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## DUNGARVAN URBAN COUNCIL

The weekly meeting of the above was held on Friday last, Mr. J. Butler, Chairman, presided. The other members present were—Messrs. C. Lawn, J. F. Moloney, M. J. Keane, M. Clancy, J. Hackett, B. Dee, M. Griffin, and W. O'Donnell.

### Payments.

The following amounts submitted by the Clerk were passed:  
Abbey-side Sewer £5 5s. 5d.; Abbey-side Housing A/c. £3 9s. 5d.; General A/c. £12 6s. 6d.

### Catholic Action.

The following resolution proposed by Mr. Lawn, and seconded by Mr. Keane, was passed unanimously:—"That we the members of the Dungarvan Urban Council, tender our respectful homage and loyalty to your Holiness. We assure your Holiness our unswerving devotion to your High Ideals of Catholic Action and we tender our respectful sympathy in the present trials of the Church in Italy. That copies of this message be sent to His Excellency The Most Rev. Papal Robinsin, Archbishop and Nuncio Apostolic and to His Lordship, Most Rev. Dr. Hackett, Bishop of Waterford and Lismore.

### Thanks.

Letters thanking the Council for resolutions of sympathy passed to them in their recent bereavement were read from Mrs. Gough, O'Connell, St., and Mr. Walter Wall, Mary St.

### Watchman's Wages.

James Haven, Abbey-side, wrote claiming 10/- per week for a period of 11 weeks while employed as night watchman at Sarsfield St., Abbey-side. The letter was referred to the B.S., for a report.

### New Footpath.

The tenants of "Mountain Villas" Emmet St., wrote complaining of the bad state of the footpath opposite their houses and asked the Council to have a concrete path put down.

Mr. Lawn—It is certainly a dangerous bit of path.

Mr. Keane—How do we stand with regard to Towns Improvement Fund.

Mr. Moloney—Would it not be well to get an estimate from the B.S., before we discuss it.

Mr. McCarthy—Three years ago the tenants were promised this path and it is not done yet. It is badly needed there.

The matter was referred to the B.S., for an estimate. He was also asked to prepare an estimate for the portion opposite Mr. Kelly's premises.

### New Lights.

The E.S.B. wrote enclosing tenders as follows:—(1) light in Scanlon's Park Abbey-side, £7 4s.; (2) New pole at Miss Lander's corner £5 17s. 6d.; (3) wall bracket at Castle St., £2 6s.; (4) new light in Buttery St., £6 15s.; (5) changing poles in O'Connell and Mitchell St., 3s as to light Scrammams Lane £5 17s. 6d., one and £4 18s. the other.

B.S.—As regards the poles in O'Connell St., Mitchell St., and at Miss Lander's corner they are not put down according to plan. He thought the E.S.B. should make those alterations free.

The Council accepted tenders No. 1 and 3, and the Clerk was directed to get a revised estimate for a light at Buttery St., the Council to provide the pole, also to inform the Board that the changes required in tenders Nos. 2 and 5 were caused by the E.S.B., in not putting down poles in accordance with original plans.

### Municipal Authorities Association.

The Council decided to consider at next meeting an invitation to affiliate with the above. The application fee is two guineas and the annual conference to which all affiliated Councils can send delegates will be held on 15th and 16th September.

### Dangerous Hydrant.

On the suggestion of Mr. Clancy, the B.S., was instructed to consult with Mr. Bowen regarding the raised hydrant at the Youghal Road junction which is in a dangerous state.

### Rice's Street Sewer.

In reply to the request from the Council asking the Department to send down an Inspector to inspect Rice's St in connection with the proposed laying of a sewer there the Minister stated that no further inspection would be made.

Mr. Lawn—I suggest that we leave the thing over for the present.

Mr. McCarthy—There is a good deal of unemployment in the town and I would like to see the work carried out.

Mr. Lawn—We might be able to do the work in a few months.

Chairman—There will be no further inspection.

Mr. Clancy—The last inspection was a flying one.

Mr. Lawn—Who accompanied the Inspector at the inspection?

Borough Surveyor—He called on me and I went with him.

Mr. O'Donnell—Are you going to let Rice's St., rest now?

Mr. Clancy—Before we do anything it would be well that the original object for doing the work be explained. It was brought up to abate a nuisance existing at the end of Fr. Twomey's road, if the work be done as sanctioned by the Department that nuisance will not be abated.

Mr. McCarthy—There is also a nuisance in front of the houses in the St., and if you cannot do the work the other way, it would be serving those people to do the work as approved. I admit that the other way would be the better.

After further discussion the Borough Surveyor was instructed to inform the Departments engineer that the approved way of doing the work would overtax the sewer at Draper's Field.

### Scavenging.

Mr. Keane complained that the scavenger was not doing his work thoroughly and several streets were not as clean as they might be on Sunday's.

The matter was referred to the S.S.O.

Heroic Work of Civic Guard.

Chairman—Since our last meeting an act of heroism which timely prevented a fatal accident was performed by Guard Sweeney, when he went to the rescue of a fellow townsman who had fallen over the quay. Guard Sweeney, on the occasion, did a very courageous deed and he should be brought before the proper authorities in a very special way. Guard Sweeney thoroughly deserved some recognition for what he did.

Mr. Keane—I am glad the Chairman has brought the matter up for I have a resolution here in connection with it. Guard Sweeney's name since last Sunday is a household word. On this occasion he displayed great courage and he went immediately to the rescue of the man regardless of the consequences to himself.

Several other members having spoken highly of Guard Sweeney's brave deed, the following resolution proposed by Mr. Keane, and seconded by Mr. Clancy was passed unanimously:—"That we, the members of the Dungarvan Urban Council, desire to place on record our deep appreciation and admiration for the gallant and heroic rescue work performed by Guard Sweeney, on several occasions while stationed here, and on behalf of the people of Dungarvan we offer him our sincerest thanks for the conspicuous bravery he has so often and unselfishly shown in going to the aid of our people in imminent danger, and especially on the occasion of Sunday last in saving a life of one of our townsmen from certain death without the slightest consideration for the perils of his own life.

We desire to convey to the Minister for Justice, General O'Duffy and to the district authorities of Guard Sweeney his meritorious work as a police officer and it is our earnest desire on behalf of the people of Dungarvan to request retention of the services of this heroic Guard who is so eminently suitable for a seaside station like ours.

Also that the attention of the Carnegie Hero Trust Fund be drawn to the gallant act of Guard Sweeney.

The resolution was passed unanimously.

### G.A.A.

On to-morrow (Sunday) at the Dungarvan, Gaelic Field, the Minor Football fifteen's of Kilmacthomas and Dungarvan, will try conclusions. The match starts at 3 p.m. at 4.45 p.m., the Junior football teams of Cappoquin and Ring, who meet in conjunction with the County Championship are sure to give a first-class display.

At Aglish in connection with the medal Tournament, Knockanore meet Ballycurrane, (re-play), and the two teams are trained to the ounce, a thrilling games is sure to be witnessed.

### WEST WATERFORD HUNT.

There will be general regret amongst the Sport-loving people of West Waterford, at the news that the West Waterford Hunt is closing down and that their well-known pack of Foxhounds comprising 23 couples are up for sale, by Messrs. Marsh, Cork, on Wednesday 12th August. The West Waterford's were very well supported by all classes and especially by the farming community, and that they should now be forced to close down is very regrettable. No other form of Sport makes the same appeal to the Irish people as the hunt. It is the embodiment of all he holds dear to his heart. Love of the chase is inborn in every Irishman and is deep-rooted too in the soil. In the days when barter did duty for money did not Art MacMurrough give 400 cows in exchange for a hunter. And he must be a useful one at that for the historian of the times says he ran down the mountain side as swiftly as a stag. It is to be hoped that a solid effort will be made again to float the West Waterford's.

## Vocational Education Committee.

The monthly meeting of the above was held at the School, Mary St., on Tuesday last. An Fear Mor, Vice-Chairman, presided. The other members attending were—Rev. M. F. Hearne, C.C., Rev. Jas. Walsh, C.C., Rev. Br. Gibson, Messrs. J. Butler, M. Clancy, Wm. Stack, D. Coughlan, M. F. Walsh, S. O'Halloran, M. J. Keane, and M. Curran.

### Payments During Illness.

The Secretary read a letter from the Department of Education relative to the payment of salary to Mr. J. Dowder, during sick leave. The letter stated that in respect of wholetime officers the period during which salary and bonus will be allowed in cases of illness is 191 weeks.

Secretary—That period will expire on August 25th.

Mr. O'Halloran proposed, and Mr. Walsh, seconded, a resolution asking the Department to sanction half salary for a further period of three months.

### Public Works Loans.

A letter was read from the Commissioner of Public Works stating that loans under Section 50 of the Vocational Education Act will be made from 15 to 20 years all loans to be repayable as annuities at a rate of 5 1/2 per cent.

### Acknowledgments.

Letters thanking the Committee for resolution of sympathy passed to them on the occasion of the death of the Lord Abbot, Mount Mellery, were read from the Prior, Mount Mellery, Mrs. B. Keohan, and Mr. and Miss Phelan, Kilmossanty.

Continuation Classes At Cappoquin.

A letter was read from Vero Rev. Canon Whelan, Cappoquin, pointing out that after carefully considering the matter of Continuation Classes in the Schools, he regretted very much being unable to make provision for such classes. A similar letter was read from the Rev. Mother, Cappoquin Convent.

Fr. Hearne, said the Chairman's (Fr. Egan's) idea at the last meeting was to ascertain whether classes could be carried on in existing schools and save the committee the expense of providing new buildings.

Chairman—In the absence of Fr. Egan, I would not care to deal with the matter, although, I for one think that to do any good by Vocational Education the committee would require their own schools.

Fr. Hearne—The question at the last meeting was to try if existing schools were available.

The Secretary said the classes in Vocational Education would then be carried on at the same time as the National School programme and he did not think it could be done. He found it hard even for evening classes to get room in National Schools.

The matter was adjourned to next meeting.

### Application For Classes.

A memorandum signed by a large number of Cappoquin residents asking for the establishment of Continuation Classes there, was read.

Mr. Stack—Of course they would all sign there.

Mr. Walsh—I think it is worth reading Mr. Chairman, Mr. Stack must remember they are all ratepayers.

After reading the list of signatures, the matter was adjourned to next meeting.

### Re-Appointment Of Irish Teachers.

The Secretary explained that the term of appointment of the following teachers would expire on August 31st: P. O'Milleadha, L. O'Cadhla, S. O'Dunaidhe, S. Dower. The Department would require a definite proposal regarding their re-appointment.

Fr. Walsh, proposed and Mr. O'Halloran, seconded, that the teachers be re-appointed for 12 months.

This was passed, Mr. Stack, dissenting.

The committee also approved of the re-appointment of Miss G. Patterson, and Mr. M. J. McCarthy, as part-time teachers as from the 1st September, on the proposition of Mr. Stack, seconded by Mr. Walsh.

### Permanent Appointment.

The committee next considered the re-appointment of Miss N. French, temporary Clerk and Typist in the Secretary's office.

Mr. O'Halloran, referred to the expansion of the scheme under Vocational Education. He saw no difference between temporary and permanent appointment only that you don't qualify for a pension under a temporary appointment, Miss French is a lady that is giving thorough satisfaction and is most willing and obliging. He therefore had great pleasure in proposing that she be appointed permanently at the present salary, subject to the sanction of the Department.

Secretary—I must agree with everything said by Mr. O'Halloran, regarding Miss French.

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

### Itinerant Classes For 1931/32.

The Secretary submitted a list showing the number of classes held through out the county in 1930/31, and also a list of the proposed classes for 1931/32.

Chairman—The people in the Ring district are very anxious to have a cookery class. They would give a room for the holding of the class and he thought the class could be conducted by Miss Flynn through the medium of Irish.

Solicitor To Committee.

With regard to the appointment of a solicitor to the Committee.

The Chairman asked if the appointment carried a standing salary or payment according to work.

Secretary—Payment on work.

Fr. Hearne proposed, and Mr. Stack seconded the appointment of Mr. Farrell.

Fr. Walsh—Will a knowledge of Irish be necessary.

Mr. Stack—There is no Irish in law. Chairman—I don't know if it is necessary, but it would be desirable.

Mr. Walsh, proposed, and Fr. Walsh seconded Mr. J. W. O'Gorman, Lismore.

Mr. Butler proposed and Mr. Keane seconded, Mr. Williams solr.

The voting was as follows:—For Mr. Farrell—Rev. M. F. Hearne, Messrs. M. Curran, Wm. Stack, and Chairman (4).

For Mr. Williams—Messrs. Butler, Coughlan, Clancy, Keane, and Halloran, (5).

For Mr. O'Gorman—Rev. Fr. Walsh, Rev. Bro. Gibson, M. F. Walsh, (3).

Mr. O'Gorman was eliminated and the result of the next vote was—

For Mr. Williams—Rev. Fr. Walsh, Rev. Bro. Gibson, Messrs. Butler, Coughlan, Clancy, Halloran, Keane, and Walsh, (8).

For Mr. Farrell—Rev. M. F. Hearne, Messrs. Curran, Stack, and Chairman (4).

Mr. Williams was declared appointed.

Kilmacthomas Workhouse.

The following tenders were read for repairs to the Boardroom of the above workhouse in connection with the holding of Continuation Classes therein:—

Mr. E. Butler, Kilmacthomas, (Painting alone) £47; Mr. Wm. Burke, Dungarvan, painting glazing etc., £55 11s.

Plumbing—Wm. Power, Mary St., Dungarvan, tendered for the necessary plumbing work at £28 and Wm. Burke, Dungarvan, at £30 2s. 6d.

Messrs. Balfry's and Power's tenders were accepted, subject to sanction.

### A GREAT GAME.

Before a big attendance of spectators, at Ballyduff Gaelic grounds, on last Sunday evening, the Kilmossanty versus Fenor Senior Football re-play match (for valuable set of medals put up by Mr. Sean Downey, Irish teacher) was brought to a decision. The set-to was a severe test of endurance for the players, the game being played under a blazing sun. Despite this the play was vigorously contested throughout, and was a treat to eye from start to finish. The figures of the fray read as follows:—Fenor—15 frees, no "50's", 15 overs, no goal 6 points; Kilmossanty—20 frees, 1 "50", 13 overs, 1 goal 1 point.

Kilmossanty excelled in the last quarter of the hour's play, and were the victims of most vexatious luck. Fenor were allowed a point off a free although the Kilmossanty goalie was tackled in the "square" by the Fenor full forward from the moment the whistle was blown for the kick until the leather had passed high over the cross-bar. Kilmossanty were disallowed a goal in a manner which did not meet with the approval of many of the onlookers.

Thus—a Kilmossanty player got possession about 1 he 14 yards mark directly in front of the Fenor citadel, and shot low and hard. The ball which passed untouched "through the thatch" was sweeping by the Fenor custodian when the referee's whistle was heard. The upshot of this was that the ball was given to the referee, who placed it for a free to Fenor at the point from which the Kilmossanty player had just scored. Mr. John Flynn, Waterford, had charge of the game. The teams were—Fenor—P. Burns, (Capt), W. Doyle, (goal); P. Lyons, R. Mulcahy, P. Power, (2); T. Lyons, J. Shea, T. Farrell, D. Hynes, J. Connolly, R. Connolly, N. Flanagan, P. Fitzgerald, P. Cowman.

Kilmossanty—P. Ryan, (Capt); P. Kirwan, (goal); M. Ryan, T. Ryan, J. Power, D. Walsh, J. Walsh, J. Harris, D. Reilly, J. Higgins, P. Veale, T. Power, T. Casey, B. Whelan.

One and all of the above players gave of their best, and Matt Ryan, was voted the outstanding man on the field. A friendly hurling match, between Portlaw and Ballyduff Juniors, (impartially refereed by Mr. Stephen White) ended in a win for the homesters on the scores—Ballyduff—34; Portlaw, 1-0.

### G.A.A.

At Tallow on to-morrow (Sunday) at 3.45 p.m., a trial match (Hurling) between Waterford Junior selected and the selected of Nemo Rangers, Cork, will be staged.

## Kilmacthomas News.

### RELIGIOUS RECEPTION.

At the Convent of Mercy, Summerhill, Wexford, on a recent date, the reception took place of Miss Josephine Walsh (in religion Sister Josephine), daughter of Mrs. Walsh, Kilmossanty. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. F. Murphy, President St. Peter's College, Wexford, assisted by the Rev. James Walsh, Cousin of Sister Josephine.

### TRANSFERRED.

The departure of Mr. Richard Budds, Teller, National Bank, Kilmacthomas, on transfer to a Dublin branch of the Bank, was received with feelings of deep regret by the people of the town and district. Mr. Budds, is an excellent sportsman, an entertaining raconteur, and a delightful companion, and during his 3 years in our midst he had made himself a very good friend of all he had come in contact with. May every good luck and success attend his amiable wife and himself in their new home in the Metropolis, sincerely say we.

### REPLACED.

Sergeant Patrick Mullen, recently transferred from Kilmacthomas where he was deservedly held in the highest esteem) has now been replaced here by Sergeant Lynch, from Gort, County Galway.

### A SUCCESSFUL MISSION.

Amidst scenes of the deepest religious fervour and in the presence of a congregation of unprecedented magnitude, the fortnight's mission given at Rathgormack-Clonea, Parish by Rev. Fathers Mangan, and Twomey, of the Redemptorist Order, was brought to a most successful close on Sunday evening the 26th ult. In the closing sermon Father Mangan, paid a well-deserved tribute to the people on their magnificent attendance, morning and evening, throughout the mission, and on his own behalf and on that of Father Twomey he desired to heartily thank their worthy Parish Priest and Curates who had helped to render the mission a success. In the course of his sermon the Rev. Preacher warned his hearers of the many pitfalls, which the arch enemy of mankind is forever placing before the feet of the unwary and he stressed in vigorous language the dangers which menace the youth of Ireland from evil companionship, from the dance hall, and from the perusal of the varied kinds of dangerous literature which is being constantly imported into this country from cross-channel sources. He exhorted those listening to him not to be misled by the sophistical reasoning and arguments of those who may endeavour to lure them from the straight path of moral rectitude and he urged on the young people the vital necessity which exists that they should fulfil that great and paramount duty, which they owe to the country and to posterity, by acquiring their native tongue and thereby help to build up a truly national character and a genuine Irish outlook. At the conclusion of the sermon, Father Mangan, alluded in affecting terms to the warm-hearted cordiality, kindness and sympathy, which Father Twomey and himself had experienced from everybody both in Rathgormack and in Clonea, and he expressed the fervent hope that some time in the near future they would have the privilege of again visiting that Parish which they were now leaving with regret.

Earlier in the day—after the late Mass—Father Twomey delivered a very able discourse which found its way to the hearts of every member of the congregation. Both Missioners (all of their sermons were at once eloquent and convincing) appear to be equally endowed in a marked degree with that subtle power, or quality, vaguely termed personal magnetism, and their every utterance throughout the entire mission, were characterised by a wonderful depth of human understanding, consideration and sympathy.

Very James Canon Wall, P.P., and Fathers John Cullinan and Henry O'Brien, C.C., are to be warmly congratulated on bringing about this highly successful retreat in the Parish.

### WEATHERMAN'S GENIAL TURN.

Sunday and Monday last were days of delightful weather, and the genial sun-slept ether imparted its spirit of pleasure on all sides—same being noticeable in a particularly pleasant way in and about the lovely sea-kissed villages of Bonmahon and Stradbally, where scenes of great animation and enjoyment were the crowning features of the holiday period.

### A GUN CLUB.

Headed by Dr. J. C. Walsh, and Messrs. Nicholas Fitzgerald, M.C.C., John Lennon, Andrew Kirwan, (Bonmahon), and Mr. William Connors, (Park, Stradbally), the sportsmen of Bonmahon and Stradbally are putting their heads together with a view to the formation of a Clay Pigeon Club in the

## DUNGARVAN SHOW.

A meeting of the Committee of the Dungarvan Show, was held on Thursday 30th ult. at the Commercial Hotel, Mr. J. A. Lynch, presided. There were also present—Messrs. A. Hunt, D. Dempsey, N. Fitzgerald, J. Hayes, S. J. Power, J. J. Drohan, T. Lynch, John J. Crotty, P. A. Walsh, and J. Lynch, Secretary.

The Secretary read letters from the Judges complimenting the Committee on the success of the Show and emphasizing the perfectness of the arrangements for the public, exhibitors and Judges alike.

### A Complaint.

Mr. Bowen, Clonea Castle, wrote complaining of the manner in which she had been treated by the Judges in the Jumping Competition at Dungarvan Show. In the Ladies Jumping Competition she claimed her horse won though an animal that flew the single fence and was beaten like a donkey at the water jump was declared the winner.

After a full and careful consideration the following order was made:—

"That this Committee, having carefully considered the complaint received from Mrs. Bowen, in regard to the awards in the Ladies Jumping Competition beg to place on record their implicit confidence in the Judges beyond whose decision they could not go. This is the first occasion in 16 years that an objection has been lodged against the decision of our Judges and we very much regret that Mrs. Bowen should have had cause for complaint.

Mrs. Ussher, Thanked.

The Secretary read a letter from Mrs Ussher, Cappagh House, enclosing cheque for £4 4s., prizes won in the competitions she financed. It was unanimously decided that the best thanks of the Show Committee be tendered to Mrs. Ussher for her great interest in the Show at all times and for her generosity.

It was unanimously ordered that the thanks of the Committee be extended to Brig-General Hunt, Capt. Roche, and the other Judges for their services in making the Show the success it was.

### Finance.

The Secretary gave an outline of the finances of the Show and said their loss was not a very big one. It was impossible at so early a date to give an accurate return of the expenditure, but as far as could be estimated everything would work out all right.

It was agreed that the Secretary pay the prize money in due course.

### Future Developments.

The Chairman said they would remember that last March when mention was made of developing the Show to a greater extent and broadening the basis of its membership he said that as this year's Show was so close it would be better to defer the matter until the fall of the season. Now was the time to take action as there would be ample time to carefully consider any scheme put forward in the coming six months. He said the present Committee had run 16 Shows and one and all had been a perfect success, and on every occasion they paid their prizes and cleared all liabilities to the last farthing. They never had to borrow a farthing from anyone, and beyond question they had earned the confidence of the public—a fact which was verified by the great increase in entries each year and especially this year. Now there was a splendid opportunity to put the Show on a broad foundation and extend its sphere of usefulness in the great field of Agriculture and industrial endeavour. He asked that each member come to a special meeting with his scheme of reconstruction and having fully considered all the suggestions made, they could incorporate them into one harmonious whole and so evolve the makings of the Greatest Show in Munster. The members, after a general debate, were unanimous in their desire to develop the Show to the full and accordingly it was agreed that a special meeting of the Committee be held in the Commercial Hotel, Dungarvan, on Thursday, October, 1st., to deal with this very important question.

The noted Lismore marksman Mr. Cyril Hynes, V.S., has promised his valuable services in furtherance of the project, and a number of well-known Carrick-on-Suir gentlemen have also offered their fullest support in the matter. Messrs. Michael Hill, James Tobin, and Patrick O'Reilly, of Kilmacthomas, will also gladly "fall in," and we are sure that Messrs. John Crotty, Willie Burke, and other prominent Dungarvan "gunners" will willingly co-operate. Anyways, we hope to be in a position to give more definite particulars in a later number.

Garda Sports.

GREAT MEETING AT WATERFORD

At Waterford Sportsfield on Sunday, before a very large gathering representative of all parts of Leinster and Munster, the fourth annual Garda Sports, were held under N.A. & C.A. rules.

The weather was glorious and during the afternoon the sun shone out in all its glory to the delight of all present. As might be expected the arrangements were perfect in every detail, and with plenty of high class talent competing, every event was contested in the keenest manner.

The programme, which was large, was got through in record time. Surprise was occasioned by the defeat of B. J. Donnelly, Irish Champion, in the cycling events.

Dr. O'Callaghan, (Duhallow), the famous weight and shot putter, though present did not compete, much to the general disappointment. Chief Supt. Leahy, Waterford, President, and Supt. Fany, Vice-President, took an active part in the day's activities. Details:—

One Mile Cycle—Waterford Division Gardai Championship.—Guard O'Connor, Waterford, 1; Guard Murphy, Tra more, 2.

100 Yards (boys under 16).—J. Widger, Castleknock, 1; P. McNamara, Cahir, 2. Time: 11 2/5 secs. Also competed—J. Wallace, Carrigbyrne; T. Clancy, Waterford; R. Tyson, Inchinore; W. Roche, Newross.

100 Yards (open).—T. J. Wallace, Clonmel, (40yds.), 1; J. Purcell Wexford (40yds.), 2. Also competed—W. Scanlon, Limerick; J. Anglim, D.M.G.; —Wallace, Curragh, M. Whelan, Adamstown, M. Walsh, Carrick-on-Suir.

One Mile Cycle (open).—P. Cronin, Clonmel, (40yds.), 1; R. Walsh, Clonmel, 2. Time: 2mins. 36secs. Also competed—Jas. Cuddihy, Emmetts; Kilkenney, B. J. Donnelly, Harps, (Irish Champion); J. Byrne, Banba, Dublin; M. C. Lee, Waterford; M. Cronin, Clonmel; M. K. Masterson, Celtic, Dublin; D. Hickey, Tipperary, D. Cronin, Clonmel.

50lbs. over bar, championship of Munster (present holder, P. J. Birmingham, Tralee, at 14ft. 6ins.).—P. J. Garvey, Duhallow, 13ft. 7ins. 1; P. Power, Ballinmult, 12ft. 6ins. 2. Also competed—W. Power, Kilmeeaden, Waterford; J. Power, Ballymountain, Kilmacow, Co. Kilkenny.

5,000 Metres Championship of Munster.—T. King, O'Callaghan's Mills, 1; B. Hogan, do., 2; J. Hannon, Carrick-on-Suir, 3. Time 17mins. 57secs.

High Jump (open).—J. B. Kennedy, Carrick-on-Suir, and W. Power, Kilmeeaden, Waterford, tied at 5ft. 10ins. (handicap 5ins. each). Also competed—J. Healy, Duhallow; T. S. Phelan, Waterford; J. Brennan, Johnstown.

220 Yards (open).—Heat 1.—J. Purcell, Wexford, 1; M. Colman, Tipperary, 2. Heat 2.—W. Scanlon, Limerick, 1; J. McGrath, Cappoquin, 2. Heat 3.—M. Walsh, Carrick-on-Suir, 1; T. P. Wallace, Clonmel, 2.

Final.—J. McGrath, Cappoquin, 1; M. Walsh, Carrick-on-Suir, 2. Time 23secs. 16lb. Shot (open).—Guard Canill (handicap, 5ft.), 42ft. 3ins. 1; Sergt. Garvey, Duhallow, (4ft. 10ins.), 41ft. 2ins. 2. Also competed—J. Power, Ballymountain, J. J. Healy, Dunmanway, W. Power, Kilmeeaden.

Two Miles Cycle (scratch).—P. Cronin, Clonmel, 1; B. J. Donnelly, Harps, Dublin, 2. Time—6mins. 11 4/5 secs. Also competed—J. Healy, Duhallow; M. K. Masterson, Dublin, J. Cuddihy, Templeoran.

100 Yards Ladies Race. Heat 1.—Lillie McNamara, Duhallow, 1; L. Griffiths, Waterford, 2. Heat 2.—B. Wickham, Wexford, 1; A. Moncas, do. 2. Final.—Lillie McNamara, Duhallow, 1; B. Wickham, Wexford, 2; A. Moncas, do., 3.

880 Yards (open).—J. Dempsey, Donore, (36 yards), 1; Cadet J. J. Burke, Curragh, (35 yards), 2. Also competed—A. J. Byrne, Wexford; F. O'Regan, Limerick, L. Maher, Garda, N. Clery, Wexford, K. Morris, Wexford, T. Doyle, Wexford, M. Walsh, Carrigbyrne, C. S. Wallace, Carrigbyrne, T. Ashe, Kilkenny, J. B. Hogan, O'Callaghan's Mills, P. Conway, Limerick; Harriers, J. Martin, Ennisicorthy, M. A. Donnelly, do.

Long Jump.—Con O'Callaghan, Duhallow, 23ft. 10ins. gross, 1; T. S. Prehan, Waterford, 22ft. 11ins. gross, 2. Also competed—J. McDonagh, Adamstown, W. Power, Kilmeeaden, Waterford; T. Mulcahy, Wexford; J. Purcell, Carrick-on-Suir; J. B. Kennedy, do.; S. P. Purcell, Clonmel; S. Walsh, Duhallow; L. Gallagher, Waterford.

Three Miles Flat.—S. Daly, Donore, 18yds. 1; M. Sheehy, Curragh, 15yds. 2. Time—15mins. 33secs. Also competed—P. Walsh, Charlestown, T. King, O'Callaghan's Mills, B. Tobin, Carrigbyrne, J. J. Kavanagh, Ennisicorthy, L. Marsh, Waterford; James Hannon, Carrick-on-Suir, J. Martin Ennisicorthy.

440 Yards (open).—J. McGrath, Cappoquin, (20yds.), 1; J. A. Barron, New Ross, 2. Also competed—P. Burke, Kilkenney; J. Dempsey, Wexford; E. Leainey, Donore, J. J. Burke, Curragh; J. Dempsey, Donore, J. Martin, Ennisicorthy.

Two Mile Cycle (open).—P. Cronin, Clonmel, (40yds.), 1; D. Cronin, Clonmel, 2. Time—5mins. 50 2/5 secs. Also competed—J. Cuddihy, Kilkenney, B. J. Donnelly, Dublin, J. Byrne, Banga; P. Quilty, Waterford; M. Cronin, Clonmel; M. K. Masterson, Dublin, T. Brown, Carrigwohill.

880 Yards Garda Championship.—Guard G. Maginn, 1; Guard L. Maher, 2. Time—2mins. 5secs. Also competed—T. P. Ashe, Kilkenny, P. Sullivan,

Ardmore's Storied Shore.

WHERE LEGENDARY ROMANCE AND PIOUS CONDITIONS FLOURISH.

Ardmore is steadily gaining in popularity as a quiet and pleasant holiday retreat, where the charms of land and sea are sweetened and even sanctified by history and pious traditions. There the story goes, St. Declan ruled in gentle Christian authority before St. Patrick came to spread the faith in Munster. Certain it is that the oratory of St. Declan at Ardmore ranks among the most primitive Irish cells. If legend has enriched the facts with overlay of mythological lore the material remains of an early Christian settlement in the district are some excuses for excess of imagination. It is not necessary to argue whether Saint Declan preceded Saint Patrick as a Christian teacher in Munster; that is matter for the exercise of the disputatious gifts of scholars. The settlement of the question will not alter the romance value of the local traditions, nor add one new interest to these which Ardmore now holds for the visitors.

Unfortunately, or fortunately, as one is disposed or otherwise to the analytical investigation of folk lore, and local traditions, the chief annals of the country are mostly rather silent with regard to Ardmore. The saints, the bishops and the builders of Ardmore's archaeological importance belong to the lost story of the past. "Not in the records of men, but in the great register of God the history of them and what they accomplished will be found."

The patron saint of Ardmore so far as can be ascertained in these later days was of the tribe of the Desii, who settled in the County Waterford about the year 278. There is no substantial reason for doubting that Christianity had become established in this district before the coming of Saint Patrick, and, therefore, there is no reason to dispute the claim that St. Declan was Bishop of Ardmore before Patrick's coming. It is possible, too, that Declan's ancestors were of royal rank, as royal rank went in those days, but that does not mean that the saints later biographers have not made large assumptions suitably to fill the gaps in the facts. The saint is supposed to have been born in the year 347; one account has it that he was born at the house of a relative at Ardmore while his parents were on a visit there, while another locates his birthplace at Dromore, between Lismore and Cappoquin. At the latter place there are the remains of a small oratory and an old graveyard.

The saint's parents, Eric and Deithain were pagans, but there was then in the district—that is eighty-five years before Saint Patrick came to Ireland—a holy priest named Colman (probably the patron of Kilmolman) who converted the parents and baptised the child Declan.

Until the age of seven the child remained with his parents' friends, and presumably was brought up under the influence of Colman, becoming a very pious boy. Later as a youth he went with a band of young men of his own age to Rome where they studied for 7 years, and brought back with them a noble Roman youth "Lunanus, son of the King of Rome. One account has it that at this stage Declan met and formed a friendship with Saint Patrick in Italy, but a more likely story is another that he did not meet St. Patrick abroad until he had reached the age of fifty-three years.

Declan would seem to have made at least three visits to Rome, and it is in connection with one of these visits that he is commemorated in the legend of his having sailed to Ireland in a ship that steered itself, and had no sailors on board.

The many legends that have been woven round his name and career tell how he came from Rome to Menevia and sailed to Ardmore followed by the bell and his vestments that he had forgotten on the boulder that is now Saint Declan's Stone, how a stag drew his chariot when his horse was lamed, how he sank the piratical fleet off the coast, and turned the pagan seamen to stones, how by stretching forth his staff he joined the island of Ardmore to the mainland. These and many others are the stock of local tradition and the richness of tradition is not to be found in any final analysis of the facts of which it is composed. The most beautiful things of life resolved to their uttermost, became but useless dust and atoms.

Declan is supposed to have built the Round Tower of Ardmore in three nights. It apparently might have reached a greater height were it not for the curiosity of an old woman of the district. She, it seems, marvelling at the height the building was reaching came to the Saint and asked him in a rather complaining tone: "How high are you going to build it, at all, Declan?" The saint angered by the critical tone of her question, or perhaps in a tolerating

D.M.G. 56lbs. Weight (without follow)—Sergeant Garvey, Duhallow, 26ft. 10ins. 1; D. Kellher, do., 26ft. 7ins. 2. Also competed—J. Power, Ballymountain, Kilkenny, J. Hickey, Garda, W. Power, Kilmeeaden, Waterford; J. Power, Ballinamult; M. Kent, Wexford; Con O'Callaghan, Duhallow.

Pole Vault.—Con O'Callaghan, Duhallow, 9ft. 6ins. 1; P. Anglim, Wexford, 2.

Tug-o-War.—Final won by Bryans-town, with two pulls to nil against Ballymountain No. 1.

The prizes were distributed by Dr. V. J. White, T.D., Waterford.

Dairying Discourses.

AN EXAMINATION OF THE CONDITIONS IN DENMARK AS COMPARED WITH CONDITIONS IN THIS COUNTRY—WHY NOT MANUFACTURE CHEESE?—CREAMERIES AND BAD DEBTS—THE NEED FOR PASTEURISATION—WHERE MILK SUPPLIES ARE SHORT.

(By "AN REACHTAIRE.") (In the "Farmers Gazette.") It is to be hoped that some at least of the Irish visitors to the International Dairy Congress, held last week in Copenhagen, will before returning, be able to make an exhaustive examination of conditions in Denmark as they actually are, and thus, be able to inform us why, in many respects, Denmark is so much ahead of us.

How far is the difference in the rate of progress of the two countries due to national character, education, State assistance, and what exactly is needed for our own people to keep pace with them? We already know that by all the year round dairying they are able to keep a continuous supply of freshly made butter in the British markets, and have thereby been able to secure on an average, an extra 4d. per lb. which means an extra million sterling in the value of their exported butter. Is this paying them for the extra feeding and labour involved, and, if so, is there any insuperable obstacle to similar methods being adopted in the Saorstát. We know also that the average yield of the Danish cow is 50 per cent. greater than ours. Here also it would be well to know how far this is due to the fact that 40 per cent. of their cows (as compared with about 5 per cent. in Ireland) are dealt with by cow-testing associations. Other questions on which knowledge—obtained on the spot is desirable, are why Danish dairy produce is sold through marketing federations instead of direct by the creameries, and why it is found possible in Denmark to bind down farmers to support their co-operative bacon factories while it is impossible here? Do the Danes work harder or are they satisfied with a lower standard of living or less in the way of amusement? The obtaining of such information is not so easy as might be imagined, especially at International gatherings such as a Dairy Congress, which are a good deal of social character. The Government of the country have thrown on their shoulders the work of entertaining the visitors and showing them around. It is only natural that they will show them what is best and most creditable to themselves so that they will carry away with them the most favourable impressions and a good advertisement for the country. There is a good deal of hospitality, and visitors have not the time or the inclination to depart from the programme laid down for them; besides in the case of the Continent, language difficulties are no trifling barrier.

BISHOP O'ROURKE OF DANZIG. DESCENDANT OF EXILED PRINCES OF BREFFNI COMING TO CONGRESS.

The Bishop of Danzig, Right Rev. Edward A. O'Rourke, a descendant of the Princes of Breffni who took service in the Russian armies after the fall of Limerick has announced his intention of coming to Ireland for the Congress. Dr. O'Rourke, according to one who knows him well, "speaks German like a native, is also at home in French and English and reads Irish" and is "in physique like the typical Tipperary man." The visit to Ireland of this distinguished son of a distinguished house will be more than ordinarily appreciated, reviving as it will memories sacred to the Catholics of Ireland.

PROFESSIONAL FLAGS AND BANNERS.

The Congress Committee has decided with a view to ensuring that the procession of the Blessed Sacrament shall not be incommenced in any avoidable way to prohibit the carrying of flags or banners in excess of the following dimensions:—Flags 6 ft. by 3 ft.; banners 5 ft. by 2 ft. Poles must not exceed 7 1/2 ft. long. The stewards will be instructed to enforce these regulations rigidly. Those organising parties and wishing to carry banners or flags are urged to make their plans accordingly.

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sterling. Such a remarkable result would not be possible for individual creameries, but they could do much by keeping themselves informed from the most reliable sources.

Authorities differ as to whether pasteurisation materially affects the nutritive value of milk. No doubt it causes slight changes in certain constituents, but eminent medical men are of the opinion that inasmuch as it destroys certain harmful bacteria from which under present conditions a great deal of town supplies are not free, it is, on the whole safer to pasteurise. Besides if done on the holding system (that is, keeping the milk for half an hour at a temperature of 140 degrees F.) the cooked taste is avoided, and, in fact, the nutritive value does not suffer to any extent. The matter is of considerable importance, inasmuch as the creameries supply a good proportion of the milk consumed in our cities and where milk is transported long distances pasteurisation is absolutely essential. Without such supplies the poorer classes would have to pay a prohibitive price or reduce their consumption by half, and in the case of the children this would mean starvation.

The creameries established within the past few years in the Counties of Leix, Offaly, Clare and Wexford (oases in the great Midland creamery desert extending from Dublin to Galway and from the Northern border of Co. Tipperary to the South of Co. Cavan), have unfortunately been hit severely by the heavy drop in price of butter. These societies—as well as not a few others, long established in the North and West—would, in any event, have to struggle hard to gain sufficient supplies to enable them to pay remunerative prices for milk. With conditions as they now are there is danger that suppliers will become discouraged and feel that they were unwise in changing their system of farming. In this case, of course, they would make a serious mistake, as though dairying is not at the moment yielding a fair profit, other branches of agriculture are more precarious and, taking one year with another, the milch cow gives a more secure, even if meagre, income. The working of creameries in districts where milk supplies are limited, constitutes a very serious problem especially now when running expenses are so much greater than they were before the Great War. However, even with a ratio of working expenses above the average, the creamery is likely to yield a better return to the farmer than home butter-making. The latter would be tolerable in such localities if all farmers had reasonable facilities for making good butter on the farm. But most of them are not provided with the necessary appliances or a suitable water supply, and in too many cases, the necessary skill is lacking. The result is that the butter so produced fetches a low price (at present not more than 7d. to 8d. a lb.), while much of it is practically unsaleable, being only fit for cheap confectionery. Whether the

LEGLESS SURGEON'S CLAIM DEBT OF GRATITUDE.

PATIENT'S PROMISE AFTER OPERATION.

A well-known Paris Surgeon is to ask the Toulon Tribunal to assist him in his efforts to obtain payment of a "debt of gratitude."

Behind this unusual claim lies one of the most tragic stories in the history of medicine. Several years ago a surgeon performed a series of extremely difficult operations on a wealthy landowner, whose home is on the Riviera. The patient recognised that his life had been saved against all odds, and when he sent the surgeon his fee he wrote:—"I feel that I owe you far more than what you have charged. If one day it should become impossible for you to exercise your profession, I hereby acknowledge that I owe you £800."

The years went by and the doctor fell victim to a terrible disease which rendered necessary the amputation of both legs. Yet his financial position made it imperative for him to continue his work, and, seated in an invalid chair, he still performed operations. His medical advisers assured him recently, however, that unless he rested, his own life would be in danger. He then decided to appeal to the rich man, whose life he had saved, to keep his promise.

His request was refused on the ground that he is not "totally incapacitated."

Whether the surgeon has any legal claim on his former patient is a question which the Toulon Court will have to decide.

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separation of cream on the farm, its collection by motors and churning at a central factory—a system much adopted in New Zealand and Australia—would be a better alternative is a matter that might be considered where, as in many districts the quantity of milk is insufficient to support a creamery.



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### Moratorium for Annuities.

#### MR. DE VALERA'S PLAN.

That the Free State should benefit in respect of land annuities under the Moratorium, by which other countries were to benefit, was urged by Mr. de Valera, T.D., at a largely attended meeting of Leix farmers.

Dr. Ryan, T.D., said as long as there were people unemployed they did not think it good policy that any commodity should be imported that could be produced here, Messrs. Guinness, who were the greatest users of barley in this country contended that Irish barley was not suitable for making stout, which had to be exported. In order to meet that contention Fianna Fail believed that only the quantity of barley sufficient to meet those needs be allowed to come into the country under license.

If they were to continue in the production of bacon they must hold the market they had in Britain. It would be unwise, therefore, to put a prohibition of all foreign bacon in operation immediately, because that would mean that more of the bacon at present exported to Britain would have to be retained for the home markets.

Fianna Fail agreed that it would be better to place an import duty on foreign bacon now and at the end of 18 months, when the Irish farmer would be in a position to supply home market, and have a surplus for export. Some assistance should be given to the farmers who produced beef last year, but had refused to do so this year, in order to compensate them for the losses they were enduring by having to put their land under other crops.

On the motion of Mr. T. Gowins, seconded by Mr. M. Donnelly, a resolution was passed calling for an embargo on the import into the Free State of foreign oats, the prohibition of barley and barley products except under licence, the imposition of a duty of 20/- per cwt. on imported bacon and pig products, the prohibition of the import of bacon and other pig products after December 31, 1932; the marking legibly of all imported meat so as to indicate the country of origin, the proper medical inspection of all imported meat, and for a scheme, pending the solution of the beet question, whereby those who grew beet in 1930 and had stood by their association this year, should be compensated pro rata on the 1930 acreage out of that part of the subsidy voted by the Dail for 1931, and not paid to the factory at the end of the present year.

Mr. J. J. Bergin, held that the bacon factories in the country were not even-

ly distributed. The money raised by a tariff on bacon should be given in the form of a bounty to people who were willing to establish bacon factories throughout the country.

Mr. P. J. Gorry, T.D., said that the Government was allowing bacon from the ends of the earth to be dumped in the country, and forcing the farmer out of production. It was up to the farmers to protest against that situation.

Mr. R. Hipwell objected to the proposed scheme for assisting beet-growers on the grounds that while those who had refused to grow beet would get some compensation new growers who were growing this year, but who supported the original growers in their fight, would get nothing.

Mr. De Valera said that his party took it that those new growers who were not in the Growers' Association who stood down and did not grow did so because it was uneconomic to grow the beet at the price. Their attitude was that a certain number of farmers were growing beet and so participating in a national enterprise and were being unfairly treated, and the question was whether they should get some assistance by way of compensation.

There were now few people in the country who did not realise that the prosperity of the State depended on the prosperity of the farming community. It was quite obvious that if they were going to build up their industries they must protect them. Fianna Fail believed that the key to the restoration of tillage lay in the growing of wheat.

If they only produced one-half the amount of wheat required they would grow 400,000 acres. While Germany had only to pay between £20 and £21 for every £100 raised for Governmental services, Ireland had to pay £24. That burden is too big to carry, particularly when it is not justly due. They asked that the Irish Free State should come under the moratorium under which other countries were to benefit, in respect of land annuities, but they wanted it done in such a way that it would not prejudice the claim they held that these annuities were not due. If Fianna Fail were in power it would be ridiculous to seek a moratorium. They would simply refuse to pay the annuities, because they claimed that they were not justified in paying them.

Woman: My husband told me to plead guilty to being drunk, so I suppose I must.

Magistrate, to deserted wife: Do you think he will return? Wife: Yes, when he is tired of Margate, where he is at present.

### War on Woodpigeons.

#### FROM AN AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.

Those who live in the country or have recently passed through it on their journeys will have noticed family parties of woodpigeons feeding in the fields or raising in sudden alarm. They are the newly reared nestlings learning from their parents how to grow fat and lusty on the food so plentifully spread around. During July their greatest luxuries of the year will come to maturity. They come down in swarms to the gardens when nobody is about. Here they find peas gooseberries or young cabbage and cauliflowers, all of which are acceptable to them. They seem able to adapt themselves to almost any food in season. On the farm, grass seeds come in for first attention; then at a certain stage of ripeness the seed pods of flax are a prime luxury. Later they will turn their attention to corn, whether laid by storms, in stocks or lying split on the stubbles. During autumn their always hearty appetites will gorge on acorns, hazel nuts and beech mast, at which season their numbers are increased by vast hordes from the Continent. When they have cleared an every vestige of hard food they commence doing grave damage to the green crops upon which the farmer and poultry keeper rely on for winter feeding. Above all they favour the delicate green tops and in stripping them, nip off the buds upon which future growth depends. When soil conditions are suitable they dig out freshly planted seed, sometimes so completely as to necessitate a fresh seeding; in other cases the loss is not discovered till late for remedy.

Everybody is agreed they are a pest, but between the admission and serving them as one would wish a wide gulf exists. They are a remarkably suspicious bird, keen sighted as well and so strong on the wing that they can see from any danger. So they continue in unabated number to levy toll on food supplies that are intended for better use. Numerous devices have been proposed for reducing them to endurable proportions, but none has up to date proved effective. Across country they fly so high as to defeat the man with a gun and even when a large scale shoot is organised to deny them resting places they somehow or another manage to escape. Poison has been suggested, but their feeding grounds are so widespread that no one dare take the risks that would be involved.

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when pigeons are in prime condition for eating and well worth getting for their food value alone. The great need of the moment is that all who are useful with the gun and are fond of a bit of sport should apply themselves to the art of shooting them over decoys. A concerted effort by numerous individuals spread over the next four months should go far to reduce this season's hatchings to reasonable proportions and so ease the more difficult task of dealing with migrants. The prime necessity is a couple or more of the artificial pigeons which can be bought for a few shillings at any gunmaker's shop. They are set out in a field some thirty or so yards from a fence or other feature where the gunner can make a hide. Preferably, the place chosen should be such that the wind blows from the hide to the decoys, the reason being that birds pitch with head up wind and would thus as it were fly into the shot. If the decoys are set out in natural pose and facing the breeze the shooter should not have the least they are led to suppose is proceeding. To increase the lure the first successes are set up in life-like attitude by means of a short stake or peg. There are lots of other dodges to be picked up from old hands at the game, but none that the novice cannot quickly master. For instance when the corn has been cut a triangle of hurdles should be set up and sheaves piled against them to hide the gunner within. He places his decoys on neighbouring stocks where the supposed plunderers may be seen from a great distance.

Bags of twenty at a single sitting are frequently made, and when conditions are exceptionally favourable, as for instance when a strong wind is blowing, twice this number is not uncommon. The best period is that of the early morning feed from sunrise onwards, when appetite is keen and suspicion rendered dormant by the scarcity of mankind. During middle day they rest, but towards tea time they begin to fill their crops once more to tide them over the night. Their enormous consumption of food implies many hours of feeding, hence the busiest of workers should find no difficulty in planning a couple of hours daily, of inestimable help to the farmer and highly profitable to himself.

The reason why decoys are successful and mere wandering around gun in hand a failure is that the dumplings convince this suspicious bird that here at least is food and safety combined. Even then the hoped-for victim circles around, perhaps wondering why his fellows are so still, but finally swoops down, to find out too late that things are not always what they appear. Some artful shooters ingeniously arrange a string and length of elastic to give life-like motion to one of the decoys, others use roughly mounted skins to ensure the right colour, but whatever refinements are practised all are agreed that the more you study their habits the more certain is good sport and something to take home. The merest novice hardly needs reminding that when gathering his spoil he should remove any loose feathers that may have been scattered around.

Farmers would be well advised to inform shooters of their acquaintance that visits with the above praiseworthy object will be welcome. Sportsmen on their side should have no scruples about approaching farmers with the same proposition.

### RATHMORE MURDER.

David O'Shea, the young Knockmaloman farm labourer, was executed at Mountjoy Prison, Dublin, on Tuesday, for the murder of Ellen O'Sullivan, the twenty-five-year-old dairymaid, whose body was found last February in a clump of gorse on a desolate part of the Cork-Kerry border. The executioner was Pierpoint.

Half an hour before the time fixed for the execution a crowd of people gathered at the inner gate of the prison and also on the path outside. As the hour of the execution drew near those near the entrance to the prison fell on their knees and prayed. Most of them were women, many of them young girls.

An application by O'Shea for leave to appeal was refused by the Court of Criminal Appeal, Dublin, on July 20, and a subsequent application to the Attorney-General for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court was also refused. On Tuesday last the executive Council decided it could not intervene and that the death sentence must be carried out.

Constable: I saw him swearing. Magistrate: A lip reader, evidently.



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**Why Lower the Peak.**

South Abbey, Youghal, 4th, August, 1931.

Dear Sir,—Will you kindly allow me space to reply to the several friendly critics of my seamanship this afternoon, when I sunk my punt in an attempt to pick up the moorings.

The facts are:—When at the mouth of the harbour I said to Jim: "Now Jim, as the tide is low, and the wind on shore, and other boats moored close by, it will be a tricky job picking up the moorings; so before trying, we will first sail past them, and see how things look."

When we got close to the moorings there was just a nice breeze blowing and I saw we could do it, so I put the yacht about and got ready. By the time we were again close to the moorings, the breeze had freshened to a hard squall, and conditions looked quite ugly for picking them up; but, against my better judgment, I decided to have a shot of it—with the result the punt was sunk.

A good many saw the incident, and the criticism seems to be general that the mistake I made was that I did not lower the "peak." One well-wisher even shouted out "Lower your peak"—and Jim was about to do so when I told him not to touch it.

Kindly allow me to say Mr. Editor, I do not at all agree with this criticism. In picking up a mooring, in a crowded anchorage it is always important especially in the case of a big yacht, to keep her under control, until quite sure of getting the moorings. This point was doubly important under the conditions prevailing to-day. To lower the peak would immediately put the yacht out of control.

I admit I was guilty of faulty seamanship—but the fault consisted in attempting to pick up the moorings during the squall and not in failure to lower the peak.

Altogether it was rather a trying afternoon from a moorings point of view. I saw one owner struggling desperately with an oar, whilst his rudder was lying helpless on the deck. In the case of another yacht which missed its moorings and went ashore, I'm told she missed the point of a large anchor by inches.

We are grateful we only sunk the punt—had we lowered the peak we would, in all probability have joined our friends, broad-side-on on the beach!—Yours truly,

L. RONAYNE.

**Munster Hurling Finals, 1931.**

To ensure that the Waterford Senior Junior and Minor hurlers shall be as fit as possible for their respective engagements in this year's Provincial finals it is the intention of the County Board to bring the players together for a special course of training from 9th to 14th August.

To carry out this programme will entail the setting of a Training Fund. Waterford though blessed with a bountiful supply of hurling talent, is not in such a healthy financial state, hence the County Board is not in a position to bear the necessary expense essential to the proposed manner of fitting our teams to do battle for the much coveted Munster Crowns.

The Waterford County Board having authorised the starting of a Training Fund would be deeply grateful to patrons of Gaelic in the City and County if they would kindly forward their subscriptions at as early a date as possible, to any of the undersigned:—

W. Walsh, Chairman, 1 Griffiths Place, Waterford; P. Whelan, Secretary, Abbeyside, Dungarvan; W. Lawlor, Dunmore East, Waterford; A. G. Madders, Kilmeaden, Waterford; J. Hogan, Bernard Place, Waterford; M. Connery, Kinsalebeg, Youghal; M. Connors, St. Garvan's Terrace, Dungarvan; J. Ross, Lismore; E. Spratt, St. Garvan's Terrace, Dungarvan; P. Moloney, Aghlish, Cappoquin; F. Ryan, Tallow, Co. Waterford; E. Power, Slievekeale Rd., Waterford; and F. Drohan, Newtown, Kilmacthomas, Treasurers.

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**MEETING IN DUNGARVAN.**

A meeting of the members of above Association was held in Dungarvan, on August 1st. The following members attended—Messrs Mce. Terry, President, Patk. McGrath, Thos. Coffey, T. Hickey, Jas. Meagher, Michael Mulcahy, William Power, Wm. Walsh, W. Navin, M. Hennessy, Jas. McGrath, J. Burke, John Kiely, Michael O'Neill, P. McCarthy, John Keane, Nicholas Kirwan, Edmond Fitzgerald, J. Power, Mce. Conway, Wm. Hourigan, Patk. Flynn, Jas. O'Meara, Patk. Hourigan, John Hourigan.

The Secretary, having read the correspondence, the Chairman addressing the meeting said:—It was a pleasure and most satisfactory to see such a representative attendance considering the busy season, and the rarity and boon of a fine cloudless day. The spirit of agitation manifested by the ardour of your devotion to this Association is largely responsible for the message. "That your application for the distribution of lands amongst you is being favourably investigated, and that land distribution would begin in this County next November." Not only are the present successes due to the agitation of this Association, but also the acquisition, and distribution of the Nugent Humble, Kilmagenogue, and Stevenson, Murphy estates, and the Evicted tenants, Uneconomic holders, and landless People reinstated, and planted on them were taken from the list which we sent to the Irish Land Commission, which rule we are informed will be strictly adhered to in all future distributions of lands. We are also officially informed that the Land Commission are flooded with applications for land distribution from the fact that Associations like ours (Leagues) are established in every County in Ireland. There are seven in Co. Limerick, and all those Associations are so to speak hanging from the coat-tails of the Land Commission to attract their attention. With this aspect of turmoil and clamour for land, we would require all our energy, and activity in action to maintain the impression we have made, and the ground we have gained.

Mr. John Kiely, we would be no where in County Waterford, if we had not this Association. It is the instrument through which the united voices of its members appeal for legislation for the redress of their grievances. We have made fairly good progress, considering the stiff storms which we encountered in the past, and we have yet a sufficient store of energy and activity to carry the objects of this Association to a successful issue. The restoration of the representatives of the evicted tenants, the plantation of the Uneconomic holders, and landless people.

Mr. William Hourigan, delivered an address on the recent eviction of himself and family which was pathetic, impressive, and enlightening.

Messrs. Jas. Meagher, J. Power, and M. Conway, also contributed, and were a source of education, instruction and enlightenment to the members in respect of the benefits and advantages of organised agitation.

Mr. Patrick McGrath, wondered how, there was anybody who did not realise that a body of men commanded attention and respect. He was not one He appealed to the members present to contribute to the reserve fund which he intimated as he was determined and resolved that this lawful agitation for obtaining the benefits of the law enacted for the purpose of land distribution will be crowned with success.

The members most willingly responded to his appeal. Mr. James Meagher proposed, a resolution to the Irish Land Commission which was seconded by Mr. Patrick McGrath, and on the motion of Mr. William Hourigan, seconded by Mr. Thos. Coffey, a resolution was passed unanimously to be forwarded to President Cosgrave, and the Executive Council.

After which the Chairman, declared the meeting adjourned.—(communicated).

**AN ALL-NIGHT DANCE**

Will be Held in THE OLD HALL, CAPPAGH, ON SUNDAY NIGHT AUGUST 9th. Special Music, by POWER BROS. Admission—Gents 2/-, Ladies 1/6, (Supper Included).

**MALLOW, 14th GREAT ANNUAL SHEEP SALE.**

(Rams, Ewes and Lambs). On Saturday next, 15th August, 1931, Commencing at 1.30 sharp (new time). Splendid Entry of Pedigree and non-Pedigree Oxford, Down and Border Leicester Rams. From Counties of Cork and Limerick. Also Border Leicester Breeding Ewes and Oxford Down and Border Leicester Lambs. A Grand Show Growing Larger every Year. All the Noted Breeders Represented.

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EIGHT ANNIVERSARY CASEY (Dungarvan), eight anniversary.—In ever loving memory of the late Michael Joseph Casey, Dungarvan, who died at Grawn House, Kilmachomas, on August, 6th, 1931. R.I.P.—Jesus Mercy Mary Help.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Gun License Holders are now reminded that their license expired on July 31st, and is due for renewal since August 1st. Bring your new license to Crotty's Registered Firearms Dealers Dungarvan, and secure the free bottle of gun oil given with the first consignment on your new permit.

SEASONS FOR GAME. The following are the opening dates for the killing of game to holders of game licenses: Grouse, Plover, Wild Duck, Wild Geese, Quail, Landrail, 12th August. Snipe and Woodcock, 1st September. Pheasant, 1st October. Coursing of Hares with dogs (in slips) 26th September. The order prohibiting the killing of Partridges is continued for another year. Penalties of killing game before opening dates, £20 first offence; £50 second offence.

The Amazing Bargains at Moloney's have caused a great sensation. Further new lines in China, Aluminium, Enamel Ware, Floor Covering etc., have just arrived from the Continent, and will be offered at sensational prices during the remaining two weeks of Sale. Moloney's Stores, Bridge St., and Square.

ABBEYSIDE PATRON. The energetic Committee of that popular fixture, the Abbeyside Annual Regatta and Sports held in connection with "Patron Day" from time immemorial are once again busy preparing for this year's "Big Day," to be held on Sunday August 30th.

Full details of the varied programme to be submitted will appear in the next issue. All desirous of making this year's fixture "the best yet" are invited to attend a meeting on Sunday night next at St. Joseph's Boys Club Rooms, after evening devotions.

DUNGARVAN SHOW. Winners in the Industrial Section at the recent Show, can have prize-money by calling to the Secretary's Office.

LOCAL WINNERS AT HORSE SHOW. One first prize was secured by Waterford at the Dublin Horse Show yesterday, and it went to Mr. R. Shanahan, Kilmachomas, whose Rosebud, won the competition for hunter mares up to 13 to 14 stone, 5 years old or over. Another animal of Mr. Shanahan's "Islander," secured fifth place in the class for 6 years or over, 14 to 15 stone, and for 5 years old, with the same weight, "Silver Tail," the property of Mr. F. McCarthy, Waterford was awarded third prize. Mr. Wm. Phelan, Sporthouse, Waterford, secured two second prizes with "Peace Time," a mare with foal at foot, calculated to produce a weight-carrying hunter. Mr. R. Sheil Walsh, Mocklerstown, Clonmel won third prize in the thoroughbred yearling Filly Class.

BLOODSTOCK SALES. At the Annual Sale or Bloodstock, held in Dublin, in conjunction with the Dublin Horse Show, during the week, prices were very much below last year's average. The following prices were received by local breeders: Mr. W. Foley, Ballybrennock, Dunhill, Brown Filly by "Free from Pride" 35 guineas; Black Colt by "Nothing Venture" 60 guineas; Mr. R. Sheil Walsh, Mocklerstown, Clonmel, Black Colt, by "Mighty Power" 65 guineas.

NEW PEACE COMMISSIONER. Mr. J. Walsh, Park View, Dungarvan, has been appointed a Peace Commissioner, for Kiltush, Co. Clare, Mr. Walsh, is a popular National School Teacher, in Kiltush.

A REAL CHARITY. A Flag Day in aid of the Funds of the Dungarvan and District Nursing Association, will be held in Dungarvan on August, 19th, (Fain Day). The Association is deserving of (and we feel sure will get) the unstinted support of the public.

LOCAL BRED WINNER. At Liverpool last week the winner of the School House Plate, was Star Bound. This filly was bred by Mr. J. V. O'Brien, Woodlands, Lismore, and is by Sherwood Star—Honour Bound. She was sold by her breeder at the Dublin Sales last year, for 150 guineas.

HEAT WAVE. On Sunday and Monday, we had a heat wave and there was a wild exodus to the sea shore. All sorts of vehicles were requisitioned to do the needful. Every inch and angle of the sea-front from the Blackwater to the Suir had its full quota of people and right good use did they make of their time. Clonea was thronged and no wonder. Many and beautiful as are the resorts round our coast, none can compare with the charms of the silvery strand at Clonea so cozily nestled behind the heights of Clonscraigne, with the Comeragh's standing proud and majestic in the background. Stradbally, Cove, Bonmahon and Annesstown too were thronged what a pity Mr. Summer should be confined to one or two fine days, why should not we have three months of it, as our fathers used to have?

CAPPOQUIN WEEK. All arrangements are now complete for the carrying out of the great Carnival of Sports and Amusements in Cappoquin, from 17th to 22nd August, in aid of the West Waterford Hunt Fund.

Hiking is the new pastime, and is easily indulged in. You just get your sack on your back, a stick in your hand and the minimum of clothes on you, and off you go. You are not bound by time or tide. You can sleep where you wish and eat where you will. The rate collector and income tax man won't know your whereabouts, and you need only return when tired of hiking. It is easily the best game yet, put on the market and the most healthy. If you are tired of hiking, you can go hitch-hiking which translated means you can have a lift on a donkey, lorry, or any other mode of conveyance willing to take your feet off the road. If you are tired of being at home try it, and if you don't like hiking consult your family doctor to find out what's wrong with you.

DUNGARVAN BAND. The Committee of the above are anxious to take on 8 or 10 boys over 16 years, who have already a knowledge of music, or who have a taste for and desire to learn music. As the Dungarvan Band expect to attend the Eucharistic Congress in Dublin next year, the Committee are anxious to have it up to full strength.

TOWN HALL, DUNGARVAN.

For 5 Nights Commencing Monday, August 10th.

Mr. Wm. L. Dobell FIFTY-SECOND YEAR of an uninterrupted Dramatic Fit-up Tour. Monday—The Mystery Comedy Thriller, WHAT HAPPENED AT 9-45.

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Thursday—Mr. Dobell presents—The Silent Witness. The Greatest Murder Trial Play ever Staged.

Friday—The Latest Comedy Thriller, The Creaking Door. By arrangement with the authoress, Miss Elizabeth Sheridan.

Doors Open at 7.45. Commences at 8.15 (Summer Time). Prices—(Reserved 3/-) 2/4; 1/6 and 9d. Seats may be booked at the Hall from 12 to 2, and from 8.30 during performance.

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Munster Hurling Finals, 1931 AT CLONMEL 16th AUGUST. Senior Hurling at 3.45 p.m. Referee—M. Gleason.

Waterford v. Cork.

Minor Hurling at 2.30 p.m. Waterford v. Cork or Tipperary. Special Trains—Waterford 12.30 p.m. Cork 10 a.m. Returns at 7.15 and 7 p.m.

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SEA TRIPS BY MOTOR BOAT. A motor boat will leave the Quay-side (weather permitting) at 3.30 p.m., on Sunday for a tour round the harbour. Passengers may go ashore for one hour. Return fare 1/6 per person.

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WATERFORD CO. COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURE.

SHEEP BREEDING SCHEME 1931.

For the purpose of improving the breeds of mountain Sheep in Co. Waterford, the Waterford County Committee of Agriculture are prepared subject to the approval of the Department of Agriculture, to locate a limited number of High Grade Black-faced Rams on the commonage areas of the Comeragh Mountains and the Waterford area of the Knockmaldon Mountains on the following conditions:

- 1.—The Committee shall grant to each selected applicant a Premium of £5 towards the purchase price. The Ram to be maintained in good and healthy breeding conditions for two breeding seasons. 2.—Purchasers of Rams shall be required to insure the animals against death for one year for the proportion of the price payable by them. 3.—In the allocation of Rams the preference will be given to applicants who apply on behalf of Sheep Owners who are prepared to mate the Rams to selected Ewes. 4.—The Committee will endeavour to secure that only rams of a high standard of quality will be supplied but they cannot undertake responsibility in case any animal should subsequently prove unfruitful or otherwise unsuitable for breeding purposes. 5.—In all cases of dispute in matters connected with the Scheme the decision of the Department shall be final. Application forms which must be returned on or before 22nd August may be had from the undersigned. J. O'DWYER, Secretary. Courthouse, Dungarvan. 2nd July, 1931.

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Wednesday and Thursday 12 & 13th. Troopers Three.

Starring Dorothy Gulliver, Slim Summerville, and Rex Lease in a side-splitting comedy drama of three broken-down variety actors who join the army for thirty days in order to maintain themselves at the country's expense, while practising a new act, and then find that they have joined up for three years. "Bugs" and "Sunny" are the laughing stock of the army. "Sunny" (Slim Summerville) attributes his lack of success to a kick on the knee received from a mule in his younger days, which makes foot-dill and cavalry work an arduous duty for poor Sunny. The third member of the trio, Eddie the ukulele player, gets them all into trouble, by making violent love to the Colonel's daughter, as a result of which he has a terrific fight with his Troop Sergeant and receives a terrible thrashing. The Troop Sergeant is placed under arrest for breach of military discipline, and our troopers three are decidedly unpopular with the whole battalion, as they are blamed for the arrest of the Sergeant. One night a big blaze broke out in the regimental stables, and the Colonel's daughter gets into danger trying to rescue her horse. The Troop Sergeant goes to help her and the two of them are almost over come, when our gallant trio dash into the flames and drag them out or danger and so prove themselves the heroes of the Regiment. Laughs: Romance: Wonderful horsemanship: A song and a dance: Plenty of variety. Don't miss "Troopers Three." It is thoroughly amusing. Also Movietone News and Comedy.

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### Tourist Preparations for 1932.

HOTEL PROPRIETORS TO HOLD SPECIAL CONFERENCE.

Propaganda and organisation work for 1932 are now engaging the attention of the Irish Tourist Association, and interesting proposals for the inauguration of new activities were considered at the recent meeting of the Executive Committee.

Figures available for the period up to the end of June showed a falling off in American traffic as compared with the previous years though not in so large a proportion as the decreases in the case of Continental countries. On the other hand the enquiries from prospective holiday-makers in Great Britain and Ireland are more numerous than in any previous year, and as Irish holidays particularly do not start to any great extent until the end of July, there is still every reason to hope for a satisfactory season, especially if weather conditions prove favourable. In the results accruing from the Association's publicity work the most noticeable feature this year is the increased interest in Irish holidays on the part of our own citizens. This is without doubt largely due to the prominent display given by the Irish Press generally to the Association's special appeal.

It is recognised that circumstances surrounding the Eucharistic Year will call for a special effort on the part of the Irish Tourist Association in the matter of home organisation, and already steps are being taken to meet in advance the requirements of our visitors to Dublin for the Eucharistic Congress to see other parts of Ireland as well, and special publicity work for that purpose is now in the course of preparation. Representations are being made to the responsible authorities with a view to supplementing the excellent system of sign posts on the various main roads throughout the country by the erection of identification signs in all towns and villages, and direction signs on secondary roads especially those leading to points of historic and scenic interest. The organisation of special staff for the information of next year's visitors is also being considered, and it is possible that the Association may arrange for a number of Information Bureaux at selected points in the city and suburbs, at which full particulars will be made available for those wishing to arrange tours to different parts of Ireland.

### HOTEL PROPRIETORS CONFERENCE.

A Conference of Hotel Proprietors will be held in Dublin at the end of this season to confer with the Executive of the Association on matters of common interest and to discuss special arrangements and preparations for next year. Conferences of a similar nature held in previous years gave a special impetus to the work of extension and improvement of the Hotel Industry, and this year with the special incentive of the Eucharistic Congress the Conference is expected to have even more far-reaching results in that direction.

### BROADCASTING.

Following the successful issue of two Broadcast Talks from some 200 Stations in America, the Association is endeavouring to arrange through the medium of the Irish Free State representatives abroad for similar Talks in other countries.

### ROAD CONDITIONS.

The meeting had before it a report on road conditions throughout the country and it was noted that substantial allocations had been made by the Roads Department for work on roads of tourist importance. Improvement Grants to Local Authorities for the current year amount to £251,346 as compared with £230,104 for 1931/32 and £271,875 for the previous year. While the Association welcomed this increased provision for road improvement it was felt that tourist roads particularly in Counties along the Western seaboard are deserving of special attention, and the following were appointed a deputation to wait on the Minister for Local Government—Mr. T. J. W. Kenny (President), Senator M. Duffy, Mr. Michael Gallagher, Mr. Brooker W. Brasier, and Mr. M. McFadden, T.D.

### ORGANISATION IN GREAT BRITAIN.

The Association has engaged on its permanent staff the well-known Irish Author—Mr. D. L. Kelleher. He will take charge of the Associations London Office and undertake special activities throughout Great Britain. In addition to interviewing Tourist Agents, Newspaper Editors, Club Executives and others likely to be of assistance in the promotion of increased traffic to Ireland, Mr. Kelleher will deliver a series of lectures during the coming winter. For the next few months he will be engaged in the preparation of a Souvenir publication which the Association is issuing for 1932 and he will travel to various parts of Ireland in company with the official Hotels Inspector and Photographer of the I.T.A.

### CORK FAIR 1932.

The meeting welcomed the decision to hold the Cork Industrial Fair next year and it is hoped that interesting events will be organised in other parts of the country to supplement the major attraction at Dublin. The Association specially desires that the dates of all

### The Bachelor's Dilemma.

In his cottage plot he was making the hay, I stood for a chat and I wished him "Good day!"

And "God bless your work, Johnny!" I said with a smile.

"You fool!" he replied, and then paused for a while.

"'Tis a queer world," he resumed, "If I'm forced to wed, Mousha!" he frown'd, spat out, and then scratched his head.

"To get married or quit this old cottage O'mine—'Tis the Board of Health's order—isn't it trying?"

Let's smoke, "I suggested, and sat down in the shade Of a fine cock of hay, he'd skilfully made.

With our pipes in full blast in the sweet scented air—"Tis hard lines," I answered, "They'r not actin' fair."

"Actin' fair!" he rejoined, with a snort of disgust: "They say I MUST marry, I don't like their MUST."

As I watched his grim face thro' a pall of blue smoke, I ventured to say: "John, you don't like the YOKE?"

Sure I saw as he fingered his stubby chin How good-humoured he took my banterin' in.

"Now then, John, my dear friend you must be a sport: A wife is 'try bon' if you get the right sort.

You must pull with the times—do you heed what I say?" Round his finger I watched him 'twistin' some hay.

In reflection he fidgeted there where he sat, And fanned his damp brow with his worn felt-hat.

"In me ould father's time, God be good to his soul! He'd plenty o' work an' no talk of the dole.

And wimmen, begannies! men left few on the shelves, But now-a-days... Mousha! we can't keep ourselves.

Och, faymales, "he grunted," wid the fashions they wear; Me wife would want all I'd knock down in the year.

Let'em take me cottage bud I'll take no wife, I should keep'er in style or she'd nag out me life."

With a whimsical smile, so pathetic... Ah me! He looked up to blush and confided in me:

"I'm forty-five years in this cottage, next week, I ne'er could afford a good wife to go seek.

Wid no guaranteed job married life to enjoy; An' wages are small for a labourin' boy."

Johnny, sighed. We stood up, I felt loath to go home And leave the poor fellow... dejected... alone.

"Well, before I go home, let me tell you my friend: That those great Dictators you mustn't offend.

Some old maid with the PENSION to wed I'd suggest, You know your own mind, but I know what is best.

If the Board they object... be a man or a mouse! Go live on the rates to the County Workhouse."

Then I left him there (happy) to finish his hay, And homeward, soft smilin, I wended my way.

JAMES BUTLER.

N.B.—The above interview took place shortly after the County Waterford Board of Health, issued their ultimatum to all labouring bachelors in occupation of cottages to wed married or quit their homes.—J.B.

such events should be fixed well in advance so as to render their publication possible before visitors in foreign countries have made their arrangements.

### FILMS AND POSTER PUBLICITY.

It has been decided to avail of the advantages of films and posters to supplement the Association's main activities through the medium of Press advertising and the production of tourist literature. Expert advice is being sought on both matters and decisions will be arrived at later in the year.

### HOTEL INSPECTION.

Reports of the Association's Organising Secretary showed continued expansion of the hotel industry in all parts of the country. This is evidenced more in the extension and improvement of existing hotels than in the erection of new establishments, and the detailed reports available show considerable activity in practically every County in the Free State.

The attendance at the meeting included the following:—Mrs. Sheehy Skeffington, Messrs. T. J. W. Kenny, (presiding), Walter Baird, Brooker W. Brasier, Senator M. Duffy, B. M. Egan, M. Gallagher, W. Giles, J. McCann, S. McCull, F. A. Moran, W. O'Reilly, C. F. Ridgeway, C. E. Riley, E. Sweeney, F. S. Velson, E. Walsh, M. F. Walsh, Cappoquin, Simon Walton.

### The Henry Ford of Egg Production.

FOWL-PROOF GADGETS AND A FALSE DAWN.

Having proved to his own satisfaction and to that of the International Poultry Congress that poultry farming pays, Mr. Andrews Ewing is determined to establish himself beyond all dispute as the Henry Ford of egg production.

Here on this wonderful farm near Edinburgh he told of his plans to day. He said he will be fairly satisfied if by next year he has 300,000 laying hens, 100,000 or so chicks at a time, and a moving population of a few score thousand cockerels fattening up for the tables. He also wants a weekly output of eggs approaching a million and a half.

Mr. Ewing is a whimsical, sparrow built Scot with snow-white hair and moustache, a man of dynamic energy who has a poultry farm here which is the largest and most modern in the world. American delegates to the International Poultry Congress have told him so, and they should know by now.

Mr. Ewing would have realised the peak of his ambition if trouble about the rating of his enterprise had not occurred. A lawsuit lasting nearly five months has at last gained him his point, and, after nearly closing down, he is now trying to make up for lost time.

### A WHOLE TOWN OF IT.

This farm covers nearly 100 acres. It looks like a "Wild West" town in miniature, with its streets of wooden buildings, 6½ miles of tar macadam road bordered by neat grass plots, flowers and fruit trees, and an overhead network of electric power wires like the telephone system of a busy city.

Forty girls run the farm, dressed in neat, practical uniforms. They use motor-cars to take them about the farm for their work, and handle 200 tons of chicken meal a week with the aid of the motor-transport system. They are all expert motor-drivers, and can handle a three-ton lorry as easily as one of the three-wheeled trucks used for egg collection.

### FOOLING THE HENS.

In the miles of spacious hen houses there is accommodation now for 300,000 laying hens. Each run is a marvel of ingenuity. A false floor of wire netting with an automatic scraper keeps it clean, while the hens are persuaded to work twice as hard by a scheme of electric daylight lamps which are switched on during the early hours of the morning by clock switches. An electric illusion of dawn brightening into midday fools the hens into laying an extra egg a day.

This hen farm bristles with electric gadgets and labour-saving machines. One might easily mistake the main hen house, 1,000 ft. long for a motor-car factory.

I thought the incubator house the most impressive feature of the farm. From the outside it looks like the town hall of Hen Town and as we arrived in our car I felt that a beadle in uniform should have been there to take us to the mayor's parlour.

Inside, however, the illusion was lost. We entered a long, low hall lined with groups of dials and switches to control the heating, lighting and mechanical equipment.

### THE INCUBATORS.

Mr. Ewing took me on a lightning tour of the wonder rooms leading off this hall. The incubators in the first two rooms are large mahogany boxes filled with rows of shallow trays. There are nine of these, and by a simple mechanical arrangement 144,000 eggs can be turned over in them in less than a minute.

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### DIM AND RELIGIOUS.

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Two years ago, I described the beginnings of Mr. Ewing's enterprise—how he had started a comparatively poor young man with a small dairy shop, and developed his business until he became sole proprietor of a chain of 250 shops for the sale of dairy produce in Scotland and the North of England, and how he started his farm to provide his shops with eggs.

Mr. Ewing told me to-day how that story is still bringing visitors from all parts of the world to see his farm. Poultry farmers write to him from America, South Africa, Australia, and the Continent asking his advice on their own troubles.

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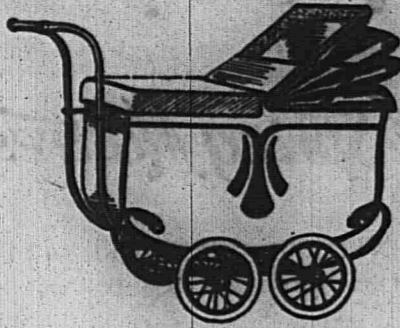
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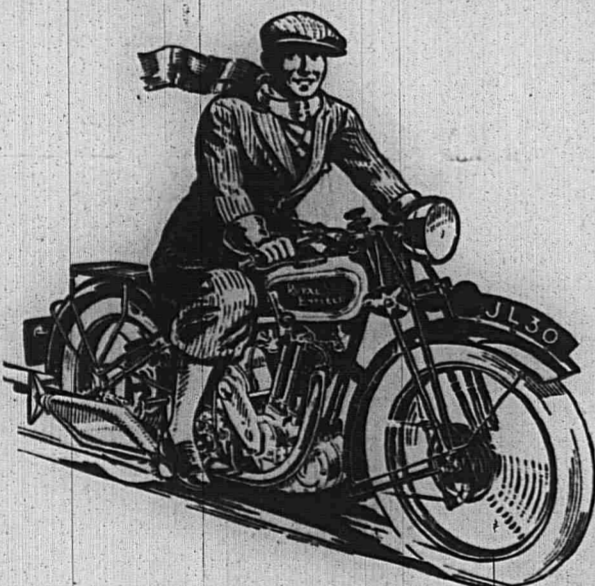
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Woman: I am a wife, and a good 'un at that, and that's more than some of 'em can say.

Blackwater Fisheries.

PROTECTION OF BLACKWATER FISHERIES. CONSERVATORS' ACTION.

At the monthly meeting of the No. 4 of the Lismore Board of Blackwater Fishery Conservators at Tallow, there attended—Mr. J. Kennedy (Chairman); Capt. R. Holroyd Smyth, Capt. P. Dunne, Major Longfield, Messrs. W. O'Brien, E. A. Rice, solr., Vice-Chairman; J. Kent, W. Baldwin, and E. C. Penrose.

Messrs. T. Drohan, Secretary and Inspector, and W. Buckley, Assistant Inspector, were also in attendance. Mr. Rice said arising out of the minutes it would appear from the Press report that the tender of an Irish Company for the insurance of the staff was the lowest. If that was so it was most unfair that the Irish tender was not accepted.

The Secretary said there was some mistake, as the Irish tender was not the lowest—£40, against an English tender of £35. On that account the meeting had adjourned the matter to get quotations from other Irish firms, and postponed their final decision until September.

Mr. Rice said even if there was a slight difference between they should keep the money at home when possible.

The Secretary said they were still open to receive quotations, as the staff were all insured up to September.

The meeting then took up the question of the number of bailiffs to be kept on in the various portions of the river and its tributaries.

EXPLOSIVES IN THE RIVER.

Mr. Rice said if they didn't take proper and effective steps to preserve the fish that were in the river during Aug. and Sept., they need not bother about the spawning fish for the fish would not be there to spawn. Now was the time to watch to river when the fish were being blown up with gelignite. The districts round Fermoy and Ballyduff called for special attention. Later on poachers would not have the market for the fish and the Board could see after the spawning fish in the small tributaries and the river head. At a recent meeting it had been said that if one fish were killed now it meant only one, but that in the spawning season it might mean millions. Everyone acquainted with the history of the salmon knew that was not the case. If the fish were killed now they would not be there to spawn later on. Experts told them that the fish came into the fresh water for the sole purpose of spawning. There were fish in the river at present heavy in spawn, and they were being injured by explosives. This was the time of the year, especially when the river was low, that they should keep on as many bailiffs as possible.

The Chairman said there should be no rod fishing now. The Asst. Inspector had informed the Board that there was no poaching round Fermoy of late. Mr. Rice said there was, and he could prove it. On June 27th a boat was seized, but the men escaped. As regards the rod fishing, since he had started the Fermoy Anglers' Association they had converted many old poachers into decent fishermen.

The Chairman said they would want twice as much money as they had to keep on all the staff.

Mr. Rice—So you do, and it would be easy to get it if you get a revision of the rates list.

Major Longfield—We have applied for that.

The Clerk said that by the recent revision the Duke's valuation had been reduced; there was an increase in one case, and all the others were the same.

Capt. Dunne asked how could they protect the river properly when ratepayers receiving £600 or £700 a year for their fishing were paying only £53 a year.

Mr. Rice asked what was the valuation of one fishery, for which £200 was got for three months.

The Secretary—£2 10s. (laughter). Major Longfield quoted one instance at Malloy, which was rated, although it was never fished.

Mr. Rice mentioned the case of a poor man also rated, where there was hardly a fish caught for 40 years.

Having given particulars of the deductions in the Duke of Devonshire's valuations, the Secretary said that they had been increased of recent years from £680 to £1,800.

Chairman—Did the Valuation Office ask you for any particulars regarding the rents received from the fishing?

The Secretary—No, the Board have nothing to do with that.

Major Longfield said he knew of a letting for which £800 was paid, and only 52 fish caught. He proposed that they invite the Valuation Officer to attend a meeting of the Board, when they would place important facts at his disposal.

This was seconded by Mr. Rice and passed.

Replying to the Chairman, the Secretary said they would have about £250 on hands after paying the accounts before that day.

Major Longfield—The second moiety of the rate has not yet come in—

The Secretary—Not till the end of September and it comes in very slowly. Mr. Kent, said it was absolutely essential to protect the fresh water part of the river now.

It was then decided to keep on a certain number of bailiffs for the present.

DISTRIBUTION OF GELIGNITE.

Mr. Rice asked could not something be done with the Department to prevent detonators getting around? Apparently the detonators were the trouble, and if they could be stopped

the poachers could not blow up the river with gelignite. If a proper supervision were kept by the authorities over the distribution of gelignite and detonators a stop would be put to that reprehensible practice.

Mr. Penrose—Where do they get these detonators?

The Clerk said they were sometimes got from County Council workers.

Major Longfield—It am sorry to say it is much more easy to procure these things than it should be.

Mr. Rice said the trouble was there was no proper supervision over the distribution and use of the detonators.

The Chairman said that all fishing should cease now, and it would be easier to preserve the river.

Mr. Rice—Rod fishing does not do much mischief.

Captain Dunne said when fishing stopped on the tidal waters all should stop.

Mr. Kent said the tourists spend money.

Capt. Dunne—Yes, for the landlords.

Mr. Rice said the landlords Captain Dunne referred to were, in the majority of cases, ordinary farmers on the bank of the river, and if they got money for their fishing it was for the benefit of the country.

Capt. Dunne—I will never stop till I see one opening date and one closing date for the country, and then you will have plenty fish.

Major Longfield said the fish were not "taking" now. He had not got a salmon for a month, but in September they do take.

Mr. Rice—That is the trouble. If, for instance, you close the season in August, the rivers can be netted, and the fish sent across to England, the same as ever, because the season is open above the Shannon.

Capt. Dunne—I mean that there should be one day for opening for the 26 counties.

Mr. Rice—You will have to have it for the 32.

Mr. Baldwin—Let the buyers' licence for shipment cease at the time, and the fish can't then be sent.

Mr. Rice said he believed it would be a great idea if the whole river were closed for three years, as was done in Canada and other countries.

On the proposition of Mr. Rice, seconded by Mr. Penrose, it was decided to ask the Department to sanction the retention of the staff for the present.

A letter was read from the Department stating that they had been informed by the Department of Justice that in the cases of R. Graddy, P. Bowler, W. Nunn, and C. Courcy, who had been convicted of a breach of the Fishery Laws and fined £5 each, it was decided to reduce the fine to 10s. each.

The Clerk read a communication from the Department regarding the artificial propagation of fish carried out during last winter. In reply he had informed them that they had sent out 271,000 salmon and 9,643 trout fry.

Arising out of that Major Longfield had suggested it would be a good thing to get the Department's sanction to open the hatch half-way in September, as was done at Lismore formerly.

Mr. Rice said, regarding trout, he had received a complaint that very small trout were being sold in Fermoy. Was it not possible to find out who had sold it?

Major Longfield—Can we prosecute in cases of that kind?

The Secretary—I don't think you can. You have no bye-law.

Mr. Buckley said the matter had been brought under his notice, and he had warned the parties concerned. They had given an undertaking that they would sell no more small trout.

NEW MOTOR BOAT. The Secretary said with reference to the proposed new sea-going motor boat to replace the present one at Youghal, he had written to two well-known firms at Baltimore. One was prepared to supply a boat without an engine for £320, and the other for £260.

The Chairman—That finishes it. We haven't the money.

Captain Dunne said they had a firm at Youghal that built boats and yachts.

Mr. Rice suggested that they advertise in the Press for tenders.

The Chairman—Will we be able to pay for the boat?

Major Longfield—Won't the Department help us in a matter like that?

The Secretary said that an extra rate of 2s. for one year would nearly meet the required amount.

Mr. Kent—Have we not power to borrow?

The Secretary—I don't think you have. The launch we have at Youghal is simply useless.

The Chairman said that Mr. Rice's suggestion was the best.

Ultimately Mr. Rice proposed they advertise in the Press for a boat with Kelvin engine complete.

Major Longfield submitted Gray's plans of the Lismore weir in 1886, and showed cross-sections indicating the depths taken by Gray. He then produced sections taken by himself that month. Those cross-sections showed very considerable shallowing of the river on the site of the King's Gap and a deepening on the side of the killing hatch. He pointed out that the closing of the hatches Nos. 1 and 2 had resulted in those alterations of the river bed and in increasing the flow from the King's Gap. The consequence of those alterations was to encourage the salmon to run into the killing hatch and to discourage them from using the King's Gap. He then showed a section taken immediately below the King's Gap, but was unable to take any soundings nearer than 75 yards below the killing hatch, where the depth was 18ft. 2 ins. Gray's depth taken 10ft. below was 16ft. 6 ins. Very probably there was now 20ft. or more of water there.

Mr. Rice—Is not the Duke bound legally to maintain the gap as it was?

Major Longfield—No, I am sorry to say, unless we can show that it was caused by any action of the Duke's.

After some discussion. Mr. Rice proposed that they ask the Lismore Estates Co., Ltd., to open Nos. 1 and 2 hatches in the Lismore weir.

Capt. Dunne—What affair is it of ours?

Mr. Rice—It will increase the flow of water and give the salmon a chance of going up.

Mr. Baldwin—I think the anglers should fight the matter.

Mr. Rice—There is no question of fighting. The anglers have done a lot already.

Mr. Kent, seconded Mr. Rice's proposition.

Mr. Penrose—What is the proposition?

Mr. Rice—"That we ask the Lismore Estates Company to open Nos. 1 and 2 hatches, as the closing of same has diverted the course of the stream towards the killing catch, thus increasing the flow through the Queen's Gap in the weir, resulting in the prevention of salmon using that gap and encouraging them into the killing hatch."

Capt. Dunne proposed and Mr. Baldwin seconded an amendment that they do not interfere.

The Chairman—Perhaps Mr. Penrose would settle this.

Mr. Penrose—I think I should remain out of it.

On a poll there voted:—

For the amendment—Capt. Dunne, and Mr. Baldwin—2.

Against—Major Longfield, Capt. Smyth, Messrs. Rice, Kent, O'Brien, and the Chairman—6.

Mr. Penrose did not vote.

The proposition was therefore carried.

Replying to Major Longfield, the Secretary said the election of the new Board would take place about the middle of October.



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Where emerald shades an' sweet amethyst hue, Soft, vying in beauty, most lovely to view; Spread o'er the bright waters by some magic hand, Commingling in whiteness nigh you fairy hand.

Soft verdure of landscape, its sweet velvet green, But serves as a background to border the scene; Loo! Stretched out below me, "Stupendous! . . . Divine!" "Sweet Clonea, I love thee; great beauty is thine!"

Sure others may muse in lone reverie here, And find in thy beauty that Heaven is near; In calm an' thro' tempest list' not to their dirge When Mermaids are chanting: "Submerge in our surge."

Some day from thy bosom, O great mystic deep! His power shall disclose what sad mysteries you keep; Till that time, I pray thee, thy secrets conceal. For mortals must know not what God can reveal.

J. BUTLER.

DOGS ATTACK BOY.

A ten-year-old Dublin boy, named Owen Byrne, is in Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital in a serious condition in consequence of injuries which were inflicted on him by four dogs near Shelbourne Park, Ringsend.

The boy entered Shelbourne Park and was attacked by four dogs, one of which is said to be a retriever.

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POULTRINE

GOLFER KILLS BIRD WITH BALL.

Driving from the twelfth tee on the Downe course near Farnborough, P. Hutchins, playing in the staff tournament, killed a swallow in mid-air. Ball and bird fell to the ground together.

Hutchins went on to win the club cup, and deserved it.



Youghal Urban Council.

Present Mr. J. R. Smyth, P.C. Chairman; Capt. Dunne, Mrs. S. Hurley, P.C.; Messrs. E. Clancy, T. Beausang, T. Harrington, P. J. McMahon, P.C., D. J. Linehan, J. Whelan, T. Murphy, E. P. Lynch, Vice-Chairman.

Col. Ronayne's Complaint.

A letter was read from Lt.-Col. Ronayne, South Abbey, addressed to the Harbour Master, complaining that a yacht belonging to some stranger was a danger to the other pleasure craft in the place owing to the incompetence of the owner. He submitted that it was the duty of the Board to prevent the recurrence of such a thing.

The Clerk proceeded to read a second letter from Lt.-Col. Ronayne, emphasizing his complaint to the Harbour Master. Nobody knew who the owner of the offending yacht was. It was said that he had made money by rum-running (laughter).

Mr. McMahon—I propose that we hear no more of this. Why should he try to make that Board the medium of attacking a rum-runner or anybody else?

The Harbour Master said if the yacht did any damage to Col. Ronayne's craft he had his remedy.

Mr. Clancy said the Board never taxed any yacht's using the harbour. They were all welcome.

The Board decided to take no action in the matter, the offending yacht having now left the harbour.

The Pier Head.

The Town Surveyor, submitted an estimate for "pointing" the Pier Head. It would cost in all about £115.

The Chairman said they could not afford to do all the work at present. He suggested that they should do the parts that required it most.

Replying to Mr. Whelan, the Secretary said they had £90 in current A/c. and £125 on deposit, out of which they had to pay for the Jetty at the Ferry Point.

The meeting approved of the Chairman's suggestion, and the matter was adjourned to next meeting.

Lifeboat—Mechanic.

The Clerk said he had received a copy of "Truth" of 22nd. ult. which contained an article under the heading "Manning The Lifeboat." It dealt with the appointment of a motor mechanic to the new motor Lifeboat at Youghal.

It stated that the appointment had been made on the recommendation of the Youghal Urban Council, and said that it would be interesting to know the Council's reasons for their action.

The Chairman said the writer should be told that the Council had nothing whatever to do with the appointment and that he should be more careful as to the accuracy of the information he published.

Anonymous Postcard.

The Clerk said he had received an anonymous postcard referring to the previous meeting of the Council.

He handed it to the Chairman, who tore it up and threw it into the waste paper basket.

Acknowledgment.

A letter was read from Mr. Fawcett, Sea View, Hotel, Ballycotton, thanking the Council for their resolution in connection with his small share in helping to make their recent trip a success.

Strand Lavatory.

The Town Surveyor, submitted a report on the result of an interview with the District Engineer, of the G.S. Railways, in connection with the drainage of the new Lavatory on the Strand. The Company granted permission to the Council to run the drain along the Company's roadway. It would mean an extra cost of £44. The usual conditions and a small annual rent were required.

Mr. Clancy said that the Council in providing the Lavatory were only assisting the Railway Co.

The Clerk said the Council were only obliging the people whom the Railway Co. brought down.

It was decided to comply with the Railway Co's requirements and to proceed with the work.

"Daily Mail" Water Ball.

Mr. McMahon, moved in accordance with notice of motion that they put the "Daily Mail" Water Ball out on the Strand as usual. At a previous meeting a similar proposition was defeated by a bare majority of one. He made no apology for his notice of motion and he had no interest in the "Daily Mail," but he thought it only right that everyone of the 18 members of the Board should have an opportunity of displaying the courage of his convictions by coming forward and voting for or against. He wished to express his regard and respect for those who attended that night, no matter how they voted. Some of the abstentions were rather remarkable in view of what had happened on the last night.

Mr. Murphy, seconded.

Mr. Whelan, proposed a negative amendment.

Mr. Whelan was about speaking to his amendment, but the Chairman said there was hardly any necessity.

Mrs. Hurley, supporting the amendment said she would say something on the subject. Were they ashamed of their Country and their faith? The "Daily Mail" Ball was a trivial matter but if they voted in favour of its being put on the Strand, they would be going against their faith. It was therefore up to them to vote against it. None of them could plead ignorance of the enormity of the action of that paper. She stood there representing the mothers of Youghal who elected her on that Board and in their name she would appeal to them once again to give practical expression to their con-

demnation of that journal, for its action in publishing the insulting absurdities of a low-minded German.

Mr. Whelan said his reason for proposing that amendment was that the action of the Council would not be consistent if they allowed the "Daily Mail" water Ball on the Strand, in view of the fact that three months ago that Council denounced the "Daily Mail" and exhorted the people not to buy it.

The Clerk—No, no, that is not so. Mr. Whelan—I was present.

The Clerk said he would get the resolution referred to.

Mr. McMahon—it would be a big cheek on the part of the Council to dictate to the people.

The Clerk then read the resolution, which protested strongly against the article in the "Daily Mail" and called on the Government censor to take action.

Mr. Whelan—Other Public Boards have done it.

A poll was taken for or against as follows:—

For—Messrs. McMahon, Murphy, and the Chairman—3.

Against—Mrs. Hurley, Capt. Dunne, Messrs. Clancy, Lynch, Beausang, Linehan, Harrington, and Whelan—8.

The proposition was therefore defeated.

Mr. McMahon—Now it is all over, and they can have their High Tea in Cork, (laughter).

Mr. Harrington said they should admire Mr. McMahon, who had the courage of his convictions.

Mr. McMahon said his object was to give a fair chance to everybody and he didn't want anybody to shoulder the whole blame, if there was any. He had as high a regard for the faith and fatherland as Mrs. Hurley, or anybody else, and if it was necessary he would die for it to-morrow. But where were the rest of the Council? A short time ago they had a notice about the Ferry and 17 out of 18 turned up.

The Chairman said he admired the action of all who attended that night, whether for or against, they had the courage of their convictions.

The Clerk—Will I send the Ball back?

The Chairman—You will have to.

The Clerk—What about the "Daily Mail" Sand Competition—is that amusement to be turned down too?

Mr. Lynch—Mr. McMahon said that the one covers the other.

New Buildings.

Mr. M. Walsh, Contractor, Youghal, submitted plans of two bungalows to be erected on the Upper Strand, and asked for the usual permission.

On the proposition of Mr. Whelan, seconded by Mr. McMahon, the application was granted.

Dunne's Park.

During a discussion on the new railings recently erected at Dunne's Park, Capt. Dunne, said that the amusements apparatus would soon be in full swing, and he wished to express thanks to the Carnegie Trust Fund for their generous grant in the matter. He also wished to thank Mrs. Hurley the Town Clerk and all those who had helped in procuring this means of enjoyment for the poor children of the town. If he had said anything against anybody in his fight for that object—the aristocrats of the Board were three years against him (laughter), he desired to offer his apologies and to thank them all.

Mr. McMahon—All the aristocrats are absent over the "Daily Mail" Ball, (laughter).

NOTICE.

COMPULSORY SHEEP DIPPING. WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

AUTUMN DIPPING PERIOD, 1931.

DOUBLE DIPPING.

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Monday August 17th—Knockavannia, Kilkenny, Tourin and Lyre.

Tuesday August 18th—Glenanane, Scart, Barracree, Kilbrien Upper and Lower.

Thursday August 20th—Coomaraglin.

Friday August 21st—Bohadoon, Coolnasmeear, Kilnafrehan and Knockanace.

SECOND DIPPING.

Monday August 24th—Knockavannia, Kilkenny, Tourin and Lyre.

Tuesday August 25th—Glenanane, Scart, Barracree, Kilbrien Upper and Lower.

Thursday August 27th—Coomaraglin.

Friday August 28th—Bohadoon, Coolnasmeear, Kilnafrehan, and Knockanace.

Dipping commences each day at 10 o'clock. Owners are requested to have their Sheep at the different centres on the days appointed.

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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.

REVEREND PATRICK LONERGAN, P.P., DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to 30 and 31 Vic. Cap. 54, that the Reverend Patrick Lonergan, late of Knockanore, in the County of Waterford Parish Priest, by his Will dated the 27th. day of March, 1924 and two codicils thereto dated respectively the 2nd. day of August, 1929 and 19th. day of September 1930 bequeathed the following Charitable legacies.

To the Parish Priest of Knockanore, Glendine and Kilwatermoy, the sum of £100 to be expended at his discretion on the Churches and Schools of the said Parishes.

To the Trustees of the Benevolent Fund for the support of infirm Clergy in the Diocese of Waterford and Lismore the sum of £200.

To the Parish Priest of Tournaneena the sum of £50 and to the Parish Priest of Knockanore the sum of £50 for the poor of said Parishes respectively.

To the Reverend Thomas O'Gorman, C.C., Lismore and the Reverend James McCarthy, C.C., of Templemichael, £50 each for Masses for the repose of the soul of the said deceased and the members of his family all said Masses to be celebrated in Public and in Ireland. Probate of the said Will with said two codicils was on the 21st. day of July, 1931 granted to the Reverend Thomas O'Gorman, C.C., of Lismore, and Reverend James McCarthy, C.C., of Templemichael, both in the County of Waterford, the sole executors in said Will and two Codicils named forth of the District Probate Registry at Waterford of the High Court of Justice Saorstát Éireann.

Dated this 22nd. day of July, 1931. E. A. RYAN & CO. Solicitors for the Executors, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests, and all whom it may concern.

COISDE POBUL CABRAC. CONNTAE PORTLAIRGE.

STOCKTAKERS REQUIRED.

The Waterford County Board of Public Assistance will, at their meeting to be held on Wednesday, the 19th August, 1931, consider applications from competent persons for the taking and valuing of Stock in the following Institutions on the 30th September next on the conditions hereinafter stated, viz.—

(1) In the County Home and District Hospital, Dungarvan, at a remuneration of £6 6s. 0d.

(2) In the District Hospital, Lismore, at a remuneration of £2 2s. 0d.

The appointments will be subject to the sanction of the Minister for Local Government and Public Health and the person appointed in each case will be required to furnish me with his Return (duly completed) of the Stock not later than the 7th October, 1931.

Applications stating qualifications and accompanied by testimonials, must be lodged in my office, County Home, Dungarvan, not later than 12 o'clock (noon) on the 19th. August, 1931.

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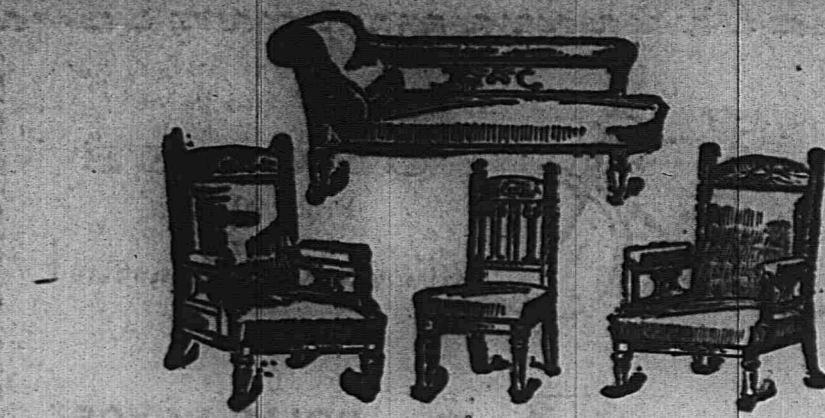
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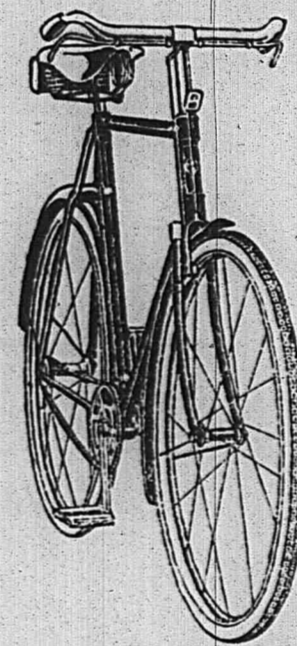
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