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COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP JUNIOR HURLING FINAL.

DUNGARVAN WINS EASILY FROM BALLYDUFF LOWER.

Dungarvan—13 goals 2 points. Ballyduff Lower—Nil.

Such was the almost incalculable result of the final of the County Junior Hurling Final... played at the Jubilee Field on Sunday last.

Dungarvan—3 goals 1 point. Ballyduff Lower—Nil.

On resumption of play Dungarvan again got away with the ball. Byrne shot for goal, but the Ballyduff defence was better than previously, and after a scrupulous defence the ball went out.

There was a struggle on the Dungarvan right wing. O'Brien meeting the leather as it was centred and scoring by the time of the goal.

Points of the Game. Play started spiritedly. Dungarvan playing with a strong breeze and immediately getting possession.

Lismore Petty Sessions. Before Messrs. Wyn, Orr, R.M.; P. R. Donnelly, M.D., and P. O'Gorman.

Youghal Notes.

Christmas—Up to the present the Xmas holidays promise to be very quiet here, but in view of the various happenings of late, there is no saying what may turn up.

The Elections.—Although, as was remarked at the last meeting of the Urban Council, there has been very little interest so far displayed in the coming Municipal Elections, it is stated on pretty good authority that preparations are being made by Sinn Féin to contest the election.

Forfeiting Sticks.—Although it is something to be grateful for that we are not immersed in the civil strife usually accompanying a strike for the holy season of Christmas, still there is a persistent rumour-going round to the effect "the sword of Damocles" is hanging over us.

Mess to Mass.—An announcement has been issued that the local Comrades have arranged to march in a body from their club rooms to the church for the 10 o'clock Mass on Xmas Day.

Football.—A football match has been fixed for St. Stephen's Day between the Youghal Comrades and the Barringtons (Clerk). On the last occasion they met a very interesting struggle took place.

The Pictures.—For the first time for some years there will be no exhibition in the Future Picture Palace on Christmas Day. For the remainder of the holidays there will be plenty of opportunities to enjoy them.

Oh and Cole.—In the report on his audit of the Urban Council accounts, the L.G.B. auditor in dealing with the financial condition of the municipal gas works referred to the present prices charged for gas and coke, and said that "the consumers were benefiting at the expense of the ratepayers."

Petty Sessions.—At petty sessions before Messrs. W. A. Hyall, R. Carey and T. Farrell an assault case from West Waterford was mentioned.

Dungarvan Guardians.

The matter was adjourned pending the passing of the new old Age Pensions Act. Removing a Load of Gravel. The L.G.B. were asking for particulars of the circumstances under which a load of gravel was removed by the workhouse van-driver from the lands of Mr. Jas. Morrissey.

The Clerk reported—The guardians should now advertise for the annual contract for the supply of milk to the workhouse.

The Chairman suggested that the supply should be divided between two contractors, the guardians giving half the contract to each.

The Chairman said that was all right then. He would like to have the tenders in on the day of a council meeting so as to have a big board.

The Clerk said that he would be bringing in the estimate, and he would want to know the price of milk before that date to allow for it in the estimate.

The Master reported that he had had 497 votes for the "proposed" regarding the question of purchasing agency boots from the firm who sent the guardians' quotations, he would not advise the purchase of these.

The L.G.B. stated they had no objection to the proposed payment of 3s. 6d. being made to each of the three women who had been in attendance on a delirious patient provided these women were not inmates of the workhouse.

ARMORE NOTES. The usual Masses on Christmas morning will be celebrated at 9, 9.30 and 11 o'clock. The choir will sing during the first and third Masses and Benediction will be given after last Mass.

Lord French Attacked.

On Friday at 1 o'clock a daring attempt was made to kill the Lord Lieutenant as he was proceeding from Ash-ton Railway Station to the Viceregal Lodge. His party were only about fifty yards from the station on their way to the Phoenix Park when fire was opened on them from each side of the road.

His Excellency travelled from the West of Ireland by the train reaching Headstone about 1 p.m. This train does not usually stop at Ash-ton, and it is quite apparent that the men were aware of the fact that it was the intention of his Excellency to get out of Ash-ton and travel by motor to the Viceregal Lodge.

The car was on the left side of the main road, transversed by the road from Ash-ton station, and was hidden from view of the approaching cars by a curb house adjoining the Viceregal premises.

The Clerk said the average price of a full-size coffin was £125. 6s. The Chairman said he didn't think the matter committed any great mistake since he had the full-size coffin in stock, and the Master said he was sorry the thing had occurred.

It was eventually decided that the master should offer 44 to Mahony for the coffin he supplied, asking him to take this amount owing to the peculiar circumstances of the case.

The young man evidently crossed out on the roadway to meet the oncoming cars, and met his death while endeavouring to effect a deadly work with a hand-grenade. In his hand, after death, was the ring of a grenade, and in his pockets were two unexploded grenades, one of Spanish and the other of German pattern.

MINIATURE SHELL-HOLES. The ground about the scene of the occurrence bore marks of the fusillade. In a field behind Mr. Kelly's house there were tracks of bullets indicating close and sustained fire, and the roadway was also marked in several places.

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Carrick-on-Suir News.

SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENTS. Before breaking up for Christmas holidays the pupils of the Mercy and Presentation Convent Schools, Carrick-on-Suir, gave a very enjoyable dramatic and musical entertainment before a large and appreciative audience from the town and pupils was much appreciated by all present.

WAGES INCREASE. Correspondence and a conference between Messrs. the Carrick-on-Suir Gas Co. and the local I.P.T. and G.W.U. has resulted in securing for employees of Carrick-on-Suir Gas Works increases of pay from 4s. to 16s. per week according to service and nature of work.

IRISH CO-OPERATIVE UNDERTAKING. A big scheme is in hand for the formation of a Co-operative Society for the parishes of Clonea, Rathmore and Windgap, Co. Waterford. Between £8,000 and £10,000 have been guaranteed for the project. The committee of the society are negotiating for premises in Carrickbeg at the riverside.

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DUNGARVAN PICTURE PALACE, MONDAY, DECEMBER 29th. A powerful 8-part film entitled 'The Midnight Trail'...

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We are offering the following Goods at very special prices:-

- Ladies' Heavy Coats from 29s. 11d. to £16 16s. Ladies' Hats from 4s 6d to 5s. Ladies' Jumpers from 21s (all shades)...

Your order by post will receive the same prompt and careful attention as would a personal visit.

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LABOURERS (IRELAND) ACTS, 1883 TO 1906. NOTICE INVOLVING REPRESENTATIONS.

B. LINCOLN'S. COOK STREETS, CARPOQUIN. (Shop next Railway Gates).

THE Guardians of the above Union hereby give Notice that on and after the 31st day of January, 1920, no persons will be admitted to the Kilmathomas Workhouse...

AN OPEN STAKE to be held at 11.30 am. on the above date. Runners-up, 25/-; Third, 20/-; These Dogs, 21 each.

TOWN HALL, DUNGARVAN. FOR SIX NIGHTS AND ONE MATINEE. Commenting MONDAY, 29th DECEMBER, 1919.

FLINTOFF MOORE OPERA COMPANY. THE MUSICAL EVENT OF THE YEAR GRAND OPERA IN ENGLISH.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 29th. At 8 o'clock. GOUNOD'S 'FAUST'.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30th. At 8 o'clock. WALLACE'S 'MARTINA'.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31st. At 8 o'clock. VERDI'S 'RIGOLETTO'.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 1st. At 8 o'clock. VERDI'S 'IL TROVATORE'.

THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 1st. At 8 o'clock. MENDELSSOHN'S 'LILY OF KILLARNEY'.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2nd. At 8 o'clock. VERDI'S 'LA TRAVIATA'.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 3rd. At 8 o'clock. BALFE'S 'THE BOHEMIAN GIRL'.

PRINCIPAL ARTISTS: Hilda Morris, Lily Moon, Ethel Fitzgerald, Lily Moody, Constance Flower, Janet Warburton, William O'Connor, Arthur Meates, Flinto Moore, Edward Evans, Theo. Kuschel, Park, Miskelly, Gilbert King, Supported by Fall Orchestra, Chorus and Ballet.

Admission—3s. 6d. (Reserved), 2s. 6d. and 1s. 6d. Se. Extra for Booking and Early Doors. SEATS BOOKED AT HALL.

KILMATHOMAS RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL. THE PRICE OF COAL.

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LANDS PRESERVED. THE Lands of Clones, the property of Dr. McGuire, as preserved, and any persons found poaching or trespassing on same will be prosecuted.

NOTICE. A Person found trespassing on any lands in my occupation in pursuit of game or rabbits will be prosecuted.

Lismore Guardians. Mr. John Ormond, Col., presided. Also present—Messrs. Jas. Clancy and J. F. O'Donnell.

The following resolution of the Dungarvan Board of Guardians came on for consideration:—That we ask the guardians of the Unions of Waterford, Lismore, Kilmathomas and Youghal (No. 2 district) to act in conjunction with the guardians of the Dungarvan Union in considering a proposal to completely close two unions in the Co. Waterford, as we consider that the only way in which a large saving can be made for the ratepayers.

The resolution was carried and ordered to be put on the agenda for the next meeting.

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IRISH TRANSPORT AND GENERAL WORKERS' UNION. KILROSSSANTY BRANCH.

To the Editor of the 'Observer.' Dear Mr. Editor—We would be very much obliged if space would admit you to publish the following in the columns of your paper.

Recently in the columns of the local papers appeared the evidence given by employers in this county as to the cause of distressing decline in Ireland and having connected labour with same, we wish to make the following reply.

Mr. Kiersey refers to a lady who had to auction her farm and 50 milk cows owing to labour troubles. I beg to state that I reside adjacent to the farm referred to, and further I can say that no difficulty was ever experienced in getting those cows milked on Sundays or week-days, as punctuality was always observed by the men engaged for this purpose, and they were paid for same. I have heard several other employers to say that they would leave their cows without milking on Sunday rather than pay the amount allotted for Sunday work by the A.W.U.

When men were doing this work on Sundays and sometimes week-days in broken weather without pay, their services were quite welcome. But when the miserable sum of 2s. 6d. to cover Sunday work and overtime was fixed their services were not required.

Mr. Kiersey remarks that he had to milk 13 cows on Labour Day, the men being at the demonstration. Probably those men were doing his share of cows when he was away at a garden party.

Mr. Flavinian referred to labour troubles of his own and remarked that for dismissing a man for refusing to do Sunday work that his luggard was set on fire. We ask Mr. Flavinian what labour troubles caused the burning of the same luggard more than a decade of years ago, when it was previously destroyed, and we are informed that Kiersey's luggard went through the same ordeal. Again we ask Mr. Flavinian what class of work did the man refuse to do.

Was it in connection with the milking of cows? He ordered his man to hitch up a horse and cart on on Sunday, and as everybody knows that harvest was an ideal season for carting corn, there was no great necessity for Sunday work. Therefore this employer was breaking the law of God and man, the Commandment of God and the Church, by doing unnecessary work on the Sabbath, that is not strictly observed by Irishmen, one of which Flavinian presumes to be (courage). We again ask that by what law was he empowered to compel a man to do Sunday work, and by what legal right was he justified in dismissing a man on Sunday?

J. KIRWAN, Secretary.

THE RECENT HELYCK TRAGEDY. Dear Sir—When you report in your paper of the impact on my dear husband, Edward Parker, late Chief Officer at Helyck, I ask you to be kind enough to publish this explanation of my evidence.

On reading the newspaper I was greatly shocked to find myself reported as having expressed myself so crudely, and if I did make a statement such as this, it was entirely due to the tragic circumstances in which I suddenly found myself, and to the state of shock and confusion of mind which resulted.

Far from meeting me badly, my dear husband was most affectionate, generous and unselfish, such was his natural disposition, and when he got into bad health also his spirits were becoming irritable and depressed over his condition. He also became subject to fits of sleeping, which left his body very cold, and often complained that he was not a dog's life at Helyck, and was much worried that he was giving me a dog's life as he himself expressed it.

At the instance in my excited and confused state of mind I must have adopted his own words according to convey, not that he had created me like a dog as reported, but that he himself had it on his mind that he was giving me a dog's life because of his illness. Hence the regrettable impression which was intensified the tragedy for me, and which I would like to remove.

My dear husband was a man of great personal courage as is testified by the fact that he was awarded two medals and several certificates for saving life, and in 1890 he was, as was well known to his friends, a being husband and father.

I feel sure that the kind Irish public, being respect to this explanation, will absolve me from any intention of casting any unmerited slur on the memory of my dear husband—I am, dear Sir, yours faithfully, LUCY PARKER. Helyck, Helyck, 17th Dec., 1919.

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DUNDALGAN, THE HORN CUCHULAIN. A DESCRIPTION OF THE GARLIC HERO'S BATTLE PLAY GROUNDS, WHERE DEEDS WERE DONE.

To the interested student of the history—especially that part called the early period—nothing that awakens and enlightens a historian in him and gives him love for the further study of his visit to the remains of some monument which marks some spot of which he has read.

Of the period known as the Heroic Age, the Gaelic hero, the great 'Foster' is the centre figure and without further introduction, kindly ask you to visit with me 'place of' the 'nightmare warrior' hero. Later on you may, perhaps, find the spot in person if you have no doubt so.

A walk of a mile from the town, through the entrance of the mountain which gives the name to the town, sitting on the top of a large rock, the name of the mountain is given, the name of the mountain is given, the name of the mountain is given.

About fifty yards from the town, by a spiral pathway, the sound on which stood the great tower, which was built by the monks of the Archdiocese of Louth, having been bought over a few years ago, and is still in existence.

What a magnificent panorama opens to us! Mountains, sea, hills, occupy the country that stretches itself out before us, with dark trees as a foreground, which we are looking at. The scene is beautiful, but when we connect with the historical association of the early period of our Christian Ireland, and the many renowned events that took place in this plain of Mullinacree, we are reminded of the 'Foster' hero, the 'Foster' hero, the 'Foster' hero.

The mountain range that stretches eastward into the sea, hides from the waters of Carlingford Lough, a deep background to the 'King's Castle,' so famous in the great 'Tain Bo Cuailgne.'

At the foot of the mountain was where death the much-entitled who owned the 'Brown Bull,' yards to our left and at the west of the mountain range, stands the dome of Sliara Gullion, where once and his companions chased the deer where the smithy of Culain, the hero of the Fenian wars, was slain, the mountain range, the mountain range, the mountain range.

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Of the period known as the Red Branch Cycle, Cu Chulainn, the great "hound of Ulster," is the central figure at here.

Without further introduction, I will kindly ask you to visit with me the birthplace of the "slightest warrior of ancient Erin." Later on you may, perhaps, visit the spot in person if you have not already done so.

A walk of a mile from the town of Dundaligan brings us to the entrance of the Dun or mountain which gives the name to the town, sitting on the top of a high hill to the west of it.

This is, or was, rather, where dwelt the famous Chief Deasg. But with it we connect the greater name of the comely youth, Setanta, who gave to Europe fame and renown, and who earned the proud title, "fortissima" hence "Scotticism" (the greatest hero of the Scottish race), in later times.

About fifty yards from the road we climb, by a spiral pathway, the earthen mound on which stood the great Dair—their, or house of oak, but which is now occupied by a not at all unattractive modern structure.

His small bronze harpy and his silver bull. His feathered dart for shooting and his spear. With butt flame-harpened; and he straightway fell.

To sharpening and enlivening of his way With these child's weapons. With his harpy first He struck the ball, compelling it to spring To a far distance. Fleetly he let fly "The harpy in its track, with the like force; And then he flung the dart and then the spear.

And lastly with a playful rush he flew After them all, and caught them. Ere they reached the ground."

The next time we see him he is going out in his chariot from the Dun with his brave Leog as charioteer to meet "the laughing of woman's kind, the warrior's untamed." Mavee of Comaigh, who is marching with her army towards Ulster. He is now a tall-grown warrior.

"Not to him soft strains are good, Than loud car with battle blood; Than loud car, that rushing, reels, Louder whirr his whirling wheels.

"Foremost in his van of war, Flashing first where dangers are, There is none who bears a brand Can with true Cuchulainn stand."

The great battle of the "Tain" is then recounted, and Cuchulainn also defends the northern territory. From Oriel Temple, away beyond the town of Ardee, fifteen miles to the right of where we stand, he meets the enemy, and fights every mile of the way right down to the mouth of the river, ten miles to the north-west of us.

He slays many hundreds by night and by day, and the Queen tries to make peace with him; but he would not do so. Thus there is another cessation of hostilities, then it is a man-for-man fight. He meets Maeve's greatest warrior, Ferdia, his own loving comrade, very reluctantly, and after a three days' fight kills him.

And if we look south-west we may discern, about three miles away, the hills around Knockree, near which the warrior made his last battle, known as the "Heads of Mure." There is a pillar-stone, some nine or ten feet in height, called Cloch-a-Fa-More (the pillar-stone of the great man), marks where the gallant "hound of Ulster" fell.

He was pursuing Maeve's army over the plain, but, after losing his noble steeds, the Slaguan Dubh, and Lisk Macha, he was mortally wounded. Seeing that his lifeblood was flowing, he made towards the pillar-stone and with his gridle bound himself to it. His enemy, notwithstanding, farled to come near him still, and it was not until they saw a bird alighting on his shoulder that they took courage to approach him.

And as the first man stood beside him the sword fell from the dead warrior's hand and cut half of his head off. Even in death he was to be guarded against. But let us descend, dear reader, the cool, sharp air of the spring evening makes itself felt upon this breezy height, and even begins to dispel our reminiscence.

Yeughal Urban Council.

Present—Messrs. M. Whelan, in the chair; J. Quaine, D. J. Linehan, M. Almer, T. Curran, P. J. O'Gorman, B. G. Davis, Dr. M. Twomey.

The Clerk read the receipts from the ferry to date amounting to £234 and the expenditure to £232.

Chairman—What is the balance? Clerk—£2.

Mr. Quaine said in view of the Christmas holidays he thought it would be rather harsh on the part of the council to close the ferry. There might be some additional cargo during the time, and therefore he thought they ought to defer the question till they met again. They couldn't lose so much.

Mr. Linehan—What can you do in face of the resolution on the books? The Chairman said that not alone was the resolution passed, but Mr. Quaine was one of the supporters.

Mr. Quaine—What is that resolution? Chairman—That the ferry close automatically when the balance that accrued from the summer trading was spent.

Mr. Quaine—I don't see the necessity of that. There is no doubt about it. Mr. Quaine—I was taken aback the following night when I heard it, for I was under the impression, and another member here no, that the question would come up for consideration when the money was expended.

Chairman—It was put to the meeting after a protracted discussion. Mr. O'Gorman—I was under the same opinion as Mr. Quaine.

Mr. Quaine—If my name is to any resolution these were the conditions and settlements I expressed—that it would come up for consideration again.

Chairman—There is no getting out of it. Mr. Quaine—Don't want to get out of anything, but I want to make my position in the matter clear.

The Clerk read the resolution referred to and which was as follows:—Proposed by Mr. Broderick, seconded by Mr. Quaine—"That to facilitate the pupils attending the local schools, the ferry service be kept open till the surplus of the receipts be exhausted."

Mr. Quaine—There is no automatic closing in that. Chairman—That is what it means.

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WHAT OTHER COUNTRIES ARE DOING.

CANADIAN CEREAL CROPS.

The total yield of wheat in Canada according to a recent report of the High Commissioner is estimated at 193,688,800 bushels. This is made up of 174,687,000 bushels of spring wheat and 19,001,800 of winter wheat. Upon the average about the average yield per acre for all wheat is placed at 11 bushels, for spring wheat at 10 bushels, and for winter wheat at 3 1/2 bushels. In 1918 the total yield of wheat was 189,675,350 bushels, and the average yield, 11 bushels per acre. The total yield this year shows a decrease of 4,013,450 bushels, somewhat less than 2 per cent.

The total yield of oats is estimated at 299,368,000 bushels, giving an average yield of 27 bushels per acre. Last year the total was 295,315,500 bushels, and the average yield 28 1/2 bushels per acre. In this case the decrease is 22,944,500 bushels, approximately 8 per cent. Barley with an average of 22 bushels yields 66,443,800 bushels, as against an average yield in 1918 of 24 1/2 bushels per statute acre, and a total yield of 77,387,240 bushels. This crop shows a decrease of almost 14 per cent.

Lismore Notes.

The Board.—Only three members were in attendance at Friday's meeting of the board, and as an official justice remarked "they were like the three tailors in Toley street." They got through the business in an expeditious manner, and among the business transacted they granted 4s. increase to recipients of outdoor relief for Christmas, and protested against the price of gas and the hardships caused by the Pernis Order.

DANISH AGRICULTURE.

The President of the Federation of Danish Co-operative Dairy Societies in an address delivered recently discussed the exportation prospects for Danish agricultural products. He stated that before the war both Denmark and Sweden had good markets for butter in England and Austria, and had obtained a footing in America. This trade had been dislocated by the war. The situation in regard to bacon was still more gloomy; the old business connections were broken off and the country was not in a position even to supply its own needs.

UNITED IRISH WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION.

At an important meeting of the above body held recently arrangements were made for a liberal distribution of new milk and coal among the more deserving classes of the poor during Christmas-tide, and as it was stated that this philanthropic work practically exhausts all the funds at present on the books of the association, it was decided to hold an all-night subscription dance in the Beethoven Hall on the night of January 6th in aid of the funds, where we hope to see a bumper gathering present in order to support such a worthy and charitable object.

HUGHES' STUDIO, PARK TERRACE, DUNGARVAN, OPEN EVERY THURSDAY FROM 12 O'CLOCK TO 8 O'CLOCK.

The Clerk asked what were they going to do about the Proffering Act. It would require a special night meeting. No action was taken in the matter.

Town Superintendent's Salary. In accordance with notice, the application of the town superintendent for a revision of his salary came on.

Mr. Broderick inquired what would the increase recently granted amount to? Clerk—I have made a calculation. I suppose I should exclude the ferry men.

Mr. Broderick—They will come on the rates next week. The Clerk said the increases granted to the town staff would mean £261 for 12 months.

Mr. Broderick—Does that include the gas works staff? Clerk—No, they are separate. They should go in the gas account. The ferry men's increase is 27s and the gas staff £147.

Mr. Broderick—You will have a big deficit to meet next year. Chairman—That will mean 9d. in the £.

Mr. Broderick—It won't affect some of us very much anyway. After a short discussion the town superintendent's salary was fixed at 47s. 6d. weekly.

The Register. The Clerk stated that there were 780 votes at the last election out of 1,100 on the list. There were now 1,684 on the list, divided as follows:—North Ward, 568; Central, 563; and South, 553.

Mr. Quaine—There is not much interest taken in the elections up to the present anyway. The Clerk was directed to take any steps he deemed necessary in connection with the elections.

War Memorial. Mr. E. C. Bonayre, B.L., Hon. Sec. Yeughal Men's War Memorial Committee, wrote:—"Yeughal, December 14th, 1919. Dear Sir—Having received no reply to the request of the deputation that waited on the council on November 6th re above, I am desired by the committee to ask you to be good enough to inform me what decision the council has come to on the matter—Yours faithfully, E. C. Bonayre."

Chairman—What are you going to do about this, gent? Dr. Twomey—Postpone it till after the elections. I propose it.

This was seconded by Mr. Curran and passed unanimously. Vote of Sympathy. Mr. Almer proposed a vote of condolence with the sister and relatives of the late Mrs. Jones, widow of the late Rev. Dr. Jones. She was a fine type of old lady, and a poor would miss her very much.

Mr. Davis seconded. Her husband was a great old friend of Yeughal. The Chairman said they all regretted Mrs. Jones's decease, although full of years. She was a fine type of old lady. The proposition was passed.

CAPPOQUIN NOTES.

A POPULAR LOCAL SUCCESS. We have much pleasure in recording the brilliant success of Miss Maudie Mary Harrington, who at her recent musical examination at Bradford College, Co. Limerick, passed with honours out of an unusually large field of far competitors. Not only did she secure such a coveted place in such a trying competition, but she was also warmly complimented by the examiners on her excellent command of tone and technique, which greatly enhances the value of her success. Miss Harrington, who is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrington, Harrington's Hotel, Cappoquin, received her early education at the Sisters of Mercy Convent School, Cappoquin, and both her parents and her teachers are to be heartily congratulated on her great success, which, we trust, is only the precursor of still greater successes for this talented young lady in her future.

DIPLOMATED PRIMAES.

Mr.



DUNGARVAN WORKERS' ELECTION CAMPAIGN. CANDIDATES IN THE FIELD. LABOUR'S WELL-FILLED PROGRAMME.

In last week's issue of the "Observer" we gave a short report of the proceedings at the meeting of the workers of the Dungarvan district held at the Town Hall on Wednesday night for the purpose of selecting candidates in the coming municipal elections. Below we give a full report of the meeting, at which the labour programme was locally outlined by the different speakers.

Mr. J. M. Butler, who rose to propose the resolutions, was received with applause. He said he had much pleasure in proposing:—

(1) "That this mass meeting of the workers of Dungarvan pledge its whole-hearted support to official labour candidates at the forthcoming Municipal Elections."

Mr. Butler said that this resolution was one to which all Trade Unionists should give their whole-hearted support. They were putting forward eight candidates, and they hoped to get the eight candidates in (applause). It was for the workers to know how to vote when the time for voting came round. Convoys would be selected later on. For instance, in the Central Ward, it was the duty of every Trade Unionist to put the figure "1" opposite the name of Mr. Morrison or Mr. Darcy, whichever one he preferred. He should put "2" after the other name, and never mind the ten or eleven other names on the sheet. They were going to support the Labour candidates and no others (applause). Likely they would have other candidates going around and saying they had done lots of labour, but labour was his own party, and he had no other party to go to get their support. He asked every worker to do his little bit in the way of canvassing. Every voter they met they should ask him or her to vote for the Labour candidates. The husbands should see that their wives voted Labour, and the sons and daughters that their fathers and mothers voted Labour. They should remember that every preference vote they gave to other candidates would be putting a nail in their own coffin. "Never mind the others," said Mr. Butler, "they are all capitalists" (applause).

(2) "That this meeting of the workers of Dungarvan condemn in the strongest manner possible the recent order of the British Government whereby motor drivers are required to seek permits to enable them to earn their living. Such action is contrary to all democratic principles and serves no useful purpose. We demand the immediate withdrawal of this autocratic Order, and pledge our whole-hearted support, both morally and financially, to the motor drivers in their resistance to same."

Mr. Butler—This resolution is another very important one. It is a delicate state of affairs to see that the working men of Ireland are compelled to seek permits from the British Government to go to work. We are pledging ourselves to give our whole-hearted support to the workers effected, both morally and financially. Trades Union in Dungarvan will support them (hear, hear).

The speaker read the third resolution, which called upon all organized workers in Dungarvan to at once become members of their respective Unions. He said that this resolution dealt particularly with the Irish Drapers and Assistants' Association, Transport Workers were compelled to work in houses where clerks were engaged who did not belong to any Union. A Trade Unionist was not supposed to work in a public house, and they in Dungarvan who were working with such people were no good (hear, hear).

"We," concluded Mr. Butler, "were out on the streets for five weeks and that was one of the things we were fighting for. It should go forth now that we will compel these fellows to go into their respective Unions. Trade Unionism in Dungarvan ought to be strong enough to compel them, and if it is not strong enough to do this, then they should come to their knees as quickly as the capitalists cause to their knees five or six weeks ago" (prompted applause).

Mr. D. Condon said it afforded him very great pleasure indeed to second the three resolutions so ably proposed by his friend, Mr. Butler.

The Chairman put the resolutions to the meeting, and they were carried unanimously.

Declined to go Forward.

Mr. Butler said he would like to see his going forward as he was a most suitable candidate. He was in the carrying out of his duties, and he was not prepared to go forward, and I now ask this meeting to call on him to go forward and stand for Abbeyside in the interests of the Trade Union movement" (applause).

Each one of the candidates will have to sign a pledge, a copy of which I have here and which I will read for you.

The Chairman then read the following:—

THE PLEDGE.

I, the undersigned, agree, if elected a member of the Dungarvan Urban District Council, that I will be bound by the decisions of the Dungarvan and District Workers' Council and Labour Party, and will sit, act and vote with the other Labour representatives on the council as a Labour Party in the carrying out of their decisions. I pledge myself to resign my seat if called upon to do so by a special general meeting of the Dungarvan and District Workers' Council and Labour Party called for the purpose of considering my conduct as a Labour representative" (applause).

Each candidate will have to sign this pledge, and we will ask them to sign it here on this table before the meeting concludes (loud applause). We have also a Labour Programme drawn up by the Labour Party. The programme is a full one, but there will be some other plans also in our programme later on.

The programme was then read and it is almost identical with that published by us in the issue of the 13th December from the "Watchdog of Labour."

Chairman—This is the programme which the Labour candidates put before the voters in the coming elections, and there are some very important questions embodied in it. One of these is the housing question, and, by the way, I have noticed in the "Dungarvan Observer" a report brought by the medical officer of health before the last meeting of the Urban Council, in which he condemned 300 houses. What I'd like to ask in connection with this report is, have any of these reports been sent to the Urban Council before this, and if they were, how is it that they did not appear in the Press? I have never seen any of them published in the Press before this. One member of the Urban Council said a short time ago that the workers had no business with gardens in front of their houses (right, right, hear, hear). I think the worker has as good a right to a garden, and a Voice—It isn't any apple tree he would put in it anyway. There seems to be a good deal of the auto-

municipal elections were won they could then direct attention towards improving the position of workers. The workers should never cease until they had gained their ultimate object, which was the ownership and control of the means of producing wealth. The Trade Union Organisation should make the employers recognise that their members were quite ready to wage a war against them until they had won through (applause). The employing classes were very much alive to their own interest—in fact, they were more alive than the workers were to their own interests. That was the truth, although it might be unpalatable to a good many. The employing classes were always seeking an opportunity to defeat the workers. He would like to mention one or two instances to bear out his point. The employing classes, who were continually seeking to weaken labour and to exploit labour, were in much the same position as the members of the ruling classes occupied in the late European War.

Here the speaker referred to the dealings with Russia, pointing out that as long as the Russians refused their struggle as long did Lloyd George and those other conceited keep changing the terms of peace that were offered them. The "Daily Herald" called it the sliding-scale peace. The employing classes in their dealings with the workers were in the same position as the allied Governments and the Russians. They would give them a sliding-scale peace or rather change their terms of agreement with labour according to the fight put up by the workers.

THE FARMER'S AFFAIR.

They had, continued the speaker, a good illustration of this in the Fenor district a short time ago. The workers raised no question to the farmers asking them to work with non-Union men, because the workers were all more or less strange to the principles of Trade Unionism. When the dispute arose in Fenor efforts were made to bring about a settlement, and one of the conditions imposed on the labourers was that they should work with non-Union men. The farmers had their own very good reasons for trying to enforce such an agreement. Just as in Dungarvan at the present day, those men who had succeeded in gaining benefits by Trade Unionism, those men who were engaged in their own activities, and so, in this case, the farmers of Fenor tried to avail themselves of the weakness of labour and saw an opportunity as they thought by inserting this clause that labourers should work with non-Unionists. The result of the insertion of the clause was that the farmers' terms were rejected, and in order to compel the farmer to get up the labourers had to get out and fight the armed forces of the R.I.C. Some half-dozen policemen and about a similar number of men of the working classes were injured in the fray, and three men were brought to Ballybricken Prison, charged with unlawful assembly and compelled to remain there for two weeks and two days, after which they were sentenced to six months imprisonment, but were allowed out on bail of certain representations being made by members of the Farmers' Union and even by one or two policemen. This showed them the result of weakness on the part of labour, and the same thing would happen in Dungarvan and every other town, though they had succeeded in gaining benefits, if they were not able to every opportunity to prosecute their cause. The employing classes had no scruples in using infantry men, cavalry, big guns, aeroplanes, and every other device in their endeavours to crush labour. The most successful weapon used by labour against them was Trade Unionism. There was another weapon in possession of the worker, and that was his vote. Every voter should use the ballot next month in the Urban Elections and next June in the R.D.C. elections in order to gain control of the councils throughout Ireland. Urban Councils and other councils in Ireland had the power to tax the property owners of the district for the purpose of carrying out any schemes that would be likely to be beneficial to the people of that district. The housing question was very important. Workers were living in houses that were far in a way worse than those in which rich men kept their horses and beasts, and a good many of the employing classes made a living out of the sale of beer, which the poor man was foolish enough to buy and drink. These men who had the power to levy taxes for the purpose of supplying the workers with good houses did yet do so because being house-owners themselves and making a living out of the miserable hovels that they called houses, and that were inhabited by the working classes they were not going to do their own part by seeing that decent housing was provided.

The speaker also dealt with the cause of infant mortality, which, he said, could be attributed chiefly to the supply of impure milk. On the question of education he said that the schools as they were at present only catered for the children of the employing classes and only taught the children of the workers to become grown-up slaves. They wanted to see technical education so that they could produce the greatest possible amount from the wealth in the country for the people who produced that wealth. They wanted schools for the purpose of teaching the workers that as it was they who produced the wealth they were entitled to own it. They were the most advanced people in the world according to themselves, but he'd like the men and women of Dungarvan and every other town in Ireland to prove they were as advanced as the people of England and Scotland. Labour in England had been successful in securing 3,000 seats for Labour candidates, and in Scotland labour had been elected from 300 to 400 seats. He wanted the men of Dungarvan to make up their minds that they were going to do what was right in the coming elections. Let them throw their minds back five or six weeks to the time of the strike in the town, and recollect that with the employing class the employer was first, last and all the time. In England it used to be a Liberal or a Tory Party until labour came to the realization of its position.

It was a question of two-thirds and two-fifths whether the workers fought for Liberal or Tory, and the same thing applied to the various political parties in Ireland, whether Home Rulers or Unionists, so long as they were members of the employing classes and wanted to live on the produce of the labour of others, they would do no good for the workers. Workers had to do something for themselves, and they were now about to get an opportunity of so doing. He only asked the workers of Dungarvan to show as good a spirit in the coming elections as they had shown in the recent strike (applause).

The Chairman referred to those people in the town who had not joined their Unions, and said they were principally to be found in the drapers' houses. These should join the I.D.A.A. There was plenty of room for them in its ranks, and if they did not join up he had no hesitation in saying that the Union was strong enough to compel them to do so (applause).

Candidates Sign the Pledge.

All the candidates with the exception of one or two who were absent, then signed the pledge as above, and as each one did so there was loud applause.

Mr. James Morrison one of the candidates, in a short address, referred to the housing question. There were 46 houses under the Urban Council he said, and there were only 44 tenants. One, a retired business man, had two of the houses to himself. Was that fair, he asked? A number of the Urban Council had said the worker didn't want a garden. He supposed the worker didn't want a house either according to that gentleman. The workers of Dungarvan would soon put that man at the back of the garden or put him out of it altogether (applause). Better housing had been advocated for the past four or five years, and still they had got nothing. He appealed to the workers to help them (the candidates) in their fight next month, and to do all the canvassing they could in their favour (applause).

THE CHAIRMAN then asked those who were willing to take on canvassing to come forward and give in their names. Quite a large number of those present readily subscribed their names to the canvassers' list, and the meeting concluded with the election of Mr. Curran as Chairman and Mr. Byrne as Secretary.

NEED FOR ECONOMY IN HAY.

The Irish hay crop of this year, though excellent in quality, has given a very light yield in many districts. The yield of root crops also in some of the principal feeding counties is under average. Moreover, the scarcity of imported concentrated feeding stuffs increases the requirements. If a severe winter should be experienced these circumstances may lead to a shortage of fodder in spring. To prevent this farmers should take care to purchase available supplies of hay and to see that they are used economically.

The shortage of fodder is even more acute in Great Britain than in this country. This is evidenced by the prices realised for hay at certain English markets during the week ended November 21st as reported by the English Board of Agriculture—Birmingham—Clover hay, 21s. 6d. per ton; meadow hay, 21s. 6d. per ton; Clover hay, 21s. 6d. per ton; oat straw, 21s. 6d. Manchester—Clover hay, 21s. 6d. per ton; meadow hay, 21s. 6d. per ton. Notwithstanding the high prices at present obtaining farmers should seriously consider whether it is wise to dispose of their hay now when they may possibly be compelled to purchase an imported feeding stuff to supplement available home-produced fodder.

There are several methods by which economy in the use of hay can be secured. Some of these are, to feed hay from racks, thereby reducing the amount trampled under foot; to avoid excessive foddering; to feed hay with straw in the form of chaff as far as possible; preferably mixed with a certain amount of concentrated feed of oil pulled roots; to substitute in every possible way straw for hay. Considerable economy can be effected by such substitution. A ton of oat straw is better food than half a ton of hay. It is palatable and readily eaten by stock of all kinds. Because of its value as a fodder oat straw should be used as sparingly as possible for litter.

Many suggestions have been made for increasing the palatability of straw and making it more digestible. Greater palatability is sometimes achieved by cutting the straw and mixing it with pulped or chaff in the proportion of one part by weight of chaff to four parts by weight of straw. Should this mixture be adopted the mixture should be allowed to stand for at least 12 hours before it is fed to stock. The straw should be moistened from the roots, and the fermentation which results makes the mixture and softens the straw. Another method is to sprinkle the chaffed straw with salt at the rate of one pound per ton and to mix this with layers of cut green stuff between layers of the cut straw. Any green stuff that is available may be used as pulped roots at the rate of 1 cwt. per ton of chaff will answer the purpose. The mixture should be well tramped down, and a slow fermentation will result. After being allowed to remain so for some weeks or months the mixture develops a pleasant taste and is readily eaten by stock. Steaming is another method sometimes resorted to. While steaming softens the straw there appears to be no definite evidence that it increases its digestibility.

In ruminating hay by straw in the ration of course, a greater ration of concentrated food than dry cows and stores. In the case of horses, hay may be partially replaced by straw in the proportion

Dungarvan Urban Council FINANCE AND A LITTLE OTHER BUSINESS.

Mr. Michael Broome, V.C., in the chair. Also present—Messrs. Michael Byrne, John Curran and Thomas Flynn. Finance.

The total on the pay sheet was £23 18s. 6d., all of which was spent on the streets. Payments were paid.

A Tree Uprooted by the Council.

Mr. Flynn asked why one of the trees had been taken away out of Griffin's Park in Abbeyside. Why wasn't it left standing where it was he would like to know?

Chairman—That tree was planted at Miss Meade's corner instead of the one that was pulled down there.

Mr. Flynn—The place is naked-looking every since that tree was taken away.

An Urgent Matter.

Mr. Curran—It is understood that pressing business here can be gone into to-night. There is nothing to prevent us doing what we like.

Chairman—It is only a finance meeting and we won't go into anything else.

Mr. Flynn—Some of us might not be able to attend the next meeting.

Chairman—We won't be missed from it.

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MANY SACKS TAKEN and repeat orders most assuredly obtained. Special attention to letter, phone or wire orders. PROPRIETORS: JAMES DALY, JOHN P. MOLONEY, MICHAEL GLANCY, PATRICK B. SHERIDAN. NOTE ADDRESS—Farmers Supply Co.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS The Feast of Xmas—Christmas will be celebrated throughout the City world in an especial manner. It is of the greatest festivals of the Church which day its children rejoice most at the glad tidings which the first Christmas morning brought to them. Least will be observed as a holiday obligation, and in each church in the several parishes will be celebrated in various of practically every half hour from 6 a.m. There will be High Mass at Parish and Augustinian Churches at 8 o'clock. The crib telling once again the story of Bethlehem will be erected in both churches the choir will sing the "Advent."

Raid on Dungarvan Railway Station What had all the appearance of being well-planned raid took place at the Dungarvan Railway Station on Friday last. It seems some consignments of ammunition were stored on the premises awaiting delivery, and these were moved by some unknown persons, one of the men of the stores was noticed by the night man, who immediately on the attention of Mr. Hartnett, station master, to it. The latter made an investigation and discovered that the ammunition, what there was of it, had been taken away in the dark of the night.

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Volunteer Dance.—The annual Volunteer dance will be held in the Town Hall, Dungarvan, on Wednesday, 14th January next. Dungarvan won the hurling and junior football championships, but it was not their best this event.

Presentation to Mr. M. P. Lynch M.R.C.V.S.—On Tuesday evening Mr. M. F. Lynch, M.R.C.V.S., and Mr. M. Lynch were entertained to dinner at Miller's Hotel, Dungarvan, and were the recipients of a massive solid silver tray in the old Irish style, suitably inscribed. The presentation was made by Mr. C. P. Hynes, M.R.C.V.S., on behalf of Messrs. A. Doherty, M.R.C.V.S.; Waterford; P. W. Creagh, M.R.C.V.S.; Fenerty; T. R. Molehy, M.R.C.V.S.; O'Connell; C. P. Hynes, M.R.C.V.S.; and Messrs. W. J. O'Donnoghue, M.R.C.V.S.; Corriek-on-Suir; and John McGeehan, U.L.A., Waterford, members of the Local Authority of the County Council. Their last meeting passed a resolution expressing gratitude to Mr. Lynch, V.S., on his resignation.

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On Tuesday week the funeral took place to Torrington, the cortege being exceedingly large and representative, identifying the cause in which deceased and her family are held. So large was the cortege as to be impossible to mention names. To her afflicted husband and children the sympathy of all is extended and well might they say—

"She is gone, she is gone, we miss her. Blessed like a flower in its bloom; So young, so fair, so lovely, Yet taken from us so soon."

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Two Highly Important Lots of Grazing for 11 Months.

LOT 1 comprises 2 1/2 Acres of the prime Lands of BALLYDUFF, which are well known for their early producing grass and fattening qualities.

These Lands are within one mile of Dungarvan, are well watered, fenced and sheltered, and adjoin the pond by the roadside.

LOT 2 comprises in or about 80 Acres of the Lands of COOLROSE, close to the Marine Hotel, all good sound Land.

The Vendor reserves right to draw about 10 loads of manure off the land.

The Letting of both these Lots will be for 11 Months, beginning on the 1st February following date of Sale.

Immediately after will be Sold in the Yard of Mr. Richard J. Deo, Square, Dungarvan.

2 Cows, timed to calve in April; 1 Short-horn Bull, 3 Heifers and 9 Weanlings, all in prime condition.

Terms for Grazing—Half Cash with Annuity Fees, balance in 6 months. For Cattle—Cash immediately after Sale.

Purchasers to pay 5 per cent. Commission. For further particulars apply to J. P. WILLIAMS, Esq., Solicitor, Dungarvan; or to EDMUND KEOHAN AND SON.

BALLINAMEELA, CAPPAQH, COUNTY WATERFORD. IMPORTANT AUCTION OF GRAZING AND TILLAGE LAND.

E. KEOHAN AND SON have been instructed by Mr. Williams, Cappaqh, to let by public auction, on the lands, ON WEDNESDAY, 31st DECEMBER, at One o'clock.

The Grazing for 11 Months of parts of the Lands of BALLINAMEELA, comprising in or about 75 Acres, to be sold in one or three Lots.

Acres of Tillage Land for 11 Months, of which 9 Acres will be for Green Crops and 6 Acres for Oats.

The Lands are sound, of fattening quality, and well sheltered and fenced. Further particulars in posters. Terms at Sale, 5 per cent. Commission.

E. KEOHAN AND SON, CAPPAQH, COUNTY WATERFORD. IMPORTANT AUCTION OF GRAZING.

EDMUND KEOHAN AND SON have been instructed by B. G. Usher, Esq., Cappaqh House, to sell by public auction, at BALLINAMEELA, At 2 o'clock.

Immediately after the Auction of Grazing for Mr. Wm. Stack, at same place, ON WEDNESDAY, 31st DECEMBER, 1919.

The Grazing for 11 Months of the South-Kendal Farm at Cappagh, comprising in or about 20 Acres.

This Land is of the best quality, resting on limestone, gives early and abundant pasture of prime fattening quality. The Land is well fenced and sheltered and there is a continuous supply of water.

SALES BY HAYES AND CO.

TINALILIA, BALLINAMULT. IMPORTANT SALE OF GRAZING LANDS FOR TERMS OF ELEVEN MONTHS.

HAYES AND CO. have been favoured by instructions from J. J. Walsh, Esq., Ballyhannon Lodge, to sell by private treaty, the Lands of TINALILIA, BALLINAMULT, containing about 21 Acres or thereabouts, of sound Grazing Land, well sheltered, watered and fenced and in a very grassy condition at present.

Tenders for above Letting to be sent in writing to the Office of HAYES AND CO., Auctioneers, etc., St. Mary's street, Dungarvan, to January 1st, 1920.

Conditions can be seen at Auctioneer's Office. 5 per cent. Commission. HAYES AND CO., Auctioneers and Valuers, Dungarvan.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE. LISPENNEL (4 Miles from Dungarvan). SALE OF THE PRIME PATTERNING LANDS OF LISPENNEL, CONTAINING 65 ACRES OR THEREABOUTS, STATUTE MEASURE, HELD IN FEE-SIMPLE.

HAYES AND CO. have been favoured by instructions from Miss K. M. Kiely, Lisfenell, to sell by public auction, at the Court House, DUNGARVAN, ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22nd, 1920, At 2 o'clock p.m.

The FEE-SIMPLE Interest in the Lands of LISPENNEL, containing 65 Acres, Statute Measure, or thereabouts. The Lands are noted for their fattening qualities, and are the best ever offered for Sale in the district.

Full particulars next issue. JOHN P. WILLIAMS, Solicitor, Dungarvan, having Carriage of Sale; or to HAYES AND CO., Auctioneers and Valuers, Dungarvan.

KILMACHTHOMAS UNION. BREAD AND POTATOES WANTED. The Guardians of the above Union will, at their Meeting to be held on the 30th inst., receive and consider Tenders for supplying the Workhouse (carriage free) with Three Tons of Best Table Potatoes at per ton of stone.

And from the 1st January to the 31st March, 1920.—Best White Bread at per 4lb. loaf, 6d. and Best Malt at per sack. Tenders, forms of which must be had from me, will be received up to 11 o'clock a.m. on above date.

By Order, P. MORRISSEY, Clerk of Union. Clerk's Office, 16th December, 1919. KNOCKENPOWER, COLLIGAN. IMPORTANT SALE OF GRAZING AND TILLAGE LANDS FOR TERMS OF 11 MONTHS.

HAYES AND CO. have been instructed by J. M. Murphy, Esq., Knockenpower and Dungarvan, to sell by public auction, at AN EARLY DATE, The Grazing and Tillage of 136 Acres 2 Roods, Statute Measure or thereabouts, in 7 Lots.

The Lands are well sheltered, fenced and watered. Full particulars next issue. HAYES AND CO., Auctioneers and Valuers, Dungarvan.

O'CONNELL STREET, DUNGARVAN. HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF CHOICE YOUNG DAIRY STOCK (Calves down and in Calf).

HAYES AND CO. have been favoured by instructions from John Conboy, Esq., O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, to sell by public auction, ON MONDAY, 28th JANUARY, 1920, At 1 o'clock p.m.

At his yard in STEPHEN'S STREET (Opposite South Terrace) DUNGARVAN, His entire Stock of 12 Choice Young Milk Cows, a specially selected lot, all heavy milchers, in splendid condition—see calves, January, February, March.

Terms—Cash, 5 per cent. Commission. HAYES AND CO., Auctioneers, Dungarvan.

SALES BY DALTON, BURKE & CO., AUCTIONEERS, CARRICK-ONSUR. TUESDAY, 30th DECEMBER, (Fair Day), IN MISS CULLINAN'S YARD, KILMACHTHOMAS.

20 In-calf Heifers, 5 Working Horses, 4 Cows, 2 and 3 years old; four 1 1/2 year old Black Polly Bullies, one 1 1/2 year old Colt by Luminary, 4 of the Dam by Royal Prince, one Rubber-tired Trap, also other Traps, Carts, Harness and various other Articles.

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Xmas Holidays.—All drapery, hardware, groceries and tobaccos in Dungarvan will be closed from Thursday, December 27th to Monday, January 1st, 1920.

SALES BY RYAN BROTHERS.

MOUNTAIN CASTLE, MODELIGO. IMPORTANT AUCTION OF 63 ACRES OF GOOD SOUND GRAZING.

RYAN BROS., under instructions from Mr. Patrick Walsh, Mount Odell, will sell by public auction, on his lands, AT MOUNTAIN CASTLE, ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 29th, 1919, At One o'clock.

The Grazing for 11 Months of 63 Acres of good sound Land in Lots, comprising—LOT 1—About 22 Acres.

These Lands are well known in the locality as of good sound quality, and both Lots are perfectly sheltered and fenced and contain a never-failing water supply. Terms and Conditions at Sale, 5 per Cent. Commission.

GLIDDANE, DUNGARVAN. IMPORTANT AUCTION OF 25 1/2 ACRES OF PRIME GRAZING LAND FOR 11 MONTHS AND 3 1/2 ACRES OF POOR ROOT CROPS.

RYAN BROS., under instructions from the Rep. of the late John Power, Ballyduff, Dungarvan, will sell by public auction, at the Court House, DUNGARVAN, ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1920, At 1 o'clock.

The Grazing for 11 Months of the Lands at GLIDDANE and 3 1/2 A. Ir. 22p. for a Root Crop on the following Lots—LOT 1—2 1/2 A. Ir. 14p. Grazing.

LOT 2—2 1/2 A. Ir. 22p. Root Crop. The above Land is well sheltered, fenced, contains a water supply, is of a very heavy grass growing nature, and is known in the district to be of the very best finishing quality. The Root Field is certain to give a good yield.

Terms and Conditions at Sale, 5 per Cent. Commission. BALLYDUFF, DUNGARVAN. IMPORTANT AUCTION OF 58 ACRES OF THE VERY PRIMEST GRAZING AND 5 1/2 ACRES OF FIRST-CROP RYE-GRASS.

RYAN BROS., under instructions from the Rep. of the late John Power, Ballyduff, will sell by public auction, at the Court House, DUNGARVAN, ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 2nd, 1920, At 1 o'clock.

The Grazing of 58 Acres at BALLYDUFF for a term of 11 Months, and 5 1/2 A. Ir. 20p. for Hay Crop in the following Lots—LOT 1—Quarry Field—3 Acres.

LOT 2—Ballyduff—2 1/2 A. Ir. 11p. LOT 3—Ballyduff—6 fidds—17 1/2 A. Ir. LOT 4—Ballyduff Lower—2 1/2 A. Ir. LOT 5—In First-crop Rye-grass—6 A. Ir. 20p.

These extremely rich Grazing Lands are exceptionally well fenced, sheltered and watered, and being situated within a mile of the town of Dungarvan, offer an opportunity to Graziers, Cattle Dealers, etc., of acquiring some of the best Patterning Land procurable within a convenient distance. The 5-acre grass Field promises a heavy crop.

Terms and Conditions at Sale, 5 per Cent. Commission. SCARTNACROOHA, BALLYDUFF. IMPORTANT AUCTION OF 90 ACRES OF GRAZING.

RYAN BROS., under instructions from the Rep. of the late Philip Cunningham, will sell, on the lands, AT SCARTNACROOHA, ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 9th, 1920, At Two o'clock.

The Grazing for 11 Months of 90 Acres of the fertile Lands at SCARTNACROOHA in Lots of from 5 to 15 Acres. Scartnacrooha is on the public road, one mile from the village of Ballyduff and seven from Fermoy.

The lands are well watered, sheltered and fenced and are noted in the district for their heavy grass-growing production of a fattening quality. Terms and Conditions at Sale, 5 per Cent. Commission.

LACKENFUNE, DUNGARVAN. HIGHLY IMPORTANT AUCTION OF PRIME GRAZING LANDS.

RYAN BROS., under instructions from John F. Moloney, Esq., will sell by public auction, ON SATURDAY, 3rd JANUARY, 1920, At 1 1/2 o'clock sharp.

The Grazing of Parts of the Lands of LACKENFUNE for 11 Months from the 3rd January, 1920, in Two Lots.

LOT 1—Part of the Lands of Lackenfune, in the County of Waterford, containing 2 1/2 Acres, Statute Measure, with in 1 1/2 Miles of Dungarvan.

LOT 2—Other part of the Lands of Lackenfune, in said county, containing 2 1/2 Acres, Statute Measure. These Lands are famous for their finishing qualities and are the best and richest ever offered in this district. There is a large cow-house on Lot 2, and adjoining outbuildings will be given to the purchaser of Lot 1 for his convenience. Terms and Conditions at Sale. B. A. RYAN, Esq., Solicitor, Dungarvan (having Carriage of Sale); or RYAN BROS., Auctioneers, Dungarvan.

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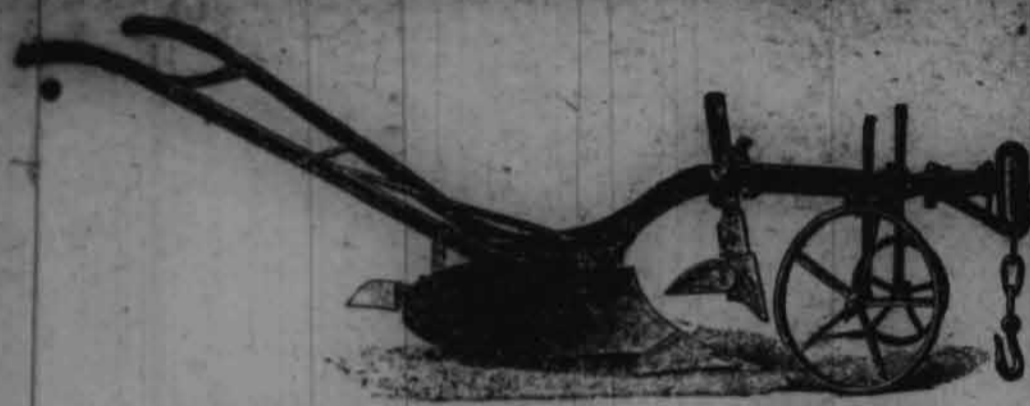
KILROSSANTY COURSING MEETING. Under the auspices of the Kilrossanty Coursing Club a Meeting will be held at Leamyhanna on New Year's Day. President—Mr. Thos. Veale. Vice-President—Mr. Ed. Walsh. Hon. Treas.—Mr. N. Dunphy. Hon. Sec.—Wm. Fitzgerald, Shanally. OPEN STAKE for 48 Dogs, all ages. Members, 2s.; Non-Members, 2s. 6d. 12 Stake 10s., 212 to Winner; 23 to Runner-up; Two Dogs 2s. each.

BALLYVANE, CAPPOQUIN. GRAZING TO LET. For Eleven Months, part of the Lands of BALLYVANE, in two Lots. LOT 1 containing 46 Acres and LOT 2, 21 Acres. These Lands are of the soundest quality. Both Lots are well watered, fenced and sheltered. For further particulars apply to the Owner, THOMAS L. SCANLAN, Ballyvane, Cappoquin.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PIG FEEDERS. After FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19th, no Pigs will be accepted at the above Factory until TUESDAY, DECEMBER 30th.



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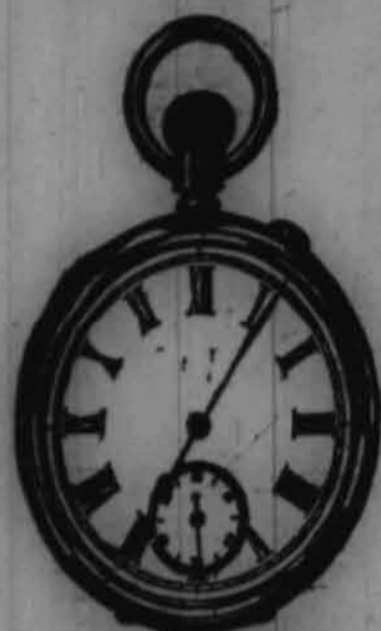
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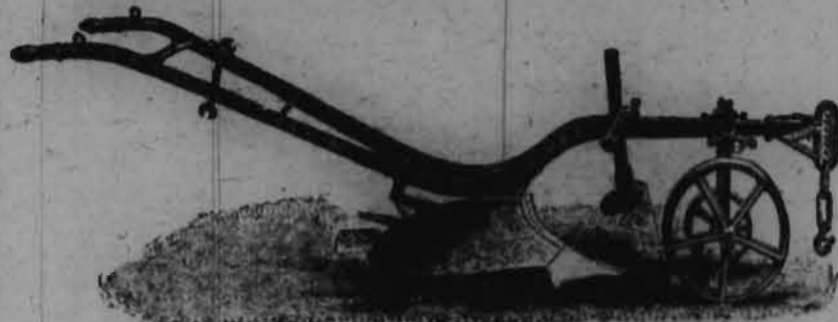
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