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New Taxes Imposed.

PETROL, SUGAR AND "TALKIES".

£750,000 FOR FARMERS.

On Wednesday, Mr. Blythe, Finance Minister of the Free State, introduced his Budget and while taking off no tax, he put on several new ones.

The following are the principal points in the Budget:—

THE THREE NEW TAXES.

Petrol.—Duty of 4d. per gallon. Estimated revenue, £450,000.

Sound Films.—Tax increased from 1d. to 3d. per linear foot. Estimated revenue, £32,000 this year; £35,000 next year.

Sugar.—Increased tax of 4d. per lb. Estimated revenue, £315,000. New duty of 4d. per lb. on sugar manufactured from home-grown beet. Equivalent increase in rates on sugar, confectionery, and composite articles.

THE REMISSIONS.

Racecourse Betting Tax.—"Without the hope of any direct result, and with the object of putting those who are in control of racing in the position of having nobody to blame but themselves, I propose to remit the tax on racecourse betting." (Mr. Blythe).

Entertainments Tax.—It is proposed to remit as from October 1 the Entertainment Tax on entertainments consisting mainly of performances by artists personally present. Estimated cost of concession, £9,000.

Duty on Capital.—The Capital Duty payable by companies to be reduced from 4 to 5s. per cent.

OTHER CHANGES.

Death Duties.—British scale adopted. Two other changes of a minor kind.

Aid for Farmers.—"The Government is convinced that the present position in agriculture is such that a substantial measure of relief is an economic necessity."

It was proposed to ask the Dail to vote a sum of £750,000 for the relief of rates of agricultural land. Method of distribution, 50 per cent. on basis of rates and 50 per cent. on basis of population.

NO CHANGE.

Income Tax.—"The suggestion that the income tax should be increased has been carefully examined, and the Government has decided to reject it."

Tobacco.—"We have come to the conclusion that, from the Exchequer point of view, it would not be prudent to increase the duty on tobacco."

Alcoholic Liquors.—"Additional duties out of the question."

Tea.—"Tax would impose a burden on the section of the people which can least afford to bear it."

LISMORE ITEMS.

TOWN COMMISSIONERS.

The monthly meeting of the Lismore Town Commissioners was held in the Carnegie Library on Monday 4th May, 1931.

Mr. J. Crotty, (Chairman) presided, also present—Messrs. J. W. Goulding, T.D.; C. O'Gorman, E. Murphy, and J. C. Heelan.

Mr. J. Ormond, Town Clerk, was in attendance.

After minutes (and correspondence was dealt with, the latter included a letter from the Lismore Estates Co., informing the Commissioners that in reply to their request asking His Grace the Duke of Devonshire, for a subscription and so help the people of Lismore to purchase a clock for the New Town Hall, that the matter would come before the directors at their next meeting.

It will be remembered that the old Town Clock which was destroyed in the recent trouble was presented to the people of Lismore by one of His Grace's Noble predecessors.

LISMORE WATER SUPPLY.

The Commissioners also indulged in an informal discussion on the Lismore Water Supply, and were unanimous of opinion, that the present Water supply is quite adequate if properly conserved, and respectfully ask the townspeople to help in every way towards this end, this can easily be done by keeping all Water taps in proper order and condition by immediate repair of all leakages from water pipes and by preventing indiscriminate waste from the public pumps, in other words the people are asked to acquire a spirit of Civic responsibility.

The people of Lismore at present enjoy through the kindness and generosity of His Grace the Duke of Devonshire, a free Water Supply; this benefit may eventually pass away if the people are unable or unwilling to appreciate this gift, in other localities the people are burdened with a water rate, the people of Lismore can easily avoid it, by complying with the request now made by the Commissioners.

LISMORE NOTES

THE COURTHOUSE.

The work of rebuilding the Courthouse is rapidly nearing completion, and Mr. Bowen, Co. Surveyor, deserves much credit for the thorough and expeditious manner in which he has carried out this intricate and important work. Mr. Bowen, has devoted a good deal of personal attention in supervising the work, and when he was not on the spot his place was taken by his able Deputy, Mr. A. W. Riordan, C.E., so that every phase of the job has been carried out under strict and expert supervision.

In congratulating him on his well-merited promotion, we must also congratulate the people of Ballyporeen on having now secured as their P.P. such a fine type of "soggar" who is an ornament to his sacred calling, and one who can be relied on, to worthily uphold in every respect the highest traditions of the Irish Priesthood.

A GREAT DANCE.

The Civic Guards of the extensive Lismore district will hold a grand dance in the Boathouse Hall, Cappoquin, on Tuesday night, 12th inst. The "Ubique" Orchestra, Lismore, has been specially engaged for the event so that the dance music is bound to prove the best heard at any former social function in the Boathouse Hall. Special features of the dance will be carnival novelties, "spot dances" and lime-lighting effects, and as the charges are extremely moderate, viz. ladies 5s. and gents 7s. 6d. (double ticket, 10s.) including supper, there should be a big attendance at what will unquestionably prove to be one of the most enjoyable dances held in the district for many years.

PIANO TUNING.

The attention of our readers is called to the advertisement appearing in this issue from Mr. John Scott-Alexander, Lismore, the well-known musician, announcing that he is devoting every Tuesday in future to Dungarvan and district for the purpose of piano-tuning, etc.

HOCKEY MATCH OFF.

The Hockey match for the final of the Munster Senior League Cup, which was to have been played on the grounds of the Lismore Hockey Club on Saturday afternoon between Waterford Bohemians and Maryville, Cork, did not come off here, as a "phone message" was received by the local promoters during last week to the effect that the venue for the contest had been changed to the grounds of the Maryville Club, Cork. Every thing seemed to have been definitely fixed for the playing of the game in Lismore when we wrote the paragraph about it last week, and we sincerely regret if this announcement was the means of misleading the public in any way.

Kilmaethomas News.

CUG-KOO!

The ever-welcome cuckoo is again amongst us. If acquainted with the traditional superstition that attaches importance to the consequence of hearing the feathered visitor's soft notes in the right or left ear, a timid listener will be perturbed or rejoiced, according to the direction from which these mellow notes flow.

Sometimes at midday, but usually in the morning or evening, almost invariably in the same locality, and very often from the same grove, the pleasing call of "cu-koo" floats gently over the Comeragh Valley, just awakening in all its infant summer grandeur to the gladdening prospects reflected in every blossoming hedgerow, woodland and meadow. "Every May, as sure as the sun," said an old Kilrossantyman, "and as long as I know the same tree, there in the haggard, outside, I have heard the cuckoo."

The cuckoo's song is not a long one, and although there are many warblers not half his size that could sing more elaborate and complicated ditties, still there are few capable of arousing such pleasant feelings, such gentle thoughts of happy, bygone times as this oriental vocalist of the soothing call.

The cuckoo never cuts out the shores of Ireland from its itinerary, but from its long flight from Africa, across the Mediterranean, across the flowers of May in our island home, and in true poetic fashion, retires to some secluded grove or clump, where peace and silence prompts its familiar notes, at intervals throughout each day of its sojourn. Towards the end of June there is a change in its familiar note; it becomes more harsh, with a duplicating of its opening note, until it gradually drops out altogether, and then, like the end of favoured creatures, passes out, and on to the balmy haunts of its eastern homeland.

REQUIESCAT IN PACE.

During the Masses in the Mercy Convent and Workhouse Chapels-of-Ease, on Sunday, Rev. W. O'Mahony, C.C., officiating, prayed for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Ellen Murray, of Carrickphilip, Kill, who died last week, at 8.30 and 11 o'clock Masses in St. Anne's Church, Ballylaneen, Rev. William Burke, C.C., prayed for the soul of the late Mrs. Harris, of Shanakill, Kilmaethomas.

RECENT DEATHS.

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, Ballynabogue, Kilmaethomas, on the death of her sister, Mrs. Brennan, of the Carrickbeg district, also to Mrs. Pierce Fitzgerald, Templeyork, Bonmahon, in her bereavement occasioned by the death in Tralee, on a recent date, of her sister, Mrs. Coffey. During the Masses in the Mercy Convent and Workhouse Chapels-of-Ease on Sunday, Rev. W. O'Mahony, C.C., officiating, prayed for the repose of the souls of Michael Flynn and Denis Murray—both formerly of Kilmaethomas—who died recently in America. Sincere sympathy is tendered to their respective relatives in these parts.

VOCATIONAL CLASSES IN CAPPOQUIN.

TO the Editor "Dungarvan Observer." Sir,—I notice from reports in the "Observer" that one of the projects under consideration by the newly-formed Vocational Committee is the establishment of a Vocational School at Cappoquin. So far I have not seen any convincing reason advanced by any member of the Committee as to why Cappoquin should get preference over say Lismore or Tallow. If Schools are to be established in the towns named (and this is doubtful as money will not be available for such an extensive application of the Scheme) all is well, but if not I fail to see why Cappoquin should be made a centre. In order to show why Cappoquin should not get preference over the other places named I would like to point out that from enquiries made I learn that the number of children in attendance at the Schools of Cappoquin is very far below the number in Lismore and Tallow, consequently a lesser number of boys and girls over fourteen would be available for the courses at Cappoquin than in the other towns. Benefit for a lesser number in Cappoquin! Is public money to be expended for the benefit of the minority? For conscientious reasons I am sure the Committee will never agree to this.

In earlier debates one member of the Committee advanced as a reason for establishing a School at Cappoquin the fact that "there was a large Garage in Cappoquin." There is and has been a garage in Cappoquin, but all credit to its enterprising proprietor. Does the member suggest this establishment would absorb mechanics trained in the Vocational School or Shortland Typists? There are three garages in Lismore and the total number of hands employed is as great as the number of hands employed in Cappoquin. The same applies to Tallow, where there are two garages.

When public money is spent it must be done for the good of the majority and it is to be hoped that before proceeding further the Committee will weigh well the claims of each town. I trust our Lismore representatives will see that Lismore's claim is not overlooked. Yours faithfully, CARTRAGE.

National Thrift.

PUBLIC MEETING AT CAPPOQUIN

A large and representative attendance was a feature of the public meeting held in the C.Y.M.S. Hall, Cappoquin, in furtherance of the National Thrift Movement. Mr. R. J. Colender, president, and amongst those present were—Venerable Archdeacon Burkill, Messrs. M. F. Walsh, P.C., Co. C.; R. Bell, J. Flanagan, G. Cahill, J. Meade, G. Russell, T. Aherne, P. Cahill, J. Singleton, J. Curran, M. Conway, R. Hartley, T. Stapleton, J. V. Conway, J. Aherne, J. Foley, J. P. Kelliher, J. Olden, J. Crowe, etc.

Mr. F. X. O'Leary, acted as Secretary to the meeting.

The correspondence included a letter from Most Rev. Dr. Hackett, consenting to act as patron to the Cappoquin Association, and nominating Very Rev. Canon Whelan, D.D., P.P., to act in his stead. Mr. B. G. Ussher, Cappagh, wrote expressing his sympathy with the National Savings Movement and regretting his inability to attend. There was an apology for non-attendance from Mr. H. A. Muller, B.L., Central Savings Society, Dublin.

The Chairman, briefly explained the object for which the meeting was called and introduced Mr. Liam Raffis, of Waterford. Mr. Raffis, in the course of a long and able address gave a history of the Movement since its inception. He explained the objects and advantages of Co-Operative saving and said, that this form of investment was the easiest and most remunerative for persons of small means by reason of the fact that very small sums could be invested.

Mr. J. J. Nolan, State Savings Officer in the course of a long statement dealt with the Government's decision to withdraw Savings Certificate of the first issue and explained the reason for this action. He outlined for the meeting the terms of the second issue and gave a detailed explanation of the manner in which local Savings Associations are formed. Dealing with the progress of the Movement he said, that the City and County occupied sixth place in the Twenty-Six Counties in the monthly list arranged in order of the investments per head of the population. He referred to the good work being done in the Schools and stressed the advisability of establishing parochial committees, which would be of very great benefit to the casual worker.

The interest which Mr. Nolan's address aroused was indicated by the number of questions which he was called upon to answer.

It was proposed by Archdeacon Burkill, and seconded by Mr. M. F. Walsh, "That a Savings Committee be established in Cappoquin."

This resolution was passed unanimously and the following were elected on the Committee:—Very Rev. Canon Whelan, (President); Venerable Archdeacon Burkill, Mr. M. F. Walsh, Mr. G. Russell, Mr. J. Crowe, Mr. R. Bell, Mr. P. Cahill.

Notes of thanks to Mr. Raffis, Mr. Nolan and the Chairman brought the proceedings to a close.

WATERFORD MAY FAIR.

The May fair at Ballybricken on Monday was one of the largest attended for some time, but despite the presence of buyers from various parts of Ireland and across Channel and plenty of stock offering, business was dull, due mainly to the depressed state of the market across Channel. A feature was the large supply of pigs, bonhams and stores particularly, but demand was slow, sellers cashed for several small offerings. There was a marked scarcity of beef.

Prices—Three years old £18 to £20; 2½ years old £16 to £17; 2 years old £14 to £15 10s.; 1½ year £12 to £13 10s.; yearlings £9 to £10 10s. The small supply of beef on offer sold at from £4 to £4 10s. d.w. Mutton made 1s. 4d. per lb. while no lambs were offered at this early period of the season. Bonhams sold at from 20s. to 25s.; good store pigs 50s. to 60s. each, sows with litters £9 to £12. The horse fair was small.

Woman: My husband is a painter and decorator. Husband: And so is she. That is why I left her.

Magistrate (quietly): Is she deaf? Woman: Yes, I am sir.

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The Youghal Ferry Again.

South Abbey, Youghal, 1st. May 1931.

Sir,—A recent accident to the Ferryboat led to a "full-dress" debate by the Youghal Urban Council, on the question of a "Landing stage". In the course of the discussion one member remarked (according to report) that "all seemed agreed on the necessity for a jetty."

The word "jetty" seems a rather vague expression. By it, I would understand, something like what was on the Ferry Point many years ago, and which was used for discharging cargo from ships. Such would, of course, cost thousands to build.

At the meeting, apparently, no mention as to approximate cost, was made, neither was the design hinted at.

I do not care for this apparently care-free attitude. Is it born of ignorance on the subject?

What design has the Council in view? I should say, most members picture a sloping slip running down the beach and raised about a foot or so from it. Such a one would look well, and be alright for landing at, on a nice fine day. But in a surf, it would be worse than useless, as it would be an incentive to try to land at it with the result, the boat would be sure to be stove in sooner or later. In fact in a surf no skipper would be likely to use his better judgment, and land on the beach as he ought, because he would feel in so doing any damage would result in losing his job—whereas, damage occurring on the "official" landing place would be overlooked.

Yet, with the exception of mud, the Ferry-Point is the best place in the whole harbour to land a boat in a surf. The loose shingle there, is even better than the smooth but hard sand at, say, Green Park strand. And is infinitely better than a slip built as above—unless it was built of india rubber.

With a good "shoe" keel-band fitted for "ard, and one or two batons along the "entrance or double planing here" the present ferryboat will stand a lot of usage, and moderate surf. But only a properly designed, and constructed "surf boat" is fully fit for such work.

To make quite sure of attaining the Council's object, one or two methods should be adopted: (1) To make a solid pier having an enclosing arm. The enclosure should, of course, contain sufficient water, at all stages of the tide. (2) To make a slip on the north side, and another on the south side of the Point. The south slip would of course require to have a channel dredged to it, and kept dredged at a heavy annual cost. By the time the bill for either of these schemes was paid for, we would all be bankrupt.

The above are the only really sure methods. But the object might be attained by running a pier straight out from the end of the point. But such a pier should extend, I would say at least 2 yards in a horizontal, that is a sea-level direction, throughout its whole length, in order to form an effective "lee".

The cost of this would probably be, at the very least £1,000; and even then, it is not at all certain it would be effective in a strong nor' wester breeze.

From the foregoing, it will be seen, I do not share the light-hearted enthusiasm of the Council over the landing stage. Indeed, this is not the first time I have drawn swords with them over the ferry-boat. But my apology for doing so, must be that I feel a harassed and nervous rate and tax payer—and so I can see "possibilities" ahead. For example: suppose our six-hundred-pound boat is lost. The insurance people are not philanthropists; and so I can visualize a representative coming along, and asking such questions as: "Who gave the order for the boat to put to sea? Was the skipper consulted?" And so on. Or suppose she breaks from her moorings and is lost; "Show me the entry of when the mooring-chain, and shackle pins were last inspected? (I wonder would they be found eaten through by rust?)

Gentlemen, once again, through the courtesy of the Editor, I appeal to you to give up dabbling in a matter, concerning which the great majority of you make not the least claim to have any practical knowledge or experience. I appeal to you to "snatch the profit" you recently made on the boats—and whilst "the running's still good" throw in your hand, and hand over the ferry, lock stock and barrel, to Mr. Ahern, or some more competent and experienced person. Yours truly, L. RONAYNE.

CHOICE HOLDINGS.

For those in search of choice compact farms a perusal of the advertisement appearing in another page of this issue, from Messrs. Flahavan and Hartly, Auctioneers, should be of interest.



DE-RATING.

REPORT OF COMMISSION. MAJORITY REJECTION.

The members of the De-rating Commission, unanimously reject complete de-rating of agricultural land and buildings.

They also unanimously reject proposals for the transfer of roads, mental hospitals, poor relief, or any other local services, from the local authorities to the Central Government.

Here the unanimity ends. There are three separate reports suggesting how relief, if any, should be given.

The majority report, signed by 10 of the 13 members of the Commission, including the Chairman, Judge Davitt, recommends that "Any money which may be provided for the purpose of assisting the agricultural industry could be expended more effectively and more economically from the point of view of agriculturists in general, and of the community as a whole, on direct methods of increasing production and employment rather than on affording relief from rates."

The first minority report, signed by six members, definitely recommends relief of rates on agricultural lands to the extent of £1,200,000 p.a., and suggests that the cost be met by a duty on petrol and an increase in the standard rate of income tax.

Mr. J. N. Green, farmer, Kildare, in a separate minority report, recommends that agricultural land and buildings should be liable for rates to the extent only of 1s. in the £. on present valuation, and that this rate should be stabilised.

ALTERNATIVE RELIEF.

The Schemes of Relief visualised by the signatories to the first report as best calculated to repay, from the point of view of the general taxpayer, any expenditure incurred in the relief of agriculture are set out as follows:—

(1) An extension of the measures taken for the improvement of live stock and the provision, on suitable terms, of additional pedigree stock to promote the breeding of cattle, pigs, sheep, and horses.

(2) The encouragement of the best methods of feeding and managing live stock.

(3) An extension of the measures taken to raise the milk yield of dairy cows, and a more active encouragement of cow-testing.

(4) The promotion of poultry keeping and the encouragement of the best methods of rearing and feeding poultry for egg production and table purposes.

(5) The extension of improved marketing methods, particularly in the direction of grading, packing, and so far as possible, standardising produce.

(6) The encouragement of the more general use of fertilizers, particularly for grass lands, and their provision on advantageous terms.

(7) The provision of seeds, in particular of cereals and potatoes, or kinds suited to the conditions under which the crops are produced, and the purposes for which they are grown.

(8) The provision of increased facilities for specialised agricultural education, and the dissemination amongst the farming community of useful information on agricultural matters.

(9) An extension of the provision of credit at a cheap rate.

(10) The encouragement of drainage and fencing of farms and of the erection of suitable farm buildings.

(11) The provision of further facilities for the purchase of farm implements, machinery and equipment.

(12) Research into, and, if practicable, adoption of measures designed to reduce fluctuations in the prices of agricultural products.

THE FALL IN PRICES.

Dealing with agricultural depression the report states that there are no absolute tests for prosperity or depression; that there are factors which are not susceptible of control by the Government, and that the most important factor at the present time is the steady and continued fall in the prices of agricultural produce.

The report contains an appendix in tabular form, which shows that the fall in the cost of the farmers' raw materials in 1930 has been greater than the fall in prices of his produce.

The report emphasises the view that the Saorstat should not hope to resist these world forces which are affecting all producing countries, or to nullify their effects by such measures as the relief of rates or by other subsidies for agriculture drawn by taxation from the non-agricultural sections of the community.

It points out that if the relief from rates is to be given on the ground of depression in agriculture, rates must be restored again as soon as the depression has passed. This would involve and necessarily imply that other sections of the community, if they were the sole or principal victims of depression, or if agriculture were exceptionally prosperous, would be equally entitled to assistance or relief at the expense of agriculture.

The majority, therefore, came to the conclusion that the question of de-rating should be decided on its merits and apart from the question of depression.

Discussing the effect on Saorstat agriculture of de-rating in Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the report points out the difficulty of making any concise or valuable comparison of the relative positions of the English and Saorstat farmer.

The English farmer has certain advantages, but, on the other hand, the labour costs of the English farmer are higher than those obtaining in the

Saorstat, and a far larger proportion of the labour required to work the farms in England takes the form of hired labour. The average rates of weekly wages for farm labourers in England in 1929 was 30s. 6d. per week, while the corresponding average rate in the Saorstat was 23s. 0d.

Moreover, the English farmers' rent, after making all due allowances for different conditions, is higher than the payments in the nature of rent required in the Saorstat. The average rent per acre of crops and pasture is 31s., as against an average of 7s. 9d. per acre crops and pasture for annuities and rent on unimproved land in the Saorstat. The annuities, rent and rates together in the Saorstat, amount to only 11s. per acre crops and pasture.

Those who advocate a 'step by step' policy of following legislation in Great Britain and Northern Ireland would do well to recollect," says the report, "that the logical and inevitable result of such a policy would be imposition of equivalent taxes which would involve a considerable increase in the burden of taxation here."

EFFECT ON FARMERS.

"To the argument that de-rating in Great Britain and Northern Ireland would have a bad social effect on the farmers here the majority reply that the Government never indicated that they would align their policy with the policies of another State or would maintain social and administrative services as favourable as those existing elsewhere. They point out that the Government has promoted measures beneficial to the agriculturists here, such as (apart from the more favourable terms of the Land Act of 1923) the Beet Sugar Subsidy and the establishment of the agriculturists here, Corporation, which have no parallels in Northern Ireland."

THE BORDER COUNTIES.

As to the point that farmers in border counties are still liable for rates, while their neighbours across the border are exempt, the reports point out that the holdings are in different States and that if the contiguity of holdings in different fiscal areas were a valid reason for assimilating local taxation it would be an equally valid reason for assimilating the national taxation of the two areas.

They also point out that similar discrepancies already exist in the Saorstat: the average general rate on agricultural land in Co. Kildare for the last 3 years has been 35.5d. in the £, while that in rural districts in the adjoining Co. Dublin has been 9d. 6d. in the £, or 81 p.c. higher; the average in Co. Limerick was about 56.5d. in the £, while that in Co. Kerry was 97.5d. or 72 p.c. higher. Before the abolition of rural districts even more striking discrepancies could be found within the area of a single county.

The report analyses in detail the United Kingdom consumption of beef, veal and cattle; mutton, lamb and sheep; pig meat and pigs; poultry and eggs, and butter. It shows that the quota supplied from the United Kingdom production, though large, is not overwhelmingly so, and that of the balance required and furnished by imported supplies the Saorstat quota is relatively small.

The conclusions to be drawn from the analyses are that—

(a) The agricultural produce supplied to the British market by the United Kingdom is not the dominant influence affecting the market available to Saorstat producers, or the price at which they can market there.

(b) The extension, as a result of de-rating of the United Kingdom supply to the British market to a point where there would be no demand for imported commodities.

(c) The prices obtainable by and the market conditions for both United Kingdom and Saorstat producers are materially influenced by the imports from other countries.

The report also deals at some length with the argument that the market in home-killed beef and veal must be sharply distinguished from that in frozen and chilled beef or veal, and that other lines of Saorstat produce marketed in the United Kingdom are specialised articles of first quality, and subject less to competition from foreign producers than from British farmers.

It is pointed out that 25 p.c. of the cattle produced in England for consumption and 50 p.c. of those produced in Scotland were from stores imported from the Saorstat, so that British and Saorstat producers, so far from being competitors in this market are largely co-operators.

Taken over relatively long periods the price levels of prime quality and the lower quality articles move in unison and over-production or dumping of the lower quality article leading to a fall in its price will force a reduction in the price of the higher quality article, because of an actual or potential diversion of the demand to the relatively cheaper article.

The prices obtainable and the market conditions generally for Saorstat agricultural produce exported to the United Kingdom are largely determined by the competition from other countries, rather than by that from the British producer.

The majority shows also thatygrv The Majority Report also shows that the relief enjoyed by the British farmer since 1923 and increased in 1925, had not resulted in any worsening of the position of the Saorstat farmer as compared with the British farmer in the British market, and that agricultural statistics for 1930 of England and Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland,

Dungarvan Urban Council.

NEW PIG MARKET. PURCHASE OF HORSE.

The weekly meeting of the above was held in the Town Hall, Dungarvan, on Friday, Mr. J. Butler, Chairman, presided, the other members present were—Messrs. C. Lawn, T. McCarthy, Jas. McEvoy, D. Foley, Jas. Hackett, T. Power, J. F. Moloney, M. J. Keane, Mee. Griffin, and B. Dee.

Expenditure.
The paysheets for the week which were presented were as follows. Relief Grant A.C. £28 9s. 2d. General A/c. £19 7s. 6d. Housing A/c. £2 8s. 10d.

Relief Grant.
Mr. McCarthy inquired how many men were employed under the Relief Grant Scheme.

Clerk—14.
Mr. McCarthy, I hold a lot more men should be employed. We are led to believe there would be about 30 employed.

Chairman—The men employed at the O'Connell St., sewer are working under the general account.

B.S.—The relief scheme is not in operation in O'Connell St. The men are cleaning the sewer there. The pipes which were ordered for the O'Connell St. sewer on the 7th., April did not get arrive.

The members held that there was unnecessary delay by the contractors in the delivery of the pipes. They also ordered the B.S., to employ all the men he could under the relief scheme.

Time Limit on Contractors.

Mr. Pk. Fitzgerald, Contractor, for the masonry work of the six new houses at Mitchel St., appeared before the meeting and explained that the two months allowed by the Council for the building of the houses was not sufficient, for the completion of same.

B.S.—If they were sure that they could get the houses finished in six months Fitzgerald may get an extension. The principal thing was to get the walls up, to allow the carpenters and slaters to start. He suggested that the contractor get three months.

Mr. Fitzgerald, said, he would want at least 5 weeks per house. He would have two or maybe three masons employed, if he can get them.

Mr. Lawn—That will mean 7 months if the contractor gets enough masons to work he should do it in that time, otherwise it will go into the winter which would be bad.

Mr. Foley—It is not so easy to get masons now.

Mr. Keane—Mr. Fitzgerald will not delay the other contractors, as when he finishes one house the other contractors can start.

B.S. In reply to the Chairman said that three months would be a bit tight except he can get extra masons, which is not easy.

Mr. Lawn—Suppose we bind them to the six months to have the houses completed.

The matter was referred to the B.S., to arrange the time with the contractors.

Pig Fairs.

A deputation from the Waterford Pig Buyers' Association appeared before the meeting in connection with the starting of a fortnightly Pig Fair in Dungarvan.

Chairman—The Council discussed the proposition put forward by your Association and decided on the establishment of the fair. They refrained from fixing a day as they did not know what day would be the most suitable.

Mr. Walsh, on behalf of the deputation said, the second and fourth Mondays would be the most suitable. They would require the co-operation of the local buyers, Messrs. Murphy and Co., and Mr. Hill, Kilmacshanas.

As regards the time of the opening of the fair, he suggested 10 a.m. and that all the buyers would co-operate and not start until the appointed hour and that no buyer would be going out the roads in motors. He was sure the fair would be a success as the district was such a good one for pig feeding.

Mr. Moloney—How can you prevent the weekly Fair every Monday.

Mr. Walsh—We don't want to interfere in any way with that.

Mr. Lawn—It is for the suppliers to see which will be the best market.

Chairman—We must first get into touch with the local buyers to know if they will co-operate regarding the hour of opening. If they are agreeable we will have it advertised and notify your Association.

Mr. Moloney—Mr. Murphy told me they were willing to co-operate.

Mr. Keane—Suggested that the deputation meet the local buyers here at the next meeting.

Subsequently Mr. D. Murphy, appeared before the meeting accompanied by the deputation and on behalf of his company promised to co-operate in the establishment of the fair.

The Council then decided to fix the dates on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. The fair to be advertised in the "Dungarvan Observer", and posters put up all over the County.

Mr. Walsh, on behalf of the deputation thanked the Council and promised to do all in their power to make the fair a success.

The Chairman suitably replied.

when compared with those of the Saorstat do not reveal any increase of production such as might have been expected to follow the remission of agricultural rates.

Purchase of Horse.

The Chairman asked what the procedure would be in connection with the purchase of the horse, for which they had five tenders.

Mr. Moloney—Consider the tenders and refer them to the V.S.

Mr. Hackett—The Vet will only pass them as sound or otherwise.

Mr. Power—Any man selling a horse will give a trial.

Chairman—We can have included one day's trial, we don't want a run-away or a gibber.

Mr. Dee—I suggest you get a fortnight's trial.

Mr. Hackett—At least one week.

Chairman—There are five tenders, and how much will the Vets. fee be.

Mr. Power—You are only buying one horse.

On the suggestion of the Chairman, the Council agree that the a.V.S., be asked for his opinion on the best value offered at the price quoted. The fee to be one guinea, a trial of two days was also agreed on. The following tenders were then read and referred to the V.S.

John Cashman, Abbeyside, £9; Jas. Hackett, Ballinagulkee, £19; Wm. Dower, Carrigeen, £12; Ml. Condon, Mitchel St., £13 10s.; Wm. Chandler, Lackenfunne, £10.

Ranges.

Mr. Pk. O'Brien, St. Garvan's Tce., wrote stating that the range of his house was out of trder.

The matter was referred to the B.S., who said only very small repairs were required.

Regarding the range in Mr. Whelan's house, the B.S., said, he had taken out the range on Monday and when put back again it worked well, but Mr. Whelan said it was because of the favourable wind on that day.

Mr. Keane—It will be a very serious matter for the Council if they have to pay half the cost of new ranges for all these houses. He held that some device could be put on the top of the chimney which would rectify whatever was wrong.

Sewers.

Dr. Casey, M.O., wrote re the unsanitary condition of King's St., and Sarsfield St., Abbeyside with regard to sewerage.

The Clerk said, that owners of the houses had got 21 days notice to connect with the new sewer.

Mr. Griffin asked if there would be a new sewer in King St.

B.S.—I took levels in King St., and I find that with the houses with the exception of two can be drained into Sarsfield St. By draining those two back to the third house would be the best way out of the difficulty.

Mr. Griffin, thought the proper place to put the sewer in King St., was at the rear of the houses.

Chairman—The proper way to drain King St., would be into the Sexton St., sewer where you have a natural fall.

Cinemas.

A resolution on the subject of stricter censorship of films to be exhibited, passed by the Limerick Town Council was read and adopted on the proposition of Mr. Keane, seconded by Mr. Moloney.

Fees for Hall.

A letter from the Secretary Band Committee asking for a reduction of the rent charged for the Hall on St. Patrick's night was read.

Mr. McCarthy—What is the rent charged.

Clerk—30s.

Mr. McCarthy—I hold it is too much. The Band is an asset to the town.

Chairman—The band is an institution that is run on voluntary subscriptions, and this Council does not subscribe. He suggested they remit the charge.

This course was agreed on.

Acknowledgements.

Letters acknowledging resolutions of sympathy passed to them in recent hereabouts were read from Mrs. Hardwick, Quay, Bridget Kiely, Mitchel St., Ed. Kiely, do.; Jas. Christopher, do.; Messrs. Stokes, Square, and Pk. Power, Main St.

POSTPONEMENT OF LOCAL ELECTIONS.

General Mulcahy (Minister for Local Government and Public Health), in the Dail, introduced a Bill which, had for its object the postponement of the elections for Co. Councils, Urban District Councils and Town Commissioners due to take place this year. The second reading was fixed for May 23.

[The Bill does not apply to the four Co. Boroughs of Dublin, Cork, Limerick, and Waterford. Elections will be held in the latter three this year.]

The Bill also provided for the postponement of meetings of local authorities "required by law to be held during the period commencing on June 23, 1932 and ending July 1, 1932, and to make provisions consequential on or incidental to such postponements."

The Minister said that he intended to put before the House an outline of the changes which it was proposed should be made in respect of Local Government. The proposed changes would be of such a nature that it would not be worth while to go to the inconvenience and expense of having elections this year.

PROCESSION OF THE BALD.

Five hundred and eighty bald-headed business men, with hats off, walked in procession through the streets of Nagastore, Japan, after passing a resolution advocating business co-operation between the hairless.

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MEN'S SOCKS, SILK AND VELVET IN THE PIECE, HABERDASHERY.

EARLY CALLERS GET THE BEST BARGAINS.

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G. A. A.

BRILLIANT HURLING MATCH AT CAPPOQUIN.

One of the best and most brilliant hurling matches seen in Cappoquin for many years was played in the Cappoquin Sportsfield on Wednesday, April, 29th, when a selected team of the Civic Guards from West Waterford met the Cappoquin Junior Hurling Team in a friendly challenge match.

The Guards being anxious to test their ability as hurlers challenged the Cappoquin Junior Hurling team to a trial match and as the local Gaels were only too glad to get an opportunity of testing themselves, the challenge was promptly accepted.

The Guards had made a careful and extensive selection for the occasion, as eleven of their team were picked from the best hurlers in Ballyduff, Tallow, Lismore, Cappoquin, Ballinamult and Ballymacarbery, while the remaining four were prominent civilian players, including Herman Foley, Collins, and Regan, of the Lismore Hurling Club, and Grant, one of the best forwards in the Four-mile-water, Hurling Club.

This seemed a rather formidable combination to field against the Cappoquin Juniors, and when both teams lined up, the Guards, both in physique and general development had an undoubted advantage over the local players, who, with very few exceptions were very much on the light side. The Sportsfield was in capital order as the grass had been carefully cut, and all the arrangements were perfect. Owing to the match not having been advertised, the attendance of spectators was confined almost exclusively to local followers of the game, and some of the Guards supporters from Lismore, but those present got far better value for nothing, as there was no charge at the gate, than larger gatherings of spectators had previously got, even after paying for admission to other matches.

The game started at 7.30 p.m., the Guards playing with the slight incline down from the road end. After some fast and clever exchanges in the opening stages in which the ball travelled rapidly up and down the field, the Guards quickly assumed the offensive and had three goals to their credit before Cappoquin responded with a goal and a point.

The Guards then added two points, and although the home team worked hard to reduce the lead, they were driven back time and again by a stubborn defence, in the course of which Herman Foley, goal-keeper, distinguished himself, and no further flag having been raised, the half-time whistle found the Guards leading by the following score:—

GUARDS—3 goals 2 points.

CAPPOQUIN—1 goal 1 point.

On changing sides the home team

infused more life into the play and quickly brought the ball into the Guards' territory where some beautiful play was witnessed on both sides. Cappoquin, however, refused to be driven back, their forwards being now all over their opponents' back division and three goals were quickly shot by Cappoquin in almost sensational fashion.

This gave the home team the lead by two points, and excitement ran high amongst the supporters of both teams. The Guards eventually worked their way up the field, and when within 30 yards of the Cappoquin goal a foul by one of the latter right in front of the posts gave the Guards a "free" off which they had no difficulty in scoring a goal, thus giving them the lead once more by one point. They had "shot their bolt" by this time, however, as with the exception of three or four "overs," they were practically on the defensive for the remainder of the game, and Cappoquin kept pressing so hard that the ball had to be sent over the end line by the defenders on more than one occasion in order to prevent an almost certain score. The resultant 70 yards "frees" awarded to Cappoquin failed to materialise, but the latter side still kept up the pressure and were playing in brilliant style now, while the Guards appeared to be losing steam. Well-supported from the centre of the field, the Cappoquin forwards were giving the Guards' back division a most anxious time, but the latter put up a wonderful defence and frequently effected some brilliant "saves," until R. O'Donoghue at length shot a beautiful goal which brought Cappoquin once more ahead by two points.

Play was still in the Guards' territory when the full-time whistle went, leaving Cappoquin the winners on the following score:—

CAPPOQUIN—5 goals 2 points.

GUARDS—4 goals 2 points.

For the winning side Wm. and Jack McCarthy, P. English, C. Mansfield, Joe Mason, J. Glasse, W. Coffey, L. D. Dunne, and John Regan, (goal-keeper) were outstanding players, while on the other side Brophy, O'Connell, O'Leary, O'Regan, Grant, and Herman Foley (goal-keeper), put in some brilliant play and tried hard to avert defeat.

The Cappoquin team was as follows:—W. J. McCarthy, Jack McCarthy, Jas. Croft, Wm. Galvin, Jas. Glasse, Wm. Coffey, Stanley Watson, C. Mansfield, Joe Mason, L. D. Dunne, R. O'Donoghue, John Phelan, M. Walsh, and John Regan (goal).

Mr. J. Ormond, Lismore, proved a capable referee.

IMPORTATION OF NEW POTATOES

The Minister for Agriculture has issued a special licence permitting "new potatoes to be imported into the Free State up to May 16, but not later. Under a previous special licence, now revoked, such potatoes could be imported up to May 27.



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Any type or manufacture of Motor Car and Motor Cycle supplied.

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Youghal Urban Council.

Present: Mr. J. R. Smyth, P.G., Chairman; Capt. P. Dunne, D. J. Linehan, D. Dennehy, J. Whelan, T. Harrington, P. J. O'Gorman, P.C.; T. Murphy, E. Clancy, Mrs. S. Hurley, P.C.; P. J. McMahon, P.C.; M. D. Broderick, A. J. Fowkes.

Mr. Dennehy said, he would like to get some information regarding the amounts spent on advertising as there was a lot of talk about Youghal not being advertised.

The Chairman—We hear a lot of talk about many things, but with nothing in it.

The Clerk said, during the past year they had expended £25 in advertising and £50 the previous year. He was glad Mr. Dennehy raised the question. It had been suggested that little or nothing was known of Youghal in the world outside, but for the past few weeks he had received letters of inquiries from many parts, including Athens, the United States, Canada. This morning he had received one from Moscow and another from Egypt, (laughter).

The Chairman—And then people say we are not advertising.

The Clerk here put a number of the letters referred to on the table, and asked Mr. Dennehy was his question answered.

Mr. Dennehy—Yes; they completely refute the suggestions made. We like to see foreigners amongst us, and 90 per cent. of them speak with a Cork accent, (laughter). Those are the people I'd like to cater for.

Mr. Whelan said, it was he brought the matter on. He had been asked by a prominent ratepayer to raise the question. He was merely doing his duty and he would make no apology for it.

Mr. McMahon—What about the advertising for the coming year.

The Clerk—The amount amount available will be expended.

Local Elections.

Mr. McMahon, asked were the elections postponed for 12 months?

The Clerk—Yes.

Mr. McMahon, said that £70 was included in the estimate for the elections. Could not that be now taken off?

The Clerk—No. You can't alter the rate now.

The Chairman, said, the amount could be put to come more useful purpose, (laughter).

Films for Young.

The Clerk read the Limerick resolution dealing with the further censorship of cinema films for the young, calling on representatives of all parties in the Dail to take prompt measures in the matter.

On the proposition of Mr. Broderick, seconded by Mr. Whelan, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Chairman said, it was a very wise suggestion.

Removal of Refuse.

A very protracted and at times lively discussion took place on a suggestion made by Mrs. Hurley, that the scavengers should collect house refuse at the rear of buildings in the front Strand, instead of having it brought out the front.

The Chairman said, he had frequently seen bins late in the day in front of houses in some of the principal streets in Dublin.

Mrs. Hurley, said, if they paid less attention to Dublin and more to Youghal, it would be of much advantage to the place.

Mr. Clancy, said, the Council's men kept Youghal clean before Mrs. Hurley ever came amongst them and they would continue to do so after her, (laughter).

The method to be adopted was left to the discretion of the Town Supt.

Vet. Inspector's Salary.

Mrs. Hurley, asked why the increase in salary granted to the Vet. Inspector had not been paid yet.

The Clerk, said it hadn't yet been sanctioned by the Department.

Mr. Broderick, said their Inspector was doing the work, and doing it well, and he should be paid.

Mr. McMahon—Can we pay him?

The Chairman—Not before sanction.

Mr. Broderick—It may not be sanctioned at all, (laughter).

Mr. Whelan, said it was a serious reflection on the way they do business in Dublin to say that the Council had received only the usual stereotyped acknowledgment up to the present.

Mr. McMahon—They're too busy with balls and dances to attend to such trifles, (laughter).

Mr. Whelan, said that the salary had been sanctioned in other places? Why not in Youghal?

The Clerk, said that the increase was granted subject to the sanction of the L.G., 12 months ago, (laughter).

The Clerk was directed to write again to the Department.

Ferry Fares.

Mr. Murphy—I don't know whether I'm in order or not.

The Chairman—Everybody is in order here, (laughter).

Mr. Murphy, said, the Hotel Monasteria was a great attraction on the Waterford side of the Harbour, and only for it there would not be so many people using their ferry. In the circumstances he thought the propriety was entitled to preferential rates for the ferry.

The Clerk, said that would require notice of motion.

Mr. Murphy, said, that some 6 years ago, he got notice of motion, and without any notice of motion, owing to having a house over there.

Mr. McMahon, said, he would in-

stist in notice being given. There would be nothing lost by it. They were getting 12 months extension in their lease of public life, (laughter).

Mrs. Hurley—After which you may be replaced by a Commissioner, (laughter).

Gas Man's Holiday.

The Gas manager reported that one of the men had gone out on a "holiday" (laughter), and he had to replace him. Apart from that he was a good worker.

Mr. Broderick—Is it his first offence.

The Manager—He is an old offender, (laughter).

Mr. O'Gorman—Give him a month's holiday, (laughter).

Mr. Clancy said, it was a good man's fault.

Mr. McMahon—Make him pay for it. We have been told that the men are the bosses. The Council will show that that is not the case.

Mr. Broderick, proposed he be kept out for a fortnight.

This was seconded by Mr. McMahon.

Mr. Clancy, proposed that he be reinstated.

Mr. Harrington, seconded.

The Clerk—How can you re-instate him when he has not offered to come back?

On a poll there voted for the amendment—Messrs. Harrington, Murphy, Dunne, Dennehy, and Clancy—5.

Against—Messrs. O'Gorman, McMahon, Fowkes, Whelan, Linehan, Broderick, Mrs. Hurley, and the Chairman—8.

The proposition was therefore declared passed.

The meeting then proceeded to consider tenders.

BLESSED JOHN BOSCO'S CAUSE FOR CANONISATION.

By authorising the resumption of his Cause, the Sacred Congregation of Rites has opened the way for the Canonisation of the founder of the Salesian Congregation. The Rector of the Salesian Missionary College, Palaskerry, Co. Limerick, invites everyone interested in the Blessed John Bosco to send a stamped addressed envelope for his picture with the prayers recommended for a Novena in honour of Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament, Mary Help of Christians, and the Blessed John Bosco. This Novena will be in preparation for the Feast of Mary Help of Christians, on the 24th, May. They will also receive a petition envelope. Holy Mass will be said every day during the Novena for the intentions of those taking part in it, and for the success of his Cause for Canonisation.

When Don Bosco was asked to heal the sick, and thousands were restored to health of soul and body during his 47 years of priestly life, he used to say: make a Novena to Jesus and Mary. His aim was to lead the people to have recourse to the Blessed Eucharist through Mary Help of Christians. The Salesians also recommend a Novena to Jesus, Mary and the Blessed John Bosco, and like their founder they have confidence that every person in trouble will receive consolation.

Don Bosco spent his days in trying to get the people in Italy and France to have recourse to the powerful intercession of Mary Help of Christians. He was born in the very year her Feast was instituted by Pope Pius VII, when the exile of the Supreme Pontiffs, due to the French Revolution, was brought to an end. He founded his Religious Congregation at her bidding. He built a Church in her honour, and almost every stone in it was purchased in thanksgiving for a favour received at her hands. The following incident will illustrate.

Don Bosco called on Baron Coffa, a Senator, who addressed him thus: "Don Bosco, I am dying." "What would you do if Mary Help of Christians obtained your cure from God?" "I would subscribe £80 a month for six months to your new Church." A few days later the Baron called on Don Bosco with his first £80.

Pope Pius IX was one day accosted by an invalid who begged His Holiness to cure him. The Pontiff replied: My child, if you want a miracle, apply to Don Bosco in Turin. He has accomplished many miracles of charity. "For instance one day at Nice, a seven-year-old boy was helped into his presence. The mother begged: "Don Bosco, please bless my child. See, he has never walked without the aid of crutches." Don Bosco said: Willingly do I bestow the blessing of Mary Help of Christians." He walked to the far corner of the room and said: "Come my little friend, but without crutches." The boy did so and soon ran off to find his father who was waiting outside.

On the day he died Don Bosco appeared to a sick nun in Turin, whose family had helped his boys and said to her: "Now that I am in Paradise, I can do much more good. Get up, my child, God is with you." The Sister obeyed and joined the rest of her surprised Community in the Chapel.

He has not ceased to do good. Have recourse to him.

Youghal District Court.

(Before Mr. G. P. Farrell, B.L.)

Having disposed of a number of un-defended Civil Bills, in which Mr. T. K. Keane, solicitor, appeared for plaintiffs, and decrees granted, the Court took up the ordinary business which consisted of one case of drunkenness, one unlighted bicycle, Guards Downes and Madden, were the complainants.

THE BUDGET

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DE-RATING.

CO WATERFOARD FARMERS PROTEST AGAINST FINDINGS OF COMMISSION.

COMPLETE DE-RATING DEMANDED

At a meeting of the farmers of Co. Waterford, held in Waterford on Monday last, the following resolution was adopted:—"That we, the farmers of County Waterford, emphatically protest against the findings of the Commission of Inquiry on Derating, and while suspicious of the result because of the personnel of the Commission, we could not, by any stretch of imagination, expect that we—the majority of the country—should be completely ignored in our demand for justice.

"The enactments, as proudly boasted of by the Government, through the majority report of the Commission, have been utilised to the fullest extent; but being nullified by the low prices of our produce, we consider that any extension of such remedial measures, with its attendant increase of officials, is no answer to our demand for a full measure of derating.

"That we consider that the suggestions in the majority report mean a further increase in officialdom, of which the country has had a surfeit already, and instead of this, the farmers simply seek immediate and complete derating.

"That the Government appears to be ignorant of the state of the farmers financially, and unless relief is forthcoming the latter must adopt some other course to meet the situation.

"That we take this opportunity to contradict the statement, which appears to be circulated for some ulterior motive, to the effect that the small farmers appear to be against derating. On the contrary, we can say the small farmers are strongly in favour of it."

It was ordered that copies of the resolution be sent to President Cosgrave, the Ministers for Finance, Agriculture and Local Government, and local T.D.'s.

Italian witness: It is a crescendo of carbolic! carbolic!! carbolic!!! She shout it at me three times at a time. It is true I swear it three times!

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CRICKET.

The Annual General Meeting of the Lismore Cricket Club will take place on Sunday next 10th May, 1931, at 4 p.m., (Summer Time), in the Hockey Pavillion.

The election of Officers, the fixing of dates for matches and other important business will be under discussion. Members and intending members are invited to attend. All Cricket communications must be addressed to Mr. P. O'Brien, Hon. Sec., Lismore Cricket Club, Green Road House, Lismore.

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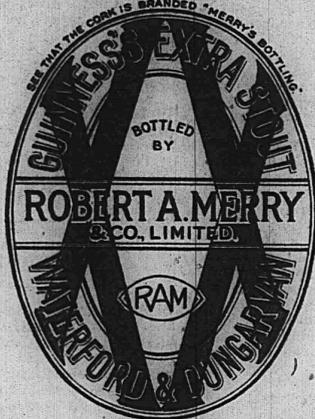
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Improving County Towns.

The following is taken from the "Cork Examiner":

A striking indication of the development of the consciousness of citizenship in the Irish Free State was shown by the holding of a conference in Cork for the purpose of formulating a scheme for the improvement of trade and the general status of the towns of County Cork. Almost every important town in the county was represented, and it was decided to form a Central Executive, which is to be called the "County Cork Town Trading Protective Association." The primary object of the Association is, of course, to help to remedy certain grievances which for some time past have seriously hampered the business of town traders and, naturally, such an organisation, which should weld so many towns into one solid driving force, is bound to exercise a powerful influence in the future life of the community. It may also be assumed that once its primary objects are effected this Association will turn its activities into other channels for the betterment of the towns which it represents, and one of the first considerations that should be taken into account is the necessity for making our county towns, particularly the main streets thereof, more presentable. It is to be regretted that so many of our most prosperous towns present such an unkempt and dilapidated appearance, which creates an unfortunate impression among tourists and possibly more important still, among the many strangers who come to these places to transact business. From the point of view of tourists, there is nothing so disappointing as to travel through miles of scenery that is rarely equalled, on good roads, and suddenly

to come upon a village or town whose appearance is such as to, a great extent, spoil the impression of a land of beauty, that our countryside must create. It must be admitted that it is hardly fair to compare a man-made structure to the work of nature. Yet, the difference that a little well-directed energy can make in this matter has been demonstrated in many places. And while architectural beauty is admittedly expensive, neatness and cleanliness, both private and personal, does not entail a large expenditure. From the point of view of those who visit county towns on business, dirty windows, unpainted shops fronts, garbage strewn streets and straying animals must give an impression of slovenly-unbusinesslike improvidence which may impair our credit, both moral and financial, and be a serious handicap to trade and to our reputation as a modern progressive race. It is to be hoped, therefore, that the new Association, when they have attained their more pressing requirements will use their undoubted influence to inculcate a spirit of friendly competition between county towns in the matter of appearance, and the biggest step that could be made in this respect would be to encourage the establishment of suitable places in these towns for the holding of fairs, instead of having the principal streets crowded with animals, on such days which custom can now only be described as primitive. If they then took up the question of scavenging streets and the parking of vehicles in such a manner as not to interfere with the normal traffic, our towns in a very short time would present a very much improved appearance and the dwellers therein would probably enjoy better health.

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NOTICE OF MAKING ADDITIONS
TO NEW BUILDINGS LIST.

The Local Government Act, 1925, and Local Government Acts, 1925 and 1927.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Urban District Council of Dungarvan have made additions to the New Buildings List.

Any person aggrieved by the omission from or inclusion in the said List of any building should communicate in writing immediately with the Clerk of the Urban District Council.

A copy of the additions to the New Buildings List is deposited at the Office of the said Council at the Town Hall, Dungarvan, and may be inspected thereat, together with lists of buildings from time to time added to or removed from the said List, by any member of the Public on any week day except Thursday between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

(Signed), WILLIAM O'MEARA,
Clerk of the said Council
2nd. day of May, 1931.
Urban District Council,
Town Hall, Dungarvan.

SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY

COUNTY OF WATERFOOD.

LANDS OF COOLAHEST.

Offers will be received by the undersigned Solicitors on behalf of Matthew H. O'Brien, Esq., Aglish House, up to the 6th. May 1931, for ALL THAT part of the lands of Coolahest containing 72 acres and 26 perches statute measure situate in the Barony of Decies without Drum and County of Waterford.

These lands, which are well watered and in excellent condition, are being purchased under the Land Act 1923 and are subject to an annual Payment in lieu of Rent of £46 17s. 10d.

Poor Law Valuation—£65 15s. 0d.
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SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY. TOWN OF DUNGARVAN COUNTY OF WATERFOOD.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned on behalf of Mr. John Meagher and Miss Margaret Landers, Grattan Square, Dungarvan, for ALL THAT the dwelling-house and premises together with the good-will of the long-established Drapery Business carried on therein by the late Mrs. Elizabeth Meagher, situate at 9 Grattan Square in the Town of Dungarvan and County of Waterford.

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Would you believe that in the course of a normal, healthy life of seventy years you will consume fourteen tons of bread?

"Probably not." Yet such it the case. In one day it is estimated that a healthy man, who is moderately supplied, eats 1 1/2 lb. of bread, in the form of white or brown loaf, biscuits, pastry, or other confectionery, all of which have for their basic element baked flour.

Assuming, then, that during the first and last ten years of life only half that quantity is consumed, our average man will, in the course of seventy years, eat bread weighing between fourteen and fifteen tons. If this quantity of bread were baked in one loaf it would require for its accommodation a room containing 1,200 cubic feet.

3 1/2 MILE PEA POD.
In the same way the vegetables consumed during a lifetime present a Brobdignagian banquet for beyond the wildest dreams of any vegetarian. To particularise, take potatoes. On the assumption that three 4oz. potatoes are despatched every day for sixty years, the total consumption amounts to about seven tons of potatoes.

A tuber of this size, if cut in half, might just be carried in two compartments of a railway carriage, but all the porters at St. Pancras would hardly be able to carry it from one platform to another.

The remainder of the lifetime order at the greengrocers would include half a million peas requiring a pod more than three and a half miles long to hold them, a carrot twice the size of a donkey, and enough lettuce leaves to carpet a twelve-roomed house.

A life's supply at the butcher's is another important item. We will calculate it on the basis that a man eats two rashers of bacon for breakfast, a chop for lunch, and a half pound of steak for dinner. After seventy years he will have eaten slices of bacon to measure four miles if placed end to end, chops to reach from Westminster Abbey to St. Paul's, and all the beef on twenty full-sized bullocks.

On a bullock weighing 950 lbs. there is an average of 500 lbs. of meat and 180 lbs. of bone. Keeping this fact in mind, and allowing a man 1 lb. of meat food a day for sixty years, a special bullock weighing eighteen tons, and therefore measuring about fifteen feet in height, would be required to sustain his existence during the allotted span.

In his turn the fishmonger will be called upon to supply five tons of fish and, if he sells them, 10,000 eggs.

In almost everything we eat sugar and salt make their appearance. Consequently their proportions are difficult to calculate.

However, those who are starting for Klondike generally take with them a year's supply of all provisions. This includes 150 lbs. of sugar and 25 lbs. of salt. If for sixty out of seventy years of life this rate of consumption is maintained, we arrive at the figures 9,000 lbs. of sugar and 1,500 lbs. of salt. Enough sugar to sweeten all the rain that falls in Picaideilly-circus in a year and sufficient salt to make ten salt men.

Scarcely less startling are the statistics provided by liquid refreshment. Taking into consideration winter and summer, three pints of liquid daily is a fair average consumption. In seventy years these three pints multiply into 76,700 pints. A vessel to contain this liquid would need to be twelve feet high and more than 2,500 times the size of an ordinary pail. The weight of the liquid would be equal to 42 1/2 tons.

Taking stock at this point we find that of solid foods, over a period of seventy years, our average man will probably consume about fifty-four tons, and of liquid forty-three tons, a total of ninety-seven tons. If our average man weighs 10st. he will have thus in his lifetime consumed 1,552 times his own weight.

THE SHAWL OF GALWAY GREY.

'Twas late the night we parted,
Too quickly came the day.
When silent, brokenhearted,
I went from you away.
The dawn was brightening o'er Glen-rue,
As stole the stars away.
And the last fond look I caught of you

In your shawl of Galway grey.
The well is sparkling as of yore.
The sky still grey and blue.
The dog around my father's door
Keeps watch and ward for you
And all this picture now I see,
But ah so far away.
It's brightened by your grace so free
In your shawl of Galway grey.

I've seen those silks and laces,
and well they look and show,
Beneath the pretty faces
Of gentle girls I know,
But this is a secret I'll confide;
I'd leave them all to-day
To meet with you on a green hillside.
In your shawl of Galway grey.

Let others love some prouder dame,
With flowers and trills bedecked,
Your power o'er me is still the same;
Its play remains unchecked,
And all I ask for is Glenrue,
My homeland far away.
And grace and luck and love be with you,
In your shawl of Galway grey.



LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

POPULAR LADY'S VICTORY. At the Dyrick Races last Thursday, the best of sport was had by the large gathering. A feature of the afternoon was the splendid victory of Miss Peggy Barnes, on her good animal Kismet, in the Cobs Race. Miss Barnes as usual rode a splendid race and her feat of horsemanship from the last gap to the winning post won the admiration of all present. It is her magnificent horsemanship that gave her victory. This daring lady was heartily congratulated on all sides. Sprung from a well known sporting family—the Powers of Caherbrack—Miss Barnes is a worthy chip of the old block. We wish her many further honours in the pigskin.

SAVE THE OLD BORO'. The Local Government Department has issued a fiat that no Urban Council or County Council elections will be held this year, which means that our public bodies will in due time be consigned to limbo, and their places taken by Commissioners. At the moment we are only concerned with the Urban Area due to the fact that any interference with our ancient rights and privileges must needs be closely examined. Now Dungarvan is more than an Urban Council, it is an Ancient Borough—in fact it was an Old Boro' before most of the modern County towns had emerged from the stage of being a few hovels and in addition it was honoured with two Royal Charters—one from King John away back 800 years ago and another from King James. Even Cromwell, when he came amongst us, did not touch our Borough dignity, but confirmed it. Adown the ages Dungarvan returned its own members to Parliament and only ceased to do so as late as 1873. In the days of the Irish Parliament we always sent forward two members and College Green resounded in the good old days to the harangues of John Hoare, of Shandon. To-day after centuries of fighting—when we are told we had secured freedom, a native Parliament threatens to extinguish our ancient glory and reduce us to zero in matters National. That is not right and we think our Urban Council led by its present worthy Chairman, who stands as the symbol of our Mayor, Aldermen and Burgesses of other days, should voice a dignified protest against any interference with our ancient rights and dignities and call upon all who would abolish our Boro' so honoured and so venerable—to consider carefully what they propose doing and even if they take our money they will leave us at least that which is of untold value—the glory, the brilliance and the inspiration begetten of countless years of unswerving honour of a Boro' illustrious in peace and in war, whose lustre was undimmed by the passing years.

ELECTRICITY CONSUMERS. Are requested to make their payments of amounts, which are overdue, for the quarter ending March, 31st., 1931, to James Patterson, Mountain Villas, Emmett St., without delay.

MORE TAXES. The Budget for the coming year was introduced on Wednesday in the Dail. No old taxes were taken off, but new taxes were imposed on Petrol, Sugar and "Talkie" films. In fact in a few years more there will be nothing but carries a tax. Farmers are to benefit in rating to the extent of £750,000, money to be given in the form of an Agricultural Grant and on basis of population. Of course 4d. tax per gallon on petrol hits industry badly as in this age in this country very few motor for pleasure. The Sugar tax hits the poor man with the large family very hard, while "talkie" film tax hits all who want to go to bed at 8.30 p.m. What a pity our Government cannot do without so much money or why don't they make a sufficient supply to give everybody a bit and to spare.

POPULAR-GENTLEMAN BEREAVED. Deep sympathy is extended by his numerous friends in Dungarvan to Professor O'Hara, St. Agustines Seminary, on the death of his mother which took place last week in Dublin. Mr. O'Hara is a gentleman of the first rank, an all round sportsman and a general favourite with everybody. In his bereavement he has the sympathy of all who knew him and who appreciate his manly nature and kindly qualities.

SCAVENGERS STEED. Five steeds have been offered to the Urban Council for scavenging purposes. Their prices range from £9 to £19 and their ages are not mentioned. 'The V.S. is to pronounce on the one he considers the best value to the Boro' and of course a free trial must be given. The citizens hope that out of the five quadrupeds, one may be selected that will be a credit to his masters and their constituents and that he (or she) will acquit himself (or herself) with that dignity and composure befitting the position to which he (or she) is called and will give no cause for complaint in future.

FOR SALE. Two second hand Boilers. 1 trough 15 feet long (pitch pine). Quotations to reach my office by 12 o'clock (new time) Saturday, 9th inst., Edward Kiely, Clerk and Storekeeper, County Home, Dungarvan.

BEET GROWING CO. WATERFORD PRIZE WINNERS.

In the Beet Growing Competition, for the year 1930, the following are the County prizewinners:— Six acres and over—Mr. Garrett Morrissey, Ballinameela. Under six acres—(Late) M. Kiely, Ballynacourt, Dungarvan, 1; (Late) Wm. Christopher, Ballylennon, 2; Patk Flynn, Kilmannon, Cappagh, and Patk O'Brien, Lismore, 3.

Mr. Moloney is attending Dublin Spring Show, and has already secured the Sole Agency for a New Mowing Machine, which has some wonderful improvements. This will be on show here in a week or two, together with some other New lines. Full particulars on application. Moloney's Engineers, Dungarvan.

BIKES. Moloney's New Cycle Department is now fully stocked with all the latest models over 100 arriving this week, at prices which would beat all competition. All guaranteed.

RECENT INQUEST. In connection with the report of the inquest on the child Josie Drummy, held last week we are informed that the verdict of the jury was death from natural causes.

IRISH SUGAR BEET GROWERS' ASSOCIATION. We are requested by the County Waterford Branch of the above Association to refer to a recent statement in the Press from the Irish Sugar Manufacturing Company, that in Co. Waterford 80 per cent. of last year's acreage had been contracted for, and to state that investigation has found this figure to be a gross exaggeration. A comparatively small amount of Beet has been contracted for in West Waterford, but a large number of these contracts have already been cancelled. In East Waterford no Beet whatever is being grown.

CINEMA NEWS. MONDAY AND TUESDAY A thrilling Mystery Story "Behind That Curtain." WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY A Big Super Production "The Sky Hawk." The most thrilling film of the year. Matinee Thursday at 3.30 p.m. FRIDAY AND SATURDAY "Broadway Scandals." A Musical Show with an All-Star Cast.

BAND PROMENADE. A Band Promenade will take place in the Square, on Sunday next after last Mass.

ARDMORE COUNTY WATERFORD. PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

JOHN CONDON & SON have been instructed by Mr. Declan Barron and Mrs. Cecilia Barron, to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION AT ARDMORE, On Thursday 4th June, 1931. At 4 p.m. (Summer Time). The Residence Out-Offices and Premises, with grounds attached, containing three acres or thereabouts Statute Measure, known as "Odell Lodge" in which a Hotel business has been carried on for a number of years.

JOHN CONDON & SON, Auctioneers, Youghal. E. A. RYAN, and Co. Solicitors, having Carriage of Sale, Dungarvan.

SUBSCRIPTIONS INVITED TO POOL FOR HOSPITALS' SWEEP. On £50 Pool 10s. (minimum) subscribers receive one hundred of Prize-money from 100 tickets. CLOSURE MAY 20th. Application with remittance to Box 66 this Office.

IRELAND IN THE SPRING. Oh far away in Ireland now The soft spring breezes blow. From dewy-spangled bough to bough The birds fly to and fro. With chirp and trill the air they fill— Ah me, how sweet they sing!— The world is glad and music-mad In Ireland in the Spring.

Oh, far away in Ireland there Are laughing streams that flow Through verdant valleys where the fair, Sweet-scented hawthorns grow; And every breeze that stirs in these Is sure a shower to fling Of blossoms white as snow at night— In Ireland in the Spring.

Oh, far away in Ireland rise The distant mountain peaks, And many a raptured eye decries The Galtees and the Reeks; What varied hues of misty blues On slope and summit cling, What shine and shade in glen and glade, In Ireland in the Spring.

Oh, far away in Ireland, I Am fair to be to-day, Beneath the tender Irish sky. When once I used to stray, The livelong year I'm happy here Until the robins sing, And then I sigh for wings to fly, To Ireland in the Spring! —DENIS A. MCCARTHY.

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IMPORTANT AUCTION OF 5 USEFUL SMALL FARMS, TWO OF WHICH POSSESS DWELLINGHOUSES. Low Annuities and Excellent quality Land. JOHN CONDON & SON Have been instructed by JOHN KENNEDY, Esq., (whose remaining Lands require his undivided attention) TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, Commencing at the hour of One o'clock, p.m. (S.T.), at the Woodstock Entrance Gate, ON TUESDAY, MAY 12th., 1931. The undermentioned Lots of prime Land:—

Lot 1.—All that part of the Lands of Woodstock, known as "The Twenty Acres" (with Entrance on the Kilmolash Road containing 10a. 3r. and 0p. of very fertile Land, held in Fee-simple subject to payment of an Annuity of £15 to the Irish Land Commission. Lot 2.—All that part of the Lands of Woodstock, otherwise known as "Curraghmoreen," together with the Dwelling-house situate adjoining same, containing 2a. 1r. 10p., held in Fee-simple subject to the payment of an Annuity of £13 5s. to the Irish Land Commission.

Lot 3.—All that the next adjoining Portion, containing 20a. 3r. 15p., subject to payment of an Annuity of £16 10s. to the Irish Land Commission. Lot 4.—All that the next adjoining Portion, containing 30a. 2r. 10p., subject to payment of an Annuity of £18 5s. to the Irish Land Commission. About 4½ Acres of this Lot are stopped for Meadow.

Lot 5.—All that the next adjoining Portion, containing 50a. 2r. 37p., together with the Residence thereon, subject to the payment of an Annuity of £19 15s. to the Irish Land Commission. The Waterford County Council have opened a promising Quarry on this Lot, which is expected to yield a substantial Yearly Income to Owner. Application will be made to the Valuation Office to fix the Poor Law Valuations on the different Lots, and pending same a Provisional Valuation on an equitable basis will be made by the Auctioneers. The Lands are of a very fertile description, most conveniently situated between Cappoquin and Aghish, and 8 miles from Dungarvan. Each Lot is provided with a good Water Supply. The Lands have been treated with utmost care for years past and will be found highly fertile and in excellent condition as to gates and fences. Vendor will pay all Outgoings up to last Gale Days, and immediate possession can be given.

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VIOLIN TUITION. Mrs. Marie T. Feeney, wishes to announce the opening of a VIOLIN STUDIO. AT PARK HOTEL, DUNGARVAN. Careful attention given to each pupil. I will teach on positions. Hours 1 p.m. Opening 25th April. Entrance fee 5s. and 10s. monthly.

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IMPORTANT NOTICE. TO FARMERS AND PIG FEEDERS.

The Dungarvan Urban Council acting in conjunction with all parties interested in the Pig feeding Industry have decided to re-establish Pig Fairs in Dungarvan. Two Fairs will be held monthly in future on the 2nd and 4th Monday's, and buying will commence at 10 o'clock a.m. (Summer time) on those days. The First Fair will be held on Monday, 25th May, 1931. Local Buyers and Dealers from Waterford and Cork, also representatives from the different factories in the South have promised to attend. Keen Competition is Expected on the revival of this Famous Old Munster Pig Fair. BY ORDER, Dungarvan Urban Council, Wm. O'MEARA, Town Clerk. Town Hall, Dungarvan, 1st. May, 1931.

GRATTAN SQUARE, DUNGARVAN. SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY.

We have received instructions from Mr. Maurice Terry, (who is going to reside on his farm at Ballinacourty), to sell by Private Treaty ALL THAT AND THOSE THE FULLY LICENSED HOUSE AND PREMISES situate at Grattan Square, Dungarvan, held in fee-simple free of rent Poor Law Valuation £13 10s. 0d. The premises consists of Bar, Kitchen, parlour, 3 bed-rooms, 2 attic rooms and yard. An exceptional opportunity is presented to intending purchasers of acquiring business in the very heart of the Town. For further particulars apply to— J. F. WILLIAMS & SON, Solicitors (having Carriage of Sale), Dungarvan.

BALLYNANEESHAGH. (Near Waterford City). Highly Important Auction of VALUABLE FARM

In 5 Divisions. To be Sold by Public Auction, on the Lands, in the Undermentioned Lots, by instructions of Mr. Augustine Walsh, on THURSDAY, 21st May, 1931. At 12 o'clock (old time). Parts of the Lands of Ballynaneeshagh, Barony of Gaultier and the County of Waterford, containing together 136a. 3r. 1p. or thereabouts, Statute Measure, held in Fee Simple under the Ashbourne Acts at the apportioned Land Commission annuities set out below, which are for the Final Term, the Third Decade having expired on 1st May, 1918.—

LOTS. Lot 1 containing 7a. 3r. 20p. Annuity £2 15s. 0d. Lot 2 containing 17a. 2r. 0p. Annuity £7 18s. 0d. Lot 3 containing 46a. 2r. 17p. Annuity £14 10s. 0d. Lot 4 containing 56a. 0r. 22p. Annuity £12 0s. 10d. Lot 5 containing 8a. 1r. 22p. Annuity £3 15s. 0d.

Part of Lot 2 has on several occasions been rented to local Football Clubs at remunerative rents. It is considered one of the best pitches in or around the City. Lots 3, 4, and 5, have all got big frontages on the main Cork-Waterford Road, and are in a high state of cultivation. Lots 3 and 4 have also an ever-failing water supply, and the Main City supply passes by the fences of lots 2 and 5.

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IN AID OF DUNGARVAN NURSE AND NURSE'S PENSION FUND. CAPPAGH GARDEN Open Sunday May 10th. 3 to 5 (new time). 6d. per head. Tea at Cappagh House, 4 to 6 (new time), 8d. per head. E. USSHER.

FOR SALE—Morris Cowley two seater (1927) spotless condition. Apply 66 this Office.

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TO LET—Room suitable for an Office. Apply L. this Office. WANTED—Cook General. Help given. Apply 83 this office.

WANTED IN DUNGARVAN OR ABBEYSIDE—Two or three furnished rooms. Reply with full particulars to Y. this Office.

FOR SALE—ON my Upper Farm at Cappagh, on Friday May 15th at one o'clock (old time). About 50 dozen Larch and Scotch poles, suitable for fencing. All persons requiring poles should be in attendance B. G. USSHER.

TAKEN FROM QUEALLY'S YARD—On last fair day, one polly bullock, purchased earlier in Buttery. Information will be received by Mrs. Butler, Garrocloyne, Colligan, or by the Civic Guards.

PONY FOR SALE—A Black Pony, 7 years old, 13 hands high, of strong build and very quiet. Trained to harness and tackling, and used to all kinds of farming work. Can be seen at any time. Patk. Scanlan, Victueller Cappoquin.

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ABBEYSIDE, DUNGARVAN. IMPORTANT SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY.

We have received instructions from the Owner to sell by Private Treaty a field forming part of the lands of Stucolawn, containing 3 acres 2 rods and 3 perches or thereabouts situate at Abbeyside, Dungarvan, held in Fee Simple subject to an annuity of £4 9s. 8d. payable to the Irish Land Commission, P.L.V. 25 5s. 0d. The attention of the public is directed to this opportunity of acquiring an unrivalled site for building purposes. The lands run parallel to the new road opposite Hermitage leading to the Strand at Abbeyside and are in probably the healthiest situation in the district. Tenders will be received and further particulars given by: J. F. WILLIAMS & SON, Solicitors, having carriage of Sale, Dungarvan.

NOTICE—Shorthorn Dairy Bull, the property of Mr. Patrick Kiely, Crobally, will be let to a limited number of cows during the season at 7/6 each. FOR SALE—Good strong Greyhound pups by Huldibarric Cumnigar Glen, (the latter a winner at Cardiff and runner up for 2 stakes)—Apply M. H. O'Brien, Aghish House, Cappoquin.

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NOTICE—Poison is laid on my lands at Lackendara, for the protection of Sheep, Luke Dalton.

TO LET AT ABBEYSIDE—2 Bed-rooms, and use of Sitting-room, suit Ladies or Gentlemen. Apply R. this Office. GRAZING AND TILLAGE TO LET—At Briskley, Kilmacthomas, 50 Acres of Prime Grazing Land for 11 months. Also 5 Acres of tillage—Apply Maurice Stack, Briskley.

NOTICE—The Lands of Cutteen and Curraun, are poisoned for the protection of Sheep. By order of the owners.

FOR SALE—Day old chicks—Pure Rhode Island reds, 10s. a dozen; Mrs. Veale, Ballyneety, Dungarvan.

STRAYED—From Dungarvan April fair, red Yearling bullock, with straight horns. Information will be received by Thomas Drohan, Ballyconery, or Civic Guards.

FOR SALE—Arran Banner selected seed Potatoes 1s. 6d. stone; Good Arran Banner Table potatoes 1s. stone. Thomas Hubbert, Knocknabraney, Dungarvan.

NOTICE—The Shorthorn Bull Newbawn Wonder, the property of Mrs. T. Walsh, Ballykerogue, Stradbally, will be let to a limited number of cows this season at 10s. each.

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE—May's No. 4; Wellington; Rusfield Market and Flat Dutch. Apply Joseph Daniel, Kilmash, Dungarvan.

FOUND STRAYING—On the lands of Toureagh, Ballymacarby, a Yearling bullock, owner can have same by giving particulars and paying costs to Patrick Quarry, Toureagh, Ballymacarby.

WANTED—Sole use of furnished cottage in Ardmore or Ring Districts, from August 1st., to August 15th., 1931. Reply with full particulars to L. this office.

FURNISHED COTTAGE—To let at Helrick for months of May, June and September. Apply David Hall, Estates Office, Drogheda. FOR SALE—Pony trap and harness, fully equipped. Property of Father Power, late of Ballylooby. Apply to Richard Power, 37, Grattan Square, Dungarvan.

NOTICE—Shorthorn Dairy Bull will be let to a limited number of cows this season at 4s. each. E. Power Coolnamear. STRAYED—From Loskeran, a bay mare, long tail, with some white above mouth. Information will be received by James Power, Loskeran, Old Parish or any Civic Guard Station. G. A. A. On Sunday next May 10th at Aghish, Ballycurrane and Knockanor Junior Footballers will try conclusions. Game starts at 4 p.m. (Summer Time).



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Blackwater Fisheries.

At the usual monthly meeting of the Lismore or No. 4 Board of Blackwater Fishery Conservators, at Tallow on Thursday.

Major Lingfield, was moved to the Chair, and there was also present—Capt. P. Dunne, Messrs. E. C. Penrose, W. O'Brien, C. W. Baldwin, Messrs. T. Drohan, Sec. and Inspector and W. Buckley, Assistant Inspector were in attendance.

Sympathy.

The Chairman said his colleagues regretted sincerely to hear of the recent bereavement suffered by their Chairman, Mr. Kennedy, on the death of his daughter.

On the proposition of Capt. Dunne, seconded by Mr. Penrose, a vote of sympathy was passed to Mr. Kennedy.

Department and Bailiffs.

A letter was read for the Department stating that having regard to the reports received as to the unsatisfactory manner in which certain bailiffs had discharged their duties, the Minister was unable to approve of their continued employment. In other cases mentioned the men's services might be retained until the end of the open season, when further information would be sought as to how they carried out their work.

Capt. Dunne asked where did the Government get their information to cut with such a drastic manner?

The Chairman—We have no idea except that they make inquiries from the Civic Guards all over the country.

Capt. Dunne, said, it was a serious slur on the Board, who had re-appointed the men. What were they there for?

The Chairman—We are supposed to look after the interests of the river.

Capt. Dunne, said, the Government were using Russian methods in that matter, sacking men without any sign of a trial, acting on private information. If the men were guilty let them be sacked, but it was not right or just to call on the Board to dismiss men without submitting any grounds whatever to the Board, who paid them. Why didn't the Inspector come before the Board and give her reasons for dismissing the men?

The Chairman—I think we might ask that the Inspector responsible for the report to the Department should attend the meeting of the Board and give them the information on which the men were dismissed.

Capt. Dunne thought there should be a proper sworn inquiry before men would be dismissed in that high-handed fashion. They had 600 miles of a river and the Inspector went around making inquiries from motor drivers and other who knew nothing about the river.

Mr. Baldwin, said the men concerned had appeared before the last meeting and had given satisfactory accounts of themselves.

The Chairman—Dealing with Capt. Dunne's suggestion that we ask for a sworn inquiry, what would the position be?

The Secretary—You can't override the Department.

The Chairman—I think we might ask the Department if they could send down the Inspector responsible for the reports against the men and lay the facts before the Board.

Capt. Dunne—Let her give particulars of any information she got about the servants of the Board.

Mr. Penrose, said, he supposed they would not act unless they had good grounds.

The Chairman, said, it would be a very good plan to ask for the information, they didn't like to do anything in the dark.

Capt. Dunne—Who did she get her information from?

Mr. Penrose—She won't divulge that that doesn't matter, so long as she gives us her reasons.

A report was read from one of the bailiffs concerned giving particulars of a successful raid made in co-operation with other bailiffs and Civic Guards.

The Chairman, suggested that the report be sent to the Department with a request for reconsideration in his case.

The Secretary said there was an important matter in connection with the dismissal of bailiffs in the Villierstown district. It was impossible to get lodgings for the men there. If all the men were dismissed as the Department had decided, a most important portion of the river would be left unprotected.

Mr. Baldwin, said, he understood the lady Inspector got her information at Villierstown. She was with the Civic Guards there for some hours.

Mr. Penrose, asked the Inspector could he not suggest to replace the men.

The Secretary, said, the difficulty was the question of lodgings.

The Chairman, said, if there was anyway of re-appointing the principal man there, it ought be done.

Mr. Baldwin, said they ought ask the Department to reconsider the question of all the Villierstown men.

Capt. Dunne, said, if that were not done the river would be open to poachers.

After further considerable discussion the Chairman's suggestion was adopted.

New Boat.

The Department wrote sanctioning the purchase of a new boat for the bailiffs in the neighbourhood of Fermoy.

Replying to a member Assistant Inspector Buckley, said, that the boat previously in use had been smashed up by poachers last September.

The Secretary was instructed to expedite the purchase of the boat.

Acknowledgment.

Mr. Jas. Kent, wrote thanking the Board for their kind vote of sympathy with him and his family, on the death of his daughter.

Sharks At Ardmore.

The Secretary reported that Thos. Foley, fisherman, Ardmore, informed him of the great damage to nets in Ardmore Bay by Sharks; 5 nets measuring 150 yards were taken on 23rd. April, and 2 others ruined by Sharks. Sharks infested Ardmore Bay from the middle of April to the middle of end of May. Last year approximately 80 Sharks were seen, the damage caused by the Sharks to nets was enormous. They didn't eat the salmon.

Bailiff's Lodgings.

The Department of Fisheries, wrote pointing out that bailiff Fanning, was not residing in the district patrolled by him as required, and asking for an explanation.

Assistant Inspector Buckley, said, the man had done his best to find accommodation in the neighbourhood but didn't succeed.

The Chairman, said the men were faced with a very difficult problem in securing suitable lodgings. The Department 150 miles away could appreciate the trouble involved.

The Secretary was directed to reply to the Department's letter.

Trout Rearing.

The Mitchelstown Anglers Association, wrote thanking the Inspector and the Board for rearing 10,000 trout for them. They had been distributed in the 20th., inst. the facilities afforded by the Board were very much appreciated.

Salmon Ova.

The Chairman asked how many ova had they that year—50,000?

The Inspector, said, he could not answer that question at the moment, but the supply was much less than previously.

Fishing Illegalities.

Mr. Penrose, said that Major Lingfield, and he had visited Ardmore during the week. The Duchess of Devonshire had been there previously and on her return to Lismore she had informed the Fishery Office that she had seen 6 nets anchored to the rocks.

The Chairman—Here is a photo of what was taken place there, (the picture showed a bailiff holding up the end of a cork line of a net to which a stone was attached). They complained to the Civic Guards that the nets were secured to the rocks which was denied, but in going to the shore they found that the nets were secured.

Mr. Penrose, said, they then went to Montrea, where they found one net 15 feet up on the beach, with a big rock on the end, the other end being in the boat which was at anchor.

The Chairman said every single net they examined that day was fastened on the shore, with the boat anchored at the other end.

Mr. Penrose, said the nets could not possibly be drift nets in the circumstances.

The Chairman, gave particulars of several boats fishing off Monatrea and Pilltown, Co. Waterford, similarly engaged. One net was held by an iron wheel box on the rocks.

Capt. Dunne, said, the men might have been forced by the state of the weather and tide.

The Chairman, said it was pretty calm and there was little or no tide, it being near high water.

A letter was read from Messrs. J. L. Keane, and Son, solrs., stating that they had received a report from bailiff Dooley, as they had some doubt about the practice, which was stated to be in vogue for some 30 years, they suggested that the Inspector should investigate and report to the Board.

Capt. Dunne, said, it was a pretty state of things when gents like Mr. Penrose and Major Lingfield would turn themselves into water bailiffs, (laughter).

The Chairman, said they didn't suggest prosecutions, but a warning should be given as suggested by their solicitors.

Mr. Baldwin—Leave the matter in Mr. Keane's hands.

Replying to the Chair, the Secretary said, that a fixed engine was any net that could not drift with the tide.

Mr. Penrose—Who is supposed to look after Ardmore?

The Secretary—The Youghal Staff.

Mr. Penrose—Her Grace the Duchess was down the week before and saw those 6 nets fixed. When we went down the same thing was going on. I sent down bailiffs, who sent a report (read).

Replying to the Chairman the Secretary read a report from Ganger Neill, to the effect that in April 5th, they seized a fixed engine at Youghal Bridge and another on 18th. On 21st. they visited Ardmore and examined several nets, finding nothing wrong, they saw several nets that had been destroyed by sharks. They patrolled the river regularly in the launch except when prevented by weather or engine trouble. Poaching with fixed engines had considerably diminished since last year. As he could not work satisfactorily with the up river bailiffs who came down he begged to resign.

Mr. Penrose, said that some of the nets they saw the day in question seemed considerably over length, but they didn't measure them.

Capt. Dunne—Isn't it curious that members of the Board should go around looking for illegalities. Am I to make a bailiff of myself?

The Chairman—Most decidedly.

Capt. Dunne—I wouldn't do it.

The Chairman—Then I am disappointed in you.

Mr. Penrose, said it was only helping the bailiffs in their duty.

Capt. Dunne, said, they had two Inspectors and bailiffs to look after the river.

The Chairman—You think that the Duchess of Devonshire was wrong? Capt. Dunne—I say she had no right to interfere in that way—it was beneath her.

The Chairman—I am very sorry that any member should utter such an opinion as that.

Capt. Dunne—I am of the opinion that I ought not make a bailiff of myself or be a water bailiff.

The Chairman—If you find they are not doing their duty?

Capt. Dunne—I'd report them to the Board.

The Chairman—That is just what I have done. I wrote to Mr. Drohan at once about the matter.

The Secretary—And I have done my part.

The Chairman—We went straight down and found the weights and I informed the Guards that the Superintendent was to be written to.

The Secretary, said there was no reason to doubt the Majors and Mr. Penrose's statements that they had seen those illegalities and it was then up to him to take a serious view of it, which he had done. As a result they had the ganger's resignation as he was apparently unable to cope with the situation.

Mr. Baldwin, suggested that they ask him to reconsider it.

The Chairman, said he could not agree in face of his letter to the Board as regards the acts complained of, their Inspector should make it perfectly clear to the offenders that they were turning drift nets into fixed engines.

The Secretary—As Inspector of the district I must say that sufficient steps were not taken by the Youghal management in my absence.

After a further lengthened discussion it was unanimously decided to accept Mr. Neill's resignation and confine him to his old position of Marksman.

Mr. Baldwin, stating that the seals were again doing damage to the fishing.

The Secretary was also directed to act on their Solicitor's suggestion and warn the parties concerned.

Boat Sent Adrift.

The Chairman, said he had heard that Mr. Annesley's boat had been cut adrift by poachers.

Assistant Inspector Buckley, said that was a fact. It had been done by Fermoy poachers.

DEATH OF JOE MAHER OF GRANGE.

We take the following from the "Advocate" New York, of April, 25th, 1931.—We regret to announce the untimely death on April 16th of a well-known and popular young Waterford man, Joe Maher, who passed away suddenly at his late residence, 355 West Twentieth street, to the grief of his family, relatives and friends who sincerely mourn his loss.

He was possessed of many fine qualities and was of a genial disposition that endeared him to all with whom he came in contact. He was a past master in the art of jesting and in Irish wit and humour which attracted to him many friends, both in Ireland and in New York City. Deceased was a true son of the Gael and gave valuable services in the cause of his mother land in the days of the Anglo-Irish war.

He was also prominent in sporting circles and was an active member of the West Limerick Football Club, where he held a responsible position in the town of Newcastlewest; also in Cappoquin and Lismore, where he had similar positions. He was always an ardent lover of the Gaelic pastime.

Deceased was son of the late Thos. Maher and Bridget Maher (nee Quirk) of Grange, Co. Waterford, and brother of the late Michael Maher, who took an active part in the national movement; also brother of Patrick, Thomas and James in Ireland, and John, Wm. Eddie and Henry, and Maria, Beatrice and Margie, sisters, in New York City.

Solemn Requiem Mass was offered at Holy Trinity Church, West Eighty-second street, New York City, on April 20, which was largely attended. The interment took place at Calvary Cemetery.

COST OF SHANNON SCHEME.

£6,239,950 TO DATE.

Accounts issued in respect of the Shannon Power Development Fund give the following figures: Total advances towards the construction of the Scheme

to March 31, 1930..... 6,239,950
Of this sum there was advanced from the Central Fund 5,496,250

CIVIL CONSTRUCTION.
Cost of Civil Construction Section 2,940,202
Included in this are head-race and storage 204,373
Embankments and excavations 226,877

ELECTRICAL CONSTRUCTION.
Cost of electrical construction 2,048,921
Mechanical equipment 338,555
Compensation 8,238

(These are the principal items in electrical construction.)
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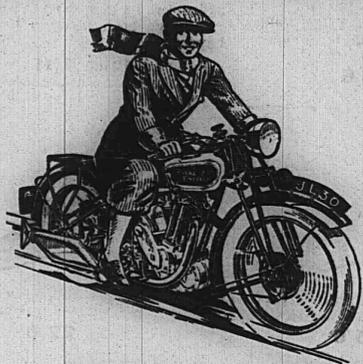
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CAPPOQUIN NOTES.

RECORD CATCHES OF SALMON. Some record catches of Salmon have been effected in the river Blackwater, between Youghal and Cappoquin, by the net fishermen within the past fortnight, and everybody will rejoice at this stroke of good luck for the hardy fishermen concerned, as they had experienced a very bad time since the opening of the fishing season on February 1st.

Some idea of the large numbers of salmon captured recently can be gleaned from the fact that one buyer alone Mr. Baldwin, of the Cappoquin Bacon Factory, shipped from Cappoquin to the English markets no less than 858 salmon, weighing 10,145 lbs., during the week ending Saturday, April, 25th, which constituted a record, while for last week, ending May 2nd, 618 salmon, weighing 7,556 lbs., were also purchased and shipped by the Cappoquin Bacon Factory, which can safely be described as amongst the largest buyers of salmon over the long stretch of the Blackwater between Youghal and Cappoquin.

The Tourin crew took 42 splendid fish in one haul recently, and from various sources we learn that the Blackwater is simply teeming with salmon, at present, and this is borne out by the successes recorded by rod anglers in various districts, Captain T. O. Jameson, Tourin House, for instance, having landed two beautiful specimens, weighing 16 lbs., each, on last Saturday. Good luck to the fishermen, and may it continue for a long time yet.

SUCCESSFUL "UBIQUE" DANCE. The grand Cinderella dance organised by the "Ubique" Orchestra, Lismore, which was held in the Boat-house Hall on Tuesday night, April, 28th, proved a brilliant affair in every respect.

The attendance was extremely large, as nearly all the old patrons of the Boathouse dances from Dungarvan, Lismore, and Cappoquin were present while a number of English visitors, comprising members of the staff from Lismore Castle, also attended and expressed themselves as delighted with the splendid dancing floor and the excellent accommodation provided in the spacious Boathouse Hall.

The "Ubique" Orchestra (with Miss Crowley, included) under the Conductorship of Mr. J. Scott-Allen, provided a delightful programme of dance music, in which several of the popular old-time dances of other days figured, so that the event proved one of unalloyed happiness and enjoyment for all.

The large attendance present was a personal tribute to the great popularity of Mr. J. Scott-Allen and the other members of the Orchestra, all of whom deserve to be congratulated on the success which rewarded their efforts on the occasion.

THE ROWING CLUB. Mr. J. McCarthy, B.A., who was elected Vice-Captain of the Rowing Club for the first time this year has lost no time in proving the wisdom of selecting him for this important position for the coming rowing season. He started the various crews at vigorous rowing practice on Monday evening week, and that he is determined that they will not be "hot-house" oarsmen this year is proved by the fact that he has had them out every evening since in all kinds of weather. It is a most inspiring sight to see crews of eights and fours on the river every evening now, and we trust they will loyally stick to hard practice and training, for without these essentials they can never hope to blot out at the coming regatta the stigma cast on the Rowing Club last year when the home crews failed to win a solitary race at their own regatta.

We are glad to learn that it is proposed to hold this year's regatta in July, instead of August as in recent years, as it has been found that most of the leading crews have gone out of training in the latter month, while they are all usually at the top of their form in July. An application for the necessary permit for the holding of the event in July before the Cork City Regatta, has already been made to the Irish Amateur Rowing Union, and if this is granted we can assure the public that this year's regatta will eclipse in every respect any of the brilliant aquatic fixtures held by the Rowing Club for many years past.

LAWN TENNIS CLUB. Thanks to the effort of Mr. L. D. Dunne, Mr. C. Mansfield, and a few equally enthusiastic lady members, the local Lawn Tennis Club has been re-constituted much earlier than usual this year, and the opening games were played on the well-appointed courts here on last Sunday. Although the real tennis weather has not quite arrived yet, there was a most encouraging attendance of young ladies and gentlemen at the opening sets, on Sunday, and from the great enthusiasm now being shown on all sides we expect to see a larger membership roll than ever in the Club this year. The election of officers and Committee will be held on next Sunday full details of which will appear in a later issue.

NOT FINISHED YET. With promising Hurling and Football, Rowing and Lawn Tennis Clubs already in our midst, one would have thought that all classes of sports were now well catered for here, but this is not so by any means. A movement is now on foot to start a Cricket Club for the town, or should

we say revive the successful Cricket Club of which Cappoquin could so proudly boast many years ago? Many of the old veteran players of those far-off and happy days are still, fortunately "alive and kicking" amongst us, and only too eager to handle a cricket bat or ball again, while a fresh enthusiasm for the game has recently been engendered amongst the younger generation which augurs well for the success of the Club when once started. The Cricket Club which flourished here over 30 years ago was able to defeat some of the best Clubs in Cork City and other places, and the remnants of that gallant band still surviving here are now, in the words of the poet, quite ready to "shoulder their crutches, and show how fields were won."

NEW PREMISES. Owing to his expanding trade Mr. O'Connor, Poultry and Egg Exporter, Cappoquin, has recently purchased from Mrs. H. McGrath, Dromore, the extensive premises at the corner of Green Street, and Castle Street where for several years the business of "The Blackwater Valley Co-operative Society" was carried on. These are the premises which were recommended as the most suitable for the Vocational Classes proposed to be started here, and the fine building with its numerous out-offices and large yard would, undoubtedly be an ideal place for a purpose.

REVIVE-THE BAND. What a pity that some effort is not being made to reorganise our fine Brass and Reed Band which provided such rare musical treats for the townspeople in the past. Mr. James Hogan, the efficient Conductor, has done more than one man's part to keep it going for many years in the face of untold difficulties and discouragements, but his efforts at last proved futile, and it has become as mute as "The Harp on Tara's Walls" for a long time past. In view of the regatta and other important sporting fixtures to be held here this year, and more particularly the Eucharistic Congress to be held next year, it will seem strange if the Cappoquin Band will be unable to participate in any of those events, so we think the time is now ripe for the townspeople to take the matter in hand and make some serious effort to revive it before the Summer months—the months of mirth and music everywhere have arrived. Perhaps the C.Y.M.S. will kindly give a lead in the matter?

SIRE FOR 1931. (Registered by Department of Agriculture). THOROUGH-BRED SIRE. GOLDEN BUD. By Golden Sun by Sundridge by Amphion-Sierra. Dam Rosendal by William III. G.D. Penelope by Orisid. He will stand at Tully's Yard, Dungarvan, on Tuesdays at Kent's, Kilmachthomas, on Thursdays and on Saturdays at Ballymacarbery. No attendance on Sundays. No responsibility for accidents. Fees to be paid to Owner only. GOLDEN BUD is a dark brown horse, 10 years, standing 16.1 hands. As a 2-year-old he won the Home Bred Plate at Gatwick; the Salisbury Foal Plate at Salisbury; the Great Foal Plate at Lingfield Park, £2740. He was placed twice as a 3-year-old and as a 4-year-old in the Downland Handicap at Bury Park. His Sister, Golden Arab, was sold as a 2-year-old for £7100 at Newmarket. She won £3,000 in Stakes. Terms—Thoroughbred Mares, £5; Gentlemen's Mares, £3; Groom's Fee, 4s.; Nominated Mares at Fees fixed by County Committee and £1; Half-bred Mares £4. All Mares to be paid by 1st September. After 1st November book will be handed to a Solicitor for collection. Reduction given if paid day of service.

YOUNG KILTEEL. (Registered by Department of Agriculture). By Kiteel, winner of St. Leger, out of Bright Star by Bend Sin, winner of Derby, Dam Discovery (Zingane-Knave of Hearts). YOUNG KILTEEL is a 9 year old dark brown horse, 16 hands, with best of bone and short back. He will stand during the Season on Thursdays at Kent's, Kilmachthomas; Saturdays at Conway's Hotel, Ballymacarbery, and remainder of week at home. No attendance on Saturdays. Terms—Gentlemen's Mares, £3; Groom's Fee, 3s.; Farmers' Mares, £2; Groom's Fee, 2s. 6d.; Nominated Mares at Fees fixed by County Committee and 10s. day of service; Groom's Fee, 2s. 6d.

YOUNG RAGLAN. (Registered by Department of Agriculture). By Discovery, dam by Lord Frederick, g.d. Monarch (Zingane-Knave of Hearts). He will stand during the Season on Tuesdays at Tully's Yard, Dungarvan; on Thursdays at Kent's, Kilmachthomas; on Saturdays at Conway's Hotel, Ballymacarbery, and remainder of week at home. Terms—Gentlemen's Mares, £3; Groom's Fee, 3s.; Farmers' Mares, £2; Groom's Fee, 2s. 6d.; Nominated Mares at Fees fixed by County Committee and 10s. day of service; Groom's Fee, 2s. 6d.

PERFECTION III. The Property of Ed. Navin, Ballinacorney, Kilmachthomas. Will stand this Season on Tuesdays at Mr. D. V. Stoker's Yard, Dungarvan; on Saturdays at Mrs. Moroney's, Ballymacarbery; remainder of week at Owner's Stables. Fair days, foul weather and illness excepted. Sire, Perfection II, by Perfection, dam by Bluskin; g.d. by Zingane. He is a powerful chestnut horse, 16-3 hands, with plenty of bone and perfect action. Terms—£3 10s.; Groom's Fee 2s. 6d.; No responsibility for accidents. Service money to be paid on or before 1st October. For all particulars apply to the Owner.

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HUNTER SIRE FOR 1931. "FONTEVOY." Registered by Department of Agriculture. Foaled 1927, Colour—Dark Brown. Sire Marshall Ney, by General Symons by Childwick. Dam by Bruree. Height 16.1. Short Back, 9 1/2 inches bone, perfect action and of the best Hunting Strain in Ireland. Will stand at Miss O'Donnell's yard, Lismore, on Wednesday, and at Mr. Hayes' yard, during the season, and at his own stable all other days. Service Fee £3. Grooms Fee 3s.—Nominated Mares at Fees fixed by Co. Committee of Agriculture. Service Fee to be paid on or before October 1st, 1931. Not accountable for accidents. Fontenoy will arrive in Dungarvan 12.10 train, and will leave his stable at 6 p.m. For further particulars apply to: JOHN LYNCH, (Gunn), West St., Tallow

Registered Pure-bred Irish Draught Stallion. IRISH DUKE, The Property of Terence Donnelly, Glenmore, Dungarvan. IRISH DUKE is a steel grey, 16 hands, foaled 1928. Irish Duke is by Irish Life (83) by Drumberg (38), dam by Melton. He will stand during Season 1931 on Tuesdays at Mr. J. J. Queally's Yard, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan; remainder of week at Stud Stables, Glenmore. He will be let to a limited number of mares at £2 2s. each. Groom's Fee, 2s. 6d. Nominated mares at Fee fixed by Co. Committee and 2s. 6d. Groom's Fee. All Service Money to be paid in Oct. No accountability for accidents. For further particulars apply to the Owner. Terence Donnelly.

THOROUGH-BRED SIRE FOR 1931. AT Kilmaloo Stud, Co. Waterford. ROCKEN. (Registered by County Committee of Agriculture, Winner of over £1,000 in Stakes as a three-year-old. Chetsnut, 16 hands 1 1/2 inches high (1920), short back good bone and perfect action has proved himself a sure foal getter. By Rockfint, sire of Square Rock, Rock Fordard, Leeds Rock, Passion F. Fly Bob, Rock Tunnel, Rose of Athens and many other winners by Rocksand, Leger, dam of Hereford, by Harry of Hereford, own brother to Synford. See Stud Book vol. xx5, page 450. Will stand this season—At Dungarvan, on Tuesdays at Tully's yard, Lismore, on Wednesday's at McCarthy's Wine Vaults. Passing through Cappoquin in the afternoon on Wednesday's. Youghal, on Saturday's at Flavin's yard. Remaining days at Owner's stables. Fee—Thoroughbred Mares, 7 Gns.; Half-bred Mares £4.; Nominated Mares £2 with ticket; Grooms fee 3s.

HALF-BRED SIRE. ASHTOWN BOY. Shell grey 16 hands 1 inch high (1923) short back, good bone and perfect action, has proved himself a sure foal getter. He is a perfect hunter, and one of his gets won the Farmers Race at Kilmachthomas, Point-to-Point Races. By Le Souvenir (sire of Glangasia, who came fourth in the Grand National in 1930), dam Wait Still, grand dam Perfection. Will stand this season—Same as Rocken. Fee—£3. Grooms fee 3s. Certified by J. F. Healy, M.R.C.V.S. Fees to be paid in October, reduction will be given if paid at service. Every care will be taken of mares, but owner will not be accountable for accidents.—RICHARD FITZGERALD.

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CO. WATERFORD COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURE.

SCHEME OF PRIZES FOR COTTAGES AND SMALL FARMS 1931.

The County Committee have decided to offer Prizes for (A) Cottages with Gardens; (B) Small Farms. For the purpose of this Scheme the County will be regarded as one area.

SCHEDULE OF PRIZES. SECTION A. COTTAGES WITH GARDENS.

Two Prizes of £7 each. Two Prizes of £5 each. Six Prizes of £3 each.

Definition of Bona Fide Cottager; subject to the condition that persons who have Horticultural Demonstration Plots in their Holdings are ineligible to compete. The County Committee have defined a Bona Fide Cottager as one whose holdings does not exceed £5 in annual value.

SECTION B.—SMALL FARMS.

Confined to farmers value of whose holdings does not exceed £25.

First Prize £7. 2nd. Prize £5. 3rd. Prize £3.

GENERAL CONDITIONS COTTAGES AND FARM SCHEME.

Entries must be made on special forms to be obtained from the Secretary of the County Committee. Each competitor must forward one of these forms accurately filled in, in every detail, so as to reach the Secretary of the County Committee not later than 20th. day of May, 1931.

J. O'DWYER, Secretary.

Courthouse, Dungarvan, 20th. April, 1931.

G. A. A.

CHAMPIONSHIPS AT DUNGARVAN.

DUNGARVAN AND KILROSSANTY WIN HONOURS.

Ideal weather conditions prevailed here on Sunday, when two important senior football matches were played in connection with the Waterford G.A.A. County Championships. A large crowd witnessed the matches.

In the first game Dungarvan (county champions) lined out against the Brick Rangers. The Rangers were first away, but drove wide.

Dungarvan launched a dangerous attack, and just failed to gain the objective. After fifteen minutes Dungarvan scored a goal per Keohan. Shortly afterwards the same player was responsible for another major. An attack by the Rangers looked dangerous, but a foul relieved the situation for Dungarvan.

After forty minutes the Rangers had their first score, a point from a free. At half-time Dungarvan led by 2 goals to 1 point. On resuming Dungarvan attacked without result. Play was now very strenuous, and both sides attacked in turn.

Dungarvan continued the scoring by a point per Murphy. Parsons soon added a further minor for Dungarvan. A free to the Rangers was driven all the way for a point by Milligan. Greany from far out raised the green flag for Dungarvan.

From this onward Dungarvan kept the play in their opponents area, and ran out deserving winners on the score:—

DUNGARVAN—3 goals 2 points.

BRICKY RANGERS—2 points.

KILROSSANTY DEFEAT CLASHMORE.

There was a very attractive game in the senior division between the old rivals Kilrossanty, and Clashmore-Kinsalebeg and from start to finish the contest was keen and closely contested.

Kilrossanty having proved far too good for their opponents the final whistle found the scores as under:—

KILROSSANTY—3 goals 4 points.

CLASHMORE—3 points.

THE CAR AND THE DOG.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CHAIN OF EVENTS.

A dog was the cause of six people being involved in an unusual series of accidents at Birmingham. In a two-seater motor car, travelling along Vauxhall Road, were a driver and his dog. The dog jumped out of the window, and was in danger of being hanged by its leash.

The driver attempted to save it, and the car swerved on to the pavement, knocking down Miss Doris Bushell, who was pushing a bath-chair, containing her aunt, Miss Elizabeth Rogers, of Vauxhall Road, Birmingham.

The bath-chair wheels buckled, and Miss Rogers, who suffered from a paralysed leg, had her sound leg broken. The car continued along the pavement and knocked down a lamp-post, which fell on Miss Alice Harvey (26), who received injuries to her head. The lamp post also injured a three-year-old girl, smashing the pramette she was pushing, and injured the hand of her father, who was beside her. The child was hurled some distance into the road.

After striking the lamp-post, the car crossed Vauxhall Grove, and, striking a house, turned completely round. In the impact the driver's head came in contact with the wheel, and he received severe bruises to the head.

The only person detained in hospital was Miss Rogers. What eventually happened to the dog is unknown.

DECREE TO STOP BEGGING.

A decree to abolish begging will be published shortly by the Portuguese Government.

Jam Prices.

Raspberry, 3lb. jar for 1/11; 2lbs. 1/3; 1lb., 8d.

Strawberry, 3lb jar for 2/-; 2lbs., 1/4; 1lb. 8½d

Black Currant, 3lb jar for 1/11; 2lbs., 1/2; 1lb. 8d.

Apicot, 3lb. jar for 1/8; 2lbs., 1/1; 1lb., 7½d.

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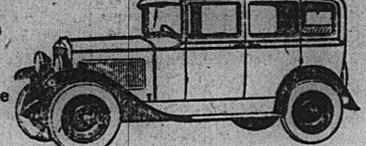
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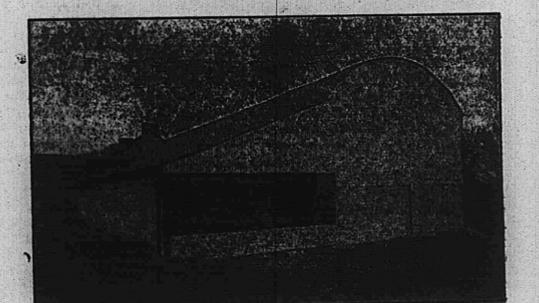
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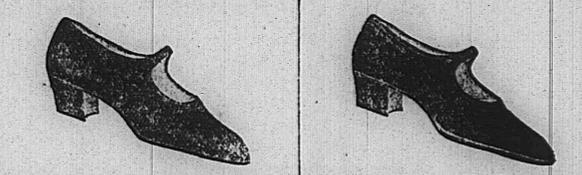
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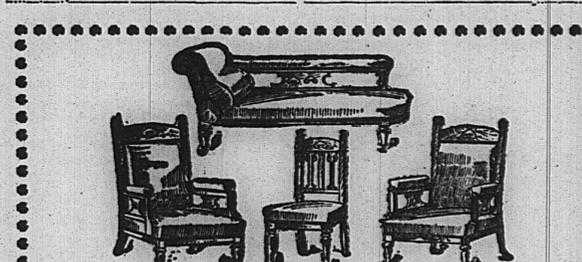


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