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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 26, 1925.

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Dungarvan Urban Council

A meeting of the above was held on Friday night. Mr. M. Brunock, P.C., chairman, presided.

Expenditure. The expenditure for the week was—General account, £55 12s. 11d.

Hawkers. After reading the minutes of the last meeting, Mr. McCarthy asked the minutes regarding the hawkers.

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Mr. McCarthy—Were the two hawkers on last fair-day an obstruction? Chairman—They actually drove the cattle off when they came.

Mr. McCarthy—Even the men who sell the clothes? Mr. P. J. McGrath—All of them.

Mr. Keane—Even if you delete obstruction from minutes it will not change the situation. You can proceed against them.

Mr. Griffin—The council thought the opinion of the board on it whether the minute is correct or not.

The voting was 6 for and 4 against. Two members did not vote. Tenders for Repairs to New Houses at Abbeyside.

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Mr. Butler—I pressed them very hard for that scheme, but they would not put up the £2,500. Another aspect of the case is this.

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CAPPOQUIN NOTES.

St. Stephen's Day.—All roads lead to Cappoquin on St. Stephen's Day for what promises to be one of the most enjoyable and successful courting meetings ever held on the splendid Carriek Court, about 10 minutes' walk from the town.

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Mr. M. J. Sargent had to travel specially to Dublin last week to bring down a magnificent car of this make to the special order of the Lord Abbot of Mount Mellis Abbey, and other buyers are awaiting delivery of the same reliable and high-grade cars.

A Distinguished Priest.—The Very Rev. Richard Colleder, P.P., Surry Hills, Sydney, a native of Newcastle, New South Wales, who had been home on a year's holiday, left for his distant parish recently feeling greatly recuperated in health as a result of his well-earned rest with his relatives and the bracing air of his native Modigliano.

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BESTOWING THE RED HAT.

A public consistor was held in St. Peter's on Thursday last. The basilica was packed to the utmost for the impressive ceremony of conferring the red hat on the new cardinals, while the piazza in front of the basilica and the surrounding streets presented a singularly animated appearance.

Special tribunals were erected in the basilica for members of the aristocracy, the family of the kings, and those reserved for distinguished visitors. In the Chapel of the Sacrament was erected the Papal throne of red and gold, flanked on the right by the tabernacle, those gorgeous feather fans which give to solemn Papal functions a mystic and at the same time Oriental aspect.

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CINEMAS.

To the Editor of the "Observer." Bishop's House, John's Hill, Waterford. 21st December, 1925.

Dear Mr. Editor—As there seems to be some misapprehension regarding my views on the question of the opening of Cinemas on Sunday evenings, I shall be grateful if you publish enclosed letter to Mr. Hill, which speaks for itself.—Yours faithfully, BERNARD HACKETT, Bishop of Waterford & Lismore.

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DEATH OF MR. PATRICK RYAN, DUNMOON, TALLOW.

One of the most popular and oldest members of the farming community in the person of Mr. Patrick Ryan, Dunmoon, Tallow, has passed away fully fortified by the rites of Holy Church and at the ripe old age of 88 years. For upwards of a quarter of a century he was a respected member of the old Board of Guardians at Lismore. His late wife, a devoted Irish woman, whose heart and purse were both associated with the fight for the land, died in the recent struggle for Irish freedom when the hospitality of deceased was widely known. In truth it may be said he done the part of one of Ireland's best sons. His remains were laid to rest at Kilmacnamona cemetery and were attended by a large crowd.

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IRISH CULTURE.

Irish Culture.—For some time past a committee of the Gaelic League has been considering the desirability of organising Irish cultural classes for Dungarvan. In view of the splendid work now being done in the schools, it is felt that a course of instruction more essentially cultural should be undertaken by the Gaelic League, especially for boys and girls of school-leaving age. After many meetings a syllabus has been agreed upon, a very distinguished teacher has been engaged, and help has been given by more than one whose reputation in educational matters is more than local. Arrangements are now almost complete, and in the early days of the New Year it is hoped to publish a complete prospectus of the work.

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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the Statutes in that behalf that the Rev. Palk, Byrne, and Abbeyside, Dungarvan, in the County of Waterford, Parish of St. Peter, who died on the 23rd September, 1925, by his last Will dated 17th May, 1924, made the following bequest:—To his Trustees and Executors all the property that he might be possessed of or entitled to for charitable purposes, objects and uses as they (his Trustees and Executors) in their discretion should deem fit.

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CAPPOQUIN ROWING CLUB.

ANNUAL XMAS EVE ALL-NIGHT DANCE. Will be held at the BOATHOUSE ON SUNDAY NIGHT, 27th DECEMBER. Special Musical Programme by the NIGHTINGALE ORCHESTRA. DANCING AT 9.30. Admission—Gents, 2s. 6d.; Ladies, 1s. 6d.

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A Good Gun deserves a Good Cartridge. Try our Cartridges next day out. Once used always used. We can supply you with any size Cartridge, Bore, or any number Shot you fancy, all manufactured by Messrs. Nobel Industries, Ltd., of London. We stock and recommend the following noted Brands:—




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Also 10, 16 and 410 Bore always in Stock. Shoot straight with any of the above and you will have no runners. Call and inspect our large Stock of Single and Double-barrel Shot Guns from 4in. up. Sole Agent in the District for the famous B.S.A. and Vickers Guns and Rifles. Gun Repairs of all descriptions carried out. PROMPT DELIVERY AND PRICES RIGHT.

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We will help you to solve the Gift Problem. Here are some useful suggestions:—

Fancy Slippers for the Kiddies, Felix and Ponce designs in collapsible boxes, 3s 3d, 3s 6d and 3s 9d per pair.  
Ladies' Satin-quilted Slippers in shades of blue, rose, marve and black, with felt soles, 4s 6d per pair.  
Gent's Fancy Check Camel-hair Slippers, felt and leather soles, 4s 6d and 4s 9d per pair. Bookies, 8s 11d per pair.  
Gent's Hair Brushes in strong leather cases (ideal gifts), 4s 6d, 7s 6d, 10s 6d, 16s 9d and 16s 6d each.  
Ladies' Fancy Manicure Sets in plush or satin-lined cases, 2s, 4s 6d, 5s 9d, 6s 11d, 9s 6d, 10s 6d and 18s 6d each.  
Ladies' and Gent's Dressing Cases, beautifully fitted, black and brown Morocco cases, gifts that always please, 10s 6d, 15s, 22s 6d, 29s 6d, 38s 6d, 47s 6d and 56s 6d each.  
Gent's Finest Leather Pocket Wallets and Note Cases, true to please, 4s 6d, 5s 6d, 6s 6d, 7s 6d, 8s 6d and 9s each.  
Ladies' Silk Crepe-de-Chene and Artificial Silk Scarves, newest designs in beautiful colorings, 3s 11d, 4s 11d, 5s 11d, 7s 11d, 10s 6d, 12s 11d and 16s 11d each.  
Ladies' New Style Eton Jumpers in Wool and Silk Stockette (gifts that ladies like), 5s 11d, 6s 11d, 12s 11d, 16s 11d and 22s 6d each.  
Choice Assortment of Tea Cosies in embroidered and painted designs, all shapes and sizes, 4s 6d, 5s 6d, 6s 6d, 7s 6d, 8s 9d and 10s 6d each.  
Beautiful Selection of Cushions in printed velvet, fancy satin and silk tapestries, round, square, pillow and bolster shapes (most acceptable of gifts), 3s 9d, 4s 6d, 5s 9d, 6s 11d, 8s 6d, 10s 6d, 15s 9d, 16s 6d and 23s 6d.  
Travelling Rugs, good fleecy quality, broad check design, Irish made, 22s 6d and 29s 6d each.  
Ladies' Fancy-embroidered and Drawn-thread-work Handkerchiefs in gift boxes, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 11d, 2s 6d, 3s 6d, 4s 6d, 5s 6d and 7s 6d per box.  
Writing Cases and Gift Cabinets of Stationery, 2s 6d, 3s 6d, 4s 6d, 5s 9d, 7s 6d and 8s 6d upwards.  
Gent's Silk and Poplin Ties, also Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs, in latest designs and Jazz colours, etc., 1s 6d, 2s 6d, 3s 6d, 5s 9d, 4s 9d, 5s 6d and 6s 6d.  
Choice Selection of Fancy Linen Goods, Table Covers, Tea Cloths, Sideboard Cloths, Nightdress Cases, B. and C. Bags, etc., from 1s 6d to 12s 6d.  
Christmas and New Year's Cards, Writing Pads, Compendiums, Stationery, Pencils, Fountain Pens and Inkstands, etc., in great variety.  
Post Orders receive Prompt and Careful Attention.

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Grand Xmas Bazaar.

The Young Folks must visit "TOYLAND" which is now in full swing. Wonderful New Attractions for the Xmas Season. Come and see for yourselves where all the very latest and best in German, French and British Toys are to be seen, including Dolls, Trains, Games, Teddy Bears, Clock Animals, Mechanical Toys in great variety from 6d to 10s, Mechanical Christmas Lightening Sets.

All the latest in XMAS ANNUALS, Fancy Goods of all descriptions.

We are Agents for "SWAN" PENS and have at present a wonderful stock, ranging from 6s to 50s. Xmas Cards and Calendars.

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**FINAL NOTICE**—Anyone caught in pursuit of game with other guns or dogs on any land in my possession will be prosecuted.—C. Nugent Hubble.

**FOLDING TABLES WITH GREEN BAIZE TOPS, SUITABLE FOR WHIST DRIVES. PRICE 5/- EACH. SAMPLES SUPPLIED.**

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**NOTICE.**  
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

The exclusive right of coursing, shooting and sporting over the Estate formerly owned by the late Mr. W. McGwire, comprising the lands of Glonea Lower, Glonea Middle, Dunsallagh and Tallacoolmore, now in the occupation of Messrs. M. Foley, P. Meaney, D. Casey, M. Power, et al, is held by me.

Any person found on the lands in pursuit of game, shooting or sporting, without my permission will be prosecuted.

J. BOWEN, B.E.  
Glonea Castle, Dungarvan,  
9th December, 1925.

**BRODERICK'S GREAT SALE**

BIG REDUCTIONS IN BOOTS, SHOES AND LEGGINGS.

LATEST IN LADIES' AND GENTS' WINTER COATS AND WARM CARDIGANS.

LADIES' AND GENTS' UNDERWEAR AT HALF-PRICE NOW.

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**COUNTY WATERFORD FARMERS' UNION.**

GRAND **DANCE** IN THE TOWN HALL, DUNGARVAN, ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29th, 1925.

MUSIC BY DUNGARVAN ORCHESTRAL BAND.

EXCELLENT CATERING.

DANCING AT 9.30 p.m.

Tickets—Gents, 10s.; Ladies, 8s.

President—T. Flynn, Esq. Hon. Treas.—D. Dempsey, Esq. Hon. Secs.—Messrs. N. Beresford and P. Egan.

**TALLOW COB AND PONY RACES.**

Will be Held ON ST. STEPHEN'S DAY, DECEMBER 29th, 1925. Over a splendid Course convenient to the town.

Programme.

2.0 p.m.—THE SUBSCRIBERS' PLATE OF 27. Second to receive 21 out of Stake. An Open Race for Ponies 13-3 and under. Catch Weights. Distance about 1 1/2 miles. Entrance Fee 5s.

2.30 p.m.—THE VISITORS' PLATE OF 20. Second to receive 22 out of Stake. An Open Race for Cobs and Ponies 13-2 and under. Weights, 9st. 7lbs. Winner of one race to carry 7lbs., of 2 or more races, 10lbs. extra. Distance about 2 1/2 miles. Entrance Fee 5s.

3.0 p.m.—THE COMMITTEE PLATE OF 28. Second to receive 21 out of Stake. An Open Race for Ponies 14 hands and under. Weights, 9st. Penalties, same as second race. Distance about 2 miles. Entrance Fee 5s.

3.30 p.m.—TALLOW PLATE OF 210. Second to receive 22 out of Stake. An Open Race for Cobs and Ponies 13 hands and under. Weights, 10st. Penalties, same as second race. Distance about 2 1/2 miles. Entrance Fee 5s.

Conditions same as last year. Entries close 1st post on TUESDAY, 22nd DECEMBER with T. FLYNN, Hon. Sec.

**ARTIFICIAL TEETH (Old)** wanted, 4s. per Tooth on Metal; up to 43 for Vulcanite Sets; prompt cash. Old Jewellery bought.—O'Hara, Thurman St., Nottingham.

**POISON NOTICE**—The Lands of Dr. Mac, Bleanabree and Town Park, Lismore, in my possession are poisoned for the protection of sheep.—M. McGrath.

**NOTICE**—Any person or persons found trespassing on the lands of Kilmacshingaun, in my possession with guns or dogs or any other way will be prosecuted.—James Quinn.

**Xmas Sale at Meagher's MILLINERY.**

Commencing 12th Dec., of

Dresses of Felt and Velvet Hats at greatly reduced prices; also Jumpers in Crepe-de-Chene and Wool, Pull-overs, Blouses, Cardigans, Hosiery and Underwear. A Visit will repay you.

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For further particulars apply to JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Esq., Solr., Dungarvan; or to HAYDS AND SONS, Auctioneers, Dungarvan.

**NOTICE**—The Woods of Inchidula, in my possession, are strictly preserved, and any person found trespassing with dogs and guns will be prosecuted.—By Order of Owner.

**OLD PARISH COURSING CLUB.**

The above Club will hold their ANNUAL MEETING

ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 7th.

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Notice is hereby given that written particulars of all Claims against the Estate of the deceased, who died on or about the 24th September, 1925, must be furnished to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors by the 29th January, 1926. Immediately thereafter the said Estate will be distributed regard being had only to the Claims then received.

Dated this 18th day of December, 1925.

HENRY D. KEANE, Solicitor (for the Executors), 21 O'Connell Street, Waterford.

**NOTICE**—The Lands of Knockalara, in my possession, are strictly preserved, and anyone found trespassing will be prosecuted.—John Glysson.

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**Kilmacshingaun News**

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Youghal Urban Council.

Present—Messrs. M. Whelan, chairman; J. R. Smyth, P.C.; T. Harrington, W. Coughlan, T. Curran, J. Troy, P. J. O'Gorman, P.C.; R. C. Farrell, S. A. Little, Merrick, A. J. Fowkes, P. Kenneally, A. W. D. Murphy, J. Bennett, vice-chairman; P. J. McMahon, P.C.; M. J. Fleming, W. J. Broderick.

Wages. On the proposition of Mr. Harrington, seconded by Mr. Curran, a cheque for £54 15s. 10d., wages, etc., for the week was passed.

The New Water Supply. Mr. D. J. O'Mahony, city analyst, forwarded a certificate of analysis of a sample of the new supply, which included the following observation—"This is an upland surface water of good quality. The organic matter is mostly of vegetable origin. A good deal of vegetable matter has been removed by storage and filtration. In its present condition it is quite suitable for drinking and domestic purposes."

The certificate was declared "very satisfactory."

Mr. McMahon—"Well drink more in future."

Mr. O'Gorman—"It will relieve the minds of the people."

Chairman—"Now we have quantity and quality."

Mr. Troy—"And you can drink it without adding any 'Paddy Flaherty' (laughter)."

Chairman—"If you had a little it would do no harm (laughter)."

Acknowledgment. The following was read and ordered to be inserted in the minutes—

Dear Mr. Walsh—Will you please convey my most grateful thanks to the Youghal Urban District Council for the kind sympathy extended to me and my little children in our great loss? Accept my thanks for your own expressions of sympathy also. Sincerely yours,

K. M. Higgins. Town Superintendent.

Sanctioned. The following letter was read: A Chara—The Minister for Local Government and Public Health has had under inquiry your letter of the 15th ult., and I am to inform you that he has approved of the appointment of Mr. James Troy as sanitary sub-officer, town superintendent and hackney car inspector in the Youghal Urban District on probation for six months, with an aggregate remuneration at the rate of £136 10s. per annum—Miss Le mas,

L. C. Smith. Ar Son Runáidhe.

Combined letter was read from the Department of U.G. (Trade Branch), 2nd December, 1925. A Chara—We have not had a reply to our circular sent on the 15th October asking for suggestions as to any changes or alterations which you might think advisable to make in existing standards. We will be glad if you will let us have your reply by return of post. In case you have no suggestions to offer and consider the present standards satisfactory, please reply to this effect—Miss Le mas,

C. Ni Sionáin. The Clerk said the letter referred to the combined purchasing scheme.

Mr. Smyth—Reply stating that we are doing our own housekeeping.

Mr. O'Gorman—And that the money we spend we will spend locally.

Mr. Smyth—Quite right—spent locally.

Present—Messrs. M. Whelan, chairman; J. Bennett, vice-chairman; R. C. Farrell, M. J. Fleming, T. Curran, J. Troy, T. Harrington, M. B. Broderick, W. Coughlan, J. R. Smyth, P.C.; P. Kenneally, A. J. Fowkes, P. J. McMahon, P.C.; P. J. O'Gorman, P.C.; A. W. D. Murphy.

The meeting first took up the business of the

HARBOUR BOARD. Mr. C. P. Carroll, harbour master, was in attendance.

"Deputy Harbour-master." The Vice-chairman said he had read in the "Dungarvan Observer" that the Waterford County Council had given a grant of £500 for the purpose of improving the berth at Youghal Bridge.

The report stated that the "Deputy Harbour-master" of Youghal had said the berth in question could be made safe. That board had issued a notice of warning regarding the use of that berth by vessels. He would like to know who was the "deputy harbour-master."

The Harbour-master said that Mr. O'Brien who had made the speech introduced that to strengthen his case. There was no such official connected with the Youghal Harbour Board.

Mr. Smyth—And you gave nobody authority to act in that capacity? Harbour-master—No, sir. Mr. O'Brien took it on himself to use that expression without any authority.

thority. Vice-Chairman—Had anybody any authority to act on your part? Harbour-master—No, sir. Nobody had any authority whatsoever.

Youghal Bridge. Mr. Broderick said they had the unpleasant experience a short time ago of having the bridge rendered unavailable owing to a vessel trying to go up without a pilot. Would it not be well to call on both the County Council of Waterford and Cork to take the necessary steps to prevent a recurrence and insist on vessels taking a pilot going up the river?

The Chairman said that was a very reasonable suggestion. Mr. Farrell said that was a very big question seeing that they had no certified pilots. Would the board be held responsible if anything happened?

Mr. Broderick—Can anybody go up without a pilot? Harbour-master—Yes, at his own risk.

The Chairman said they might call on the caretaker of the bridge to be more careful when opening the swing portion.

After further discussion the Chairman suggested that the question be referred to their solicitors, Messrs. Hodnett.

The Town Clerk said the matter was referred, on a former occasion, to their solicitors, who gave it as their opinion that the place was outside their jurisdiction, but that it was within the province of the harbour-master to say whether the berth was safe.

Mr. Smyth—That clears the air.

Finance. A long discussion took place on the financial condition of the board, there being a credit balance of over £200 in the bank.

The Chairman said that there was a notice of motion by Mr. McMahon to pay the Urban Council on account of the big bill they owed for the lighting of the quays.

Mr. Farrell said some of the members seemed very anxious to pay away the fund which were urgently required to keep one berth at least in an efficient condition. At the present rate it might take a very large sum to keep the berths in proper order.

Mr. Smyth agreed with Mr. Farrell.

Mr. Broderick said the upkeep of the quays was a most important matter for the town.

Ultimately Mr. McMahon withdrew his notice, and it was decided to put aside £100 as the nucleus of a fund for the improvement of the berths, etc.

The meeting then took up the ordinary business.

Wages. A cheque for £141 13s. for the week's wages was passed on the proposition of Mr. Curran, seconded by Mr. Fleming.

Committee Reports. Reports of the Gas and Water and Improvements Committees were read and adopted.

Dangerous Water Channel. Mr. Farrell called attention to the danger of the water channel along the narrow portion of the promenade, especially on dark evenings.

The Clerk said that matter had been previously raised by Mr. Coughlan, but the Improvements Committee thought it would cost too much to fill it partly in.

Mr. Farrell said the channel would be quite as effective if it were not so deep. A number of persons had hurt themselves by stepping into it.

On the Chairman's suggestion the matter was referred to the Town Surveyor for an estimate of the probable cost.

Price of Coke. Mr. Fowkes called attention to the price the council charged for coke—50s. per ton. It was too dear for the poor, who principally used it.

The Chairman said that formerly there were two prices—one for the poorer people, who bought small quantities, and a higher price for the other consumers. However, the arrangement didn't work well and they had to give it up.

Mr. Smyth agreed with Mr. Fowkes. It was too dear considering the price of coal.

Mr. Fowkes handed in notice to consider the question.

Late Mr. D. McCarthy. Mr. O'Gorman proposed a vote of sympathy with Rev. M. McCarthy, Huddersfield, and the other members of the family on the death of their father, the late Mr. Daniel McCarthy. He was an old and deservedly respected Youghal man.

Mr. McMahon seconded. The late Mr. McCarthy was an old and worthy public man.

The Clerk desired to be associated with the vote.

Mr. O'Gorman supported the proposition. His son was a valued member of that board for many years.

WATERFORD COUNTY BOARD OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

A meeting of the above was held in the Courthouse, Dungarvan, on Wednesday last. Mr. J. Kiersey presided. Also present—Mrs. White, Messrs. J. O'Donnell, R. Delaney, J. P. McAuliffe, D. Conway and T. Tracey.

Arising out of the appointment of locum tenens for doctors on holidays, a letter was read from Dr. Wm. O'Keefe stating he was prepared to act as locum in any part of the county.

Mr. Conway—There is an order made to give preference to doctors who had no other appointments, and he proposed that Dr. O'Keefe be appointed to Kilmac-thomas dispensary district, while Dr. Foley was on leave.

Mr. Kiersey seconded the proposition, which was passed unanimously.

Insurance. A letter was read from the Secretary County Councils General Council enclosing a scheme of insurance proposed by that body for all public bodies in Ireland.

After a short discussion the board approved of the scheme.

Bonmahon Dispensary Residence. Mr. Jephson, B.E., reported that the above required repairs. He estimated the cost of work at £18. The board decided to advertise for tenders.

Seskinane Dispensary. Dr. Mulanny wrote re the carrying out of repairs to the above. Secretary—We advertised for a contractor for that work, but got none. The engineer's estimate was £11.

After discussion the Secretary was ordered to ask Dr. Mulanny to try and get the work done inside the estimate himself.

Billposting in Lismore District. Secretary—The old arrangement in the above district for billposting was the billposter got an annual sum for doing the work. Some work was sent there lately for which there is an account that nearly amounts to the yearly sum paid before. He suggested a certain sum should be allowed for each dispensary district.

The board decided to allow 7/6 for each posting in all districts.

Rathgormack Dispensary. The report of Mr. J. O'Donnell (who was deputed at last meeting to inspect the above) was read. The walls of the dispensary needed repairs, the roof was leaking badly, and the range and one window should also be repaired.

In connection with the matter a tender was received for £5, which was accepted subject to the contractor including the range and window in the work.

Compounder's Salary. Mr. Kiersey moved the notice of motion standing in his name to rescind the order made granting an increase of salary to the compounder at Peter street dispensary, Waterford.

On a show of hands the motion was passed, Mr. Tracey not voting.

Standing Orders. Mr. Conway proposed that the board adopt the principle of the County Council Standing Orders.

Chairman—Have we any Standing Orders? Secretary—No, not yet.

Mr. O'Donnell—To get it done right will it not require notice of motion? Secretary—It would be better.

Mr. Conway then handed in notice of motion for next meeting.

Boarded-Out Children. Mr. Delaney said he was asked to bring forward a matter re boarded-out children. He understood that formerly the sum of £6 was allowed for boots, clothes, and when they are bought there is nothing left for repairs to boots or clothes. He knew a case where a very poor man had to spend his own money on repairs. The man offered to look the children on the express agreement that he was to get £6.

Secretary—That is the first complaint I heard on that system. In any case very poor people are not entitled to get boarded-out children. He thought foster-parents who would not mend the children's clothes would not be suitable, but boots were different. He suggested a supplementary estimate in a case of the kind in future.

The sincere sympathy of the whole community.

A Blank Cheque. The Clerk asked for a blank cheque to pay the wages next week as there would be no meeting. He wished them all a Happy Christmas.

The Members—The same to you.

Season's Greetings. The Chairman said that was their last meeting before the holidays he wished them all the compliments of the season.

Mr. O'Gorman said the wish was reciprocated by all the board (hear, hear).

The meeting then adjourned.

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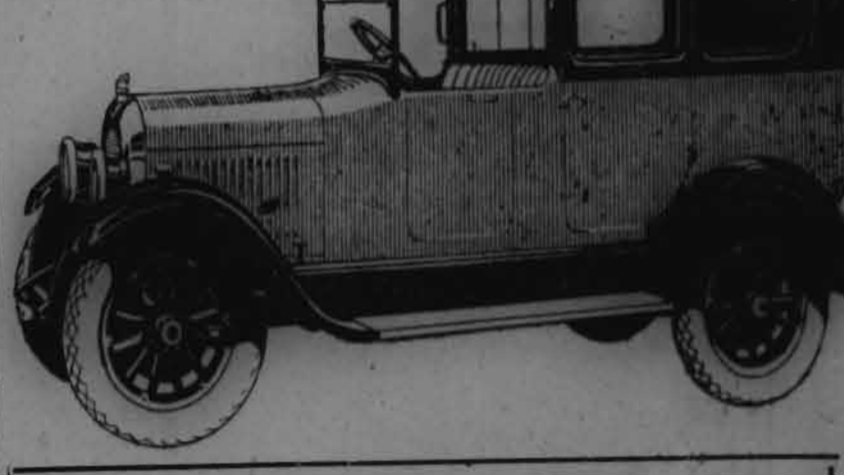


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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Christmas in the Churches.—In the Parish Church, Dungarvan, there will be midnight Mass on Thursday night at which a special orchestra will render the sacred music, while on Xmas Day there will be Masses at 6, 6.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, and Solemn High Mass at 11 a.m. It is now 25 years since there was midnight Mass in the Parish Church, and the parishioners are delighted that such a Mass should usher in the great feast.

At St. Augustine's Masses on Xmas Day will be celebrated at 6, 6.30, 8, 8.30, 9, 9.30, 10, and Solemn High Mass at 11 o'clock. At Abbesside Masses will be at 7 o'clock, 8 and 10 on Xmas Day. At the Parish Church, Dungarvan; The Friary and at Abbesside beautiful cribs have been erected, which are sure to be the objects of much admiration and admiration.

Xmas Trade.—The Xmas season this year has been a true reflex of the state of the country. On all sides one hears the same story of slackness of trade and shortage of money. The depression of the times is everywhere evident, and no truer index of the general state of the country's prosperity can be found than in the ebb and flow of business at this season when no matter how the world wags at other times purse strings are opened as wide as their limits allow. Last week the Bank of Ireland cleared the clearances of the Banks in the Free State for 50 weeks this year had shown a falling off of £15,000,000, and that falling off is proof of the deterioration of trade and the consequent spending capacity of the people at large. Oppressive taxation at home, coupled with world competition in the markets, have succeeded in reducing our country to the poor place it now occupies, and unless drastic steps are taken to curtail the ever-increasing burden on the people, the whole fabric of the State will collapse some day.

Grand Whist Drive.—On Monday night there was a grand Whist Drive in the Town Hall in aid of St. Vincent De Paul Society. The attendance was very large, 50 tables being filled. Mr. J. Flynn, Pike, won 1st prize (a fat turkey) for men, and Mr. T. Morrissey, Main street, 2nd prize. For ladies, Miss Croly, Mountain Villas, won 1st prize (a fat turkey). Miss Tierney, National Bank and Miss Lynch, Ballylemon, tied for 2nd place, and a Miss Lynch won. Miss M. Cummins, Square, won 3rd prize.

St. Stephen's Day.—On St. Stephen's Day quite a number of coursing fixtures will take place, and Cappoquin and Stradbally venues will find big support. In both places the stakes have overflowed, so that with the best of dogs and the committees having provided strong hares and made all arrangements perfect, the coursing meetings at Cappoquin and Stradbally this year should be of the most enjoyable kind and well worthy of the patronage of his holiday crowds.

Death of Mr. John Fleming, Main Street, Dungarvan.—We regret to announce the death of Mr. John Fleming, Main street, Dungarvan, which occurred at his residence on Sunday last fortified by the rites of Holy Church and to the great grief of his bereaved widow and the members of his family. The late Mr. Fleming, who was in the very prime of life, had spent many years in tropical Africa as an engineer, and retiring a few years ago he settled down in Dungarvan. He was an upright and honourable young man, held in the highest esteem by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, and who now regrets his early demise. He was sprung from a most respected family and was brother of Mr. E. Fleming, auctioneer. He was seized a few weeks ago with an illness which proved fatal, and he passed away to the great regret of all who know him. To his bereaved widow, mother, brother, sister and relatives, deep sympathy is extended. On Monday evening the remains were removed to the Parish Church, Dungarvan, and were followed by a large and representative cortege. On Tuesday the funeral took place to the family burial ground, Clashmore, the attendance of the general public being very large and in keeping with the esteem in which deceased and his family are held. R.I.P.

Dairy Shorthorn Congress.—On Tuesday next, December 29th, at Mallow, the fifth annual Congress of the Irish Dairy Shorthorn Breeders' Society will be held and an enormous attendance of delegates is expected. The agenda for the Congress is very important and deals with such subjects of deep concern to the dairy farmers. Several interesting papers will also be read by experts.

Beet Growing.

In view of the importance of beet growing in the County Waterford to supply the new Beet Factory being established in Carlow, quite a number of farmers are very anxious to obtain full particulars as to the prospects of beet growing in the coming year. We are glad to hear that representatives of Messrs. Lippens, the Belgian firm, will attend meetings in this county early in the New Year. The soil of the County Waterford is in the main very suitable for the cultivation of this crop, and the yields obtained under the unfavourable conditions this year on the 20 experimental plots in the county indicate a very reasonable margin for the grower after production costs and freight charges are deducted. We have all read of the propaganda work being done and the interest taken by the farmers in the growing of this crop in the Leinster Counties, and we want the farmers of this county to keep alive to its possibilities, as there is no doubt that auxiliary factories will be started in the course of the next few years, and we see no reason why if the farmers here take up the cultivation of the beet crop that the centre for one such factory should not be the County Waterford. Of course this is a matter which rests altogether with the farmers themselves. In the meantime we would suggest that those concerned should discuss the project in all its bearings while waiting for the presence of the factory representatives in this county. The railway freights for beet from the County Waterford to Carlow are very reasonable, viz.:—Dungarvan Station, 7s. 6d. per ton; Kilmacothomas, 6s. 8d.; Carroll's Cross, 6s. 3d.; Kilmeehan, 6s. 1d.

G.A.A. Appeal.—At the meeting of the Waterford County Board G.A.A. on Sunday the appeal of Ring against Clashmore in the senior football final for the West Division was heard, and after a full debate the appeal of Ring was upheld by 10 votes to 4.

Musical Success of Dungarvan Lady.—At an examination held on 14th December at the Shelbourne Hotel, Dublin, by the London College of Music for the Degree of Associate (A.L.C.M.) Miss Fanny O'Keefe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O'Keefe, Western Terrace, Dungarvan, and a pupil of the Mercy Convent, Dungarvan, brilliantly passed her pianoforte examination and secured her degree with distinction, entitling her to receive the "Cap and Gown" for musical ability. The examiner was F. T. Karm, Mus. Bac. Contab. Doctor of Music, Toronto. The success of Miss O'Keefe is a striking tribute to the efficiency of the teaching at the Mercy Convent, and is only in keeping with the great achievements won in every branch of education at this institution of which Dungarvan is so justly proud. Miss O'Keefe is undoubtedly a musical genius, but her genius has not been directed along sound lines to obtain specific results, and that was done in no uncertain manner by the brilliant music teachers in whose charge she has been for years. We congratulate Miss O'Keefe and the Mercy Convent on the brilliant success which they have obtained in open competition.

Hurling Final at Dungarvan.—On Sunday last at the Gaelic Grounds, Dungarvan, there was a very interesting hurling game between Tallow and Ballyduff met in the junior final hurling championship for the county. Tallow, the winners of the West Division, were favourites, while the Eastern Champions, Ballyduff, were also well in the running. There was a good attendance present, and the day being very fine, a fast and scientific game was witnessed. After an hour of fast and clean hurling, the score of 2 goals 2 points to 2 goals for Ballyduff. Mr. L. Condon refereed.

Farmers' Dance.—On Tuesday, December 29th, a grand dance under the auspices of the Farmers' Union will be held in the Town Hall, Dungarvan. The Dungarvan Orchestral Band specially augmented and with full jazz effects and conducted by Mr. M. J. McHugh, handmaster, will supply the music, so that the dance should be in every way a complete success. Tickets can be had from the hon. sec. The following is the special musical programme to be played by the Dungarvan Orchestral Band on the occasion.—Foxrot, Sunny Strada; One-step, American Matley; Waltz, Nightingale; Foxrot, Drake Lady; One-step, Toy Drum Major; Quadrilles, Selected; Foxrot, In Between the Showers; One-step, Old Comrades; Waltz, Rivers Hoop; Foxrot, My Best Girl; Foxrot, Tessie, Son Tossin'; Me, One-step, Savoy English Medley; Lancers, Selected; Foxrot, You're So Near and Yet So Far; One-step, The King isn't King Any More; Waltz, I Love the Maiden; Foxrot, Yes, Sir, That's My Baby; One-step, California; Quadrilles, Selected; Foxrot, I Want to Get Married.

Farmers' Union. DUNGARVAN BRANCH. A Meeting of the Dungarvan Branch Irish Farmers' Union will be held at the COURTHOUSE, DUNGARVAN, on WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6th, 1926, at 12 o'clock. (After last Mass) To elect Officers and Committee for the year 1926 and any other business that may require attention. BALLYDUFF, DUNGARVAN. TO BE LET For 41 months from the 1st February, 1926, the Lands of Ballyduff and Ballyrean, well watered, sheltered and fenced. For all particulars apply to Mr. J. H. O'Sullivan, Secretary County Council, Dungarvan, 22nd Dec. 1925.

WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1925, AND THE RATING OF NEW BUILDINGS ORDER, 1925. Notice is hereby given that for the purposes of the Assessment and making of Rates for the local financial year between the 1st day of April, 1925, and the 31st day of April, 1926, the County Council are about to make a New Buildings List, being a list of buildings deemed by them to be new buildings within the meaning of Section 60 of the Local Government Act, 1925, namely:— (1) Buildings, the erection of which was or shall have been begun and completed during the period from the 1st day of April, 1925, to the 31st day of April, 1927; and (2) Buildings, the structures of which have been substantially enlarged or improved and the enlargement or improvement of which was or shall have been begun and completed during the period from the 1st day of April, 1925, to the 31st day of April, 1927.

The valuation of which under the Valuation Acts shall be for the purposes of the assessment and levying of any Rate raised by the said County Council for the service of any of the said local financial years be deemed to have been reduced by two-thirds. The Act does not apply to houses provided under the Housing of the Working Classes (Ireland) Acts, 1890 to 1921; the Labourers (Ireland) Acts, 1883 to 1919; the Housing (Building Facilitates) Act, 1924, or the Housing Act, 1925, in which the provisions of Section 8 (2) apply. Applications on the prescribed form (obtainable from the undersigned) for the inclusion of buildings in the New Buildings List should reach my Office not later than Saturday, the 9th January, 1926. J. H. O'SULLIVAN, Secretary County Council, County Secretary's Office, Dungarvan, 22nd Dec. 1925.

Thanks! We thank all our good Friends and Customers for kind orders during our first year in Youghal (The Cash Drapery Stores, 121 North Main Street), and we respectfully invite them to call during Xmas week and buy some of our Attractive and Dainty Goods at Bargain Prices and secure one of our exquisite and useful Xmas gifts. A Christmas Box to every buyer of 10s. worth. Cash Drapery Stores, 121, North St., YOUGHAL.

ANNUAL DANCE Will be held at THE HALL, HALFWAY HOUSE, BALLYMACARRRY, SUNDAY, DECEMBER 27th. MUSIC BY DUNGARVAN ORCHESTRA. Tickets—Double, 10s.; Genis, 6s.; Ladies, 5s. DANCING AT 9 p.m. MAIN STREET, LISMORE. FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY. SPACIOUS RESIDENCE AND SHOP. TENDERS will be received up to the 7th January, 1926, by the undersigned, on behalf of Mr. Maurice McCarthy (who is taking up an appointment), for the purchase of his valuable interest in the Premises, which are held under Lease for an unexpired term of 65 years, of the nominal ground rent of 4s. The Shop has a double front, and is situated in the best business position in the Main street. Immediate possession given. ANTHONY CARROLL, 8 Heiler, Fermoy.

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PRELIMINARY NOTICE. BALLYDUFF HOUSE, KILMEADON, CO. WATERFORD. AUCTION OF EXCELLENT RESIDENTIAL FARM OF 149a. 2r. 16p., Statute Measure, Held in Fee-Simple. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION, On the Lands, Ballyduff East, Kilmeehan, Co. Waterford, By instructions of Mr. Augustine Goff, who is retiring from farming, On Wednesday, 20th January, 1926. (Unless previously disposed of by Private Treaty). The excellent Residential Farm situated at Kilmeehan, 6 miles from Waterford, close to Railway Station, Creamery, Church and Schools, containing 149a. 2r. 16p., statute measure, of prime land, well sheltered, fenced and watered, together with Residence and Out-offices. Held in Fee-Simple, subject to annuity payable to Irish Land Commission of £57 4s. Free of Equities. Poor Law Valuation £143 10s. Particulars later. PETER O'CONNOR, Solicitor, O'Connell St., Waterford; JOHN D. PALMER, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer, Catherine Street, Waterford.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF SALE For Thomas Killy, Esq., Fruithill, Dungarvan. Highly Important Dispersal Sale of Registered and Tested Dairy Stock, viz.:— 25 Choice young dairy cows (in calf), including 4 Registered Cows and Test of several others given at Sale. 8 Two and a half year old heifers in calf. 10 One and a half year old heifers. 3 Three-year-old heifers in calf. All above Lots in calf to Dairy Shorthorn Bull. 75-gallon Lily Separator in perfect working order. Full particulars, best issue. EDWARD FLEMING, Auctioneer, Dungarvan.

KILNAPREHAN, DUNGARVAN. HIGHLY IMPORTANT DISPERSAL SALE OF Choice Dairy Stock, In-calf Heifers, Yearling Cattle, Farm Produce, Etc. E. FLEMING has been instructed by Mr. Michael Wade, Kilnaprehan, TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE LANDS, AT KILNAPREHAN, On TUESDAY, 29th DECEMBER, At 12 o'clock Noon, 12 Choice Dairy Cows (to call March and April); 6 Three-year-old Heifers in Calf; 9 Yearling Bullocks and Heifers (in forward condition); 14 Tons Prime Ryegrass, 5 large Stacks Unthreshed Taryard Oats, 40 Tons Mangokis, 40 Tons Turnips, 15 Tons Fuel. For account of T. P. Killy, Esq., Fruithill, At above Sale, 6 Three-year-old Heifers (in calf) to Pedigree Dairy Bull. Terms and Conditions at Sale. 5 per cent. Commission. E. FLEMING, Auctioneer and Valuer, Dungarvan. CUTTERTON, KILROSSARY. HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE OF THE PRIME LANDS OF CUTTERTON CONTAINING ABOUT 120 ACRES FOR TERMS OF 3 MONTHS. E. FLEMING has been instructed by Mrs. Bridget Coffey, TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, ON THE LANDS, AT CUTTERTON, On WEDNESDAY, 30th DECEMBER, At One o'clock. The Grazing of the following Lots for terms of 11 months, viz.:— LOT 1.—South Quarter, containing 43 acres, statute measure or thereabouts. LOT 2.—Luskish Quarter, containing 25 acres. LOT 3.—North Quarter, containing 22 acres. LOT 4.—North Quarter (No. 2) containing 16 acres. The above Lands are well fenced, sheltered and watered and provide an excellent wintering for cattle. They are of the soundest description and noted in the locality for their prime qualities. Terms and Conditions at Sale. 5 per cent. Commission. For further particulars apply to E. A. RYAN, Esq., Solicitor, Dungarvan (having Carriage of Sale) at CUTTERTON. E. FLEMING, AUCTIONEER AND VALUER, DUNGARVAN. BALLINACOURTY, near Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.—TO LET on re-building lease the site of the Coastguard Station containing 14 Acres with main walls of Chief Officer's House and 5 Coastguard Houses still standing, with Boat House. Apply to the Secretary, Office of Public Works, 51 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. W. H. CO.

iced & Ornamental CAKES in Great Variety. PLUM PUDDINGS and MINCE PIES now ready. Extra Rich Barm Bracks for the season. POWER'S 18 O'Connell St. Dungarvan. SOUTH MALL, LISMORE. Splendid Dwelling-house, Out-offices and large Garden for Sale, held under Lease from the Duke of Devonshire for an unexpired term of 20 years at the yearly rent of £9. Immediate possession. Apply to M. F. WALSH, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer and Valuer, Cappoquin.

Christmas Shopping.

TRY—The Cash Drapery Stores, 121 North Main Street, YOUGHAL. The House for Value. Ladies & Children's Goods a Speciality. Beautiful and useful Xmas Gifts to Buyers of 10s. worth. Dainty Goods at Bargain Prices. GARDE & CO., The Cash Drapery Stores, YOUGHAL.

WEST WATERFORD HOUNDS. MEETS FOR DECEMBER. Saturday, 26th—Clashmore. Tuesday, 29th—Sandyhill. 11 o'clock.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH, old and broken, 2s. 6d. Teeth Wanted Old Jewels, Gold and Silver; highest prices for return post—O'Mara's, Thurmas St., Waterford. ARTIFICIAL TEETH WANTED (L.D.)—2s. each tooth on Valuable; 1s. on Silver, 10s. on Gold. No artificial teeth given. Cash by return—Dental Works, Galton, York, Backers-Loyd's. FOR SALE—A good strong Goat's Bicycle. Apply P. B. Office.

TO BE LET for 11 months from 1st January, 1926, the grazing of 30 acres of the prime lands of Giddane, well watered, sheltered and fenced. Apply 27b "Observer" office. FOR SALE—Well-built pony, 4 1/2 years, trained and quiet and kind, 12 1/2 hands. Inside trap and harness, nearly new; spring dray with facing, in good condition. To be sold together or separately. Would exchange trap to suit job. Apply J. McGrath, Dysert, Ardmore. FOR SALE—Rick of eaten straw, pulper, cabbage and turps machine—J. Dunphy, Kilmorra. STOLEN or Strayed—Collie dog, the property of Mrs. Foley, Knocknaskahe, Cappoquin. Colour—Body all yellow with white stripe on forehead. If not returned after this notice the holder of the animal will be prosecuted. TO BE LET for a term of 11 months, 16 acres of the Lands of Knockalara; also 5 acres for 1st and 2nd crop hay. WANTED—Smart experienced Maid for general house work; must be willing and obliging. Apply No. 14 this Office. FOR SALE—One Dodge Touring Car in perfect running order; One Ford Ton Truck with Creel. Apply Egan's Hotel, Dungarvan. LOST—Dark blue leather with yellow attached, answers to "Barkie." Finder will be rewarded on bringing same to P. Spratt, Coolcornack. FOR SALE—Ford Motor, 1922; self-starter, in perfect order; will be sold cheap. Can be seen at O'Neil's Motor Garage, Lismore.

FRUIT! FRUIT! FRUIT! MAKE SURE OF YOUR FRUIT, CHOICE CONFECTIONERY, Etc., Etc., BY GETTING IT AT MRS. SCANLAN'S FRUIT STORE, 56 MAIN STREET. PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF SALE OF VALUABLE FARM. The Property of Wm. Thornton, situate at Ballymaccum, 3 miles from Dungarvan. Full particulars next issue. JOHN F. WILLIAMS, Solicitor, Dungarvan. HAYES AND SONS, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers and Valuers, Dungarvan.

FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY. Residence situated in central portion of Dungarvan, containing Hall Entrance, Dining and Drawing Room, Bedroom, large Kitchen equipped with Range, etc., and Pantry on Ground Floor. Second Floor 3 Bedrooms. Also enclosed Yard containing Coal and Wood Sheds, large Garden, suitable for growth of all kinds of vegetables (area 2 roads 20 perches). Full particulars from E. FLEMING, Auctioneer and Valuer, Dungarvan.

WANTED All kinds of Waste Materials—Tailors' Clippings, Woolen and Cotton Rags, Brass, Copper, Lead, Feathers, Hair and Skin. Before Selling elsewhere inquire Our Prices. We pay Carriage from all parts of Ireland. The Southern Rag, Metal and Feather Co. Ltd., 71 Bride St., Dublin. Telephone 51913. "Grams"—Nertie, Dublin.

Christmas Presents For Young and Old. Big Xmas Deliveries arriving daily are now being opened up. Children's Toy China Tea Sets, lovely designs, securely packed in box, 1s 11d, 2s 11d, 3s 6d, 4s 6d etc. Wonderful Bargains in Useful Presents—40 Dozen Pearl Necklaces, lovely quality, unbreakable, 3s 6d each, regular price 10s 6d. Big Selections of Dolls, Toys, Games, etc. at reduced prices. Lovely New Apache Scarfs, very useful presents, 3s 11d 6s 11d each. Nice Embroidered Handkerchiefs, half dozen in fancy box, 1s 11d and 2s 11d per box. CALL IN—We will help you to choose a present, Magnificent Display of Dolls, Toys, Games, Gramophones, and all the latest Xmas Novelties.

HEARNE & CO., LTD. WATERFORD. Xmas Shopping. If You Want to Please Your Friends in Xmas Gifts, A Big Selection to be had at Walshe's, DRAPERS, Grattan Square, Dungarvan. Xmas Cakes, Plum Puddings and Mince Pies, Etc. The above are made from Best Dairy Butter, Fresh Eggs and R. Fin D Sugar—these give their delicious flavour. Order early to avoid disappointment. Our White and Brown Bread are of superior quality. POWER'S, 18 O'Connell Street, Dungarvan. Top Dressing Season. A Cargo of Basic Slag, 40-42 per cent. and Superphosphate 35 per cent., is due to unload for us next spring tide. Special prices for cash ex-ship. Farmers who have their orders booked will receive notice in due time to avail of these special terms, and we ask them to please call to the shop first for their order. Enquire for prices before buying elsewhere, and book your season's requirements now, as Slag and Super are inclined to be dearer. Crotty's Hardware, Grattan Square, Dungarvan.



