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CAPPOQUIN NOTES.

NEW CHURCH BELL. Through the great munificence of the late Very Rev. H. Hennebery, who for many years the zealous and beloved pastor of the combined parishes of Modeligo and Affane, a splendid new bell has recently been erected over the Catholic Church at Modeligo out of a bequest of £400 left in his will for the purpose.

VILLIERSTOWN FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT. The members of the Villierstown Football Club, having recently obtained a permit from the Waterford County Board, G.A.A., to hold a Junior Football Tournament in Villierstown, lost no time in advertising the event, and announced that a valuable set of silver medals would be given to the winning team.

THE HUNT BALL. Don't forget the great West Waterford Hunt Ball to be held in the Boathouse Hall on to-night (Friday) when one of the most enjoyable dances of the season can be guaranteed.

ENJOYABLE EXCURSION.

Very Rev. D. Canon Whelan, D.D., P.P., gave a most enjoyable excursion to the junior members of the Choir of St. Mary's Catholic Church and also the altar boys on last Monday, which proved a welcome treat to them.

NEW CAMOGIE CLUB.

Following the example of the young ladies in most of the surrounding parishes who have established Camogie Clubs for several months past, the young ladies of Cappoquin a few weeks ago also decided to be "in the running," and formed a Camogie Club for the town and district, which promises to be a wonderful success in a very short time.

AGLISH. With their usual dash and perfect training, led by the best of the encounter in the first half when they scored 3 goals to nil, but the Cappoquin youngsters made a marvellous recovery in the second half, and playing a fast and well-judged game, astonished the spectators by drawing level with 3 goals, all of which were scored in unerring fashion by Miss Sheila White (daughter of Dr. White) who played a brilliant game as centre forward from start to finish, and was the "star turn" of the Cappoquin team on the occasion.

HOLIDAYS. Mr. John Power, Assistance Officer, wrote applying for his annual month's holidays, and nominated his brother as his substitute.

Waterford County Board of Public Assistance.

The monthly meeting of the above was held in the Courthouse on Wednesday last, Mrs. White, Vice-Chairman, presided. The other members present were: Messrs. T. Cosgrave, T. Dunne, P. Brett, T. D. Connolly, T. Drea, T. Tracey, Wm. Stack and J. Caulfield.

THE OLD BOARD.

The Secretary explained that from correspondence which he had with the Department relative to the refusal of the County Council to appoint members to the Board of Public Assistance, the Department advised that until the newly-appointed Board of Public Assistance is properly constituted any necessary business should be transacted by the old Board.

ACCIDENT.

The Secretary reported—I regret to report that your storekeeper, Mr. E. Kiely, met with a serious accident on Sunday last. I recommend that you appoint a temporary assistant to do the clerical work while Mr. Kiely is laid up. The matron has kindly agreed to take over the other duties.

OFFICIAL REPRIMANDED.

Arising out of the report of the Superintendent Assistance Officer at last meeting, when Mr. John Power, Assistance Officer, was reported for failure to send in the usual reports, the Secretary stated that as directed by the Board, he wrote asking for an explanation, but so far had received no reply.

HOME ASSISTANCE.

The amount of Home Assistance paid out during the month amounted to £1,744 17s. 7d. This was a reduction of £100 as compared with last month, and an increase of about £80 over the corresponding period of last year.

CO. HOSPITAL, WATERFORD.

Arising out of the reading of the minutes of the County Hospital Committee, where that body decided to have a report from the Matron and Doctor regarding the most suitable hours for visiting, the number of visitors to be allowed in at the same time to see any one patient, etc. The Secretary said that the report received from the Matron and Doctor stated that the most convenient visiting hours would be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sundays and Thursdays, and that only two visitors be allowed in together to see any one patient.

Waterford County Board of Public Assistance.

Mr. Cosgrave—Does that mean that the business transacted here at the last meeting was illegal? Secretary—No. The old Board can formally approve of all that was done, except, of course, the election of Chairman.

CHANGE OF DIET.

Mr. Cosgrave asked if any report was before the meeting from Dr. White with regard to the change of diet for the patients in the County Hospital. Secretary—No.

AUXILIARY HOME FOR WATERFORD.

Mr. Drea proposed a resolution which was passed, asking that a special meeting of the Board be held at the old buildings, Waterford, to discuss the alterations necessary for the Auxiliary Home at Waterford, and that Mr. Clinch of the Department be asked to attend.

HOME ASSISTANCE IN WATERFORD.

The Department wrote approving of the appointment of Mr. O'Meara as substitute for Mr. McGrath, Assistance Officer, while on annual holidays. They also pointed out that the expenses of administering Home Assistance in the City was now greater than when the assistance officers were employed, and suggested that the Board would do well to reconsider the matter.

INCREASE OF SALARY.

Arising out of the application of Mr. John Broderick, Assistance Officer, for an increase of salary, a letter was read from the Department stating that the matter should be brought forward before the Board of Public Assistance when properly constituted.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Mr. Cosgrave moved the following notice of motion standing in his name: "I hereby give notice that I will move or cause to be moved at the next meeting of the Board of Public Assistance to be held on the 15th August, 1928, that in view of the recommendation of the Hospital Committee re Mr. O'Sullivan, Night Attendant in the Cancer Ward, in County Hospital, his salary be fixed at £1 per week. Mr. O'Sullivan's 48 hours per week constant night duty in a cancer ward richly deserves the consideration of the Board." The motion was passed unanimously.

BOY DROWNED IN BLACKWATER.

Whilst bathing in the Blackwater between Fermoy and Ballyduff, MI. Fitzgerald (15) son of Mr. Wm. Fitzgerald ex-soldier, Waterpark, lost his life. His brother and some companions were in close proximity at the time.

A FIGHTING KERRY BULL.

A Kerry bull strayed into New-st. Abbeyfeale, at 5 a.m., and seeing his reflection in a millinery window, and was prepared to demolish a second window when an awakened resident showed him the road to Kerry.

YOUGHAL REGATTA DANCE WILL BE HELD AT THE STRAND PALACE, Wednesday, August 29th. Dancing 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. 6/- each, or 10/- for Two Refreshments included. Each Patron will be Presented with a Novelty from Paris ALSO Early Session, 7 to 9. 1/- SPECIAL ENGAGEMENT AT GREAT EXPENSE Mr. H. ELLIS, Baritone, From the Beachams Opera Co. A TREAT WHICH SHOULD NOT BE MISSED. MUSIC—The Famous Mayfair Dance Band, London.

Lismore Notes. NEXT SUNDAY. Granted fine weather we anticipate that on Sunday next, 19th inst., something between four and 500 people will travel on the excursion train to Lismore for return journey. As has been previously announced, the excursion is under the auspices of the Sacred Heart Confraternities of Lismore, Cappoquin, Tallow and Ballyduff Parishes. Rev. Thos. O'Gorman, C.C., Lismore, on whose shoulders the major portion of the organizing work falls, has all arrangements complete, and at the time of writing informs our Correspondent that the people of the famous bells at St. Colman's Cathedral, Cobh, will be heard to advantage on Sunday afternoon, as none other than the distinguished cavillonneur—Dr. Staf Gebners himself—has written our Spiritual Director to this effect: The Palmer-Wallace Co. are also to arrange a trip about the harbor at a nominal figure, and can anything be more delightful in fine weather than a trip out of the harbor listening to these famous bells. The tickets are being purchased well during the week, and we trust that the event will prove even more successful than that of 1926 year. Rev. T. O'Gorman, C.C., Lismore, and Rev. W. A. Curtin, C.C., do. home on holidays, and Rev. Fr. Dumphy, C.C., Ballyduff, will be some of the clergymen travelling with the excursionists on Sunday next. The train is scheduled to leave Cappoquin at 8.45 a.m.; Lismore, 8.50, stopping only at Tallow Road and Ballyduff Stations, and due to arrive at Queenstown at about 11 a.m., returning at 9 p.m. Mass will be celebrated at Lismore Church at 6.30 a.m. on Sunday morning, and plenty of rail accommodation will be available.













