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WATERFORD CO. BOARD OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

NO MONEY TO PAY SALARIES. MONEY GONE FOR ASSISTANCE AND MILK. LAVISHING LEFT AND RIGHT. MAN WHO EARNED £3 AND GOT ASSISTANCE.

M.O. APPOINTED. At the meeting of the Co. Board of Assistance in Dungarvan on Wednesday, Ald. T. D. Connolly, Chairman, presiding, it was announced for the first time in the history of public bodies in the county, that the Board was unable to meet the salaries due to the officials as their funds had gone in providing Home Assistance and in financing the Free Milk Scheme.

The other members present were—Messrs. J. Halloran, T. Treacy, J. O'Donovan, D. Coghlan, M. F. Walsh, W. Stack, John O'Donnell, John Kiersey, P. Caulfield, J. Cosgrave, T. Synott and Michael Curran.

Finance. The Secretary informed the members that he had made out two advice notes with regard to the payments, one was for Home Assistance and petty accounts; the other was for salaries of officials. He did not intend sending the latter one to the Treasurers until such time as the Department allow them to get an overdraft.

Mr. O'Donnell—Will any salaries be paid this month?

Secretary—No. Not until we get permission for an overdraft.

Mr. Halloran—You were too flustered with the money for assistance.

Mr. O'Donnell—They say they are not getting enough.

The Secretary in reply to the Chairman said the position is that the Board financed the milk scheme out of ordinary finance.

Chairman—The Scheme was operating two months before any money was received from the Department.

Secretary—Yes; we have received £1,300. The money will not be given in advance.

Mr. Cosgrave asked why the contractors under that scheme were paid weekly, while contractors supplying the Co. Home and Hospitals were only paid monthly.

Superintendent Phelan, in reply to Mr. Cosgrave, said he did not think the contractors would object to monthly payments.

Secretary—The Board decided at a previous meeting to apply to the Department for an overdraft, and the Department told them to approach the Co. Council and the Waterford Corporation with a view to getting the required amount, but they could not give it. Even if the Board got over this difficulty, it is only a question of time until it will arise again.

Mr. Caulfield—The cause of this deadlock is the giving of Home Assistance.

Mr. O'Halloran—And the giving of milk.

Mr. Caulfield—The milk is costing nothing, but when it was given an increase in assistance was also given. If the Board of Assistance have an interest in the ratepayers they should attend the meetings of the Home Help committees. Referring to the Waterford City committee, he said that they had some very conscientious members who went fully into every individual case. He was sorry to say from what he heard that that was not so in the Western end of the county where they lavish money left and right. The people in the city and the East of the county don't get one penny more than they deserve.

Mr. Walsh said he was a member of the Dungarvan committee and any meetings he attended he found that the cases were gone very fully into.

Mr. Halloran—I can vouch for my own area, and I know that the fullest inquiries are made and that not a penny is squandered.

Chairman—It is not fair to have the officials of the Board go without their salaries for a month while their funds are financing a Department Scheme.

Mr. Cosgrave moved that contractors under the Milk Scheme be paid by the month the same as other contractors.

Chairman—Take the case of a Home Assistance Officer with £2 or £2 10s. a week he is in a worse position than the recipient who is getting 18/- a week and milk.

The Secretary, replying to Mr. Kiersey, said their position to-day is there are two advice notes prepared and if both were sent to the Treasurer your account would be overdrawn by £2,000.

Chairman—I suggest you hold the milk payments and release the money to pay the salaries.

Secretary—It would not be much benefit now as the advice notes are made out, but the contractors could be informed of the position. He suggested a strong resolution to the Department dealing with the overdraft.

Mr. Cosgrave said they should not cry over the officials, he was 25 years an official and had to wait 3 months for his salary.

Chairman—I hold our first duty is to our officials.

Mr. O'Donovan—An overdraft will get over the whole thing.

Chairman—To my mind it is ridiculous to pay out money out of our funds for a scheme we did not ask for, especially when our finances are depleted, it is time to draw the line.

After further discussion, Mr. Cosgrave's resolution was put and passed.

Clerical Assistance. Arising out of the application of Mr. McGrath, Assistance Officer, Waterford, for clerical assistance, the Chairman said that one man who in the past assisted Mr. McGrath was now in receipt of 18/- a week. He suggested taking on this man and giving something extra.

Mr. O'Donovan referred to the number of societies in Waterford for the giving of relief, such as Home Assistance, the Labour Exchange, the St. Vincent de Paul and the Sisters of Charity, and said there was no doubt but that there is overlapping, but unless you had a fleet of detectives you could not find it out, as you have some very able dealers to deal with. He admitted Mr. McGrath required assistance, but he was of opinion that the Government should change the whole system.

The Board decided to employ a man named Carney for 3 months at £2 a week.

Medical Officer Appointed. For the position of M.O., Kilmacthomas Dispensary District, only one application was received, viz., that of Dr. J. C. Walsh, Bonmahon.

Mr. Coghlan—I have very great pleasure in proposing the appointment of Dr. Walsh, who is the M.O. of Bonmahon for a number of years.

Mr. Kiersey—I have great pleasure in seconding the resolution. Dr. Walsh has given the Board 14 years good service in Bonmahon and I hope he will be three times that number of years as our official in Kilmacthomas.

Messrs. O'Donovan, O'Donnell, Curran, and the Chairman, also paid tribute to Dr. Walsh, while an official of the Board.

Dr. Walsh, thanked the members for his appointment.

Superintendent's Report. Superintendent Phelan, reported on the difficulty of getting a quorum to transact the business of the Dungarvan Co. Home Committee, two meetings of which fell through recently for want of a quorum of three.

David Nash, Waterford, received assistance on representing that he had earned nothing during a week recently and it was later ascertained that he had earned £3 during that week.

Mr. Kiersey—Make the usual order.

Mr. O'Donovan asked if there was only one name mentioned, and said there are others as well as Mr. Nash. This is all political bias, and should not be tolerated.

Mr. Kiersey—As I happen to be the one who suggested taking the usual action in such cases, the action which I can assure the members that I had no political bias, and I will again move that the usual procedure be adopted.

Mr. Cosgrave opposed taking the usual procedure in this case. "It would take a lot of speech-making from my friend across the table" (meaning Mr. Kiersey) he said, to convince me it is not political bias. I will propose an amendment—that no action be taken."

Mr. Cosgrave then went on to explain that certain gentlemen were making enquiries at the offices about Mr. Nash and asked Mr. Phelan if such was not the case, and if he was prepared to give their names.

Mr. Caulfield said if any man went to draw Home Assistance and free milk after earning £3 that week, he would be severe on him even if he were his own brother. This man know more about the rules than any member of this Board and he should be shown that he could not fool the Chairman and members of this Board. This man was paid £3 on the 8th and went in for assistance on the 9th.

Mr. Cosgrave's amendment that no action be taken was lost by 8 votes to 5. The usual action is to be taken.

Notice Of Motion. Mr. Curran, moved the following notice of motion—"That the personnel of the Home Assistance Committee dealing with the West of the County be altered; and further that the date of meeting of the committee be fixed for the third Wednesday of each month."

Mr. Walsh, seconding, said that the days the meeting of the committee were held at present were most unsuitable.

The motion was carried unanimously.

Later, a deputation representing the unemployed appeared before the meet-

ing and protested against the changing of the personnel of the Assistance Committee.

The Chairman said the decision was arrived at by the Board and that the Board would not have any interference from outside sources.

Home Assistance. The Secretary reported the amount of Home Assistance paid during the month as £3,504 1s. 9d., for the preceding month the amount was £3,537 3s., and for the corresponding period last year £2,234 7s.

Stocktaking. For the position of Stocktaker at the Co. Hospital, Waterford, there were three names before the meeting, viz., Mr. J. Quinlan, C. Butler, and M. Lodge.

On a vote Mr. Quinlan was appointed by 7 votes; Mr. Butler 3 votes and Mr. Lodge, 2 votes.

Dungarvan—The appointment of Stocktaker at Dungarvan, resulted as follows—T. D. Smyth, 4 votes, T. Greany, 5 votes and L. Flynn, Ballymacnaghe, 7 votes.

Mr. Flynn was appointed.

Lismore—Mr. J. F. O'Donnell, was unanimously appointed stocktaker at Lismore.

Sympathy. On the proposition of the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Walsh, a vote of sympathy was passed to Mr. J. Butler (a member of the Board) on the recent death of his mother.

DEATH OF MR. M. HEARNE, SEAFIELD, BONMAHON.

Fortified by the rites of his Church, Mr. Michael Hearne, farmer, Seafield, Bonmahon, passed peacefully and resignedly into his eternal reward at 6 o'clock, a.m., on the 11th inst., after an illness of only a few days duration and at the comparatively early age of 40 years. Deceased was married in St. John's Church, Waterford, on the 1st inst., to Miss Johanna Nugent, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Nugent, Ballinakina, Waterford, and niece of Very Rev. James Nugent, P.P. Ring. On returning from the honeymoon, Mr. Hearne contracted a cold which rapidly developed into pneumonia, and though, medical attendance and nursing were provided, they could not avert the untimely end. He came from an old-established and highly-respected stock of the Decies, was a man of fine physique, possessed of a kindly and generous disposition which endeared him to all who knew him. An exemplary Catholic and a good neighbour, his demise in such tragic circumstances is deeply and deservedly regretted by innumerable friends. The remains, accompanied by the largest cortege seen locally for years, were removed to St. Anne's Church, Ballylancean, on Sunday evening. Arrived at the Church, Rev. T. O'Shea, C.C., recited the prayers for the dead, assisted by Very Rev. J. Nugent, P.P., Ring, and Rev. Fr. Murphy, C.C., do. Solemn Office and Requiem High Mass was offered up for the repose of deceased's soul on Monday morning. Fr. O'Shea, was celebrant, and the assisting clergy were—Very Rev. J. Lennon, P.P., Stradbally; Very Rev. J. Nugent, P.P., Ring; Very Rev. W. Kehoe, P.P., Killrosanty; Rev. M. Dowley, C.C., Kill; Rev. Fr. Walsh, C.C., Dunmore; Rev. P. O'Farrell, C.C., Stradbally; Rev. J. Harly, C.C., Fews; and Rev. L. Verker, C.C., Portlaur.

The interment took place afterwards in the adjoining cemetery, in the presence of hosts of relatives, friends and sympathisers. Fr. O'Shea officiated at the graveside, assisted by the other priests named.

The chief mourners were—Mrs. Hearne (widow); Mr. John Hearne, (brother); Mrs. M. McGrath, Grawn, (sister); Mr. M. Nugent, Ballinakina (father-in-law); Mrs. Nugent, do. (mother-in-law); Mrs. J. Hearne, Upper Ballylancean, (sister-in-law), etc. Numerous Mass cards, together with messages of sympathy were received.—R.I.P.

At the usual monthly meeting of the members of the Sacred Heart Confraternity, held in St. Anne's Church, Ballylancean, after the late Mass on Sunday, Very Rev. John Lennon, P.P. (Spiritual Director), paid a touching tribute to the memory of the late Mr. Hearne. "The late Michael Hearne was an exemplary Catholic and a model member of this Confraternity," said his reverence. "He was blessed with that easy, unassuming disposition frequently associated with ability and natural kindness of heart, and his passing at a comparatively early age forcibly reminds us of the truth of the phrase—"In the midst of life we are in death." I ask you to always remember him in your prayers. May his soul, and all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace."

FLU WIPES OUT FAMILY. A family at Callington, Cornwall, has been wiped out within two days by pneumonia following influenza.

CAPPOQUIN NOTES.

DEATH OF MRS E. MORRISSEY. We deeply regret to announce the death of Mrs. Ellen Morrissey, Corrochoe, Cappoquin, which occurred at an advanced age on last Sunday night. Deceased was a quiet and industrious lady, who was held in the highest respect by everyone in the Corrochoe district and far outside it. She reared a most honest and respectable family, one of her sons, Thomas, now filling an honoured and responsible position in New York, to whom he emigrated nearly 40 years ago.

His love for his mother was so great that he returned home specially to see her in 1924 and again in 1921, and great will be his grief now when he learns of the death of one who was such a loving and devoted mother to all the members of her family. To her absent son, as well as to all her relatives at home, the deepest sympathy of all will now be extended in their sad bereavement.

On Monday and Tuesday mornings Requiem Masses for the repose of deceased's soul were celebrated in her late residence, and on Tuesday afternoon, the funeral took place to Ballinakilla Cemetery and proved extremely large and representative, and a well-deserved tribute of public respect to the memory of a kindly and popular lady.

The Very Rev. J. Gleeson, P.P., Aglish, received the remains at the cemetery and recited the last prayers at the graveside.

The chief mourners were—John Morrissey (son); Mrs. B. Ronayne, Dromana Lodge, (daughter); Patrick Ronayne, do., (son-in-law) and children; Mrs. J. Morrissey, Corrochoe, (daughter-in-law); Robert and Mrs. Taylor, Villierstown; Michael and Mrs. Morrissey, do.; James and Declan Morrissey, do., etc., (cousins and relatives).—R.I.P.

A GENEROUS SPORTSMAN. At the annual Convention of the Waterford Co. Board, N.A. & C.A. which was held in the C.Y.M.S. Hall here on Monday night week, it was decided to hold an Inter-Club contest for Athletics and Cycling, confined to clubs in the Co. Waterford, early in the coming season.

Mr. M. J. Sargent, Cappoquin, offered to present a valuable Challenge Cup for this fixture, and the best thanks of all the Delegates present were voted to him for his great generosity on this occasion, as well as on several previous occasions where the interests of all classes of sport were concerned in the Co. Waterford.

Several Delegates paid a high tribute to the excellence of the fine track in the Cappoquin Sportsfield, and the boys were expressed that it would be possible to hold an important fixture of Inter-County Championships in this popular venue in the near future.

It was decided to open a Fund for the furtherance of Athletics and Cycling in the Co. Waterford, full details of which will appear later.

BACK FROM TOKIO. We have at present among us on a two-months holiday a popular and brilliant young townsman in the person of Mr. Jack Olden, who has just returned after an extensive voyage to Tokio (Japan), and also to China, as well as most of the important seaport cities and towns in the Far East.

Mr. Olden is son of Mr. John Olden, Draper, and brother of Mr. Thos. F. Olden, Hon. Sec., Cappoquin Rowing Club, and Mr. James P. Olden, Hon. Sec., C.Y.M.S., Cappoquin.

He has been a Wireless Operator in the Mercantile Marine Service for many years and in this capacity he has visited practically every Port in the Eastern and Western Hemispheres.

A gentleman of rare intelligence and a raconteur of a bright and breezy nature, his descriptions of his various travels and experiences are always a treat to listen to, and his descriptions of some of the horrible scenes which he witnessed of many public executions in Amoy, China, during his latest voyage, are lurid and hair-raising in the extreme, and he has brought back with him several gruesome souvenirs of some of the ghastly scenes enacted in the land of the Mandarins within the past couple of years. His numerous friends and admirers in Cappoquin now wish this popular and interesting young townsman a most enjoyable and pleasant holiday while he remains here, preparatory to starting on another long voyage to some of the most distant parts of the world.

A PRIVILEGED PIG. While a large number of fat pigs which arrived from Tullamore on Wednesday were being driven to the Bacon Factory for slaughter one of them, apparently more crafty than the rest, refused to walk with its mates, and an awkward situation was averted when a kindly-disposed gentleman placed his motor car at the disposal of the drover, and into this the obstinate porker was bodily lifted and seem-

DUNGARVAN URBAN COUNCIL.

Mr. M. J. Keane, Vice-Chairman, presided. Also present—Messrs. J. F. Moloney, J. Hackett, Mee. Griffin, B. Dee, T. McCarthy, T. Power.

Paysheet. The General A/c. amounting to £9 11s. 4d., was passed.

The band committee were given the use of the Hall, for the two nights, Feb. 21st and 22nd.

Dr. Casey, M.O., in his report stated that two swimming pools for the use of the children should be provided.

The doctor also reported on the housing conditions at Thompson's Lane, and stated that the residents of this quarter should be provided for in the new housing scheme.

Mr. McCarthy—No doubt the doctor is right.

Chairman—It is for you to say if you will make provisions in the new housing scheme for the residents of Thompson's Lane.

Mr. McCarthy—I think we decided to give Lord Edward Street, Wolfe Tone Street, Tom Moore Street and Boreenatra preference.

B.S.—The question of swimming pools was deferred to the quarterly meeting.

Mr. McCarthy—A deputation was appointed to inspect places likely to be suitable for swimming pools and the matter was discussed.

Mr. Griffin—Wasn't there some talk about covering in the railway bridge at Slanone?

Chairman—I think in view of the doctor's report we should look for a grant to carry out his recommendations.

It was decided to ask the Department to receive a deputation with a view to obtaining a grant for the carrying out of the M.O.'s recommendations.

A letter from the Department referring to defects in the New houses was referred to the B.S.

The B.S. said everything was ready in connection with the Housing Scheme, they were only waiting for a reply from the Department.

It was decided to call a special meeting if a reply was received before next meeting.

Housing Site Agreement. Mr. Williams, scrl., wrote enclosing the Agreement of Mr. Ryan and the Council re the Housing Site, which he stated he had enclosed for execution by the Council. A form of application for site division which Mr. Williams pointed out was necessary to have executed by the Council was also enclosed.

Both were signed.

Dredger. The Board of Public Works wrote requesting that the agreement regarding the hiring of the dredger for the month of March (which was sent last time) be returned.

The matter was adjourned to the Harbour Board meeting.

Acknowledgment. Mrs. Byrne, Mr. J. Butler and Mr. Christopher, wrote thanking the Council for the resolutions of sympathy.

Notes Of Sympathy. A vote of sympathy was passed to the relatives of the late Mr. P. Condon, N.T., and another to the Rev. Father Power, C.C., Abbesside, on the death of his father.

ed quite happy as it rested its nether end on the soft, comfortable cushions in the back seat. As the car with its unusual passenger passed out the other pigs the "gentleman" in the back seat loudly grunted his contempt for his less fortunate mates who were awkwardly ambling along on foot, and continued his progress in triumph to put an end to his grunting career. When we remember that Louis XI, the tyrant King of France, was dragged to the place of execution in a common cart amid the angry cries and execrations of an outraged people, this pig's journey to its doom was a qualified one in comparison, and we are re-informed that owing to its distinctive treatment on that occasion the price of the bacon produced from its carcase is expected to realise 1/- a lb. more than that of pigs brought to the Factory in a less respectable manner.

PRICE OF PIGS. The price of pigs at the Cappoquin Bacon Factory this week continued at the satisfactory figure of last week, 45/- per cwt., and a further increase may be looked forward to in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cobble, aged 78 and 63, died on Sunday within a few hours of one another. Their daughter, Bertha Cobble, aged 30, died on Monday. Father, mother, and daughter will be buried together to-day.

CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Editor "Dungarvan Observer."

A Chira—If there is one thing more than another of which there is no scarcity at present it is hypocrisy, and the Waterford County Council has more than its share of that commodity. The majority party in that body (the so-called Farmers' Party) are shedding crocodile tears during the past few months over the condition of the poor ratepayers. In view of those tears it may not be out of place to review the attitude of those gentlemen during the past few years towards these same ratepayers.

At the last two meetings of the council, some of the party made a great row because the Government aren't cutting down the salaries of the higher paid officials of the council of course the Government's blame for everything by those gentlemen because it is a Republican Government. They seem to have forgotten the fact that it was themselves who raised those salaries, and it isn't very long ago since they raised some of them. A little over two years ago it was proposed to increase the salary of one of those officials (his salary at that time was £600 per annum with other perquisites). The proposal was to increase his salary by annual increments of £20 until it reached £800. Strange to say, every member of the Farmers' Party present voted for the increase and he got it. Only seven members voted against it and none of them belonged to the Farmers' Party. About 1 1/2 years ago there was an election for rate collector for Lismore. There were three applicants for the job. One applicant offered to collect the rates at a poundage rate of 4d., another would collect for 6d., and a third wanted the standard rate of 7d. The 7d. man got the job, as in the other case, the Farmers' Party, with one or two exceptions, voted for him, although it meant having a man nearly twice as much as would pay the first applicant. Somebody might ask why this man got the job. Well, the only explanation I can offer is this. This man's family have been associated with the party for a long time, and of course when a friend wants a job the ratepayers are forgotten. There are a few other matters which I would like to refer to, but I don't want to trespass too much on your limited space.

Now those are the gentlemen who cut down the roads estimate at the last council meeting from £45,000 to £16,000 in the interest of the ratepayers' "morals" and of course the men who voted against it are put down as wasteful and enemies of the ratepayers, but I would like to point out to the ratepayers of the county, that the men who will be thrown out of work as a result of this action of the council must be kept, and if they don't get work they must get Home Assistance, and I think it would be better to pay them working and get value for their money than to pay it out in Home Assistance. The real reason for this action was to victimise the workers because they voted for the Government and throw them out of employment as they are dismissing their own agricultural workers and then blame the Government for the increased unemployment, but there is another reason—the local elections are due next June, and those gentlemen of the Farmers' Party must make a big show on behalf of the ratepayers. When the elections do come the ratepayers will have an opportunity of deciding whether such humbling is to go on or whether they will elect honest, broad-minded men who, while not forgetting the ratepayers' interests, will not forget at the same time that they have a duty to perform to the workers and the poor. Let us hope they will rise to the occasion.

PHILIP CUNNINGHAM, Co. Co. Ballyduff Upper.

ABOUT BIRDS.

R.7310.

To the Editor "Dungarvan Observer."

Sir—Those of your readers who are interested in birds are doubtless aware of the practice of attaching rings to the legs of birds for the purpose of tracing their migration. A few weeks (green gloves) was recently shot in this place bearing such a ring with the inscription, "Witberby, High Holborn, London, R.7310."

Realising that reference was made in H. F. Witberby, the well-known editor of "British Birds," I informed him of the find, and have now received from him the following courteous reply. I think it is worth publishing, as it may put Mr. Witberby into communication with sportsmen among your readers who may make similar finds, viz.: Address, 326 High Holborn, London, W.C. (1).—

"This lapwing was ringed at Redford, Strathgushey on 31st January, 1932, as a young bird."

"I must explain that many of the readers of my magazine are ringing all kinds of birds in this country. Every ring has a different number, and all details of date, place and season are carefully kept, so that whenever one of those birds turns up and the occurrence is reported we hope to learn a fact regarding the history of the bird. In time we hope by this means to obtain more exact knowledge of the movements and migrations of birds, whether they return to nest at the place of their birth, and so on."

"Should you hear of any more birds with rings I should be extremely obliged if you would let me have particulars of date and place where found, name of bird and number on ring, or better, send me the ring itself.—Yours faithfully,

"H. F. WITBERBY."

I may add that the number of last September of the "Irish Naturalists' Journal" (price 1s. 3d. Belfast) contains an article on "birds ringed in Denmark recovered in the British Isles" showing for migrating birds as lapwing, teal, woodcock and duck—out-maps of their migration on which are marked the places where ringed specimens turn up. Yours faithfully,

B. G. USSHER.

Cappagh, 13th February.



WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.
ROAD SCHEME ESTIMATE.
LETTER FROM L.G.D.
COUNCIL PASSES £30,000.
£15,000 REDUCTION ON LAST YEAR.

Following the receipt of a letter from the L. G. Department relative to the action of the Waterford County Council at its Special Road Scheme Meeting when no money was allocated for the coming year to the main roads of the county and only £16,000 to the mainroads. A special meeting of the Council was held on Tuesday last.

As on the previous occasion there was a large and representative deputation of Farmers present with Mr. N. Wall, T.D.

Mr. John Kiersey, Chairman, presided. The names of the members present will be found in the division lists below.

A Correction.

At the outset, Mr. Greene, referred to the minutes of the meeting of the 31st January, and said Mr. Butler did not leave the meeting as a protest against the action of the Council as recorded therein. It was only justice to Mr. Butler who wasn't now present to say so and have the matter set right.

The necessary correction of the minutes in that respect was made.

Sympathy.

Mr. Greene said they all deeply sympathised with Mr. Butler in his bereavement on the loss of his mother. Mr. Butler was for many years a member of the Council and was respected by every member as well as by the members of the other public bodies on which he sat. He proposed that the sympathy of the Council be extended to him in his loss.

Mr. O'Gorman, seconded and said Mr. Butler always did his duty fearlessly, well and honestly. He deserved all the sympathy they could give him.

Mr. O'Ryan—We are all anxious to be associated with that resolution.

The Chairman put the resolution, which was passed in silence, the members standing.

The following is the letter received from the L.G.D.:

Department's Letter.

The following is a copy of the letter received by the Secretary Co. Council, from the Secretary L.G.D., on the subject of Roads:

A Chara—I am directed by the Minister for Local Government and Public Health to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 21st ultimo (RS-24) from which it appears that the Waterford County Council have decided to make no provision in their rate estimate for the year 1933/34 for the upkeep of main roads; and to state that the Minister would be glad if the Council reconsidered the matter, and, to enable them to do so, he has assented to such departures as may be necessary from the rules and regulations of the Public Bodies Orders, 1925-1931.

Unless the Council reconsider the matter and vote a reasonable sum for the upkeep of the main roads, having regard to the proposals embodied in the Road Works Scheme by the Council's own technical adviser—the Co. Surveyor—it will not be possible to make a grant from the Road Fund to the Council for the ensuing financial year.

The County Surveyor's estimate for the upkeep of the main roads is over £38,000 and on the basis of a forty per cent. grant £15,000 would be borne by the Road Fund, leaving £23,000 to be raised by rate. The sum provided last year from rates for the upkeep of main roads was approximately £21,000 and, on the basis of present costs, at least that amount should be raised in the coming financial year.

It is also noted that although the Council passed £24,000 for County Roads last year, they have reduced the amount in the coming year to £16,000, the allocation of which is left to the County Surveyor. It is contrary to the terms of the Public Bodies Order, 1925 to deal with a Road Works Scheme in this way. The County Surveyor has already stated in the scheme what he considers to be the sum required for the repair of each road or group of roads which he has set out in the scheme, and the Council in dealing with the Surveyor's proposals are not entitled to bulk the matter and then leave it to the Co. Surveyor to spend the money as he thinks fit.

The Surveyor has clearly stated in his scheme the amount he requires, and the Council must decide similarly the amount which they are allowing in respect of each road. Furthermore, the County Surveyor has informed the Minister that the sum of £16,000 is totally inadequate to maintain the County Roads and that it is quite impossible to make a useful allocation of it.

The Minister regrets the action of the Council in this matter and he feels that in coming to the decision they had not fully appreciated or present to their minds their statutory obligations to maintain all main and county roads in their County, and that if they once let the roads out of repair or out of adequate repair the ratepayers of the County will ultimately incur a heavy financial loss.

The following notice of motion also appeared on the agenda:—
"That the order made at the special

meeting of the Co. Council on the 31st January, reducing the road expenditure for the year 1933-34, to £16,000 be rescinded, and that the whole question be reconsidered.—D. Heskin, T. Hartly, M. McGrath, L. Hallahan, J. Kiersey, J. Kirwan."

Chairman—This letter has been circulated to each member of the Council. On receipt of that letter the Secretary had it transmitted to me with a form to call a special meeting to deal with it. It was my duty as Chairman to see that each member was put in possession of the full facts and in order to clear the decks I thought it better that notice of motion should be given, to comply with our Standing Orders, to have the order made on the 31st January rescinded. To do otherwise would be to create a precedent. It is now in order to consider the letter of the L.G.D. and make whatever order you wish on it.

Mr. Greene—I have gone carefully into the letter of the Ministry and there is nothing mandatory in it except in reference to the allocation of the road estimate. Last year we left the allocation in Mr. Bowen's hands. This time two years we had a two-day meeting to allocate money for the roads and a most respected member nearly lost his life in consequence of the long sitting. He then proposed a resolution that the Council fix a special day to deal with the allocation of road funds, and that the order leaving the matter in the hands of the Co. Surveyor be rescinded.

Mr. O'Ryan—Wouldn't it be better to deal with the Minister's letter?

Mr. Greene—We are dealing with it.

Mr. O'Ryan—The Ministry point out that the amount allocated was ridiculously low.

Mr. Greene—The Minister does not say ridiculous.

Mr. O'Ryan—If it was only a matter of allocation there would be no Ministerial letter or the waiving of certain procedure which the Public Bodies Order make binding. That was due to the fact that in the opinion of the Ministry the amount allocated was ridiculous. To put the matter in order, I will move as on the last occasion that in order to give work to the people of the district who are in need of employment we allocate for the maintenance of the roads in the county this year the same amount as last year, viz., £45,000. He would suggest that more money be spent this year on the county roads as it would give more employment. It is a touchy matter as the amount of grant from the Ministry will depend on the amount they allocated to main and link roads.

Mr. O'Gorman—To discuss these matters the previous resolution should be rescinded. The allocation made the last day stands until it is rescinded.

Mr. Heskin—When the motion is signed by six members of the Council is not it automatically rescinded?

Chairman—No.

Mr. Heskin—I move the motion on the agenda to rescind the order made on the 31st ult.

Mr. Hallahan, seconded.

Chairman—If you don't pass the notice of motion the Ministerial letter goes by the Board.

The voting was as follows:—
For rescinding—Messrs. M. Curran, Hallahan, Keane, Heskin, O'Brien, McGrath, Halloran, O'Ryan, Cunningham, Heskin, N. Fitzgerald, Kiersey, Kirwan, Torpey, and W. Walsh—(15).

Against—Messrs. C. J. Curran, Greene, J. O'Donnell, W. O'Donnell, P. Fitzgerald, D. Coghlan, P. Power, Roche, O'Gorman, M. F. Walsh, O'Regan, and T. Power—(12).

The Chairman declared the motion carried by 15 to 12 votes.

Mr. O'Gorman—This is an exceptionally bad year. What is our present rate?

Secretary—The general rate is 10/6.

Mr. O'Gorman—That is a very high rate. The roads are the only things we have control over. We voted £16,000 for the Co. roads last year and nothing for the main roads and I think that was a mistake. We should have voted something.

Mr. Halloran—And only now you saw your mistake.

Mr. O'Gorman—I move we allocate £12,000 for the main roads. We want to reduce the rate by some means as the people are not able to pay it. Speaking as a trader myself, I am giving out meal, flour, etc., and I cannot get in my money, but I do not like to force the people as I know they are not able to pay. In the face of that how can we impose a further burden on them by increasing the rate this year? I am not able to bear it and I don't think anyone is so well off as to be able to bear it. The rents are to be halved and we should try and reduce the rates as well as the annuities. £12,000 for the main roads would be plenty as they are in very good condition. From Waterford City to the bounds of the Co. Cork they are a regular skating rink and they would not suffer much for one year. It is better to have the roads suffer than the people as they cannot bear it.

Mr. Heskin—What is the deficit in the estimate?

Secretary—The Co. Services are up

by £3,000; the Board of Assistance by £6,900 and the Board of Public Health by over £2,000 or £12,000 increase in all, and you must allow something for sudden damages.

Mr. Heskin proposed that the allocation be £30,000 for the roads—£16,000 for the Co. roads; £12,000 for main roads and the balance for contingencies.

Mr. O'Ryan—I move that we adopt last year's estimate for roads, viz., £45,000. It is no relief to the farmers to reduce the estimate for the roads by £10,000 or £15,000 and so throw men out of employment as these people come back to the Home Assistance offices and get assistance and you have to pay £13,000 or £14,000 more under that heading. It is better to give men employment than Home Assistance. You are doing a very dangerous thing by having young people going round idle and seeking Home Assistance in place of giving them work. After a time they will become a dangerous element in the community. Last year they had spent £9,000 over the estimate in Home Assistance. Now the farmers had their annuities reduced by half. On the last day a gentleman who spoke for the farmers showed what the rates were in 1914, and in 1932, but when asked his rent at that time and at present he didn't say what it was.

Mr. Greene—What did he get for his cattle?

Mr. O'Ryan said he spoke for a considerable body of the farmers and they were not prepared to let people starve but held that work should be given to them rather than have them become a danger in the district. In his area if the men did not get work on the roads they should get Home Assistance or else there would be ugly work in the country. In the name of commonsense let them spend money on employment and not on Home Assistance.

Chairman—Did not we increase the amount for County roads 2 years ago?

Mr. Bowen—Yes.

Mr. Greene—Last year we gave £21,000 for main roads and £24,000 for County roads.

As to the capacity of the ratepayers to pay, the Government had published statistics of Agriculture produce which were exported this time last year as value for £1,668,998 and this year as £667,748 a loss of £1,011,180. Their agricultural produce exported in January this year was only 1-3 of what it was in January 1932. At the same rate they would be £13,000,000 down in the year—half a million sterling for each of the 26 counties. In addition to the big financial loss they had to pay 5½ millions to England for the land annuities 1 million for expenses. The annuities were promised to be reduced by half. In addition to that we are handicapped by the non-payment of the Agricultural Grant which amounts to over £30,000.

Secretary—We got £8,273 yesterday out of £30,000.

Mr. Greene, continuing, said a lot of money was due to the Council under the Seed Scheme last year.

Secretary—You paid for the seed.

Mr. Greene—Has it been paid yet?

Secretary—Some of it.

Mr. Greene—That shows you the capacity of the ratepayers to pay. The capacity of the ratepayers at present is very limited and in addition there is thrown on his back the burden of the existing unemployment and what could the unfortunate employer do for his labourer when he was unable to pay.

Mr. Halloran—A member is only allowed five minutes to speak.

Mr. Greene—Are you afraid of what I am going to say?

Mr. O'Ryan said according to Mr. Thomas, the amount collected for the annuities by the tariffs was £1,800,000.

Mr. Roche said that Mr. O'Ryan claimed it was for the good of labour that the road rate should be as high as last year. Should not the Farmers be considered as employers and if the farmers were given more consideration they could employ more labour than at present. He (Mr. O'Ryan) also pointed out that the annuities were to be halved, but there was nothing about what the farmers lost by the tariff war. We are paying 40 per cent. tariff.

Mr. O'Ryan—What about the bounties?

Mr. J. O'Donnell—Stop all this.

Mr. Halloran—Is not Home Assistance up something like £6,900 over last year.

Chairman—The Board of Assistance would be £9,000 short on the 31st March and we made no provision for an increase in the estimate for the coming year.

Mr. Halloran said things did not look so bad now as they were from the farmer's point of view. If you see a dance advertised for the Town Hall or any other Hall, the girls come in all their finery and flimsy dresses (laughter). He proposed they strike a rate of £20,000 for main roads and £16,000 for County roads. If you don't strike something decent you will have more to be paid out in Home Assistance.

Mr. Cunningham—There is not one county in the 26 that reduced the road estimate. In fact some of them have increased them.

Mr. C. J. Curran—The rates in this County are on the average 2/- in the £, higher than in any county in the Free State. On the last day the Co. Surveyor said 2½ millions were raised from motor and petrol taxes, duty on parts, etc., and if that sum were divided among the 26 counties it would mean £96,000 per county. On the last day we went on the principle of getting the road fund grant unconditionally so as to help themselves. It was said they were trying to embarrass the Government. The farmers asked the Council not to embarrass them by asking them to pay a rate they are unable to meet. They were embarrassing

the farmer and if he be smashed so is the farmer depends the prosperity of the farmers depends the prosperity of the country as a whole. The calf worth £11 last year was hardly worth £5 10s. to-day.

Mr. Cunningham—That is all propaganda.

Mr. C. J. Curran—I never spoke propaganda in my life. It is the same with everything else. The horse worth £90 or £100 a year ago is not now worth £20. The state of Agriculture was serious for years, but the crash came with the tariffs. They could not now pay the rates they formerly paid. They should go on the principle that the road fund grant be given unconditionally and then they could settle the matter. No one wants to do anything to the poor, but to help them.

Mr. Cunningham—Why don't you practice what you preach?

Mr. Heskin said they had adopted a scheme to build 400 cottages in the County and that would involve a big expenditure spread over 3 years. Tenders had been accepted to erect cottages left out under previous schemes. These schemes would be a great relief to the ratepayers.

Mr. O'Ryan moved and Mr. Hallahan, seconded to allocate the same amount for roads as last year, viz., £45,000.

Mr. O'Gorman moved as an amendment that £12,000 be allocated for main roads and £18,000 for county roads. Mr. J. O'Donnell, seconded.

The voting on the amendment was: For—Messrs. M. Curran, T. Hartly, C. J. Curran, Stack, Greene, J. O'Donnell, P. Fitzgerald, Coghlan, W. O'Donnell, J. Power, Roche, Heskin, O'Gorman, M. F. Walsh, N. Fitzgerald, Kiersey, O'Regan and T. Power—(18).

Against—Messrs. Halloran, Keane, O'Brien, McGrath, Hallahan, O'Ryan, Cunningham, Kirwan, Torpey and W. Walsh—(10).

The amendment was carried.

Mr. Curran—Is there duty on tar?

Mr. Bowen—Not yet.

Mr. O'Ryan asked what the amount of grant would be on main roads?

Mr. Bowen—£7,333 would be a maintenance grant on your allocation. Last year the maintenance grant was £13,175. You will thus see the effect of the reduction. Last year's amount of the allocation was £30,642 more than this year which means the permanent disemployment of 250 men for the year.

Mr. O'Gorman—How much did we get for motor taxes last year.

Secretary—About £15,000.

Mr. O'Gorman—That should be used for the main roads.

Mr. Halloran—£20,000 for main roads will bring a grant of £13,000 to be had for nothing for the interest of the workers. He moved that they allocate £36,000 for the roads. That would bring the rates for this year to the same figure as last year.

Mr. Heskin—it wouldn't be to the advantage of the poor man to allocate too much money for the main roads. The best service they could render the poor man was to give more money to the county roads.

Mr. Halloran's amendment to have £36,000 allocated for roads was put to a vote and resulted as follows:—
For—Messrs. Halloran, Keane, O'Brien, McGrath, Hallahan, O'Ryan, Cunningham, Kirwan, Torpey and W. Walsh—(10).

Against—Messrs. M. Curran, Hartly, C. J. Curran, Stack, Greene, J. O'Donnell, P. Fitzgerald, W. O'Donnell, D. Coghlan, J. Power, Roche, Heskin, O'Gorman, M. F. Walsh, N. Fitzgerald, Kiersey, O'Regan and T. Power—(18).

The amendment was declared lost, and the original motion fixing the allocation at £12,000 for main roads and £18,000 for county roads was approved.

Mr. Halloran mentioned a road in the Youghal area which needed repair and suggested another road which could be left out this year.

As to the roads, the Chairman said the worst roads in the county were those which passed the homes of the Councillors (laughter).

Mr. Roche suggested a lower form of contract for many roads and advocated side cleaning and having water taken off them.

As to leaving the allocation for the county roads in the hands of the Co. Surveyor, Mr. Bowen said he would prefer the Council would assist him in its distribution.

Mr. O'Gorman—You can do it easily. Answering Mr. Roche, the Secretary said there would be an increase of £12,000 in the estimate due to the increased estimate of the Boards of Assistance and Health and County Services.

Ardmore Complaint.

Mr. P. O'Keefe, Secretary, Ardmore, F.F. Club wrote forwarding the following resolution, proposed and seconded by two of the principal ratepayers in the district and unanimously adopted:—"That we protest against the Co. Council giving the Board of Health authority to squander the ratepayers money on the ridiculous tomfoolery of boring expensive holes at the instigation of an individual posing as a magical water-diviner, pending a Public Inquiry into the merits of the case, which has been already requested."

A very exhaustive discussion took place before this resolution was adopted, and the consensus of opinion seemed to indicate that the present Co. Council of Waterford no longer either served the interests of the plain ratepayer or discharged a Council's duties with impartiality. Various instances were adduced in proof of this drastic conclusion of which evidence will be given at the proper Court.

The resolution was referred to the Board of Health.

Mr. O'Ryan—The best hutlers are on the fence.

Waterford Mental Hospital.

SHORTAGE OF WATER.

A serious shortage of water in the Waterford Mental Hospital was referred to by Dr. Fitzgerald, R.M.S., at the monthly meeting of the Committee of Management on Monday. The supply, he said, had been intermittently bad for several months past, and he could not understand it. The Corporation officials contended that nothing was being done to interfere with the supply, but at the same time whenever a complaint was made, the water then became satisfactory for a period of six or seven weeks. At present they were only getting sufficient water to enable them to carry on without doing half the bathing that was necessary, and the flushing of the lavatories was not done until one or two o'clock in the day. That was a serious matter where 200 or 300 patients were being looked after.

It was agreed that a check meter be procured in order to definitely ascertain whether the amount of water passing through the meter was delivered in the reservoir.

Dr. Fitzgerald further pointed out that the cost of water to the institution was the highest in all Ireland, without exception. The Waterford Hospital, was charged more than any other institution in the country, and they were using less water than they should. The consumption was only 37 gallons per head, while the average for a good hospital should be between 50 and 60 gallons per head per day.

When the Mayor remarked that many years ago the quantity was 25 gallons per head, Dr. Fitzgerald explained that that was in respect of public consumption, and at that time only about 10 per cent. of the people had baths. In institutions there were laundries also to be considered.

The Mayor declared that the water supply had been a bugbear to the Corporation for the last twenty years.

It was decided to draw the attention of the Corporation to the matter immediately.

GREAT VICTORY CELEBRATIONS IN CAPPOQUIN.

ENTHUSIASTIC SCENES.

Messrs. Sean Goulding, T.D., Mr. Mansfield and James Howlett, Fianna Fail Director of Elections for the Co. Waterford, visited Cappoquin on Saturday week, for the purpose of celebrating the recent victory at the polls at the recent election.

Their motor car was met about a mile outside the town on its way from Lismore by an immense procession of young men from Cappoquin and all the surrounding districts who were headed by the Villierstown Pipers' Band and a large number of torch-bearers, and on Mr. Goulding and party arriving at the spot, they were greeted with a wild storm of cheers and cries of "Up Dex," "Up Goulding," etc., and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed. Headed by the Band and torch-bearers, the procession then returned to Cappoquin and escorted Mr. Goulding's car through the principal streets of the town, where the already large gathering was further augmented by crowds of cheering people. Tar-barrels blazed at various points around the town, rockets were discharged at frequent intervals and the scene was one of the greatest enthusiasm everywhere.

Returning to the Square, a public meeting was held and was certainly attended by one of the largest gatherings seen in Cappoquin for years.

Mr. Thomas Kelleher, Cappoquin, presided, and in the course of a spirited opening address thanked the people of Cappoquin for their great support in the election, and said they had good reason to rejoice that night over the great victory which they had helped to win for President de Valera and the policy of Fianna Fail (loud cheers).

Vigorous and eloquent speeches were also delivered by Messrs. J. Howlett, Sean Goulding and Mr. Mansfield, in the course of which the various speakers warmly thanked their supporters and emphasised the great importance to the country of the return to power of President de Valera and the strong Party which he had now behind him. Loud and prolonged cheering, and the firing of rockets punctuated the speeches throughout, but beyond this, the greatest order prevailed, although the enthusiasm of the vast gathering knew no bounds.

For a considerable time after the meeting, the Band and torch-light procession paraded the streets and kept the town in an animated state far into the night, but it must be said that the general conduct of all was unusually orderly for such an enthusiastic crowd and the general organisation of the celebrations reflected much credit on the supporters of Fianna Fail in Cappoquin.

Similar celebrations had been held in Lismore the previous night, which were followed by a great "Victory Dance" in the Courthouse, which was very largely attended and which proved a great success.

Mr. O'Gorman—Mr. Keane is doing his best for the Ardmore people and he cannot satisfy them.

Mr. Halloran—There is no use in having an Engineer if everyone can do engineer for us.

CO. WATERFORD VOCATIONAL EDUCATION COMMITTEE.

Mr. M. F. Walsh, presided at the monthly meeting of the above on Tuesday. The others present were Messrs. M. Curran, M. J. Keane, and J. Halloran.

Financial Statement.

The Secretary reported that the balance to credit of the committee at January 31st. was £1,348 9s. 10d.

Cappoquin Technical School.

A letter from the Department of Education approving of the sketch plan submitted for the proposed New School at Cappoquin, and stating that detailed plan and specification may be prepared by the Architect.

Mr. Keane—Have you appointed an Architect?

Secretary—Yes. Mr. Bowen was appointed.

Chairman—What is the procedure now?

Secretary—To prepare and submit detailed plan and specification.

Dungarvan Technical School.

The Department also wrote approving of the proposal of the committee to purchase from Mrs. Dower, the site at Fair Lane, for the sum of £200, in connection with the erection of a new School.

Mr. T. C. Williams, solicitor, to the committee, also wrote stating that he hoped to be in a position to close the purchase of the Fair Lane site in about a week.

Both letters were considered satisfactory.

Kilmacthomas Site.

Mr. F. Boyle, Kilmacthomas, wrote offering to sell portion of an acre of his field at Kilmacthomas as a site for a school for £100.

Secretary—About a quarter acre.

Mr. Halloran—He is giving a great bargain.

Secretary—Will the committee make an offer.

Mr. Halloran—We should not at that price. I would leave the whole matter in abeyance until we get a proper offer.

After some more discussion, the Secretary was directed to communicate with Mr. Boyle and inform him that the committee considered the price asked outlandish.

Day Continuation Class.

The Secretary reported the successful opening of a Day Continuation class at Portlaw centre at which 12 boys and 12 girls attended on 5 days a week. A further set of Domestic Economy Equipment was required, and he suggested that an order to procure same be made by the committee. He wished to express his appreciation of the assistance rendered in the formation of the class by the Clergy and the co-operation received from the Nuns and the Teachers.

Chairman—What will this equipment cost?

Secretary—Between £40 and £50. In your scheme for next year you have made provision for the appointment of another Domestic Economy Instructor, and the equipment will then be required.

The committee approved of the purchase of the equipment.

Motor Engineering Classes.

In connection with the Committees decision at the last meeting to purchase an Acetylene Plant for the motor classes at Dungarvan, the Department wrote suggesting that the matter be postponed for the present until a more suitable building for the holding of the classes is procured.

'Carpenters & Joiners' Association.

The following letter was read:—Dear Sir,—The members of the above Society beg to return thanks to the Chairman and members of your committee, for their action on the resolution sent them, re the creation of the new Technical School. Yours faithfully, T. O'Mahony, Secretary.

Resolutions of sympathy were passed to the following, proposed by M. J. Keane, seconded by M. Curran:—"That we tender to the wife and relatives of the late Mr. P. Condon, N.T., our deepest sympathy, and that copies of this resolution be sent to Mrs. Condon and relatives."

Proposed by Mr. M. Curran, and seconded by Mr. M. J. Keane:—"That we tender to Mr. Butler, a member of this committee, our very sincere sympathy on the death of his Mother, and that copies of this resolution be sent to the members of the family."

The Chairman, and the C.E.O., on behalf of himself and the staff, desired to be associated with both resolutions which were passed in silence.

KILMACTHOMAS O.A.P. COMMITTEE.

Mr. John Kiersey, M.C.C., presided at a meeting of the Old Age Pensions Committee held in the Courthouse, Kilmacthomas. The other members present being—Messrs. D. Coghlan, M.C.C.; P. Kirwan, and T. Dowley. Messrs. D. Shinnick, P.O., Waterford; P. Keely, P.O., Dungarvan, and P. Lawlor, Clerk to local committee, were also in attendance. The majority of a big number of claims from the Dunhill and Kill districts were on being duly considered recommended for pensions.

Landlady (of a lodger):

KILMATHOMAS NEWS.

FIFTY YEARS AGO. Here are two items from a copy of a Waterford newspaper dated February 9th, 1883:— (1) "The Mayor presented the Shipwrecked Mariners' Society's medals in the courthouse to-day to Captain John Coffey, of s.s. Comeragh, and Mr. Nicholas Sinnott, chief officer of Comeragh, with 42 each to the boat's crew that saved the crew of four men of the sinking schooner Milbay of Dungarvan, on September 2nd, 1882, near the Tuskar during a gale of wind and a very high sea."

NOTE BENE. Elsewhere on this copy appears a highly interesting advt. from the well-known firm of family victuallers and grocers, Messrs. D. O'Reilly and Sons, Kilmathomas, the quality of whose goods rank second to none, and whose keen-cut prices should appeal to all thrifty persons who make economy the keynote of their spending. Please peruse the advt.

ACTIVITIES OF LOCAL F.F. CLUBS. A vote of congratulation to President de Valera on his re-election was passed by Ballyvaughan Cumann, on the motion of Mr. M. Power, Mr. E. Kiely presiding. The Cumann also congratulated the senior deputy for the constituency, Mr. P. J. Little, on his appointment as a Parliamentary Secretary; called upon the Government to introduce legislation whereby any member of the Freemason organisation will be ineligible to be a Teachta of this Catholic State; requesting Waterford County Council and Board of Health to put into operation at once the new Housing Bill; appealing to all farmers and cottagers to grow more fruits and vegetables; asking the Government to reinstate Mr. John Keily, Ballynabonogue North, Kilmathomas, to his old farmstead at Lifemul, Dungarvan, and to compensate for the many hardships he has endured as a result of his exceptionally harsh eviction therefrom on March 8, 1886. Messrs. M. Brett, J. Power and M. Keane were the proposers of the notices.

Lighted tar barrels and a torchlight procession were features of a monster victory demonstration (under the auspices of the local Cumann) held at Newtown. As the procession paraded the village loud cheers were raised for President de Valera, and several rebel songs were sung by all participating.

Amid sustained applause a resolution extending to President de Valera heartiest congratulations on his re-election as head of the Executive Council, was unanimously passed at a largely attended meeting of the Faha Fianna Fala Cumann, Mr. T. Fower (president) in the chair.

Kilrossanty Fife and Drum Band (in charge of Messrs. John and Michael Keating, brothers of the late Comanants Pat and Thomas Keating, I.R.A.) led a procession through Kilmathomas to celebrate the re-election of President de Valera. The demonstration was most enthusiastic.

Upwards of 150 couples were present at a Victory Ceilidh held in the Fairgreen Hall, Kilmathomas, on last Sunday night, the eclectic event being one of the most enjoyable ever brought off in the Mahon-kissed town. The catering, in charge of Mrs. P. Flynn, of the local cafe, was all that could possibly be desired.

Seventy-seven torch-bearers and upwards of 400 people marched in a Fianna Fala procession in Comeragh Valley on last Sunday night to celebrate Mr. Eamonn de Valera's re-election as President of the Irish Free State. The procession was formed in near Kilrossanty National School, and headed by the local band, marched to Lennybrien, where a huge crowd assembled round a platform and great enthusiasm prevailed. A notable feature of the procession was the large contingents that came from the adjoining districts—Mabonbridge, Faha, Strahally, Durrrow, Ballykerogue, Ballymarker, The Pike, etc. Stirring addresses were delivered by Messrs. T. J. Power (hon. treasurer Kilrossanty Cumann) and Sean Kirwan (hon. sec., do.). "We have a Government who will secure and provide work for all, and encourage thrift, prosperity and pride in the country's welfare." This remark by Mr. Power evoked loud and prolonged applause. Mr. Kirwan concluded an eloquent oration by calling for three cheers for President de Valera. The call was justly responded to, and the proceedings terminated with the singing of the National Anthem. Messages were read from Messrs. Sean Goulding, T.D.; Michael Mansfield and Senator Wm. Burke, regretting their inability to attend the meeting.

G.A.A. On to-morrow (Sunday) the semi-final of the local Medal Hurling Tournament will be played off at the Cloney-Power Gaelic Sportsfield, the contesting units being Cloney-Power and the Maurice Davin's (Carrick-on-Suir). As both fifteens have been specially training for this encounter for some time past, and with their respective camp followers equally confident of qualifying for the final against Mount Sion (Waterford), a tip-top exhibition of the grand old National code is assured. The committee of the home club have the venue in pit-pat trim for the fray, and a big attendance of spectators is confidently anticipated. We learn that the game will start punctually at 3 o'clock p.m., with Mr. Willie Flynn (hon. sec. Cloney H.C.) in charge of the siren.

HORSE CLIPPERS. WE have imported a direct consignment from France. We consider these Horse Clippers the finest in the world and each and every Clipper is fully guaranteed and will be exchanged if not thoroughly satisfactory in every way. Owing to the big consignment we have purchased, we are in a position to offer these Clippers at the following prices:—4/9; 6/6; and 8/6 each. We are offering power Clippers very much under last season's prices.

HARPUR BROS., Ironmongers, 48, The Quay, WATERFORD.

ATHLETICS.

N.A. AND C.A. WATERFORD COUNTY BOARD. ANNUAL CONVENTION.

The annual Convention of Cycling and Athletic Clubs attached to the Waterford County Board of the National Athletic and Cycling Association of Ireland took place in the C.Y.M. Hall, Cappoquin, Mr. M. F. Walsh, M.C.C., vice-president, presided, and amongst those present were the following:—

Kilmathomas—Messrs Percy Kirwan, vice-president, and A. J. McCormack. Dungarvan—Messrs. W. J. Nolan and A. Power. Cappoquin—Messrs. M. J. Sargent, J. V. Conway, and P. Mullane, etc.

The following officers were re-elected for the coming season—President, Chief Supt. J. J. Murphy, G.S.; Waterford: vice-presidents, Messrs. Peter O'Connor, Waterford; M. F. Walsh, Co. C. Cappoquin; and Percy Kirwan, Kilmathomas; hon. sec. and treasurer, Mr. W. J. Nolan, Dungarvan; delegates to Munster Council, Messrs. W. J. Nolan, M. J. Sargent, and M. F. Walsh; delegates to National Congress, Messrs. W. J. Nolan and P. Kirwan.

The Chairman, having thanked the delegates for their attendance, said the history of athletics and cycling in Co. Waterford during the past three seasons shows what has been done and also what can be done for the promotion of athletics in our county. The Secretary's report says:—"In 1930, for the first time in our history, we had a County Board consisting of three clubs (the smallest number allowed by the rules). In 1931, for various causes, we had no County Board. This placed us in the humiliating position that Waterford was the only county in Munster not represented in the onward march of the athletic movement. Last season a Board was again formed consisting of the affiliated clubs Waterford (Garda, Kilmathomas, Dungarvan, Cappoquin), and Tallow, and very successful sports were held at the following centres—Cappoquin (two meetings), Lismore, Kinsalebeg; and for the first time since 1929 a team of athletes and cyclists represented Waterford in the Munster Inter-County Championships at Clonmel. It was at the last moment and without any funds that a few Co. Waterford sportsmen decided that we should be represented, and although we only took fifth place, the results were in some ways nothing short of wonderful. In the hurdles our man got third place to Tisdall, the world's champion, and Phelan, the Irish champion. In the quarter-mile our representative was only beaten by O'Sullivan, Irish champion, and Tisdall, who was second. In his favourite event, the half-mile flat, our representative, "Sonny" McStrath, was a good second to the Irish champion, J. J. O'Sullivan of University College, Cork. Another of our team, Tom Power, D.M.G.A.C., was third to Dr. O'Callaghan and Kennedy of Tipperary in the 100 lbs. shot with a throw that would have won this event in Ulster, Leinster or Connaught. As this Co. Waterford team was drawn entirely from the western half of our county, it is clear to be seen that our athletic talent only needs to be encouraged and developed along the proper lines. In the matter of cycling, Waterford City, once a famous cycling centre, does not contain a single racing cyclist, although we have the finest and widest roads in Munster. In order to encourage this branch of sport we brought off several cycle road races last season. They were a great success and helped to introduce some promising novices who are bound to be heard of during the coming season."

The balance sheet showed that a debt of £3 2s. 6d. due to the Munster Council had been cleared by cheque at the end of the year. The County Board balance sheet at the same date showing a debtor balance of only £3 7s. 6d.

On the motion of Mr. Kirwan, seconded by Mr. Sargent, a very hearty vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Nolan for his annual report and balance sheet.

Mr. Nolan, in reply, thanked the various delegates who had helped him during the past season. It was a pleasure to be associated with such a fine body of sportsmen whose one desire seemed to be the welfare of their county.

AFTER FARROWING. SOWS OFF FOOD.

Many pig-owners worry because a sow shows no inclination to eat for some considerable time after farrowing. There is nothing to be gained by trying to force the animal to eat. A sow in good flesh will frequently show no signs of hunger for twenty-four hours or more after farrowing. It most cases a drink is needed more than food, and should always be offered, but no starch need be fed if it is refused. The slightly sickly feeling which the sow experiences soon disappears when a healthy animal is concerned, and she is ready for her meals again as usual. She should not be given extra rich food a day or two after farrowing, with the idea of keeping up her flesh should she have a large litter, and still less if she has been rather poor during pregnancy. Such a change of diet often works great mischief. Regular feeding, it should always be remembered, is worth any amount of irregular treatment and sudden deviations from the usual course of things at more or less critical times is to be discouraged.

FOUR THINGS TO AVOID.

1. Avoid throwing the food on the ground; it is wasteful and dangerous and disease is often spread in this way. Give the food in troughs or pans, and take up what is left when the fowl have finished.

2. Avoid overfeeding—allowing the fowl to get into an overfat condition. This is generally caused by unsuitable food, such as constant feeding on Indian meal and potatoes. Give the fowl one meal of grain in the day and scatter it in a sheltered place, where the birds will have to exercise themselves to find it; give the other meals of soft food, which may consist of a mixture of bran, pollard, Indian meal, crushed oats; small wheat, fish-meal, vegetables, etc.

3. In the spring and early summer avoid feeding the young fowl with the old birds—the result being that the old ones are overfed, and the young ones don't get enough.

4. Avoid allowing the fowl to drink out of dirty pools. Cover up the dirty pools and give the fowl clean water in a trough or basin.

Alleged Fratricide

COUNTY WATERFORD SOLDIER CHARGED AT GALWAY.

On Thursday last the hearing of the charge of murdering his brother brought against Wm. Walsh, a private in Renuore Barracks, Galway, and a native of Kilmay, was resumed. Patrick Walsh, a builder's labourer was murdered in Galway on October 5th.

Dr. T. Walsh, pathologist, Galway Central Hospital, deposed he held a post-mortem examination on the body of Patrick Walsh. On external examination he found a deep branched cut over the left eye, splitting the eyebrow vertically and horizontally, a large bruise behind and above the left ear, various abrasions on the body, several scrapes over the right knee cap, two deep abrasions over the left iliac crest—the skin was removed over a small area—scrapes on the left hand, on the thumb, wrist, and right finger, one large abrasion covering most of the surface of the left cheek, especially marked over the cheek bone and extending to the side of the nose, another scrape on the left side of the chin, and a few slight scratches on the right forehead.

Witness removed the skull cap and exposed the bones of the skull and brain. Behind the left ear, under the bruise in the position the skull bone was broken right through. There was an effusion of blood both outside under the skin and inside in the brain cavity. The blood inside had clotted. There was a good deal of liquid blood in the brain cavity. He considered that death was due to fracture of the skull and consequent pressure on the brain.

To Mr. O'Dea (for the defence)—The whole left side of the face was scraped. At the time it appeared to him the scrapes were caused by rubbing against something. He could not say clearly that the scrapes on the back of the hand were caused by the man trying to save himself from falling. If he fell with sufficient force on to the stone under the bridge it might cause a fracture of the skull. Over the hip there was a long scratch and a triangular piece punched out, but the wound was not deep. The surface of the skin was nipped out; it was just skin deep and would not even cause momentary disability to a man. The wound was anything from one to three days old. The thickest part of the skull bone was broken through, and it was his opinion that a man would have been stunned by the blow which broke the skull and would not be able to walk 300 or 500 yards and back. The fracture was caused by a blow or a fall. There is a wire at the right of the path at the bridge and there is also a wire between the path and the railway line at the left.

To Mr. Kelly—Superintendent Hunt showed him a hole in the trousers of the deceased which he suggested corresponded to the abrasion on the hip. Witness did not have an opportunity of examining the trousers on the body to see if the cuts corresponded or not.

Guard Manning deposed that on October 8th he went to the Central Hospital, Galway, and Nurse Lee handed over a grey trousers, one coat, two army grey shirts, one white tennis shirt, one pair of grey socks, and one pair of brown boots to him. All the shirts were cut up the centre in front with a scissor. Witness handed these articles over to the Superintendent at the barracks.

Supt. Hunt deposed that in consequence of a report made to him on October 7th he went to the scene about 11.15 a.m. Sergt. Devoy accompanied him. Under the bridge he saw a quantity of blood and what appeared to be vomit. The body of the injured man had been taken away when witness reached the place. He examined the bridge overhead, but could find no signs of any struggle having taken place in the vicinity. He could find no trace or sign which would indicate that any person had fallen over or slipped over. On October 9th he saw the trousers produced and found a cut on them. On the following day with Sergt. Lawlor he saw the three shirts with a cut on them which would correspond with the cut on the trousers. He was also shown by Detective Sergeant Lawlor a quantity of what appeared to be vomit in the grass about 21 feet from where he saw the vomit and blood under the bridge in the direction of the path which leads up along the railway line to Renuore barracks.

On October 12th he saw the accused, Wm. Walsh, at Eglinton Street Barracks. Witness told him he was going to put some questions about his own movements and the movements of the deceased on the night of October 5th. He gave accused the usual legal caution. Witness wrote the answer to every question that he put and wrote it down in accused's own words. When he had completed the statement witness read it over and accused signed it.

Mr. O'Dea objected to the statement being put in evidence as the statement was made in answer to questions.

Adjourned.

Important Announcement.

JAMES KIELY, COACHBUILDER AND FUNERAL UNDERTAKER.

OAK, ELM AND DEAL COFFINS KEPT IN STOCK AND SUPPLIED AT SHORTEST NOTICE.

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PLEASE US A CALL BEFORE GOING ELSEWHERE. Please Note Address:—

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WALLPAPERS.

OUR 1933 Stocks in Wallpapers have now arrived, and we are showing a wonderful range of designs, at tempting prices. We have at least 500 different patterns in the newest and most artistic colourings, and have new patterns arriving every day. All the newest shades in Distempers, Ready mixed Paints, Varnish Paints, Stains, Enamels, Stainoleum, Varnish, etc. All at old prices.

HARPUR BROS., Ironmongers, 48, The Quay, WATERFORD.

Waterford County Committee of Agriculture, PREMIUMS TO BULLS, 1933.

The County Waterford Committee of Agriculture invite applications from persons intending to compete for Premiums to Bulls under the conditions set forth in the Department's Live Stock Schemes 1933 and who are prepared to purchase or exhibit such Animals at any of the following Spring Shows or Sales approved by the Department:—

February 22nd and 23rd—Cork Munster Agricultural Society's Sale. March 8th, 8th, and 9th—Dublin—Royal Dublin Society's Bull Sale. March 14th—Waterford—Irish Dairy Shorthorn Breeders' Society's Sale. March 21st—Cork—Messrs. Marsh and Son's Sale.

The Premiums will be as follows:— Pure-bred Registered Dairy Bulls (Class A) £20. Pure-bred Registered Dairy Bulls (Class B) £16. Half-bred Registered Dairy Bulls £18. Pure-bred Shorthorn Bulls £15. Aberdeen Angus and Hereford Bulls £15. The Committee require all Applicants for Premiums to deposit with their applications £2, such deposit to be refunded in case the Applicant is not selected by the Committee or if he procures a Premium Bull. In the event of an Applicant failing to procure a Premium Bull, the deposit so made shall be forfeited. Applications on Forms, which may be had from the undersigned, will be considered at a Meeting of the Committee to be held on the 18th February, 1933. J. O'DWYER, Secretary to Committee. Offices—Courthouse, Dungarvan.

Opening Announcement.

J. COFFEY & E. BERESFORD. Beg to inform their Friends and the General Public that they have now OPENED an

Outfitting Warehouse, At 46 Main St., Dungarvan.

They wish to assure all Patrons of the Best Value at the Lowest Prices.

Special Prices for Beds and Bedding (Duty Free).

Very Strong Iron Bedsteads, full size, 18s. 6d. each. Large Brass-rail Bedsteads, 20s. 6d. each. Very Massive Brass-rail Bedsteads, extra large size, 38s. 6d. each. Best Quality Fibre Mattresses, guaranteed all pure Fibre, 10s. 6d., 15s. 6d., and 22s. 6d. each. Guaranteed Pure Hair Mattresses, 25s. 6d., 32s. 6d., and 38s. 6d. each. Extra Strong Trolley-woven Wire Mattresses, with heavy double wire bands, 25s. 6d., 28s. 6d., and 29s. 6d. each. Strong Windsor Chairs, 3s. 11d. and 4s. 11d. each. Special Austrian Benwood Chairs, 7s. 9d. each. Special Little Strong Servant's Bedstead, complete with strong Spring Mattress, 17s. 6d.

HARPUR BROS., IRONMONGERS, 48 The Quay, WATERFORD.

THE BROOD SOW. FATTENING TABLE BIRDS.

SELECT FROM SPRING LITTERS. For commercial purposes purity of breed is not considered so essential in the sow as with the boar, but pig breeders cannot be too strongly urged to keep for breeding only those sows that are the product of prolific, good-tempered and free-sucking dams. They should be selected, if possible, from spring litters, as young sows will, as a rule, grow and develop better in summer than in winter, and will be ready to produce their first litter in the following spring. Too much attention cannot be paid to these important points. Some breeders prefer to mate the maiden sow at five or six months old, contending that if left until a later age she is apt to develop flesh. Generally speaking, however, it is better to wait until she is eight months old; she will then have her first litter when about 12 months of age. Experienced pig-raisers have observed that the progeny of sows that farrow large litters of even-sized pigs fatten most quickly and require less food for a given increase in weight, and that the progeny of the more lusty, muscular sows that are usually in good condition grow and thrive better than the pigs of smaller litters from weakly and delicate sows. Matured, good-sized sows will generally produce larger and more pigs that will young or small sows. It is, perhaps, on the whole, best to fatten off the average sow after her third or fourth litter, but many sows may profitably be kept considerably longer. The system of killing off young pigs makes it impossible to improve the stock of pigs by reserving the future breeding stock from the litters of the sows that have proved themselves to be superior milkers and the most prolific. These are two qualities of the greatest importance, which can only be discovered after two or three litters have been obtained from the sow.

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With regard to plucking, chickens should be plucked immediately after killing, but with ducks it is better to wait until they have been dead half an hour. Chickens are better plucked dry, ducks may be dipped into hot (not boiling) water, and allowed to remain for twenty seconds. Then, if the water has been allowed to penetrate right down to the skin, the feathers come out easily.

WHO SAYS THE BIBLE IS A BACK NUMBER? A spiritual quotation is featured in a whole page linen advertisement in a New York daily. There is this large display assertion:—"The use of linen for apparel goes back to the beginnings of recorded history. Exodus 28:42—'And, thou shalt make them Linen Breeches to cover their nakedness.'"

TWO GUINEAS FOR 1d. A Kilkenny halfpenny dated 1642 was sold by Denis Holt, a Kilrossanty farmer, to a collector yesterday for two guineas. It is an irregular-shaped piece of copper, very thin, and almost resembles the contour of Ireland.

HARPUR BROS., Ironmongers, 48, The Quay, WATERFORD.

USE LUMINOUS POLISHES FOR Shining & Waterproofing Your Boots & Shoes; Also for Furniture, Lino, Floors, etc. Prices—2d., 3d., 6d. and 1s. Made in Waterford.

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Eswick Cycles. Chromium Plating, Large Saddle, Dunlop Tyres, Bag, Tools & Reflector complete. CASH PRICE £4-7-6. W & A J. FOWKES, CYCLE DEALERS, YOUGHAL.

H. COWARD & SONS, Foundry and Engineering Works. Castings of all Descriptions made. Agricultural Machinery Repaired. Acetylene Welding. MOTOR LORRIES FOR HIRE ANY DISTANCE. Stephen Street Dungarvan.

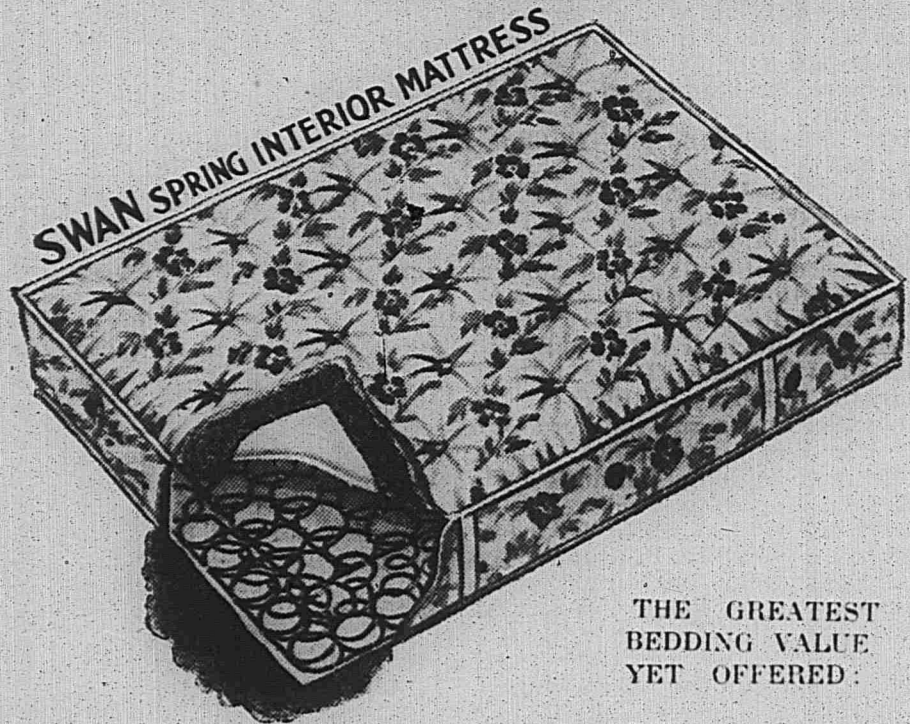
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WILLIAM POWER, St. Mary St., Dungarvan. THE HOUSE FOR BEST VALUE. Boots from our Irish Factories! AT LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES. I INVITE YOU TO CALL AND SEE MY HUGE STOCK. THIS IS THE TIME TO SECURE YOUR MONEY'S WORTH. AVOID DUTY AND ENCOURAGE IRISH LABOUR! HILL'S NEW GOLDEN RAISIN CAKES ARE DELICIOUS.



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THE GREATEST BEDDING VALUE YET OFFERED:

Spring Interior Mattress.

The Swan Mattress exquisitely soft, built for joyous rest. A Mattress in which you can be in glorious relaxation, enjoying sound, health-giving sleep. The Swan is so constructed as to give a lifetime of service, and each Mattress carries with it a special guarantee. Prices range from £3 10s to £10 10s.

Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson & Co., Ltd.
Waterford.

LYNCH BROS., WATERFORD

Great 14 Days' Sale Of All Remaining Winter Stocks.

Sweeping Reductions in all Departments.

All remaining Winter Millinery now marked less than half cost prices. Great Reductions in Winter Coats, Cardigans, Jumpers, Furs, Blankets, Quilts, Flannels, Men's, Overcoats, Suits, Shirts, Hosiery, Boys' and Youths' Suits and Overcoats all marked down in price. Now is your time to save money.

LYNCH BROS.,
Michael Street, Waterford.

Waterford County Board of Public Health.

COTTAGE SCHEME.

Mr. John Kiersey presided at the meeting of the above on Saturday. Also present—Messrs. M. Curran, Mee, Keane, W. Stack and D. Heskin.

The Secretary reported:—As the carrying out of the scheme of cottages now proposed will involve a large increase in the amount of clerical work in my office which the ordinary staff will not be able to cope with, temporary assistance will have to be obtained for short periods from time to time in order to ensure that the progress of the scheme will not be unduly delayed, and I would therefore be glad to have the authority of the Board to employ a temporary assistant on the usual conditions, viz.—£2 10s. per week whenever I find one is necessary for this purpose.

Order—Approved, subject to the sanction of the Minister for Local Government and Public Health.

Mr. Jephson, C.E., forwarded certificates for payment for repairs to cottages, the cost of which had exceeded the estimate, as did also Mr. Spreadborough, C.E.

Mr. Thomas Griffin, Ballinaspock, Lismore, wrote with reference to the cottage occupied by him at Ballinaspock, stating that the plot of ground on which the cottage stands is too small, being only half an acre, and applying for an extra half acre adjoining the plot in the lands of Sean O'Farrell. Order—Refused.

Mr. Thomas Noonan, tenant of cottage No. 15 at Toureigh, wrote applying for a fire machine for his cottage, and stating that the engineer had seen the necessity for it. Order—Consideration adjourned for engineer's report.

Mr. Mary Mahony, tenant of cottage No. 88 at Knockanagown, wrote applying to have the tenancy of her cottage transferred to her son, Patk. Lenane, who was recently married, as her own health and sight are failing. Order—That cottage be let to Patrick Lenane.

CONSIDERATION OF REPRESENTATIONS.
The board proceeded to consider the representations received under the Labourers Acts, and they had before them the reports of the various

sub-committees in the matter, whose recommendations they approved of with few exceptions. The following resolution was proposed by Mr. Michael Curran, seconded by Mr. John Kiersey, and passed:—The Board of Public Health having considered the representations lodged with them under the Labourers Acts, 1883 to 1931 and the reports of the sub-committees regarding them, are satisfied that the state of things complained of therein cannot be effectually remedied otherwise than by an improvement scheme in pursuance of the said Acts, and that an improvement scheme should be made in respect of the county health district making provision for 400 cottages with plots not exceeding one acre attached for the applicants selected by the board this day. That Sites Committees consisting of the County Councillors representing each electoral area be appointed in conjunction with the engineer for the selection of the sites, and that they be requested to furnish their report as early as possible.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.

The following tenders for the building of cottages were accepted subject to the terms of the board's advertisement:—At Clashnadarriv, John McGrath, Churchquarter, £280; at Knockalara, John McGrath, Churchquarter, £280; at Shanavola, Patrick O'Connell, Lismore, £237 10s.

A further tender was received for five cottages, but the amount being in excess of the engineer's estimate, it was decided to re-advertise for contractors for these as well as the other cottages in respect of which no tenders had been received.

SYMPATHY.

Mr. Kiersey moved a resolution of sympathy with their colleague, Mr. John Butler, on the death of his mother.

Mr. M. Curran seconded, and the resolution was passed in silence.

WATER RENTS.

The notice standing in the name of Mr. Butler was moved by Mr. Kiersey. It was:—That the resolution passed on December 10th last regarding the water rents payable by the consumers on the Ballyduff water supply be rescinded, and that the charges for domestic and cattle supplies as existing on the 30th September last be reduced by 25 per cent, with the exception of the Carriglea institution and those cases that are governed by agreements, the reduction to date from beginning of the current half year.

Mr. Stack seconded, and the resolution was passed.

SPRING MILLINERY.

We have now received the advance deliveries of New Spring Millinery, and invite inspection of the Latest Models.

There are many chic designs and prices are on a very moderate scale.

SEE THE "RESLAW" AND OTHER LATEST LONDON STYLES.

W. & G. Hadden, Ltd.,
Main Street, DUNGARVAN.

AT LAWN'S

Our Winter Sale NOW ON

Will be the Biggest Price-Cutting Sale on record.

To make room for New season's Goods. Stocks must be cleared.

Visit the various Departments and see for Yourself.

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NOTICE.

J. O'CONNOR AND SONS, CAPPOQUIN, WILL ATTEND DUNGARVAN MARKET ON TUESDAY, AND PAY HIGHEST PRICES FOR EGGS AND POULTRY.

Dress the Barker Way
The smartest clothes
Are yours to-day
Little to deposit and
Months to pay.

Send Ad. in stamps to: S. M. Barker, Ltd., Dept. 6, 101 Talbot Street, Dublin.

For a new Winter Catalogue and full particulars of Free Offers.

TOURNORE, DUNGARVAN

TO BE LET BY PRIVATE TREATY—28 Acres of the well-known fattening lands of Tournore, Dungarvan, for 11 months, well sheltered, fenced and watered. Apply Hayes & Sons, Auctioneers, Dungarvan.

TO LET—24 Acres Prime Grazing Land for 11 months, well watered and fenced. Apply (Miss) N. Casey, Ballyduff, Dungarvan.

WANTED—Male Teacher as Principal, Whitechurch mixed school. Apply J. Gleeson, P.P., Aglish.
FOR SALE—Glass Counter Case, 6ft. long. For particulars apply Y this Office.

WEST WATERFORD HUNT.

POINT-TO-POINT RACES.

Will be held at LISNAKILL (Five miles from Waterford City) ON THURSDAY, 2nd MARCH, 1933.

FIRST RACE AT 2.30 p.m.

HUNT RED COAT RACE (Confined). Open Heavy-weight 14st. Stake £25.

OPEN FARMERS' AND SPORTSMEN'S PLATE, 12 st. Stake, £25.

OPEN COBS' RACE, 10st. Stake, £15.

FARMERS' RACE (Confined). Silver Cup, £20 to Winner; £3 to Second, and £2 to Third.

Entries close at noon on MONDAY, 27th FEBRUARY, 1933, with

MAJOR R. H. CAREW,
Ballinacorney Park, Waterford.

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte Hatching eggs, large egg-strain. Sired by Cockerels bred from dams with records 231 to 251 first grade eggs. Daughters of 2nd prize and Silver Medal winners Northern Laying test, Dept. Station. Price 1/6 per dozen; also Khaki Campbell Duck eggs and pure-bred A.B. Turkey Cock kept. Apply M. O'Brien, Killrush Cottage, Dungarvan.

NOTICE—THE Lands of Ballymacarl, Old Parish, in my possession, are poisoned for the protection of sheep. Trespassers will be prosecuted.—Garret Nugent, 28/A/33.

CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE—Flower of Spring; Offingham Giant, and Drumhead. Apply Frank Flynn, Ross, Ballinacorney.

WEST WATERFORD HUNT.

POINT-TO-POINT RACES. AT CAPPOQUIN.

These races held on Thursday over a beautiful natural course were the best yet held, with big fields and close contests the large attendance present had a great day's enjoyment. The arrangements were perfect and the Hon. Secs.—Messrs. M. J. Sargent and P. Walsh, had every detail most carefully attended to.

Details:

OPEN MAIDEN RACE
Mr. R. Grean Mulcahy's WILDERNESS GEM, Mr. E. Fitzgerald 1
Mr. J. Foley's CARRIGMORE, Mr. D. J. Lane 2

Miss E. Lysaght's MAY STAR
Mr. McArdle 3

Won by two lengths, ten lengths between second and third. Correct Card was fourth and The Larakin next.

OPEN LIGHT-WEIGHT HUNT RACE
Mrs. R. Lysaght's DECOR, Mr. Collis-Montgomery 1

Mr. M. J. Hyde's AULD GLORY
Mr. T. Sheehan 2

Mr. J. N. Davin's BALLYBEG
Mr. D. J. Lane 3

Miss E. Lysaght's CARLISHEEN
Mr. McArdle 4

Dead-heated for third place.

Won by half a length, eight lengths between second and third.

OPEN RACE FOR COBS.
Mr. D. Heskin's TRUE MINSTREL
Mr. E. Flynn 1

Mrs. Alexander's COCKATRIX
Mr. W. Buckley 2

Mrs. Fitzgerald's SHELIA ROY
Mr. E. Fitzgerald 3

Won by four lengths, ten lengths between second and third.

OPEN FARMERS' RACE.
Mr. W. L. Claxton's OUR DADDY
Mr. G. Claxton 1

Mr. W. Tobin's BLUE PEARL
Mr. J. Tobin 2

Mr. T. Walsh's MAID OF THE HILL, Mr. C. Montgomery 3

Won by a length, two lengths between second and third.

CONFINED MAIDEN HUNT RACE.
Mr. S. Sweeney's SONBRICK
Mr. D. Kenneally 1

Mr. P. Walsh's NANCY'S COTTAGE, Mr. E. Flynn 2

Mr. E. P. Maxwell's PADDY, Owner 3

Won by a distance, one length between second and third.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

CAPPOQUIN

JAMES O'DONOGHUE, UPPER MAIN STREET, CAPPOQUIN, wishes to announce that having engaged the services of a First-Class Saddler and Harness-maker of many years' experience, he is now in a position to undertake all classes of Saddlery Work and Harness-making on and AFTER MONDAY, FEBRUARY 20th.

ALL FIRST-CLASS WORK GUARANTEED.

All the Best Quality Harness and Shoe Leather in Stock at Reasonable Prices, as well as all Classes of Harness Fittings, Etc.

NATIONAL FARMERS' AND RATEPAYERS' LEAGUE.

A DANCE.

Will be held at **ROCKETT'S CASTLE, PORTLAW** (By kind permission of Mrs. Medcotte) ON SUNDAY, 25th FEBRUARY, 1933.

MUSIC BY THEATRE ROYAL DANCE BAND

TICKETS—Gents, 10s.; Ladies, 7s. 6d.; (Double, 15s., including Supper and Tax). DANCING AT 10 p.m.

M. SHANAHAN, Hon. Sec.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

THE SOCIAL CLUB

Will hold a

DANCE

AT THE HALFWAY HALL, ON ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT (17th MARCH). Full particulars later.

T. CONDON, J. BARRON, Hon. Secs.

AN ALL-NIGHT DANCE

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BIG ENTRIES AND GOOD QUALITY.

THE AWARDS.

Last week Shows for the nominations of Mares were held in the various centres of the Co. Waterford. At each centre the entries were large and the animals shown were of very superior quality. The Judge, Mr. Clarke, and the Veterinary Surgeon—Mr. J. J. Condon, spoke in the highest terms of the mares on exhibition. The arrangements, in the hands of the capable Secretary of the Co. Committee Agriculture, were as usual perfect in every detail.

Dungarvan Centre.

Valuation £50 and under—Selected—J. Wade, Kilnafrehan; W. Barron, Killeeney; Ballinacorney; M. Ryan, Ballymarket; Thos. Lynch, Ballylemon; M. Cowling, Woodhouse; Aglish; J. McGrath, Lackendarra; J. Power, Knockanabandana; P. Doyle, Bohadon; E. Doody, Dromere; J. McCarthy, Beantiss; M. Ryan, Ross, Ballinacorney.

Reserved—T. Keane, Ballymullala.

Over £50 Valuation—Selected—N. Walsh, Ballyduff; Walter Terry, Friary; Aglish; J. T. Fenton, Timmisart; E. Beresford, Castlequarter; J. P. Dee, Kilnafrehan; R. Phelan, Knocknaska.

Reserved—M. Harney, Ballinroad; Ring; M. Walsh, Kilmannon; Mrs. E. Healy, Ballinacorney; Mrs. K. Morrissey, Ballinaskaha.

Clashmore Area.

Valuation £50 and under—Selected—M. Foley, Glistonney; Kinsalebeg; J. E. Kiely, Lickeybeg; E. Cunningham, Kilmabrid; Mrs. B. Murphy, Coolbogan; E. Cottor, Timmisart; E. White, Ballinacorney; Clashmore.

Reserved—P. O'Neill, Carrigeen; Templemeach.

Over £50 Valuation—Selected—H. McGrath, Ballinacorney; Clashmore; M. Begley, Ballinacorney; Ardmore; J. Mervin, Ballinacorney.

Reserved—None.

Ballymacarthy Area.

Under £50 Valuation—Selected—E. Wall, Castlebar; M. Healy, Groudbateskin; T. Nugent, Glendaw.

Reserved—P. O'Grady, Glendaloughin.

Over £50 Valuation—Selected—H. Butler, Kilmacorney; Ballymacarthy; Mrs. M. Vaughan, Glen Upper, Kilsheehan.

Reserved—P. Coffey, Knockalisheen.

Lismore Area.

Under £50 Valuation—Selected—T. Ormonde, Boubatha; Cappoquin; J. Neill, Stranally; Mrs. E. Begley, Cooldelane; Mrs. Wall, Kilmacorney; J. Cobbett, Knockalara; P. F. Nugent, Lishagh; T. McCarthy, Ballyhane; Mrs. M. Quinn, Coolagurree; J. Dunne, Bridane; E. Coleman, Inchinleamy; W. J. Moloney, Ballyphilip; Knockanora; J. Crotty, Shrough; M. Houlihan, Lysr, Lismore.

Reserved—M. Condon, Sheanbeg; P. Farrell, Cooldelane; J. O'Neill, Knockalour; W. Power, Shrough; W. Taylor, Galtan; M. Scardlan, Cooldelane; M. Landers, Ballysagar.

Over £50 Valuation—Selected—Mrs. M. Hickey, Curraheen; W. McDonnell, Curraheen; Talow; J. O'Donnell, Okyle, Lismore; D. Moloney, Ballyphilip; J. Walsh, Lishagh; H. Walsh, Kilmore.

Reserved—Mrs. M. Barry, Mona; J. J. McCarthy, Knockanacork; J. P. O'Farrell, Ashbourne; J. Quirk, Inchinleamy; E. Budds, Kilmacorney; H. Walsh, Curraheen, Cappoquin.

Gloora Powell Area.

Under £50 Valuation—Selected—M. Walsh, Churchdown; T. Bruen, Ballyhane; M. Cummins, Old Grange; J. Halpin, Curraheen; Gips; T. Phelan, Curraheen; W. Halpin, Capdown; Ballinacorney; W. Thompson, Glen, Kilmacorney.

Reserved—R. Condon, Crahanua; P. Phelan, Carrickleg Hill.

Over £50 Valuation—Selected—P. Maher, Kilmore; E. Conolly, Park, Kilsheehan; P. Flynn, Kilmacorney; M. St. John, Mount Bolton.

Reserved—None.

Kilmacothomas Area.

Under £50 Valuation—Selected—T. Skehan, Rathany; Kill L. Veale, Ballyshinock; T. Halley, Ballyrooney; T. McGrath, Gardsmorris; J. Hearne, Breen; J. Crotty, Breen; Mrs. M. Connors, Garsballish; P. McKeon, Seafeld, Bannahoh.

Reserved—Mrs. H. Power, Carrigeen; M. Power, Carrigeenagragh; E. Veale, Ballybrack; P. Cunningham, Grayn; T. Casey, Curraheen; W. Burke, Scranan.

Over £50 Valuation—Selected—T. Hayes, Knockmahon; N. Hayes, Ballydwan; J. Rockett, Ballygarry; Rees, E. Mooney, Knockan, Anestown.

Reserved—J. Whelan, Carrigeen, Kill; M. Qualey, Grena; Mrs. M. Casey, Faha; N. Wall, Kilnagraney.

Waterford Area.

Under £50 Valuation—Selected—J. Kearney, Dromina; P. Flanagan, Knockenduff; J. Power, Islandtarsney; P. Kiely, Carriganvry; J. Hamilton, Knockenduff; E. McGrath, Williamstown; J. Murphy, Kilmacorney; W. Whittle, Ballinella.

Reserved—None.

Over £50 Valuation—Selected—W. Phelan, Sporthouse; P. Farrell, Ballinacorney; J. Walsh, Ballycraddock; N. Power, Ballinacorney; Mrs. K. Maher, Dunhill; M. McNamara, Tramore; P. Regan, Stonehouse; J. Skehan, Carrigadustra.

Reserved—Mrs. J. Dunphy, Kilmacorney; Mrs. M. J. Kennedy, Callaghan; T. Phelan, Tramore; T. Power, Adamstown; R. Corcoran, Kilmacorney; T. Halley, Ballymorris; Mrs. Kennedy, Blenheim; Mrs. N. Whittle, Ballyshinock; R. Cullinan, Ballybrenock, Fenor.

MARRIED. LEAHY-EGAN-On February, 2nd, 1933, at the Parish Church, Dungarvan, (with Nuptial Mass and Papal Blessing) by Very Rev. J. Stokes, O.S.A., Dublin (uncle of the Bride), assisted by Rev. M. F. Hearne, C.C., Patrick J. Leahy, M. & L. Bank, Dame Street, Dublin, eldest son of Michael and Mrs. Leahy, Martins-town, Kilmallock, to Maide, second daughter of Mr. Park and Mrs. Egan, Egan's Hotel, Dungarvan. No Cards.

DEATHS. POWER-Clashmore-On Feb'y, 16th, at his residence Clashmore-Roger Power, R.I.P. Funeral to Clashmore R.C. Church this Friday evening at 4 p.m. Funeral on Saturday after Mass.

MANSFIELD-At Kilmurry Cottage, on February, 14th 1933, Ellen Mansfield, formerly of Kilgreany. Deeply mourned by her sister, Mrs. Beresford, relatives and friends. Burial took place at Old Parish graveyard on 16th inst.-R.I.P.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT. Mr. and Mrs. Flynn and family Mweelink, Grange, beg to return thanks to all who sent messages of sympathy in their recent bereavement, and ask them to accept this acknowledgment of same.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

DUNGARVAN FAIR. The February Fair was largely supplied with stock of all classes, but trade was very slow and prices were low, except for good yearlings, which cleared fairly well and at reduced prices. Yearlings made £5 to £7 10s., according to quality; 2-year-olds sold at £7 to £9 10s. Some of the lots in this department were splendid. 3-year-olds made from £11 to £14; good springers sold at £13 to £15 10s. Fat cows were a slow trade. Sheep sold at 20 to 40/- each. Store pigs were a good supply and prices ranged from 20/- to 22/6 according to quality. A good deal of business was done, but farmers sorely complained about the prices they received.

DUNGARVAN MARKETS. Meal special 17/6; middiecut 17/-; flour 15/6; bran 8/-; pollard 8/6; butter 13/4; per lb.; coal 43/- per ton; eggs 8d. per dozen.

OPERA IN TOWN HALL. On next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, February 21st and 22nd, in the Town Hall, Dungarvan, a beautiful Opera "Pearl the Fishermans" in 3 acts, will be produced. There will be a full orchestra, as also magnificent chorus, charming costumes and graceful dances. Local talent will be there at its best and no one should miss the treat provided. Proceeds in aid of Dungarvan Band.

MONEY-GONE. For the first time on record in this County, a public body has been unable to pay the salaries of its officials. That is what has happened to the County Board of Public Assistance this month. All the available money has gone to pay arrears of assistance and for milk leaving nothing over. The Board did its best to make ends meet, but owing to grants not being received they ran short. That is the worst of the money question. It is very scarce and when the little there is has gone it is so hard to get more. If people could do without money what a pleasant thing life would be and how happy everybody would feel. Some substitute for that base metal must be found.

VICTORY DANCE. On Wednesday night under the auspices of the Dungarvan Fianna Fail Club, a Victory Dance was held in the Town Hall, and was attended by very large numbers from near and far. The Hall was artistically decorated for the event and with beautiful lighting effects looked its best with the best of music and expert catering. A most enjoyable time was spent by all present, and dancing was kept up to the small hours of the morning. All the arrangements were excellently carried out by the organizing Committee.

DEATH OF MRS. MACCLUSKEY. It is with feelings of the deepest regret we announce the death of the above lady after a brief illness, and fortified by the rites of Holy Church. She was principal teacher of the large and important Balcaden Girls' School, Co. Limerick, and had by her assiduity, industry and zeal attained to the highest rank in the profession. She was of a gentle, noble, and cheerful disposition, and beloved by all with whom she came in contact, but none more so than her pupils and their parents, as was evidenced by the large, representative and respectable cortege which accompanied her remains to the family burial place at Kilbrien on the 7th, inst. To her husband, Mr. C. MacCluskey and to her brothers and sisters, deep sympathy is extended.-R.I.P.

FOR STYLE. See our Grand Selection of Foxford Coatings for Lady's wear. Phil Walsh, Drapers and Outfitters, Square, Dungarvan.

WALLPAPERS. Moloney's are offering a special discount of 2/6 in the £, on all wallpapers purchased during the next two weeks. Intending purchasers should call at once and take advantage of the offer. Moloney's Wallpaper Stores, The Square.

DEATH OF MR. M. POWER, BALLINAMINTRA, CAPPAGH.

We regret to announce the death of Mr. Michael Power, Ballinamintra, Cappagh, which occurred at his residence on Friday, 10th inst., after a brief illness and fortified by the rites of Holy Church.

The late Mr. Power had reached an advanced age—having passed four score years and ten—yet, he was hale and hearty and could discourse on all matters of local and general interest with ease and intelligence. He was one of the best-known men in the County, and during his long and honoured life he had been associated with every movement which meant to improve the lot of his fellow man and benefit their status. A large and practical farmer and a generous employer, he was from every point of view a gentleman of outstanding merit who was held in the highest esteem by friends and neighbours. A sound Irishman and a fervent Catholic, he had all the attributes that go to constitute a man great, and after a long, useful and well-spent life, he has gone to his eternal reward with the prayers and blessings of all who know him and appreciated his many noble characteristics of head and heart. He was father of Rev. Michael Power, the esteemed, zealous and popular Curate of Abbeyside, and to him and the other members of the family, the sympathy of the general public is extended in their bereavement.-R.I.P.

On Saturday evening, the remains were removed from Ballinamintra, to the Parish Church, at Ballinacela, and were escorted by one of the largest and most representative corteges seen for a long time.

On Sunday after Mass, the interment took place in the adjoining Churchyard in the presence of his family, relatives, friends and a large gathering of the general public drawn from all parts of the County and outside it, who came as a mark of respect to his memory and as a tribute to the esteem in which his family are held.

The last prayers were recited at the grave by Rev. T. Gibbons, C.C., assisted by Very Rev. M. Carroll, P.P., Very Rev. E. A. Crehan, D.D., C.S.S.P., President, Rockwell College and Rev. C. Schmidt, C.S.S.P., do.

On Monday there was Solemn Requiem Office and High Mass in Ballinacela Church for the repose of his soul at which there was a big number of priests from all over the diocese present. The celebrant was Very Rev. J. Gleeson, P.P., Aghish; deacon, Rev. W. Flynn, C.C.; sub-deacon, Rev. J. Dwyer, C.C. Modigliano; Master of ceremonies, Rev. T. Gibbons, C.C., Ballinacela. There was a big attendance of the public present.

DEATH OF MISS E. MANSFIELD, KILGREANY.

The death occurred on Tuesday last of Miss Ellen Mansfield, Kilgreany, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Beresford, Kilmurray Cottage. The remains were removed to Dungarvan Parish Church on Wednesday and on Thursday the funeral took place to Old Parish cemetery. The deceased was a well-known and highly respected lady, and was very popular with all who knew her.-R.I.P.

GRAND CONCERT AT ABBEYSIDE.

Arrangements are well on the way for a Grand Concert to be held in the Scouts Den, Abbeyside, on February, 28th. Some of the leading artists, from all over the County are booked to appear on the boards, and a great night is assured. Look out for full particulars next issue.

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WATERFORD BRANCH.

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At 1 p.m.

All delegates are requested to attend.

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For further particulars apply to E. A. RYAN AND CO., Solicitors, Dungarvan.

HOTEL MONATREA, YOUGHAL.

ALL ARE WELCOME TO THE FARMERS' DANCE.

TO BE HELD AT MONATREA HOTEL, ON SUNDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 26th.

BERT NAGLE'S ORCHESTRA.

Tickets, 2s. (Supper and Tax included).

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YOUGHAL CATHOLIC YOUNG MEN'S SOCIETY ANNUAL DANCE.

Will be held in the BALLROOM, TOWN HALL, YOUGHAL, ON MONDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 20th, 1933.

DANCING at 9.30 p.m.

MUSIC: ARCADIA (CORK) BAND (Personally Conducted by Miss Mollie O'Shea).

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NOTICE—The field known as Draper's Field, O'Connell Street, is proposed for the protection of sheep, 10/23. M. Qually.

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ITS AIMS AND OBJECTS.
INTERESTING ADDRESS BY
MR. MACDERMOT, T.D.

Mr. W. Hearne, Glen, presided over a large
and enthusiastic meeting of the farmers of the
County Waterford on Saturday last when
important addresses were delivered by Mr.
MacDermot, T.D.; Mr. Dillon, T.D.; Mr. Wall,
T.D., and Mr. Curran, T.D.
Mr. MacDermot said there was not a great
deal to say regarding the problems which had
faced the country during the past eight or nine
months. Nevertheless, it was advisable they
should keep clear heads and clear ideas as to
what they stood for, and where the country
was going, and what they had to do in order
to mould the future for the benefit of the
country as far as they could.

Having congratulated Waterford on having
returned Mr. Nicholas Wall to represent them
in the Dail, the speaker said he anticipated at
the outside of the elections that his party had
embarked on a stormy sea, but it had proved
stormier than anticipated. The election turned
out to be a thoroughly Jingo election, in which
all sorts of sentiment were worked up. A tremendous wave of patriotic feeling was worked
up by Fianna Fail and taken advantage of by
them. The people were deceived into thinking
the issue was one of nationality. To such an
extent did it go that the people went against
their own material advantages in the belief that
they were doing something big for the country.
Regarding election tactics, he said he did not
think Fianna Fail would go the length they did.
Their speakers in every constituency throughout
the country, more especially in his own county,
advised the people to vote for any party, even
for Cumann na nGaedheal, rather than for the
National Centre Party. The reason for that was
obvious; they thought they had the measure
of Cumann na nGaedheal, that they were unpopular
and down and out, and could not stage a
come-back; but they knew the Centre Party
were young, enthusiastic and vigorous, and were
not quite sure of what they were able to accomplish. It had been generally assumed that
if the Centre Party had succeeded in securing
the balance of power they would have supported
a Cumann na nGaedheal Government. Their
election manifesto did not indicate that at all.
The National Centre Party and the Farmers'
and Ratepayers' League existed for two main
objects. First, to secure an orientation in
Government policy, a large share influence for
the farming community than in the past.
Secondly, the breaking up in this country of
the vicious political system founded on civil war.
They meant that, and had they succeeded in
getting the balance of power they meant to
break up the civil war party system. That could
not be done by merely giving support to a
Cumann na nGaedheal Government. They in-
tended to create a Constitutional crisis in which
it would be impossible for Cumann na nGaedheal
or Fianna Fail to hold power in the country.
They intended to make established
Government impossible until such time as one
or other of the leaders of the parties would try
and would succeed in creating a National
Government. The fundamental objects of all
decent Irishmen were the same. It was their
methods differed. Fundamentally every Irish-
man wished his country a free choice as to
whether it should stay in the British Common-
wealth or go out. Every Irishman wanted the
country to make the most advantageous arrange-
ment it could with England, and his party would
support any Government who endeavoured to
secure such an arrangement. All decent Irish-
men were united in wishing to build up the
internal prosperity of the country, and seeing
new industries arising.

There was one matter very much talked about
but very little honoured, viz. the creation of a
Gaelic and Christian civilisation in the country
which Mr. de Valera said he was out to create.
But nobody in his senses would go about im-
proving the country's position in the Common-
wealth or expecting financial arrangements with
Great Britain in the way Mr. de Valera had
gone about it, because he was blinded by party
hatred and party considerations. There was no
sense in the Fianna Fail Party going about
trying to discredit their predecessors in office
and holding that agreements made by them
should be disregarded and dishonoured, or in
calling them traitors to the country. That was
unbusinesslike and could not succeed, and was
exceedingly bad for the reputation of this
country, and dishonoured it in the eyes of the
world.

The Centre Party was small at present, but
it was one which, if honestly believed in itself
and what it stood for. The situation in the
country was serious. All sorts of trouble and
difficulties had been stirred up by the methods
adopted with regard to the farming and Con-
stitutional outlook. He said so far as he could
see no serious effort was going to be made to
bring about a settlement of the economic war.
His party had made suggestions towards that
end, but he had little hope of their receiving
attention. But if the war had got to continue
it was time the farming community was pulled
out of the first line trenches. It was time there
should be equality of sacrifice which every war
demanded. The first people he would like to
see setting a good example of sacrifice were the
politicians. The logical reply to the British
tariffs was said to consist in larger bounties; but
the bounty system had worked badly, and the
Government did not seem able to devise any
arrangement to compensate the men who were
getting less for their live stock owing to the
economic war. The obvious thing was to lighten
the obligations now pressing on the farmers and
relieve them of the annuities and rents, which
they were unable to meet.

Referring to rumours of a gigantic strike by
the farmers against the payment of annuities,
he said, as a responsible public man, he would
never advocate a combination amongst citizens
to disobey the law; but if the Government pro-
ceeded in the last resort to the law and sold up
the property of the farmers they would create
a feeling which would surprise them and which
they would long regret. He absolutely declined
to accede to the Government point of view that
it was a disagreeable thing to be associated
with the live stock industry. His (the
speaker's) party refused to consider that indus-
try disagreeable and would not stand for its
ruthless stamping out.

In regard to Constitutionalism his party had
always put the abolition of partition in the fore-
front of Constitutional problems and subordin-
ated all others to it. Was the reunion of Ire-
land going to be accomplished by fostering ill-
feeling, discouraging tolerance and civility or al-
ways quarrelling with England and talking about
a Republic? These questions answered them-
selves. If a Republic were established he would

support it; but if they were to go out of the
Commonwealth people should be free to do so.
If he had to choose between a Republic for
twenty-six counties and an all-Ireland Dominion
within the Commonwealth, then for his part
he would choose the latter. He would not
give him an all-Ireland Dominion within the
Commonwealth. As far as a thirty-two county
Republic was concerned it was futile and absurd.
No man could believe it to be attainable where
a large proportion of the people, the bulk of them
in Northern Ireland, did not wish to be se-
parated from England. The only way to induce
Northern Ireland to consent to reunion was by
asking them to reunite within the Common-
wealth. Though there had been a great deal of
talk about a Republic during the election, it was
very difficult to gauge the real feeling in regard
to it; young people regarded a Republic as a
sort of El Dorado in which everybody would
live pleasantly and where nobody would have
to work any more. If the people of the twenty-
six counties were dead set on a Republic then
the sooner it was established the better. It
might be a phase which they might have to go
through in order that the young people would
understand that a Republic was not all it was
cracked up to be, and it would kill hounding on
the part of politicians who could only whistle
one tune, and that was a Republic and its ad-
vantages.

MR. DILLON'S SPEECH.
Mr. J. Dillon, T.D., referred to Waterford's
loyalty to Redmond, and said the Centre Party
had cause to hope that when Waterford was
with them they must win in the end. They
knew the disagreeable methods of electorship
that were brought into operation at the General
Election, and they might well feel proud that
virtually with no organisation they had returned
eleven representatives to Dail Eireann in a rush
election. For the past ten months Fianna Fail
had imposed tariff after tariff with no thought
whatever for the reaction these tariffs were going
to have on agriculture, which was the principal
industry of the country. Mr. de Valera had
rushed into a General Election at three days'
notice because he knew the organisation of the
Centre Party was gathering strength, and that
if he waited for another three months it would
be too late to hope for victory. They wel-
comed and were glad to have in the Centre
Party former supporters of Fianna Fail,
Cumann na nGaedheal and Unionists, because
they believed such a union of forces based upon
goodwill and oblivious to injuries of the past,
would be an inspiration and would eventually
sweep the young people out of the decisions now
imposed upon them into a glorious march for-
ward to make the country a happier place for
all. They hoped for a united Ireland that would
be free to choose its own form of Government
without duress from any foreign Government or
any Ministry which claimed to use force of arms
against a majority in their own country.

Mr. N. Wall, T.D., and Mr. R. Curran, T.D.,
also spoke.

DUNHILL COURING.

This meeting held on Thursday, 16 inst., was
a great success in every way. Our Dungarvan
sportsman, Mr. P. O'Shea, won the National
Breeders' Trial Stakes in great style.

THE NATIONAL BREEDERS' TRIAL
STAKE, for 16 dog puppies, Winner, £11;
runner-up, £5; two dogs, £2 each.

Mr. P. O'Shea's Kingdom beat Mr. D.
Moloney's My Mistake; Mr. J. Conry and
Moloney's Millvale Rover beat Mrs. M. Coughlan's
Coney Captain; Mr. G. F. Curran's Lisfenel
beat Mr. C. Purcell's Pearl-O'; Mr. R. Moore's
Mooncoin Captain beat Mr. M. Cregan's Grateful
Lad; Mr. T. Bourke's Toy Bachelor beat Miss
K. Bueford's Royal Ryland; Mr. W. Walsh's
Wily Champion beat Mr. M. F. Keating's Raggy
Tash; Mrs. J. O'Keefe's Moyle Bunter beat
Mr. R. E. Butler's Brogger; Mr. G. F. Curran's
Lisfenel Dud beat Mr. J. Kavanagh's Knight's
Dream.

Second Round.—Kingdom beat Millvale Rover;
Mooncoin Captain beat Lisfenel; Wily Cham-
pion beat Toy Bachelor; Lisfenel Dud beat
Moyle Bunter.

Third Round.—Kingdom beat Mooncoin Cap-
tain; Wily Champion beat Lisfenel Dud.

Final.—KINGDOM (Greenhorn)—Carrig Gift;
beat Wily Champion (Mutton Culet)—Wireless
Waves.

THE DUNHILL STAKE, for 8 all-aged grey-
hounds, Winner, £10; runner-up, £4.

Mr. P. G. Gleeson's Grawshaw Bay beat Mr.
Keogh's Baylands; Mrs. J. Culliton's Captain
Becher beat Mr. J. Hancutt's Hasinohann;
Mr. P. Murphy's Mistake beat Mr. P. Bour-
chall's Barrow Maiden; Mr. W. Walsh's Whirl,
along beat Mr. J. J. Kelly's Kelly's Flash.

Second Round.—Grawshaw Bay (Mutton Culet)—
Cunningham Pearl; beat Captain Becher's
Mistake (Mutton Culet)—Hunter's Ghost; beat
Whirlalong.

Stake divided.

THE CASTLE NO. 1 STAKE, for 16 two-
course Maudens, Winner, £10 10s.; runner-up,
£5; two dogs, 25s. each.

Mr. P. G. Gleeson's Trick Sean beat P.
Keogh's Kilkenny's Band; Mr. C. Purcell's
Portofino beat Miss N. Breen's Nickel Bond;
Miss M. Stranville's Salesman beat Mr. J. Cor-
coran's Cuckoo; Mr. W. Cullinane's Pandora
beat Mr. R. Power's Pretty Parson; Mr. P.
Lavender's Dato beat Mr. W. Mennagh's Flashy
Lass; Mr. T. Bourke's Thistle Belle beat Mr.
N. O'Loughlin's Poreen Bar; Mr. M. Walsh's
Winoonee Dance beat Mr. F. Murphy's Merit-
ondy; Mr. R. Harney's Hikea beat Mr. P.
Dalton's Molly's Hope.

Second Round.—Portofino beat Trick Sean;
Salesman beat Pandora; Thistle Belle beat
Dato; Hikea beat Winoonee Dance.

Stake divided.

THE CASTLE NO. 2 (DUFFER) STAKE, for
16 two-course maidens, Winner, £10 10s.;
runner-up, £5; two dogs, 25s. each.

Mr. P. Gleeson's Shelbourne Swan beat Mr.
P. Fitzgerald's Future Again; Mr. T. Culliton's
Canty Double beat Mr. R. Power's Pretty
Prince; Mr. B. Cunningham's Grassie Loufer
beat Mr. J. Shanahan's Scouty Boy; Mrs.
Kennedy's K.P. beat Messrs. Grant
and O'Keefe's Grange Castle; Mr. T. J.
Hayes's Home Beauty beat Mr. J. J. Quinn's
Queen Meave; Mr. W. Power's Peg Macantha
beat Mr. M. Fowler's Dreamstown Girl; Mr.
R. Brien's Clodagh's Pride beat Mr. G. F. Cum-
mins' Crinoline; Mrs. Harney's How Near beat
Mr. M. Sullivan's Fancy Donache.

Lismore District Court.

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

CHARGE OF HOUSEBREAKING.—

SERGEANT'S CLEVER CAPTURE.
Supt. Quinlan, Lismore, charged a young man
named James McGrath, Round Hill, Lismore,
with breaking into the premises of Messrs. Sut-
ton, coal merchants, Lismore, on the morning
of January 20th and stealing eleven 2d. stamps
from the office desk.

Mr. O'Gorman, solicitor, Lismore, appeared for
the accused, who pleaded guilty, and elected to
be tried by the District Justice.

Michael O'Reilly, manager of Messrs. Sut-
ton's coal stores, stated that on the evening
of January 19th he locked up the store and
office as usual, but on returning to business
about 9 o'clock, the next morning he found the
office window broken and the desk inside prised
open and eleven 2d. stamps which were in the
desk the night before were missing, but there
was nothing else taken, as he left no money in
the office at night.

Mr. O'Gorman—Where do you keep the
money each night?

Witness—What a fool I am to tell you (laugh-
ing).

Superintendent—If he told you that we might
have another raid on a future occasion (laugh-
ing).

Sergt. Kavanagh, Lismore, stated that on the
matter being reported to him by Mr. O'Reilly
on the morning of January 20th he went to the
premises and found the office window broken as
described by the last witness. He also found
that the office desk had been forced open and
the lock broken. On the soft ground outside,
underneath the window, he saw the imprint of
a nailed boot with one of the nails missing from
the middle of the sole. He took a cast of the
imprint of the boot, and later in the day he
questioned the accused, and on examining his
fingers found that one of them had a nail missing
which corresponded exactly with the cast of the
imprint which he had taken. He then arrested
the accused, charged him with the offence, and
gave him the usual caution, but he made no
statement at that stage. Later, however, he
made a voluntary statement in the barrack to
Guard Martin, which was written down by the
latter and signed by the accused.

The statement was now handed in and began
with the words: "I know I'm caught, so I
might as well admit it."

The statement continued that accused had no
means of living except 5s. per week, which he
was receiving as Home Assistance, and for over
a week previously he had been planning to break
into Sutton's stores for the purpose of getting
the money which he thought was kept there every
night. On the night of January 19th he went
to bed at the Round Hill about 10 o'clock, but
he could not sleep, and at about 1.30 in the
morning he got up and dressed himself and got
out of the house through the skylight in the
roof. He then got on to the railway line and
proceeded to Sutton's stores near the railway
station, and picking up a stone he wrapped his
coat around it to deaden the sound and broke
the office window with it. He then pushed back
the catch and opened the window and got into
the office and forced open the desk where he
thought he would find some money. There was
no money there, however, and the only things
he found in the desk were some postage stamps,
which he took with him. As he was coming
out he thought he heard the sound of someone
approaching and got frightened and lost the
stamps. He then returned to the Round Hill
and got back to the house through the skylight
through which he had first come out.

Mr. O'Gorman asked the sergeant if he be-
lieved that statement, especially the part about
getting back through the skylight, and the ser-
geant said it was quite possible he could have
done so, although he would have to display the
ability of a "cat burglar" (laughter).

Mr. O'Gorman said accused was a man of
rather weak intellect and was not altogether
responsible for his actions. He was an illegiti-
mate son and was living with his mother, who
was in poor circumstances, and he had been in
England for some years, and his mother was
now about to send him back there again, so
under the circumstances he asked the Justice to
deal leniently with him and let him off under
the Probation of Offenders Act.

The Superintendent opposed this, and said it
was quite clear that accused had learned some
naughty tricks while in England. Lismore had
been singularly free from this class of crime up
to this, and he was glad to say that it was
not a Lismore man who was now charged with
the offence. He said that owing to the care-
ful and cunning manner in which this robbery
was planned, accused was a dangerous man to
be let loose in the locality, and he asked that
a severe sentence be imposed as an example to
him, and also in order to keep him from doing
further mischief in the future.

Mr. O'Gorman having repeated his plea for
leniency, said accused could not do any further
harm, as his mother would send him back to
England at the earliest possible moment.

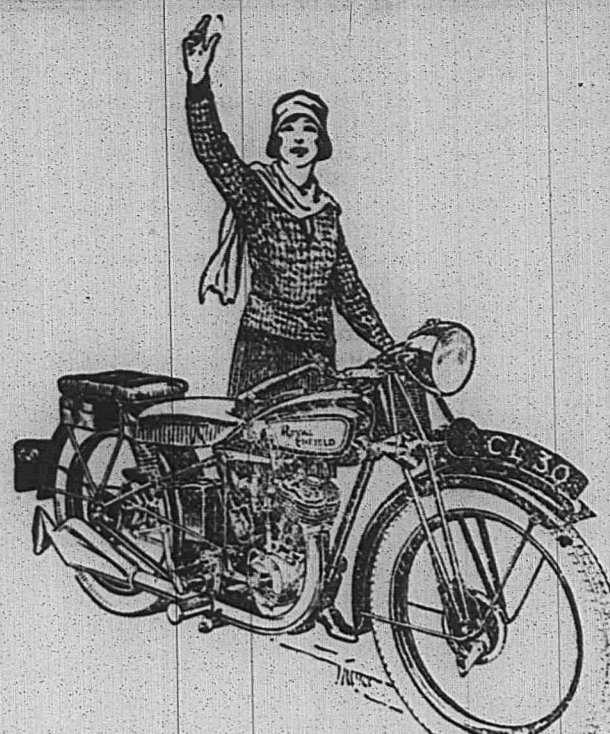
The Justice, addressing accused, said he had
pleaded guilty to a very serious offence for
which he could be sent to penal servitude for a
long term if he had been tried before the Dis-
trict Court. In view, however, of Mr. O'Gor-
man's undertaking that he was 26 1/2 sent out
of the district, he would not let him out under
the Probation of Offenders Act, but ordered him
to enter into a personal bond of £5 to be of good
behaviour and to come up for sentence when
called upon.

The Justice warmly commended the clever
work of Sergt. Kavanagh in taking a cast of ac-
cused's foot and effecting his arrest so quickly,
and said if it had not been for this clever action
the accused might never have been brought to
justice.

The Superintendent thanked the Justice for
his tribute to Sergt. Kavanagh's work, and said
the latter deserved all the credit he could get
for the skillful manner in which he had tracked
down the accused.

THORN CAUSES DEATH.

A prick of a thorn in the lip while working on
his father's farm was responsible for the death
of Philip Flaherty, aged 19, Knocknaclash, Clon-
mel. He left Kilsheelan coursing meeting feel-
ing unwell, and after medical treatment was re-
moved to Clonmel, where he died. An inquest
was not deemed necessary.



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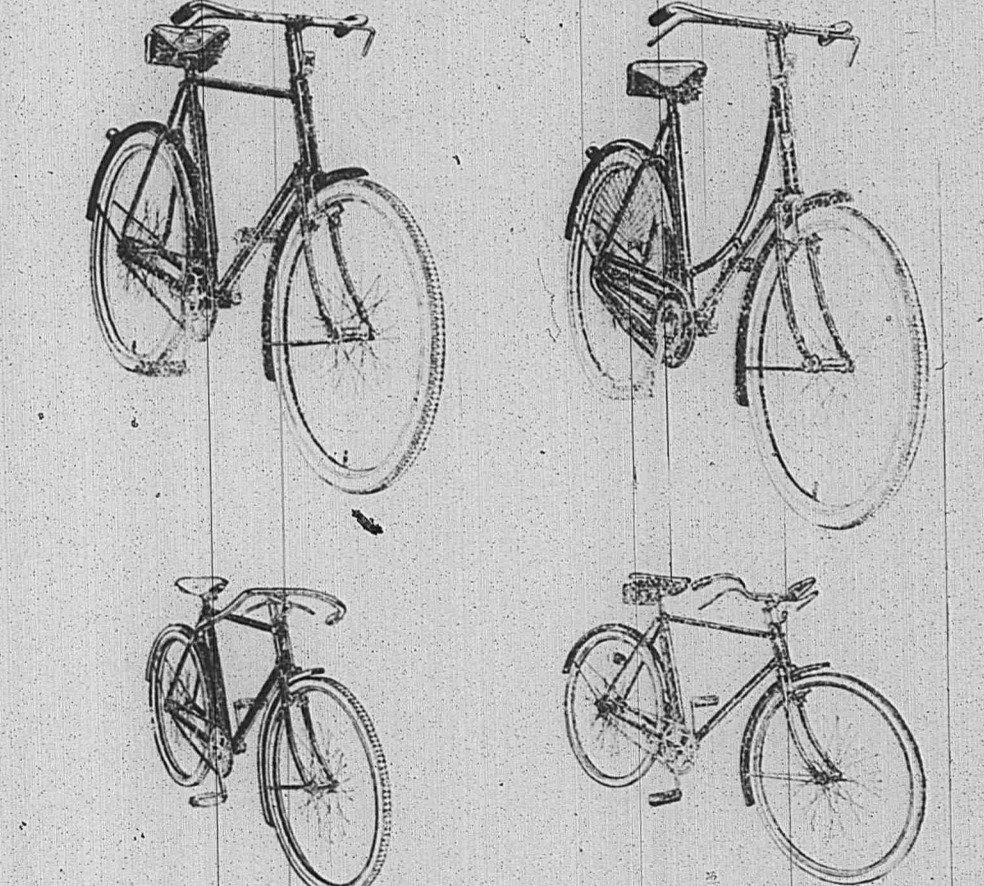
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YOUGHAL DISTRICT COURT.

Before Mr. G. P. Farrell, D.J.
A number of civil bills, undated, were disposed of. Messrs. Wm. R. Hodnett, T. K. Keane and J. X. R. MacNamara, solrs., appearing for the plaintiffs.

ASSAULT.

A young man, Michael Healy, Cork Hill, charged Thomas Connors, caretaker of the military barracks, with assault.

Mr. MacNamara for complainant and Mr. Hodnett for defendant.

Healy stated that on the 25th January he went up to the barracks with a friend named Wm. Murphy to see a local boxing match. While waiting for it they had a game of hand ball. Connors came on the scene, asked witness who gave him permission to enter the barracks grounds and, before he had time to give a reply, struck him over the eye with his clenched fist.

Wm. Murphy corroborated. He was asked by Connors to bring a crowd up to see the boxing match.

Defendant's evidence was that when he asked Healy what brought him there he replied: "The bloody barracks will be there after you." Witness then struck him in the face with the flat of his hand. The story about the boxing match was all false. He had strict instructions, owing to something which happened lately, not to allow anyone into the barracks unless he went round with them.

The Justice said he didn't look on the assault as serious, but Connors lost his temper and took the law into his own hands. Connors was fined 2s. 6d.

LARCENY OF NEWSPAPERS.

A boy named Thomas Coleman, Cork Hill, was charged with the larceny of about 200 copies of the "Irish Press," value 16s. 8d., the property of Mr. M. Galvin, Friar Street, Dungarvan.

Supt. Donnelly prosecuted, and Mr. Hodnett defended.

Michael Galvin, newsagent, Friar street, Youghal, deposed that he had been selling the "Irish Press" for over the past 12 months. He got an average of three dozen a day. The papers were sent from Dublin by train. He had employed the accused to bring them from the railway and gave him a tip, the work taking him approximately a half-hour each day. The papers arrived at Youghal about 10.30. He had been missing three or four copies a week all the time. The accused was with him about 14 months. He reported the matter to Detective Officer Slane about November 12th, and in consequence he checked the papers every morning when they came in. On November 15th he checked them and found one missing when delivered by Coleman. (Witness here gave particulars of a number of similar occurrences). The accused usually gave to a couple of customers their copies of the paper on his way to town and the customers were charged with the price. On some occasions he sold copies and gave witness the cash. Witness had reckoned he had lost about 200 copies for the 12 months; that meant 16s. 8d.

To Mr. Hodnett—He paid Coleman 1s. per week.

Mr. Hodnett—I have no more to ask.

Detective Officer Slane stated that on 15th November in consequence of a complaint made by Mr. Galvin he went to Killezb, examined the "Irish Press" parcel addressed to Mr. Galvin and found it contained 33 copies. When it reached Mr. Galvin's it contained only 32.

Sergt. O'Beirne read a statement made by witness to the effect that in September last before the second Cork and Kilkenny match—Justice—A new method of fixing a date (laughter).

Witness, continuing—He picked up in Tal low street a pound and a half note, which he put into his pocket and kept. He spent the money from time to time buying sweets, lemonade, etc., for himself and his chums. He gave none to his mother, who when she found it on after, beat him. He spent the whole 30s. He knew it was wrong to keep it. He saw no notice about it being lost.

Justice—He certainly went the whole hog (laughter). It is strange the owner never turned up.

Mr. Hodnett said the boy was neither physically nor mentally strong. He submitted it would be very difficult to prove the charge of larceny by finding. The boy would be entitled to keep it after 12 months.

The Justice said the boy should have reported the find to the Guards or taken other steps to find the owner. He supposed the boy would have to wait six years—under the Statute of Limitations—before he could retain the money.

The Superintendent said their principal reason for bringing the case was to warn all finders of property lost.

Accused was discharged with a warning.

SOME ASPECTS OF WHEAT MANURING.

THE ADVANTAGES OF LATE TOP-DRESSING.

In the palmy days of wheat growing the winter feeding of stock provided sufficient plant food to ensure a bumper crop. Nowadays turnips are replaced very largely by stocher crops or sugar beet. In addition, the heavy-crooked, stalfed bullock has fallen into dis-favour, and in any event can no longer be regarded as a mere accessory in the production of corn. Wheat, even under bounty conditions, will no longer pay for an unending procession of muck carts. Soil deficiencies must now be replaced to a greater or lesser extent by fertilizers.

Every successful grower of wheat has ideas of his own on the subject of manuring the crop. Many consider that wheat on good-landed land needs nothing beyond a dressing of sulfate of ammonia in February. The modern school, particularly on the post-war mechanised farms, advocates complete and relatively high dressings of inorganic fertilizers. A manuring programme somewhere between the two extremes quoted seems to be indicated for general practice.

Spring wheat has a great deal of leeway to make up and in nearly all cases the crop should be given the benefit of a complete fertilizer dressing at seeding time. The new concentrated fertilizers might well be tried in a spring rush as there should be marked saving in labour and time as a result of their use. On particularly heavy soils it may be possible to omit potash, although this is seldom a wise proceeding. In such cases an ammonium phosphate type of fertilizer should be very suitable.

Cereals, in common with all grasses, are sometimes grouped together as "starvation crops." In practice this means that they all, too often receive no basal dressings. Top-dressings, however, are another story and should never be omitted if a full crop is desired. Formerly the time to apply this top-dressing was sacrosanct within the limits of climatic variation. Winter wheat was given sulphate of ammonia in February-March; spring wheat as soon as the crop was well through. Recent work at various research centres indicates that rather late applications may be more profitable. It seems that a dressing of nitrogen given at the end of the tillering stage (say April-May) will directly increase the yield of grain without influencing the straw weight. Replicated experiments conducted at many centres have strengthened this view, which it would be interesting to see confirmed on a larger scale.

The practice of seed dressing, although not directly a fertilizer matter, is of paramount importance if the best results are to be obtained from money subsequently expended on the crop. It is little use purchasing valuable nitrogen in the hope that it will turn half a "plant" into a full bread. The small outlay necessary for the new dust dressings of the Agrasyn type will act as an insurance policy and make certain that a crop, whether of wheat or oats, is actually in the ground when fertilizers are purchased to improve the yield.

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Present—Messrs. J. B. Smyth, P.C., chairman; D. Donnelly, E. Clancy, M. J. Flennig, W. J. Broderick, T.D.; T. Beausang, M. D. Broderick, D. J. Linnahan, J. Whelan, J. Kennedy, P. J. O'Gorman, P.C.; P. J. McMahon, P.C.; A. J. Fowkes, T. Murphy, E. P. Lynch, vice-chairman.

CHEQUES.

On the proposition of Mr. McMahon, seconded by Mr. O'Gorman, cheques for 484 14s. weekly wages, etc., and £104 16s. 6d., relief work, were passed.

MORE LIGHT.

A letter was read from Mr. M. Walsh, contractor, asking for the erection of two gas lamps on the new road fronting Knockaverry. They were badly wanted owing to the number of new houses recently built. The gas main was already on the road.

Mr. O'Gorman said they had to admit that the many houses built by Mr. Walsh would be a great asset, bringing in an increased revenue in a few years' time. Mr. Walsh was a very progressive man, and they should facilitate him in every possible way. He would be in favour of putting up one lamp for the present.

Mr. Donnelly, seconding, said that no less than 30 houses had been erected there within the past few years and the place was becoming increasingly valuable.

Mr. McMahon pointed out that there was a resolution on the books against the putting of any more lamps up.

Mr. Broderick, while agreeing to the necessity for the lamps, said the long days were coming.

It was ultimately decided to put one lamp up for the present.

IMPORTED FRESH MEAT.

The following letter was read from Messrs. Hodnett, solicitors—Re Sale of Fresh Meat at Messrs. Ryan's Premises—

Dear Sir—Referring to your letter of the 10th December last and subsequent correspondence, it was only today we received a definite reply from the Department L.G. and P.H. relative to the point raised. We enclose copy of this reply, from which you will see that the answer to the query in your letter of the 10-12 is in the negative, and that the Veterinary Surgeon who is stated to have inspected and stamped the meat is not a veterinary examiner for the purposes of the Agricultural Produce (Fresh Meat) Act, 1930. In reply to the further query in your letter, the appropriate proceedings should be taken in the District Court by summons for infringement of the bye-laws.

ENCLOSURE.

Department Local Government.

4th February, 1933.

A Chairde—With further reference to your letter of the 17th ult. and to previous correspondence with regard to the first question and stamping of meat intended for human consumption in Youghal urban district, I am directed by the Minister for Local Government to state that Mr. O'Callaghan is not a veterinary examiner for the purposes of the Agricultural Produce (Fresh Meat) Act, 1930, consequently meat stamped by him does not comply with the provisions of the bye-laws of the council with regard to inspection. The bye-law No. 2 of the council's code of bye-laws relating to meat inspection prohibits the sale of meat in the urban district which has not been inspected by him in the manner prescribed by the bye-laws—Miss Leucas—M. O. Linnahan (Arson Bunaidhe), Messrs. J. Hodnett and Son, Solicitors.

Mr. Donnelly said he wouldn't approve of a prosecution in that case—too much time had been allowed to lapse from the detection. It would be very unfair.

Mr. M. Broderick agreed with Mr. Donnelly that there shouldn't be a prosecution in that case. As one interested in the trade, he proposed that the clerk notify the person referred to that he couldn't sell meat except if it stamped by the local inspector.

This was seconded by Mr. McMahon and passed unanimously.

MEAT INSPECTION.

Dr. Condy, County M.O.H., submitted the Veterinary Inspector's report on his inspection of meat for January. Everything was satisfactory.

DUNGARVAN DRAMATIC CLASS.

Mr. T. McCarthy, Hon. Sec., Dungarvan Dramatic Class, applied for the use of the Town Hall on the 23rd.

Mr. McMahon proposed that the application be granted. Dungarvan had given their hall to the Youghal Dramatic Class.

Mr. Clancy, seconding, said he had the pleasure of being in Dungarvan recently with the Youghal Dramatic Class and everything possible was done to facilitate them. The Dungarvan Class therefore deserved the support of Youghal and would get it.

The application was passed unanimously.

RIVAL APPLICATIONS.

Mr. Linnahan said that, being unable to get the Arcadia Band for the night of the 21st, as originally intended, the Catholic Young Men's Society had arranged to hold their annual dance on the 20th, and they would require the hall for a few nights previously to decorate it.

It was stated that the local Fianas' Fall Gumann had made a verbal application for the hall for the 19th.

Mr. O'Gorman, Vice-President C.Y.M.S., said they had already issued the invitations for the 20th. Hearing that another organisation intended to hold a dance on the 19th, he intervened a prominent member of both bodies with the object of preventing a clash. He had suggested that the other dance might be held on the 26th; that the C.Y.M.S. would be responsible for any expenditure which had been incurred, and that they would leave the decorations for the second dance. However, a majority of the committee of the organisation in question decided to adhere to the 19th. The C.Y.M.S. dance was one of the outstanding social events of the town, and the necessary preparations couldn't be made if there was a dance held the night previous. He therefore formally applied for the facilities granted in former years.

Mr. McMahon, as a very old member of the C.Y.M.S. and the Urban Council, strongly supported Mr. O'Gorman's application.

Mr. Lynch, speaking for the organisation in question that wanted the hall for Sunday night, 19th, said the gentleman referred to by Mr. O'Gorman was a bit fast in making any arrangement outside the committee. They had all arrangements made for the dance, and he couldn't see the difficulty of holding it. The C.Y.M.S. could start their decorations on the Saturday. There was nothing on the books to the effect that people booking the hall for a dance should also get it for two or three nights beforehand.

The Chairman said that the C.Y.M.S. for very many years past had got the hall for a few nights before the actual night of the dance to decorate the place, and he thought it only just and reasonable.

Mr. Lynch said his organisation had all their preparations made for the occasion.

The Chairman said the C.Y.M.S. had a prior claim and he wouldn't alter the custom in vogue for many years.

Mr. McMahon—Hear, hear.

Mr. Lynch asked Mr. McMahon to stop his shouting.

Mr. McMahon—As a member of the council I have a right to express my feelings.

The Chairman said there was no necessity for any crossfire. He would be guided by the action of the council in the past.

Mr. W. Broderick deprecated any irritation between any sections of the people. From the fact that there was a minority of the committee for postponing the dance in favour of the C.Y.M.S.'s claim, it was evident that there was a difference of opinion amongst them, and that the minority were of the opinion that a subsequent night would suit.

Mr. Clancy said that, although not a member of the C.Y.M.S., he had in past years supplied materials for the decoration of the hall a week beforehand. That Society was the premier organisation of the place, and they all looked up to it.

Mr. Lynch said he had nothing to say against the C.Y.M.S. Some of them might think he was a Bolshevik or something else of the kind. (No! No!) No member of his organisation had authority to make any arrangement outside the committee.

Mr. McMahon said he had 40 years' experience of dances and it would be utterly impossible to prepare the hall in one day.

The Chairman said they had enough about the matter. Mr. Lynch would, he felt sure, arrange with his committee.

Mr. Lynch—I can't arrange anything.

The Chairman said they should adhere to the old custom.

Mr. Lynch disagreed. It was most unfair.

Mr. Clancy proposed that the C.Y.M.S. get the hall for the 20th and for a few nights beforehand.

Mr. M. Broderick seconded.

Mr. Lynch moved that their application stand. They were entitled to it.

Mr. Beausang seconded.

Mr. W. Broderick said it was regrettable that they should have to go to a poll in a matter of the kind, giving rise to irritation for which there was no necessity.

Mr. M. Broderick said it was ridiculous to run two dances so close to one another with a small population like theirs.

Mr. Fowkes said he was totally disinterested, but he thought the C.Y.M.S. had the prior claim.

After further considerable discussion, the Clerk said there was a proposition by Mr. Clancy, seconded by Mr. M. Broderick, that the C.Y.M.S. get the hall for the 20th and a couple of days previously, and an amendment proposed by Mr. Lynch, and seconded by Mr. Beausang, that the other organisation, not mentioned, get the hall for the 19th.

On a poll there voted: For the C.Y.M.S.—Messrs. McMahon, Fowkes, O'Gorman, Kennedy, Murphy, Whelan, Linnahan, Broderick (2), Flennig, Clancy and the Chairman—12.

For the other Organisation—Messrs. Lynch and Beausang—2.

Didn't vote—Mr. Donnelly.

The application of the C.Y.M.S. was therefore granted.

A letter was read from the Hon. Sec. local branch of the Gaelic League applying for the use of the Town Hall on St. Patrick's night. It was the intention of the branch to organise a Gaelic function for the night.

On the proposition of Mr. McMahon, seconded by Mr. O'Gorman, the application was granted unanimously.

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Mrs. Ellen Power, Carrigadusta, Kilmeehan...
Mrs. M. O'Sullivan, Afane, Cappoquin...
Mrs. P. Morrissey, Ballycoe, Dungarvan...
Miss M. O'Donovan, Dromore, Aglish...
Mrs. M. O'Brien, Kilmash Cottage, Dungarvan...
Miss J. Cochrane, Leamybrien, Kilmacthomas...
Mrs. M. Power, Glen, Stadhbally...
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Miss E. Walsh, Ballylemon, Cappagh...
Miss B. Power, Slieverue, Butlerstown...
Mrs. D. Drohan, Ballynevin, Carrick-on-Suir...
Mrs. H. McGrath, Dysert, Ardmore...
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Miss M. Mulcahy, Abbeyview, Clonmel...
Mrs. E. Fraher, Bleanis, Ballinacult...
Miss Mary Hickey, Shanballyanne, Ballymacarbery...
Mrs. A. Power, Gortnadhia, Ring...
Miss K. Sheehan, Knockgarron, Modeligo...
Mrs. T. Donnelly, Glenmore, Dungarvan...
Miss P. Power, Killowen, Portlaw...
Mrs. P. Lynch, Knockroe, Passage East...
Mrs. M. Lombard, Drumgulane, Grange...
Miss M. Barry, Ballinwilling, Lismore...
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Mrs. A. Sheehan, Ballinroad, Dungarvan...
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CO. COUNCIL OF WATERFORD LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT, 1925 SECTION 25 (1) AND (2).

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BYE-LAWS FOR THE REGULATION OF WATER SUPPLIES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Waterford County Board of Public Health intend at the expiration of one month from the date of the publication of this Notice to apply to the Minister for Local Government and Public Health for confirmation of bye-laws proposed to be made by the said Board for the regulation of the Water Supplies in Waterford County Health District.

A copy of the proposed bye-laws is deposited at the offices of the said Board, County Home, Dungarvan, and will be open during the usual office hours thereat to the inspection of ratepayers of the County Health District without fee or reward for a period of one month from the date of the publication of this notice.

Any ratepayer of the County Health District may obtain on application to the Secretary of the said Board, a copy of the proposed bye-laws or any part thereof on payment of sixpence for every hundred words contained in such copy.

By Order of the Board, MICEAL O'FLOINN, Runaidhe, Oifig an Runaidhe, Arta's Connatae, 4-Dungarban, 17 ad Canair, 1933.

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CO. WATERFORD FARMER ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED.

A respectable and popular Co. Waterford farmer, Mr. Martin Grady, Feddins, near Carrick-on-Suir, fell into a deep pond near his house, on Monday, while looking after some cattle and was drowned.

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At Perth sales there was a drop of fully £20, in the average prices for Shorthorn bulls as compared with last year. The top price 500 gns. was paid by King George.

YOUGHAL NOTES.

SAD STORY.

A painful sensation was created by the receipt early this week of the sad news of the loss by drowning at sea of a young Youghal man, Thomas Smith, North Main Street. It appears that he was on his way home when he was washed overboard his ship in a gale-off the coast of France. He was little more than 20 years of age, a fine sturdy young fellow, and it is said he was going home to be married. A very sad coincidence is that a couple of years ago his father, also named Thomas, was drowned in a fishing boat disaster in Youghal, three lives being lost by the capsizing of a salmon yawl by a heavy sea as the crew were hauling in their nets at the mouth of the harbour. What makes the sorrowful tale all the more deplorable is the fact that the bereaved mother has an elder boy lying dangerously ill at the home, and it is said, hardly expected to recover.

Y.C.M.S. DANCE.

The annual dance of the Catholic Young Men's Society will be held on the night of Monday next, the 20th inst. As will be seen by a report in another column of the last meeting of the Urban Council, there was some likelihood of the fixture clashing with another dance arranged to be held on the 19th, but the council by a large majority decided to give the hall for that night to the Society's Dance Committee for the purpose of preparing and decorating the hall. For many years past this dance has been one of the most popular and successful local social functions. All the necessary arrangements are in the hands of a thoroughly go-ahead committee, which will spare neither time, trouble nor expense to make the venture a topping, if, not a record success. The Y.C.M.S. is the foremost association of the kind in the town, as is constantly proved by the fact that its membership is increasing regularly by the election of new members every month. The latest addition to its many advantages, an up-to-date wireless, is proving to be a great attraction judging by the numbers that nightly frequent the billiard room, in which it is installed.

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Certain sections of the public are almost always crying out for more amusement. "Why haven't we," they ask, "races, regatta, sports, etc., like other towns, not a hundred miles away from us?" Those people seem to lose sight of, or purposely ignore the very important fact, that these events can't be organised and carried out without the money. These fixtures bring a good day's trade to the town in various ways, but strange, but true to say, the parties who stand to gain most and directly by them are—the great majority at least—the poorest supporters in solid cash. The last regatta held here was a big success from many points of view. It provided a good day and night's sport; it attracted into the town many thousands of visitors, who must have spent a tidy sum of money during their stay, but, owing to the rather too elaborate lighting and other decorations, the committee were faced with a deficit. Their responsibility was incurred purely pro bono publico, and it is a rather poor commentary on the public spirit of that public that a small number of the committee had to pay out of their own pockets the bank overdraft to the tune of £4 to £5 a man. They worked and worried beforehand to make the fixture a success, and instead of being paid in any shape or form for their labour and time, they had to stump up handsomely for the privilege of doing it. It may be very reasonably concluded that they will not touch the like again with the proverbial 40-foot pole, and no one can blame them.

DEATH OF MRS. K. BOLGER, CAPPOQUIN.

Deep regret has been caused in Cappoquin by the death of Mrs. Kate Bolger, the beloved wife of Mr. Pierce Bolger, Proprietor, Blackwater Hotel, The Square, which occurred at a ripe age and after a protracted illness on Thursday evening 9th inst.

Deceased was a member of an old and respected family in Co. Wicklow, and had been residing in Cappoquin for the past 45 years, and during her long and honourable connection with the town she enjoyed to a remarkable degree the love and respect of all classes of the townspeople. Well read and highly-intellectual, she possessed a bright and cheerful disposition, while her probity and uprightness in all her commercial transactions were outstanding features in her charming and lovable character.

A staunch and exemplary Catholic, she was regularly attended in the latter stages of her long illness by the Very Rev. D. Canon Whelan, D.D., P.P., and the Rev. J. Crotty, C.C., so that she died a most peaceful and happy death, and her passing hence has now caused the deepest sorrow amongst the members of her respected family and a wide circle of loving friends.

The remains were removed to St. Mary's Catholic Church on Friday evening and on Saturday morning Requiem Masses were offered up for the repose of her soul, and later in the day the funeral took place to the New Cemetery at Dromore, Cappoquin, when there was a large and representative attendance of all sections of the general public to pay a fitting tribute of respect to the memory of a splendid type of Irish lady who was so universally esteemed by all.

The funeral cortege was headed by the Rev. J. Crotty, C.C., who read the final prayers at the graveside. The Chief mourners were—The Misses Anastasia and Julia Bolger, Cappoquin, and Mrs. M. A. Murphy, Cork, (daughters); Michael J. Murphy and Miss Bridie Murphy, do., (grandchildren), etc., etc.—R.I.P.

CO. WATERFORD FARMER ACCIDENTALLY DROWNED.

A respectable and popular Co. Waterford farmer, Mr. Martin Grady, Feddins, near Carrick-on-Suir, fell into a deep pond near his house, on Monday, while looking after some cattle and was drowned.

Lismore District Court.

(Continued).

Mattress Stuffed With Hay.

Michael F. Teehan, (Civic Guard), Cappoquin, brought a Civil Bill against Michael Rea, Cappoquin, for the recovery of the sum of 17/6, which had been paid defendant for the purchase of two children's mattresses.

Mr. A. R. Farrell, solr., Dungarvan, appeared for complainant, but the defendant failed to appear.

Complainant stated that he had made a contract with defendant to supply him with two small mattresses for children to be filled with fibre, the price of which was to be 17/6.

This amount was paid when the goods were delivered, but on examining the mattresses complainant found that one of them was filled with a mixture of wood clippings and hay, while the other one was filled entirely with hay.

On complainant refusing to keep them, defendant took them back and promised to refund the amount of 17/6, but he had failed to pay the amount since.

A decree for 17/6 was granted, complainant waiving a claim of 10/6 for damages which he had also sued for.

Action For Trespass.

Thos. Keniry, Carrigarrive, Cappagh, sued Patrick O'Keefe, and Annie O'Keefe, Knockgarron, do., for the sum of £10 damage caused by reason of the trespass of defendants' cattle on his grazing land.

Mr. J. W. O'Gorman, solr., Lismore, (for Mr. E. A. Ryan, State solr., Dungarvan), appeared for complainant, and the defendant, Patk. O'Keefe, conducted his own defence.

The evidence of complainant showed that he found 9 cows and 5 yearlings trespassing on his land on Dec. 3rd, 5th, 9th, 10th, and 11th, and handed them over to defendant, who used abusive and threatening language towards him.

In further evidence it was stated that the river Finisk was the boundary between their holdings, but owing to the failure of defendant to erect a railing on his land his cattle were regularly crossing the river and trespassing on complainant's land.

Complainant was cross-examined at length by defendant with a view to showing that the cause of the trespass was due to the former's failure to properly fence his land, and the Justice asked if there were any question of title involved, because, if so, the matter should be taken to the Circuit Court and finally settled there.

Mr. O'Gorman said there was no question of title involved, as far as he knew.

Defendant said Keniry's land had been derelict for years and could not be described as grazing land.

Mr. O'Gorman said that complainant had at present a number of valuable horses and colts grazing there so that the place could not be described as derelict.

After a patient and protracted hearing, the Justice said he would grant a decree for £5 damages.

Defendant (heatedly)—I won't pay it, sir, as I will appeal the case to the Circuit Court.

Justice—I hope you will, because as I have already said, I would be glad to have this matter finally decided by the Circuit Court Judge.

The Justice later reduced the amount of the decree from £5 to £2 10s., as he said he did not think there could be much grazing on any land in the month of December, and the reduced sum should meet the case.

More Civil Bills.

The Blackwater Valley Co-Operative Society, Cappoquin, obtained decrees against two defendants for amounts due for shop goods, etc., while a third case against a defendant from Tourin was adjourned for 3 months on defendant undertaking to pay the full amount of the debt within that period.

Mr. E. Carroll, solr., Fermoy, appeared for the plaintiffs in all these cases.

In the course of some other civil bills, in which Mr. J. W. O'Gorman, solr., Lismore, appeared for the plaintiffs, Mr. O'Gorman, complained that Civil Bill Officer O'Neill, Tallo, had refused to attend the Court that day, although he had been written to and also verbally requested to do so, and he asked if the Justice had power to compel this officer to attend Court, when necessary, as on the present occasion?

The Rules of Court having been produced, it was found that the Justice had such power, and the Justice then instructed Mr. O'Gorman to report O'Neill's action to the proper quarter.

A Promissory Note.

John O'Brien, Ballygambon, sued John Ryan, do., for the amount which he had to pay to the National Bank on foot of a Promissory Note which he had signed as surety when defendant was obtaining a loan from the Bank.

Mr. O'Gorman, solr., appeared for plaintiff, but defendant did not put in an appearance. A decree for the full amount, plus interest, was granted.

Occasional Licence.

Mr. Aidan Walsh, Licentiate, Cappoquin, was granted an occasional Licence for the purpose of running a Bar at the Cappoquin Point-to-Point Races on Thursday, Feb. 16th.

The Justice—What are the hours? Applicant—From 12 o'clock until 6, sir. Supt. Quinlan said he had no objection to the hours named, and the licence was, therefore, granted for the six hours named.

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Wandering Animals.

Guard Purcell, Lismore, summoned John Lynch, do., for allowing a horse to wander on the main street in Lismore.

Defendant's son appeared, and said the horse had been kept in a field, but somebody had opened the gate and allowed the animal to wander down the town.

A fine of 1/- was imposed. Guard Murphy, Lismore, v. Daniel Bourke, Salterbridge, for allowing two goats to wander on the public road at Ballyglane. Fined 1/-.

No. Light. Guard Houlihan, Lismore, v. Wm. O'Donnell, Tallo, for having no light on his bicycle. Fined 1/.

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WEST WATERFORD HOUNDS. MEETS FOR FEBRUARY—1933.

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IN THE HOLY LAND.

TRAIL OF NEBUCHADNEZZAR'S SOLDIERS.

A trail of desolation was left by Nebuchadnezzar's soldiers 2,500 years ago—and today the Holy Land is still scarred and barren as a result of their ravages. This amazing illustration of the saying that the evil that men do lives after them, is detailed in a report from British excavators which Sir Charles Marston has just received in London. The report tells too how a tragic transformation has come over that oft-mentioned land that was once flowing with milk and honey. This is the latest report of the excavations of Tell Duweir—believed to be the site of Lachish—in South Palestine. The work is under the direction of Mr. J. L. Starkey, on behalf of the Wellcome Historical Museum. Visitors to the Holy Land, it states, are usually impressed with the barrenness of the country and recall with incredulity the Old Testament statements of its being a land flowing with milk and honey. Here at Tell Duweir, some 25 miles south of Jerusalem, the expedition is camping in the midst of desolation, and yet it is evident that once upon a time the city they are excavating was surrounded by fertile valleys, and hills covered with oak, olive or fig trees or else terraced with vineyards. All these beautiful gifts of nature were uprooted and destroyed by war many more they constituted the very fuel which Nebuchadnezzar's soldiers (in B.C. 586) piled up against the city's walls and fired in order to break down its defences. Mr. Starkey draws a clear distinction between the more civilised siege methods of Sennacherib, the Assyrian (B.C. 701) and the Barbarian, once employed later by the Babylonians. The expedition is finding ample traces of both of these. On the edge of the excavations a deep well has been found dating back to the days of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. The tombs are yielding an interesting collection of bronze armlets, scarabs, earrings, beads, pottery, and articles in bronze or iron.