly Holy Hour - Tonight (Friday) being the first Friday of the month, Holy Hour will be held in the Courthouse, Lismore, at 7.30 o'clock.

Local Girls Co. Nursing - Miss M. Kearney, eldest daughter of Mr. M. and the late Mr. Kearney, Glenageary, Lismore, left for Galway, where she will engage in the nursing profession at the Orest Branch of the Red Cross.

Hotel, Mrs. Tucker, and her staff are to be complimented on the excellence of the fare served up at the hotel.

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Next Committee meeting is on February 4th and on Galsboro, a couple of local clubs will be invited to play a game of football on Sunday night.

The girls from the village of Lismore made quite an impression on Sunday night.

Death of Mr. B. O'Donnell - Deep and sincere regret has been felt locally with news of the death of Mr. Bartholomew O'Donnell, New Street, Lismore, which sad event occurred at Lismore District Hospital on Wednesday, 16th January.

WEST WATERFORD HOUNDS Will Meet - February, 1963. Saturday, 2nd - Kereagh. Tuesday, 5th - Moorehill. Saturday, 9th - Crough. Tuesday, 12th - Aghlish. Saturday, 16th - Chasmore. Tuesday, 19th - Ardmore. Saturday, 23rd - Miltinstee. Tuesday, 26th - Geash Bridge.

Followers are earnestly requested not to make gaps on roads, or in boundary fences, so to ensure that all gates are closed.

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