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MUNSTER INDUSTRIAL ADVOCATE

WATERFORD CO. BOARD OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE.

Mr. Michl. Curran, Vice-Chairman, presided at the monthly meeting of the above at Dungarvan, on Wednesday. Also present Messrs. T. Treacy, Jas. Cosgrave, M. F. Walsh, D. Coghlan, P. Caulfield, Wm. Stack, J. Butler, T. Synnott, J. Kiersey.

Late Mr. Keohan. Mr. Walsh, proposed and Mr. Caulfield seconded, the following vote of sympathy:—That we, the members of the Board of Public Assistance desire to tender to the family of the late Mr. Edmund Keohan, and to our Secretary, our sincere sympathy on his death.

Mr. Stack, speaking to the resolution, said he had known the late Mr. Keohan for the past 60 years, as a most respectable citizen and a right honourable man.

Chairman—I also knew the late Mr. Keohan for the past 30 years. From time to time reporting the meetings of this and other Boards, he gave to every member the full benefit to which they were entitled. His sons had lost a good father.

Secretary—I am very much obliged to the members for their kind vote of sympathy, and wish to thank you all on behalf of the family and myself. The resolution was then put and passed in silence, all present standing.

Office Painting. Arising out of the report of the Secretary, that his office required painting, etc., the Board made an order that a painter be employed.

A Prosecution. Superintendent Phelan, reported that a man named Joseph Galvin, Waterford, was prosecuted for drawing Home Assistance while in employment. The order of the Court was that the money be refunded.

Chairman—Is the money refunded since? Superintendent—No, not yet, but I expect it will be refunded.

Increase Of Salary. Mr. Phelan, Superintendent Assistant Officer, wrote calling the attention of the Board to a resolution passed at the meeting on April, 15th granting him annual increments of £10 until the maximum of £400 is reached.

Mr. Butler said that knowing Mrs. Stack's mind, it would be useless to ask her to reconsider her decision, so he regretted having to propose that her resignation be accepted. Mrs. Stack, during her many years service, had been a most efficient official, and during her thousands of cases, showed tenderness and sympathy to all.

Mr. Butler then handed in notice for the next meeting that the maximum superannuation be allowed Mrs. Stack.

The usual steps will be taken to fill the position.

More Coal Needed. The caretaker of Peter street, Dispensary, Waterford, applied for an extra ton of coal as there was no last in the present supply.

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Mr. Kiersey—What kind of grates are there? Mr. Caulfield—The latest. Chairman—When the time comes the Secretary can deal with it. The matter was adjourned.

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It was decided to charge a rent of £25 per year from April 1st.

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Mr. Butler—It was agreed that both Boards pay half, and as you have sanction for the loan, it would be the better arrangement to fall in with the Minister's suggestion. It was agreed to adopt this course.

Request Of Co. Council For Reduction Of Demand.

The resolution from the Finance Committee of the Co. Council, asking for a reduction of the estimate of the various committees was read. It was pointed out that the Council proposed raising a loan of £10,000 for road work which would reduce Home Assistance. In case of a deficit by the Board at the end of the year the Co. Council would consent to the raising of an overdraft.

Secretary, replying to a member said it would be better not to touch the estimate. The overdraft was not on certain conditions, but if they reduce the estimate to-day, the overdraft would not be sanctioned.

Mr. Kiersey—I think we were all agreeable at the last meeting of the Co. Council not to raise the rate higher than last year.

Mr. Butler said that they know the Co. Council was not agreeable to increase the rate. He thought the best thing to do was not to discuss the matter to-day, but call a special meeting to deal with it.

It was decided to call a special meeting for the second Saturday in March.

Stocktakers.

For the position of Stocktaker at the Lismore Hospital, one application was received, viz., J. F. O'Donnell, who was appointed.

Two applications, viz., T. Smyth, Burgery, and Lee Flynn, Pike, were received for the position of Stocktaker at the Dungarvan Co. Home.

A show of hands between the two resulted in three votes each, the Chairman giving his casting vote in favour of Lee Flynn, he was declared appointed.

Lismore Catholic Boy Scouts. An application on behalf of the Lismore Branch of the Catholic Boy Scouts and Girls Guides, for the use of the former Fever Hospital was read.

The matter was referred to Dr. Healy, for a report before granting the premises.

Resigned.

Mrs. Kate Stack, Midwife, wrote tendering her resignation after 32 years service. She asked that the maximum superannuation be allowed her.

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Youghal Circuit Court.

CLAIMS AT YOUGHAL. NEW HOTEL LICENCE.

At Youghal Circuit Court, last week, before Judge O'Connor, K.C.

Mrs. Susan Hurley, made application for a new spirit licence in respect of the premises known as the Espinade Hotel, Bayville, Lower Strand, Youghal.

The application was opposed by Mr. Michael O'Driscoll, B.L., on behalf of Mr. Martin J. Lally, an inhabitant of the neighbourhood, and Mr. Jas. F. Meagher on behalf of the Garda Siochana.

Mr. Denis J. Tierney, C.E., in reply to Mr. George Daly, B.L., for the applicant, produced a plan of the premises which showed there were already five bedrooms on the ground floor; two bedrooms, a reception room, dining room, and five other bedrooms upstairs, making twelve bedrooms in all. Witness said he was engaged on an extension to the premises which would provide further accommodation, including lavatory and garage, 18 rooms.

Cross-examined by Mr. O'Driscoll—Witness said a bathroom had been converted into bedroom. Witness denied any of the bedrooms were only 4 1/2 feet wide; the smallest on the ground floor was 5 feet, and on the second floor 6 feet wide, while some were 14 to 16 feet wide.

His Lordship said he was satisfied the house had been squeezed to bring it within the Act.

Mrs. Susan Hurley, the applicant, said she was the widow of a Civil Servant and had carried on the business made as a private hotel for the past 15 years. She found there was a great necessity for supplying refreshments to her guests. Recently she had acquired the fee-simple of the property and had decided on an extension of the accommodation. Her family consisted of a son and daughter, the former at school, and she kept one maid, one waiter and four in summer; they slept out, as was the custom in the locality. While running the private hotel she found some of her guests had turned away because she had no licence. Mr. Lally, who was opposing the application, witness said, was the station master, and he was opposing for the railway restaurant, which was licensed, but was only open four months of the year. Last year was a wonderfully successful year in Youghal, and she believed the present accommodation for tourists was insufficient. Her hotel was the only hotel at the eastern end of the town.

Cross-examined by Mr. Meagher—Witness admitted she had run the hotel successfully as a temperance hotel.

His Lordship—You made money running it as a temperance hotel. You bought your fee-simple interest.

Witness—I would be more successful if I had a licence.

His Lordship—Does not your success indicate a temperance hotel is wanted by a certain class of people? Witness—I licensed house is wanted there; there are many drownings accidents and people get weak on the strand (laughter).

Mr. O'Driscoll—I suggest the Strand Hotel is not 200 yards from your house and a short distance away are the Pacific and the Atlantic Hotels.

Cross-examined as to why she did not apply before if the necessity was there, witness said while her husband lived she ran the hotel as a hobby.

Mr. O'Driscoll—You were opposed to the granting of a licence in Youghal that time, and gave evidence before Judge Kenny opposing a licence at the Pacific Hotel?

Witness—Yes, because I thought the grocery part was to be licensed, and I did not want to see women and children coming out of a licensed premises. It was in the public interest.

His Lordship—That was a very commendable thing, but I could not see my predecessor granting a hotel licence in respect of a grocer's shop.

Witness said it was purely on public grounds she was now applying for her own licence; she had many distinguished people from all parts of the globe stopping at her hotel. People living in a house did not want to be going outside for refreshments.

After further cross-examination as to the accommodation she would require for herself and her family and maids.

Mr. Meagher pointed out that the rooms required for the family and staff would not leave the necessary rooms available at present.

Mr. Daly suggested the application should be postponed until his Lordship had evidence of the completed extension and adjourning the application.

His Lordship said the applicant had been carrying on a successful temperance hotel, where distinguished people stopped from many places. He would not like to imperil that trade, and he thought the granting of a

Late Mr. E. Keohan, Dungarvan.

THE FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Mr. Edmund Keohan, Main street, Dungarvan, whose death we reported in our last issue, took place on Friday last from the Parish Church, Dungarvan, to the family burial ground, Tramore, where the interment took place. The cortege was of imposing dimensions and in keeping with the esteem in which the deceased and the members of his family are held. The sad procession was accompanied to the outskirts of the town by thousands of citizens, representative of all classes, while from near and far mourners came to pay a last tribute of respect to his memory. A big procession of motors followed, the remains to Tramore, while big numbers of sympathisers joined in at the latter place. At the Holy Cross Church, the remains were received by Very Rev. Canon O'Brien, P.P., V.P., Dungarvan and Very Rev. Canon Walsh, P.P., Tramore, who recited the last prayers at the graveside, assisted by Very Rev. M. Norris, P.P., St. Patrick's; Rev. W. Flynn, C.C., Tramore; Rev. L. Egan, C.C., Dungarvan; Rev. M. F. Heane, C.C., Dungarvan; Rev. J. O'Reilly, C.C., Ring; Very Rev. Fr. Pattinger, Prior, O.S.A., Dungarvan; Rev. R. Walsh, O.S.A., do.; and Rev. P. Donegan, O.S.A., do.

The remains were carried on the shoulders of the members of the National and Literary Club, Dungarvan, of which he was the popular President.

The chief mourners were—T. F. Keohan, D. E. Keohan, John and James Keohan, (sons); Mrs. O'Reilly, Rathgar, Dublin; Mrs. Thornton, Gort, Co. Galway and Mrs. O'Hara, Dungarvan, (daughters); Mrs. Meade, Summerhill Hotel, Tramore (niece); J. O'Reilly, E. J. Thornton, and M. M. O'Hara, (sister-in-law); Mr. O'Flynn, Secretary Co. Board of Public Health and Assistance, (brother-in-law), etc., etc.

THE LATE MR. KEOHAN, AS A BILLIARD PLAYER.

There is a magnetism in the chain of continuity that binds one generation with another—some outstanding ability, or unusual trait in one's character that acts as a link. Remove the link and the attracting force flows on in a greater or lesser degree. Apart from his general abilities, the attracting force in the late Mr. Keohan's character was his outstanding prowess as a Billiard player. He stood head and shoulders over his immediate opponents. He was a dour but gentle antagonist, one who could adapt himself to the difficulty "of a lay" with amazing skill, and ever watchful to reap advantage of the least opening that was afforded him. In his younger days a break of 100 was a daily event with the late Mr. Keohan. He had a style peculiar to himself, one that would not perhaps, commend itself at first glance, but which on closer contact displayed the fine technique which is indispensable in first-class players. He suffered one disadvantage in not having an opportunity to oppose players who were worthy of his skill, yet, even against the weakest of opponents, his love of the game would ever assert itself in his determination to win. A few years ago, at the age of 77, he compiled a beautiful "break" of 154. For this feat he was awarded with a specially engraved cue by the firm of Messrs. Orme & Sons. It was one of the many trophies which the late Mr. Keohan cherished, but one, which we venture to say, was dearer to him than all the others. We leave to others the task of penning an eulogy on Mr. Keohan's life, but his Billiard pupils offer no apology in being permitted to pay an humble panegyric to a worthy master.

G.A.A.

At the Gaelic Field, Dungarvan, on Sunday last, the final match of the Co. Waterford Junior Football Championship was decided, the finalists being Villiersstown and Mount Sion.

After a closely contested game, Villiersstown secured the medals by a goal margin.

Mr. Michl. Connors, Dungarvan, refereed.

INDUSTRIAL ALCOHOL.

Mr. MacEntee, was given leave in the Dail to introduce a supplementary vote for £8,000 for the purpose of installing an experimental plant for the manufacture of industrial alcohol.

licence would imperil it. He was now asked to adjourn the application, as it was premature, the requisite accommodation not being available. He would allow it to stand adjourned, with costs against the applicant, and without holding out any hope that the licence would be granted.

Youghal Mental Hospital

At the meeting of the Youghal Mental Hospital Committee, Mr. J. R. Connolly, T.C., presided. Also present—Rev. Fr. Wilson, secretary, and Dr. Twomey.

The Chairman said he regretted that the Lord Mayor and Mr. D. Gamble had sustained bereavements, the former by the death of his uncle and the latter by the death of his sister. He proposed that the sympathy of the committee be extended to them.

The Rev. Fr. Wilson, in seconding the motion, said that Mr. Gamble had been very assiduous in attendance at the meetings, and took a deep interest in the welfare of the hospital and the patients. He joined with the staff in their sympathy with Mr. Gamble.

The votes of condolence were then passed.

Dr. Twomey submitted the following report—Since my last report there has been one death. The deceased belonged to the Cork Mental Hospital. Nine patients were confined to bed on the male side of the house and eight on the female side owing to debility and other causes. There has been no case of seclusion, restraint, injury, or violence. There has been no complaint of the water supply. The food supplies have been regularly examined and found up to the standard requirements. There has been no case of syphilitic disease, and the general health of the institution is excellent. The report was adopted.

The following report was then read: Since last meeting four male patients have been admitted from the Cork Mental Hospital, one male patient has been transferred, and one patient has died. The total number of residents at present is 427 (249 men and 178 women). On the evening of the 31st ult. a most enjoyable entertainment was given by the local branch of the Gaelic Players, and was much appreciated by the patients and staff. The management wish to express their gratitude. I submit a communication from Messrs. Pountney and Co., Ltd., and also from the Department of Local Government and Public Health in reference to the payment of rates which have been imposed since the acceptance of a tender for the supply of delph ware. I have made the necessary application to the Department of Industry and Commerce, but have not yet received a reply. The accounts for the period ended September 30, 1933, have been audited during the month. A cheque value £23 11s. 5d. has been received from the Farmers' Union Abbotfor for the sale of five pigs and lodged to the credit of the Mental Hospital account.

The Chairman said it was a very kindly and thoughtful act on the part of the local branch of the Gaelic Players to provide entertainment for the patients and staff, and he wished to have the committee's appreciation recorded of the treat given to the patients.

The Rev. Fr. Wilson and Dr. Twomey joined in the expression of thanks.

The report was adopted and the committee adjourned after the transaction of business of a purely routine nature.

DEATH OF MISS K. MULLINS, ABBEYSIDE.

Public sympathy goes out to Mr. Timothy Mullins, and family, King street, Abbeyside in their sorrow occasioned by the death of the above-named which sad event took place on Monday last after an illness borne with true Christian fortitude, and at the early age of 25 years.—R.I.P.

The deceased young lady was a universal favourite, gentle and unassuming in her manner, and beloved by all who had the pleasure of knowing her. The remains accompanied by a large cortege were removed to the Parish Church, Abbeyside on Tuesday evening, borne all the way on the shoulders of the young men of the village, they were received at the Church by the Very Rev. Fr. Dunphy, P.P., and conveyed into the Church. The interment took place in the adjoining cemetery on Wednesday.

"GREEN SHIRTS" NOW.

It is stated that green shirts may be worn by the Associated Easter Week Men in the Easter Sunday parade commemorating 1916. It is proposed to reorganise the Association, and a meeting will be held on Sunday next.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

"Wounded in the war, were you? Badly?" The bullet hit me in the chest here, sur, 'n' came out at me back!" "Come, come Pat, that won't do! Why, it would have gone right through your heart, man!" "Och, faix, my heart was in my mouth at the time sir."

Cappoquin Races.

SPLENDIDLY-MANAGED MEETING AND A WONDERFUL SUCCESS.

The Officials, Stewards, and members of the Committee of the Cappoquin Point-to-Point Races, held on 16th, inst., deserve to be warmly congratulated on the manner in which the arrangements were carried out, as well as for the great success which attended this popular fixture which has now taken its place amongst the leading Point-to-Point meetings held in Munster each year. A heavy grey frosty fog hung over the landscape early in the morning and for a long time threatened to seriously interfere with a view of the racing, but shortly after mid-day the fog lifted and beautiful sunshine prevailed for the afternoon, which made the conditions ideal for the large gathering which thronged the beautiful course at Ballynoe.

The fine course had been very carefully laid out for this year's meeting, and the committee had spared neither trouble nor expense in preparing the various jumps in a manner which should appeal to all huntsmen and Jockeys. It was not their fault that such a number of horses came to grief on the occasion, as it is a well-known fact that when one horse makes a mistake when leading, those immediately following at racing speed stand a poor chance of escaping similar disaster.

Nobody regretted those accidents more than the members of the Committee, but they have cast no reflection on the condition of the course, as similar accidents frequently happen in the Grand National, where some of the best jumpers in the world compete each year. Out of the five races on the card, four provided close and thrilling finishes, the winning distances varying from half a length to four lengths, and few sportsmen could ask for more exciting sport.

The only easy win of the day was in the Light-Weight Hunt Race, in which only three horses ran, and this was won in runaway fashion by Miss E. Lysaght's May Star II, brilliantly ridden by Mr. C. Montgomery, perhaps one of the finest cross-country riders of the day. Large fields were witnessed in all the other races, there being eleven starters in the first event, nine in the third, twelve in the fourth and ten in the final race. 45 horses competed altogether which shows what a generous measure of support was accorded the meeting from all parts of Munster.

The punctuality with which the various events were run off should prove a useful headline to promoters of other meetings, as the Committee had all the Jockeys weighed out long before the hour of each race, but this excellent arrangement was greatly facilitated by the fact that two large marquees were erected, one as a dressing-room for the riders, and the other as a weighing-room and there was no congestion or confusion.

Too much praise cannot be given to Messrs. M. J. Sargent and P. Walsh, for the manner in which they carried out their onerous duties as Hon. Secs., while Mr. J. Lincoln, Treasurer, and Mr. M. F. Walsh, Clerk of Scales, were also most efficient and hard-working officials. Mr. S. J. Power, as Starter, and Mr. Ion Villiers Stuart, M.P.H., as Judge, proved singularly impartial and successful in their positions, while as Clerks of the Course Miss Freda Keane, Mr. R. L. Keane and Mr. W. Curran, were outstanding successes. Mr. J. McCarthy, B.A., as Telegraph Steward, was a hard and indefatigable worker all the day, as was also Mr. T. E. Ebrill, B.A., in checking off the names of all horses and Jockeys competing, while other members of the Committee who rendered invaluable assistance were Messrs.—R. Bell, Junr., P. Cahill, J. Olden, P. Morrissey, and M. J. O'Connor, Mr. C. P. Hynes, V.S., Lismore, and Mr. R. Byrne, V.S., Dungarvan, as Veterinary Surgeons, rendered great service, while as Honorary Surgeon, the genial Dr. Wm. White, was always ready to attend to the injuries and alleviate the sufferings of any Jockeys who may have been injured.

The Bar was excellently conducted by Mr. George Russell, Cappoquin, on the licence of Mrs. M. O'Donovan, do., while drinks of superior quality were supplied by Messrs. R. A. Merry and Co., Dungarvan, so that the requirements of the "inner man" were carefully looked after. As a result of the great success of this year's fixture, the members of the Race Committee find themselves in a very satisfactory financial position, and are able to look forward with the greatest confidence to the holding of an even more successful race meeting next year. It should be stated that the five valuable Challenge Cups were graciously presented to the various winners at the close of the meeting by Miss Freda Keane.



WATERFORD CO. BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

Mr. Patk. O'Gorman, Chairman, presided at the monthly meeting of the above held on Saturday, February 10th. Also present—Messrs D. Heekin, Wm. Slack, M. Curran, J. Kiersey, Mce. Keane, L. Halloran.

Financial Statement. The Secretary submitted the financial statement for the month of Jan., which showed a debit balance of £3,339 18s. 11d.

Blind Pensions. Mr. Moloney, Home Assistance Officer, reported that Mrs. Power, Coxtown, was a recipient under the above scheme and her husband is in receipt of 10/- per week Old Age Pension since June 29th, 1933.

Milk Analysis. The Superintendent Assistance Officer, reported that he had written to a number of Civic Guards Stations, asking to have analysis made of samples of milk supplied by the contractors under the Free Milk Scheme and requesting copy of analyst's report to be forwarded in each case, and he had now received replies in some cases stating that they cannot give any information as to the results of analysis.

Increase Of Salary. When the application for an increase of salary by Mr. E. Keyes, assistant in Secretary's Office, came up for consideration, the Chairman, proposed, that five annual increments of £15 be given, the first increment to operate immediately. The resolution was passed unanimously.

Knowledge Of Irish. A letter was read from the Minister, forwarding for the Board's information copy of an Order made by the Minister entitled the Local Offices and Employments (Gaeltacht) (Amendment) Order, 1934, which amends the Gaeltacht Orders of 1928, 1931 and 1932 in so far as that officers whose term of office should have terminated on the 28th. Feb., 1934, are allowed to continue in office until 31st. July, 1934, but not after that date unless in the meantime they have satisfied the Minister that they possess the knowledge of Irish mentioned in Article 3 of the Principal Order.

Tenders For Milk. The Department wrote approving of from 1/- to 1/4 for the supply of milk under the Free Milk Grant in accordance with list of contractors submitted to the Department on the 20th Jan. Copies of the Veterinary Inspector's reports regarding the premises, etc., of the approved contractors should be transmitted to the Department as soon as possible.

Jazz And Dances. A letter from the General Secretary Gaelic League, submitting for the Board's approval, a resolution of protest against the broadcasting of Jazz from 2RN., and advocating a boycott on foreign dances, was approved.

Reduction Of Estimate. The resolution from the Secretary Co. Council regarding the request of the Co. Council Finance Committee, to reduce the estimate and demands came up for consideration.

Officials Salaries. A letter was read from the Secretary Waterford County Branch of the Irish Local Government Officials' Union, forwarding for the Board's approval, copy of resolution passed by his Branch, protesting against the proposal in the Local Services (Temporary Economies) (No. 2) Bill, 1933, to reduce the salaries of officials of Local Authorities.

Vaccination Defaulters. The following reports were received from the Medical Officers of the undementioned districts submitting list of Vaccination Defaulters under the Vaccination Acts for quarter ended 31st. Dec. 1933, viz.—Ballymacarbry Dispensary District, 2 defaulters; Clashmore Dispensary District no defaulters; Rathgormack Dispensary District, 12 defaulters; Seskinane Dispensary District, 7 defaulters; Tallow Dispensary District, 13 defaulters.

Garranbaun Water Supply. A letter was read from Mr. H. T. Spreadborough, Engineer, with reference to Water Supply at Garranbaun, Ballinacoury, reporting that the springs and reservoir for district of Clones and Ballinacoury which experienced a shortage during the dry period is an old supply of many years standing, the feed pipes and reservoir were in a bad condition. In order to keep the supply going the feed pipes had to be cleaned and renewed where

broken and the remaining capacity of the reservoir required and estimated that this work will not be sufficient to complete the requirements of storage at the head works to prepare for a dry season as the supply at the moment is dependent in the by-pass from the springs. The storage reservoir which is a masonry structure is in a bad state, the wall, floor and roof being cracked, and unsafe due to subsidence, consequently it would be useless to repair it as further settlements would take place causing loss of storage. On this account, it must be reconstructed and improved. The tank is a fairly large one 20 feet long by 12 feet wide by 8 feet deep having a capacity of 11,800 gallons storage. The cost to clean the site and make a new storage reservoir would be £103 more or less.

Appointment Of Caretaker For Carriganvry Reservoir. Nine applications were received for the above position. Mr. Michl. Hutchinson, was unanimously appointed at the existing rate of salary—£10 a year.

Glenbeg Water Supply. The following letter from the Minister for Local Government and Public Health was read, re proposed water supply for Glenbeg near Dungarvan, stating that the allocation of a grant cannot be considered for any work until full plans and specification and estimate thereof have first been submitted and approved by the Department and not until the Board will proceed expeditiously with the Knockenpower and Ardmore works, towards which grants have already been proposed. If the Board make suitable arrangements for the preparation of a competent Engineer of the plans, etc., in connection with the Glenbeg supply the scheme would be considered in the next financial year. The Minister should, however, be furnished in the first instance with a report from the local Medical Officer of Health, as to the necessity for the work. Also enclosing form for the particulars required to be furnished in connection with loan.

Aglish Water Supply. A letter was also read re the proposed extension of Aglish Water Supply, referring to Glenbeg Scheme and stating that the same consideration would apply in connection with the extension of the Aglish Water Supply. If the Board should decide to proceed with the work, a report should be furnished to the Department in the first instance from a competent Engineer as to the nature and extent of the existing supply at Aglish including particulars of the date when the original supply was installed, the method of distribution, etc. A report on the necessity for the proposed extension should be furnished at the same time by the local Medical Officer of Health.

Ardmore Water Supply. The Department also wrote re Ardmore Water Supply, stating that the Minister would be glad to be informed of the Board's reasons for adjourning consideration of the matter. If the Board desire to obtain a grant towards the work, the revised plans, etc., must be submitted without delay. No contribution from current relief funds will be made towards any work which is not in progress by the end of the present month. The proposal should accordingly be again brought before the Board of Health for immediate consideration.

Cappoquin Sewerage. Mr. Spreadborough, Engineer, wrote, re Medical Officer of Health's report regarding Drainage of houses at Barrack street, Cappoquin, reporting that he inspected the locality and is satisfied that no form of proper drainage exists for the houses referred to. There are three terraces of houses at the South side of the street comprising 16 small houses and 19 two-storied houses and the level of yards is so low that it would not be possible to drain them to the public road sewer, consequently, it would be necessary to lay a line of sewer along the back gardens through Mill Race, Industrial School grounds, to the public road sewer in Cook street, and before the Scheme could be drawn up it would be necessary to get consent from the particular owners through the Board's legal advisers.

Tenders For Cottages. The tender of Mr. John Flynn, Mary street, Dungarvan, for the erection of six cottages for the sum of £1,528 16s. 0d. was accepted.

Fencing Plots. The following tenders were received in connection with the fencing of plots and accepted at 21 per plot—John Hannon, Monatarriv, Lismore, plot at Ballynelligan; John Power, Union Road, Kilmacthomas, plots at Ballyhussa and Ross; Mce. Walsh, Kilmunion, Stradbally, two plots at Stradballymore; Michl. Parks, Ballyduff, Dungarvan, four plots at Bawtune, and two plots at Ballyduff East.

GREAT DAY'S SPORT. BIG FIELDS.

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Though the outlook in the morning could scarcely be described as promising, a dense fog being in evidence, the weather cleared up beautifully for the annual Point-to-Point Fixture at Ballyone, near Cappoquin, under the auspices of the West Waterford Hunt. It was a very enjoyable day's sport, for, fields were large and interest was well sustained in various events during the day. There were many falls, particularly in the opening race, and, though one horse was killed, the riders escaped serious injury. The card was run well up to schedule, and though an objection held up many in the evening, that was not the fault of the officials, who did their duties remarkably well, and are to be congratulated on the success which attended their efforts.

There was a terrible crop of casualties in the Open Maiden Race, only three of the eleven who made up the field standing after the second fence. The inexplicable portion of it was that it was a fine big double at which, under normal conditions, a horse should not fall, but emerging as they were from a plough, the first one made a mistake and brought down the others. Royal Velvet, the favourite was quickly remounted, with Ptolemy another of the casualties, and a mile from home the last named looked like winning, but in the last two furlongs Highland Piper came along like a real good one and won comfortably. The winner is a promising type of young horse, by Piper's Son—Clonkeery Superiority was injured when he fell and had to be destroyed.

The Light-Weight Hunt Race dwindled to a three-corner affair in which prohibitive odds were asked about May Star. Those were fully justified, however, judging by the easy manner in which she won. For a time Musical Holiday kept her company, but the effort was not sustained. May Star, who is by Denis d'Or—Shannon Lass II., thus scored her second win this season and her tenth successive victory.

There was a nice field of nipe runners for the Cobs Race, and most was thought for the chances of True Minstrel, that had won at Tallow, with Abundance Declared next in demand, followed by Red Rose. The last named made practically every inch of the running, closely followed by True Minstrel and The Caffer. A mile from home Red Rose had established a good lead, followed by The Caffer and True Minstrel. The last named then began to make up a lot of ground and though he provided a rousing finish he failed to get on terms with Red Rose. An objection to the winner was subsequently withdrawn.

For the Open Farmers' Race there were a dozen starters, and Ballyone II. that had run well in Kilkenny last year was thought most of, but his supporters knew their fate early, as he got a bad fall at the first fence, and Mr. Mahony received a severe shaking. Then Corcoran Card went on from Blue Pearl and Auld Glory for nearly a mile, when Corcoran Card fell. About half-way Auld Glory went to the front, and though in the closing stages Blue Pearl got on terms, Mr. Harris had the measure of him, with Auld Glory, and drew away to win with something in hands. The winner is by Ben Alder, and Mrs. Hyde who owns him is the lady who caused something of a sensation when she scooped the pool when Countess Aileen won the big steeplechase at Limerick last year. The Confined Hunt Race, with which the proceedings concluded, was quite the best race of the day and provided a rousing finish. Iron Duke went away in front, followed by Camphire Hill, with the favourite, Nancy's Cottage, lying fourth, but in the closing stages Camphire Hill practically got on terms with the leader, and in a really good finish Iron Duke just held on to his lead to win by half a length. The winner is by Iron Hand and went well all through the race. Details—OPEN MAIDEN RACE, Value £20. Winner, £15 and Cup; second, £3; third, £2. About two miles. Mr. J. Barry's HIGHLAND PIPER 1. Mr. P. O'Brien 1. Mr. D. Noonan's GRATEFUL 2. LADY, Mr. J. Carroll 2. Mr. T. R. Goff's PTOLEMY, owner 3. Also ran—Mr. M. D. Barry's Speck, Mr. D. Barry, Mr. R. J. Dunworth's Royal Velvet, Mr. N. Connolly, Mr. P. Sheehan's Lady Allori, Mr. W. Fitzgerald, Mr. J. Magner's The Rajah, Mr. P. Power, Mr. C. F. P. Creed's

CLUBS FOR DAMAGES.

At the Waterford Circuit Court, before Mr. Justice Sealy, John Thompson, claimed compensation for the alleged malicious burning of a haystack and 40 tons of hay at his farm at Fews, on October 7th, 1933.

Mr. Budd, B.L. (instructed by Messrs. I. Thornton and Son, solrs.) for the applicant, stated that his Lordship was already familiar with the case, as somebody else's hay was burned on the same night. The case came before his Lordship at Dungarvan. On a subsequent occasion the person who burned the hay was arraigned before his Lordship and indicted with the offence. He pleaded guilty, but there was some question as to whether he was in the full possession of his faculties. His Lordship sentenced him to twelve months' imprisonment on each of the counts on which he was indicted, the sentences to run concurrently. This made it clear and obvious that the man was in full possession of his faculties and understood what he was doing and saying at the time he committed the act.

His Lordship—This case has a familiar sound to me. I remember refusing to give compensation because the man was of unsound mind.

Mr. Budd, continuing, said that Mr. Thompson resided in Limerick, but had a substantial farm of 417 acres near Kilmacthomas. His brother lived within about a mile and looked after the farm for him. The burning took place about eight o'clock and Mr. Thompson's brother, who was called during the night, saw the place gutted. The sheds which were destroyed cost £150 in 1910, and for their replacement at the present moment Messrs. Graves would charge £116 10s. The 40 tons of hay destroyed were valued at £3 per ton, or £120. The Civic Guards had reason to suspect Thomas Connolly in connection with the burning, and when charged with the offence Connolly admitted it. Evidence was here taken, the claimant, a member of the Garda, an employee of Messrs. Graves and Co., and Mr. Colbert, solr., Court Registrar, being examined. The latter proved the conviction and sentence in the case of Connolly.

In reply to Mr. Esmonde, B.L. (instructed by Messrs. Dobbins and McCoy, solrs.) who represented the Waterford Co. Council, Mr. Colbert said that Connolly was not professionally represented at the trial.

Mr. Esmonde recalled that his Lordship refused an application for compensation by Mr. Shanahan, for the burning. A week afterwards, at the sitting of the Circuit Court in Waterford, a man named Connolly was convicted of having actually set fire not only to Mr. Shanahan's hay but also to the hay in question. There was an inquiry at the court as to whether the man was fit to plead. It was found that he was fit to plead, and he pleaded guilty.

INQUEST AT LISMORE.

On Thursday evening last, Mr. T. C. Williams, solr., acting Coroner, Dungarvan, held an inquest at Ballynelligan, Lismore, without a jury into the circumstances of the death of Miss Fanny Beecher, Conna, Tallow, aged 30 years, who had been in the employment of Mr. M. Scanlan, Ballynelligan.

Nellie Scanlan, Ballynelligan, aged 12 years, said she lived with her father, Michl. Scanlan, at Ballynelligan. She knew Fanny Beecher, who lived with them. For a week past she had been complaining of a pain inside her. She was in bed all last week except Friday, when she got up and sat by the fire. She went to bed at about 5 p.m. She had nothing to eat the previous day since about 3 o'clock, and was in a room by herself.

Witness went into her room that morning at 8.30. I asked her would she have her breakfast and she said no. She asked for some hot milk and witness brought her some about 9.45. She took the milk lying down in bed. Witness left her when she gave her the cup. When witness first went in she complained of having a pain inside her. She appeared to be sick. When she went back after about five minutes, she found the milk drank and the cup in her hand. She saw there was something wrong with her and she ran down and told her father.

Michl. Scanlan, deposed he is a farmer and lived at Ballynelligan. The body lying in a room of my house is the body of Fanny Beecher, who has been in my employment as servant since February, 1931. For the past 12 months her health was quite good until about a week ago. During the past week she was sick and unable to work. She complained of a pain in her back. Last Sunday he offered to send for a doctor, but she said she did not want one. About a year ago she suffered from the same complaint. She was a good quiet girl, and had no worries as far as he knew. That morning his daughter, Nellie, called him and a workman and they went to her room. She seemed to be dead. She had her meals last week, even when she was sick. Witness sent at once for the priest and doctor.

Dr. Healy, M.O., Lismore, deposed that as a result of a call he visited Ballynelligan, and saw the body of the deceased at about 10.30 a.m. Life was then extinct about two hours.

WATERFORD BULL SHOW AND SALE.

The Show and Sale of Bulls at Waterford, on March, 14th 1934, under the auspices of the Co. Waterford Branch, Irish Dairy Shorthorn Breeders' Society, has brought forth a very large entry of the finest and best bred cattle. There are 24 pure-bred Registered Dairy and 35 non-pedigree registered Dairy Bulls, 21 pure-bred Shorthorns, 30 Aberdeen Angus and 7 Hereford Bulls, as well as some non-pedigree and unregistered Bulls. There splendid animals are drawn from the best dual purpose herds of the Counties Waterford, Wexford and Kilkenny, and there should be keen competition at the Sale. Catalogues (1/-), Railway Vouchers and all particulars can be had on application to J. Kennedy, Hon. Sec., Stonehouse, Kilmadon, Waterford, or to J. D. Palmer, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer, Catherine street, Waterford.

DEATH OF MISS MARY McGRATH.

The death on the 4th. inst., of Miss Mary McGrath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McGrath, Hacketstown, Portlaw, occasioned great regret to a wide circle of friends. The deceased, who was only in her 19th year, was the possessor of many charming traits of character, and was extremely well liked by all who knew her. The funeral to the family burial ground at Portlaw Catholic churchyard, was very large and representative, testifying to the great esteem in which she was held. The chief mourners were: Thomas and Mrs. McGrath, (parents); James, Patrick, Thomas and Martin McGrath (brothers); Kitty and Bridget McGrath (sisters); Martin Brien, Ballyvad, M. Brien, do., Jas. Brien, Kill, Thos. Brien, Ballyhussa, Jas. and Patk. McGrath, Ballydurn, John McGrath, Whites town (uncles); Miss Julia McGrath, Lyre, Kilmacthomas; Mrs. John McGrath, Whites town, and Mrs. John Roche, Rathgormack (aunts); and a great many first-cousins, as well as a host of other relations. (American papers please copy).

PERMIT RECEIVED.

The Secretary to the Kilmacthomas Game Preservation Society, has received a permit from the Minister of Justice, whereby the Club can hunt with their Beagles during the month of March next. The permit is given under Section 3, sub-Section 2, of the Game Preservation Act, 1930.

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Witness examined the body. There were no external signs of violence. Dr. White and witness performed a post-mortem examination. In his opinion death was due to pneumonia and pleurisy.

Dr. Wm. White, Cappoquin, corroborated the evidence of the previous witness.

A verdict in accordance with the medical evidence was returned.



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CAPPOQUIN NOTES.

A "LEAN SHROVETIDE.

The Shrovetide which finished last week can be safely described as one of the "leanest" experienced in Cappoquin for many years so far as marriages were concerned. For several years it has been noticed that the number of marriages here have been dwindling almost to vanishing point, but this year proved a record, for with the exception of one wedding on Shrove Tuesday, there was "nothing doing" for the earlier part of the season which opened so auspiciously on January 6th. It has been suggested that the economic depression, and the consequent shortage of money, have been responsible for making many of our eligible young men shy of taking on the responsibilities of married life, and there seems to be some good ground for the suggestion, because from what we know of the eligible young ladies of Cappoquin, they are not a bit depressed by the present National outlook, but are quite as ready and willing as ever to submit to the pleasant experience of being led to the Hymenal Altar any moment that the right man comes along and "pops the question." The decision of our young men to remain in the "free state" can, be hardly described as chivalrous, and, depression or no depression, we hope they will soon shake off their present feeling of apathy and give us quite a bunch of interesting weddings as soon as possible after Easter.

The one and only wedding which took place here on Shrove Tuesday was a very pretty and interesting affair, the contracting parties being Mr. Patrick O'Brien, son of the late Mr. Maurice and Mrs. O'Brien, Tourin, and Miss Mary Tobin, of Kilkenny, but who has been resident in Tourin for several years.

The bridegroom, occupies the position of Head Gardener at Tourin, while the bride has been a trusted member of the household staff in Tourin House for a long period. The marriage was solemnised by the Rev. T. Dunphy, C.C., Cappoquin, the best man being Mr. Wm. O'Brien, Tourin, (brother of the bridegroom), while Miss Nellie Ryan (niece of the bride), acted as bridesmaid. Captain T. O. and Mrs. Jameson, attended the ceremony in the Church, there being also a large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties present.

Through the kindness of Captain and Mrs. Jameson, a reception was afterwards held in Tourin House, which was attended by them, and also by Mrs. Glen Browne (formerly Miss Dorothy Musgrave), as a special mark of respect to the bride, who had been such a faithful member of their staff for so many years.

HARRIERS CLUB FOR CAPPAGH.
At a largely attended meeting of all the leading sportsmen in the district recently held at Cappagh, it was unanimously decided to form a Foot Harriers Club for the district on the same lines as the successful Harriers Club which has been in existence in Dromore for several years.

Mr. B. G. Usher, Cappagh House, Mr. James Cashman, Rockfield House and Mr. M. J. O'Connor, Richmond House, Cappoquin, are amongst the principal supporters of the movement, and as active and efficient officers and a most representative committee have been appointed, arrangements have now been made to purchase the necessary dogs and set the Club going at once, so we may look forward to seeing some rare sport in the Cappagh district in the near future.

HURLING.

In a friendly contest at Kilbree on Sunday between Melleray Junior Hurling Club and Cappoquin, the latter proved victorious after a great game by the narrow margin of five goals to four for Melleray. Considering that this is the first year that Melleray has affiliated a Junior Hurling Club, and that its members have consequently very little practice, they put up a very good fight against their more experienced opponents, and we shall not be surprised if they acquit themselves with greater honour in the first round of this year's Junior Hurling Championships.

CONGRATULATIONS.

The heartiest congratulations are due to the sturdy sportsmanlike Gaels of Villierstown over their brilliant victory in defeating Mount Sion on last Sunday in the final of the Junior Football Championship.

The bringing of the Championship to the West of the County is bound to infuse new life into the Gaelic spirit here, just as the defeat of the Western aspirants has caused so much depression in the past.

Villierstown should be proud in now having a first-class Junior Football team, and also a brilliant Junior Hurling team, and we wish both of them further successes during the present year.

FALL IN PRICE OF PIGS.

There has been a marked decrease in the price of fat pigs throughout the country during the past week and as a result of this the price in the Cappoquin Bacon Factory, which had remained at 64/- per cwt. for several weeks past, fell to 60/- per cwt. dead weight this week, and a further decrease is not unlikely in the near future.

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ACKNOWLEDGMENT

WALSHE—Mrs. Walsh and family, Ballica, Cappoquin, desire to thank all who called to express sympathy, and also those who sent letters, telegrams and Mass Cards, on the occasion of their recent sad bereavement, and trust that they will accept this as a grateful acknowledgment.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

DUNGARVAN FAIR. The February Fair on Wednesday was very largely stocked. In fact, it was like a June Fair in numbers, but trade could not be worse. In fact, it could not be called a fair when the overwhelming majority of the cattle went home without a bid being made for them and those sold were disposed of at a sacrifice. All the stock on sale were in very good condition, but that was of no avail. Farmers were very dependent, and no wonder at being unable to cash their cattle. As to the sales, yearlings sold at £2 10s. to £5 according to quality; 2-year-olds £3 to £6 and 3-year-olds and upwards £6 to £9; springers £8 to £11; dry cows a local trade; sheep 30/- to 45/-. There was a fair supply of store pigs which sold at 20/- to 42/- according to quality.

NEW P.C. Mr. M. F. Walsh, Main street, Tallow, Draper, has been appointed Peace Commissioner for Co. Waterford.

SYMPATHY. At a specially convened meeting of the committee of the Dungarvan Literary Club, a resolution was proposed by Mr. G. Stokes (Senr.) seconded by Mr. E. O'Neill, and passed in silence tendering deepest sympathy to the family and relatives of the late Mr. Keohan in their loss.

LATE MR. THOMAS O'CONNOR, Rathlead. On Friday last, the interment took place at Dungarvan, of Mr. Thomas O'Connor, formerly of Rathlead, Old Parish. His funeral from Waterford was largely attended. The late Mr. O'Connor was for years a prominent figure in the public life of the County. A man of high intelligence and fluent whether on the bench as magistrate or in the Co. Council Chamber, he always acquitted himself with distinction and was a careful guardian of the public rights. His death in the fullness of years is much regretted.—R.I.P.

LOCAL MARKETS. Meal (special) 18/6; middlet 18/-; flour 16/- per 10 stone; bran and pollard, 7/6 cwt.; butter (creamery) 15/4d. per lb.; eggs 6d. per dozen.

REAFFORESTATION OF COLLIGAN. The reafforestation of Colligan is in full swing and work is progressing satisfactorily under the supervision of Mr. Hughes, Cappoquin. Almost 1,000 acres have been planted and over 30 men have been employed. With the present progress being made by the Forestry Department of the Government a big lot of work is being done and a generation hence will reap a rich reward therefrom.

COUNCIL'S SYMPATHY. LATE MR. KEOHAN. At last week's meeting of the Urban Council, Mr. J. Butler, Chairman, presiding, Mr. O'Donnell, referred to the death of Mr. Edmond Keohan and proposed—"That we, the members of the Dungarvan Urban Council desire to express our deep regret on the demise of Mr. Edmond Keohan, who had been for many years a respected and worthy member of this Board. We direct that our sincere sympathy be conveyed to his family, and adjourn this meeting without transacting any business as a tribute of respect to his memory." The resolution was passed in silence.

CO. COUNCIL. A Quarterly meeting of the Co. Council will be held in Dungarvan on Tuesday next at which a very large and important agenda will be considered.

BRASS AND REED BAND. At a special meeting of the Band Committee, a resolution was unanimously passed thanking the Sisters of the Mercy Convent, for their extreme kindness in training the girls for the Operetta, for their hospitality to the orchestra and also for the painting of the scenery. Resolutions of sympathy were passed to Mr. James Dunne, the capable Secretary of the Band Committee, on the occasion of the death of his brother-in-law and to Mr. J. A. Cartwright, the worthy assistant Secretary on the death of his sister-in-law, and to Mrs. O'Hara on the death of her father. The resolutions were inserted on the Minutes.

PRINCESS JU JU. In our report of the above last week, the name of Sean Delaney, an outstanding member of the orchestra, was inadvertently omitted.

POPULAR OFFICIAL RESIGNS. Mr. G. Cogan, B.Agr. Sc., Dungarvan, who has been Inspector in Agriculture for the Co. Waterford, for the past 3 years, has resigned on being appointed Inspector under the Sugar Beet Factory Scheme at Tuam. During his time in this County, he proved himself a thoroughly capable, practical and sound adviser on all agricultural problems and the farmers had the utmost confidence in him. He carries with him to his new sphere of activities the best wishes of his numerous friends.

CLERICAL APPOINTMENTS. His Lordship, Most Rev. Dr. Kinane, has appointed Rev. D. Power, heretofore Bishop's Secretary, to be Adm. St. John's and Rev. M. Barron, St. John's College, as Bishop's Secretary.

"FILM EVERY CATHOLIC SHOULD SEE."

On Wednesday and Thursday nights the beautiful film The White Sister, was screened at the local Cinema to highly appreciative audiences, who were most enthusiastic in their praise of an unusually fine and impressive picture. Only two more nights remain in which to see this outstanding production, and for the convenience of those who are unable to attend the night performances, there are matinees to-day (Friday) at 3.30 p.m. and Saturday at 3.30 p.m.

SCHOOL BOYS STRIKE. In Clonakilty, where a number of schoolboys go to school daily wearing blue shirts, the other pupils rather than sit near the blue shirts, struck and have refused to go to school.

U.I.P. DANCE. The Modeligo Branch of the U.I.P., will hold their Dance on Sunday, April 1st, 1934. Full particulars later.

SHERIFF'S SALE AT WATERFORD. On Thursday, a sale of 6 cattle seized by the Sheriff on the lands of a farmer near Carroll's Cross, was held at Waterford. There was a big attendance of farmers present. The sale proved abortive. It is understood the cattle will be again put up for auction on Saturday.

SPLENDID FARM FOR SALE. The Splendid Dairy and Tillage Farm, Carrigcastle, Kilmacthomas, will be offered for sale on the lands on Thursday next, 1st. March, for Mr. Matthew Coffey, the auctioneer being Mr. John D. Palmer, M.I.A.A. The property contains, Lot 1, 406 acres S.M., of prime land with the Dwelling House and Outoffices, Cow House, Piggeries, Implement Sheds, etc., held in fee simple subject to I.L.C. Annuity of £12 14s. 6d. Lot 3 contains 54 acres S.M., of splendid land bounding the river Mahon, and also held in fee simple subject to Annuity of £6. This farm is one of the most desirable in the County Waterford, and keen competition is anticipated. Mr. Henry D. Keane, Solicitor, has carriage of Sale. A Clearance Sale of Dairy Cows, Bulls, Heifers, Horses, Implements, is announced for a later date.

KILMACTHOMAS COURT. The report of Kilmacthomas Court, is held over till next issue.

WEST WATERFORD HOUNDS. MARCH MEETS. Thursday, 1st.—Colligan. Monday, 5th.—Aghlish. Thursday, 8th.—Ballinamult. Monday, 12th.—Clashmore. Thursday, 15th.—Rockfield. Monday, 19th.—Geesh. 10.30 a.m.

FINE GAEL. LADIES BRANCH, BALLINAMULT. A DANCE. IN THE HALF-WAY HALL ON ST. PATRICK'S NIGHT. Music by THE SUIR VALLEY BAND. DANCING—8 p.m. CARRIAGES—5 a.m. Admission—3/- (including Supper and Tax).

Artificial Manures. Now in Stock Goulding's famous Manures, suitable for all crops, also Kainit, Sulphate of Ammonia and Muirale of Potash. Delivery per Lorry in two ton lots and upwards at special terms for Cash. I am now booking orders for Grass Seeds, etc., at very keen Prices. All Seeds Guaranteed highest purity and germination. JOHN J. CROTTY, 40, GRATIAN SQUARE, DUNGARVAN.

COUNTY WATERFORD COMMITTEE OF AGRICULTURE. POULTRY DEVELOPMENT.

The above Committee offer grants of £5 each to selected applicants for the purchase of Incubator Sets, comprising Incubator, Rearer and Chicken House. Early application should be made to the undersigned. J. O'DWYER, Secretary, Offices, Courthouse, Dungarvan, 14th February, 1934.

Advertisement for POWER'S BREAD. Features include: 'FINEST QUALITY! EXCELLENT FLAVOUR!', 'Eat', 'WELL BAKED! KEEPS FRESH LONGEST!', and 'MOYNG, KNOCKATOUR AND TOOR SOUTH'.

MOYNG, KNOCKATOUR AND TOOR SOUTH. IMPORTANT AUCTION OF AN EXTENSIVE AND VERY CHEAP F.A.R.M. WITH GOOD DWELLING AND OUTOFFICES. Midway between Youghal and Dungarvan, 3 miles from Clashmore.

JOHN CONDON & SON. Have been instructed by the Executor TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON THE LANDS. At the Hour of One O'Clock p.m. ON THURSDAY, MARCH, 1st, 1934. The Farm (formerly occupied by the late Mr. Cornelius Farrissey) in One LOT:— MOYNG—51a. 3r. 5p. P.L.V.—Land 23 6s. KNOCKATOUR—34a. 1r. 9p. P.L.V.—Land 25 5s. Buildings 21. TOOR SOUTH—34a. 1r. 34p. P.L.V.—Land 43 10s. Total area—120a. 2r. 8p. Total P.L.V.—Land, £12 0s. Buildings, 21.

Held in Fee-simple, subject to the low Terminable Annuity of £3 8s. 10d. payable to the Irish Land Commission. There is a good thatched Dwelling and substantial Out-Offices, comprising Stabling, Stalls, Barn, Fowl-house, Piggeries, etc., arranged around a good Yard with a comfortable Haggard at rear. The Land is of sound quality, all in Pasture, and well supplied with water for Stock, Schools and Churches at Ballycavane, Toor and Clashmore are convenient to the Holding. All Annuity and Rates will be cleared by Vendor up to last respective Gale Days. Subscribers direct attention to the Sale of this extensive and extremely cheap Farm. Intending Purchasers are recommended to view the Property as affording a rare chance of acquiring a Holding containing over 120 Acres of sound Land, with suitable Buildings, subject to an Annuity of £3 8s. 10d.

The Bulk of the Furniture in the Dwelling will be given to the Purchaser free of charge. About Fifty Fowls and a Dray will be sold after the Farm. Particulars at Sale, or on application to: MESSRS. JOHN L. KEANE & SON, Solicitors, Youghal; or JOHN CONDON & SON, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers & Valuers, YOUGHAL. (Established 1909).

TOURIN, BALLYMACARBRY. FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY. The undersigned Solicitors for the Personal Representatives of the late PATRICK CULLINANE have been instructed to receive offers for the lands of Tourin East and West in the County of Waterford containing 90 Acres or thereabouts statute measure held under the provisions of the Land Acts 1923-1933 subject to the revised Standard Purchase Annuity of £5 19s. 0d. Poor Law Valuation £13 10s. 0d. There is a slated Dwellinghouse on the holding. Cowhouses to accommodate twenty cows; stabling for three horses; Hay Shed, Fowl House, Piggery etc. For further particulars apply to: E. A. RYAN & CO., Solicitors, DUNGARVAN.

REENACLOGHEEN, OLD PARISH. ATTRACTIVE SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY. FLAHAVAN HARTY & CO. have received instructions from Mr. John Galvin, TO SELL BY PRIVATE TREATY ALL THAT AND THOSE parts of the Lands of Reenclogheen, containing in or about 15 acres 3 roads 18 perches statute measure or thereabouts in process of purchase under the Land Acts 1923/33 present yearly payment about 11/9. Future Standard Purchase Annuity about 19/3. This little holding is nicely situated in the midst of the Gaeltacht District. For further details apply to: J. F. WILLIAMS & SON, Solicitors (having Carriage of Sale), Dungarvan; or FLAHAVAN, HARTY & CO., Auctioneers & Valuers, Dungarvan & Kilmacthomas.

SEED BARLEY. We have secured from one grower in North Tipperary, a choice sample of SPRATTS ARCHER, grown off imported Seed. Price 22/- per barrel of 22 1/2 lbs. K. WILLIAMS & CO. LTD., DUNGARVAN.

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THORN QUICKS FOR SALE—2 years old, 15/- per 1,000. Cash with order, Michl. Parks, Ballyduff, Dungarvan. COB FOR SALE—452 hands; trained to all work. Apply Dee Bros., Dungarvan.

Advertisement for HEARNE & CO. Ltd., WATERFORD. 'To-Day and Every Day This Week New Winter Sale Bargains Will be on Offer in all Departments.' Lists various items like Ladies' Art Silk Hose, Ladies' Jumpsuits, etc.

Advertisement for PHIL WALSH Outfitters, Square, Dungarvan. 'GENT'S SHIRTS, PYJAMAS and COLLARS. Made to last. In an Extensive Range of Styles and Colours in all sizes—at all Prices. IRISH MADE. Only Quality Tells. PHIL WALSH Outfitters, Square, Dungarvan.'

TO BE LET—For 11 months, 40 acres of Prime Fattening Land, well sheltered, fenced and watered, at Lisfennel. Will be let in lots to suit customers. Apply Patk. Moloney, Lisfennel, Dungarvan.

PURE BRED R.I.R. Hatching Eggs 4/3 per Sitting. Postage extra. Incubation orders booked. Mrs. E. Cunningham, Foxhall, Ardmore.

EARLY CABBAGE PLANTS—For Sale. Apply Gardener, Cappagh. CABBAGE PLANTS FOR SALE—Flower of Spring and Drumhead (strong plants). F. Flynn, Ross Balinameela.

HAY & OATEN STRAW FOR SALE—Apply Thomas Draper, Coolnagour, Dungarvan.

ROOMS TO LET—Comfortable Bedroom and sitting room. Fully furnished. Electrically lighted. Reasonable terms. Apply X X "Observer" Office, 3210.

WANTED—Furnished Flat, two or three bedrooms, sitting room and kitchen. Apply Y, this Office.

LOST—In Friary Church, on Sunday, 4th, inst., a Lady's wristlet watch. Reward on bringing same to "Observer" Office.

TRIPOLI ONION PLANTS FOR SALE—2/- per hundred. Also Early British Queen Potatoes 8d. per stone. Apply, Gardener, Affane, Cappoquin.

WANTED TO PURCHASE—A well equipped Farm of about 100 acres with good slated Dwellinghouse and Outoffices in the neighbourhood of Dungarvan. Full particulars to: E. A. RYAN & CO., Solicitors, Dungarvan.

FOR SALE—Emden Geese and Ganders; also Turkey Cockerels. Cheap to clear. Miss Power, Affane, Cappoquin.

GRAZING TO LET—For 11 months from February 1st 1934. 27 Acres Prime Grazing Land, including 7 acres of aftergrass. Well watered and fenced. Apply (Miss) Nano Casey, Ballyduff.

TO BE LET—In small lots, the lands of Ballinamuck, well watered and fenced. Apply to P. Egan, Ballygogan. TO LET—Lock-up Shop, Square, Dungarvan. Apply P. Kiersey, Kilmacthomas.

TURNIPS AND MANGOLDS FOR SALE—Apply P. Walsh, Barnakill, Kilrossanty. R.I.R. SITTINGS—Best laying breed, 1st Prize winners in last year's County Competition. Sitings 1/3 each. Postage extra. Apply Mrs. Dalton, Killooney, Ballinamult.

FOR SALE—Donkey Harness new. Never used. Apply to D. this Office. WANTED—One Ton of Upland Hay. Apply to X, this Office, stating price.

STRAYED—From Inchindrisla, on 15th inst., brown sheep-dog (female) with white on neck and tail. Finder will be rewarded on bringing same to John McGrath, Inchindrisla or to Guards Barracks.

MONSTER 45 DRIVE. Will Be Held At MODELIGO. In aid of local F.F. Cumann. Any Six Players can select their own venue for First Round. Final Rounds will be played on a date to be announced later. TICKETS 1/- Each. E. O'Connor and J. McGrath, Hon. Secs. DUNGARVAN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. SEWERAGE WORK. The Dungarvan Urban District Council will at their meeting to be held on 2nd day of March, 1934, consider tenders from competent persons, for the construction of a Sewer for the County Home, Dungarvan, to the foreshore on the Youghal Road (approx. length 723 yards), according to Plans and Specification, which may be seen at the Office of the undersigned during the usual office hours. Copies of Plans, Specification and Forms of Tender may be had on the payment of £2 2s. 0d., which will be returned on the receipt of a Bona Fide Tender not subsequently withdrawn. The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. By Order. WILLIAM O'MEARA, Town Clerk, Dungarvan, February, 15th, 1934.

GOULDING'S MANURES. Including XXX Super. 20% Kainit and Sulphate of Ammonia. BASIC SLAG. Also Basic Slag of the famous Albert Brand now arrived. Apply: K. Williams & Co. Ltd DUNGARVAN. GRAZING TO LET. LANDS OF BALLYCULLANE. Offers will be received by the undersigned Solicitors on behalf of Mrs. Mary Beresford of Kilmurray Cottage, for the Grazing for a period of eleven months from the 1st day of March, 1934, of that part of the Lands of Ballycullane, containing 18 acres and 2 rods. J. F. WILLIAMS & SON, Solicitors, DUNGARVAN. For Future Events Place your Commissions with RICHIE RYAN, MAIN STREET, CAPPOQUIN. Books now open on Lincoln and National single and double Events. Branch Offices at Tallow, Co. Waterford and Hospital, Co. Limerick. Also attend Irish Meetings, Principal Ring.



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TYRES, TUBES and ACCESSORIES are also reduced in price. Guaranteed Tyres only 1/9 each; Tubes 9d. each; Dunlop Tyres from 2/6 to 3/6; Dunlop Tubes from 1/6 to 2/3; Dunlop Front Wheel Complete, 2/9; Dunlop Rear Wheel complete 4/6; Free Wheel 1/6; Hercules Free Wheel 2/-; Perry Free Wheel, 1/6; Chain 1/6; Union Chain 1/9; Coventry Chain 2/3; Perry Chain 2/6; Renold Chain 2/6; Ladies Pedals 1/6 per pair; Gents Pedals 1/4 inch, 2/- per pair; Extra heavy Axle Carrier complete with straps 1/4; Mudguards 1/- to 1/8 per pair; Extra heavy valanced mudguards 2/- per pair; Extra heavy mudguards, with red lines 2/- per pair; Front Brake complete 1/6; Rear Brake complete 2/6; Handle Grips 4d. per pair; Blumel Handle grips 6d. per pair; Handlebars complete with Brake levers from 3/- to 5/6; Saddles from 2/- to 9/-; Brookes Challenge 11/-; B 90 size 2, 14/8; Large Pumps from 1/- to 2/- each; Repair Outfits 3d.; Extra long Outfits 5d.; Elastic Saddle Covers 1/-; Brookes Saddle Covers 1/3; Brookes Waterproof Saddle Covers 1/10; Chain, wheel and left-hand Crank 3/6.

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Irish Representative—J. McEVoy KILWORTH. GASCOIGNE, LTD., READING. PHONE NO. 7.

GRASSLAND TREATMENT

While operations on the farm vary according to the peculiarities of different districts the farmer's activities in this the second month of the year will usually include work on the land that partakes of the nature of spring cultivations. The prevailing weather conditions largely determine what is possible, and when these permit a considerable amount of soil stirring is undertaken. There are still areas of lea land to be ploughed, and heavy land intended for roots may be cross-ploughed after a preliminary surface stirring before the deeper cultivations proper. By this means, and by taking measures to prevent the soil drying in lumps clod-formation can be largely prevented. Wheat sowing, where not already carried out, will be taken in hand directly a seed bed may be formed. In heavy exposed districts one or other of the hardy winter varieties should still be selected for sowing, but as the month passes spring sorts may be drilled with confidence. As opportunities occur, cultivations for the earlier potatoes will be taken in hand, and in sheltered places plantings made on a well-prepared soil. Sowings of green crops like the vetch, when mixed with wheat, oats or rye, will give an abundance of nutritious green food from the 1st July next, and this is often very useful for feeding to cows in the stall during the hottest portion of a summer's day. Further sowings in early March and April will help to maintain a succession of green food throughout the late summer months.

The annual reports of Cow-testing Associations, just now being published throughout the country, bring forcibly to mind the great variation in the quantity of milk yielded by different cows in the same herd or same association. They point also to the fact that it is essential for economical production that there should be considerable variation in the amount of food fed to each animal. In the case of newly-calved cows at this time of year the differences in daily yield are often very striking, even when similar feeding is given to each but if cows are fed individually on the basis of milk yielded the differences in favour of good milkers become more marked still.

It is found in practice when feeding strictly according to yield that no matter how well some cows are fed they will not give an increased yield, while others may jump by 2 or 4 gallons a day. Maximum returns are obtained only by careful recording of yields and feeding strictly on the returns obtained. Hay and roots will be given to provide maintenance and for the production of the first gallon of milk daily. For further production a mixture of oats, maize and a protein food is needed. Quite a satisfactory ration costing no more than 6s. per cwt. may be made up of 3 cwt. crushed oats to 1 cwt. earthen nut cake, and 4 lbs. of this is sufficient for 1 gallon a day. A mixture of 1 cwt. cottonseed meal mixed with 3 cwt. crushed oats will also be found economical, costing no more than 2d. for the 4 lbs. needed per gallon. A number of similarly cheap mixtures may be compounded with different foods.

February is about the latest month in winter for the application of phosphates and potash to grassland if returns from them are expected in the current season, and without doubt, it is too late for extensive surface cultivations after the middle of the month. Even for early grass production from nitrogenous manures. February is a better time for application than March, but meadows intended for haying may wait until later. The dressing per st. acre for either pastures or meadows may vary from 3 to 5 cwt. superphosphate, "Sensol," or Gafsa, 1 to 1 1/2 cwt. sulphate of ammonia, and 1 to 2 cwt. of kainit. Owing to its slower action it is unlikely that noticeable results will be obtained from applications of raw rock phosphate such as Gafsa, in the current grazing season if applied later than mid-February, and where quick results are desired the choice should lie between "Sensol" and superphosphate though the cost will be greater.

In the matter of surface cultivation there is accumulated evidence that on pastures where the turf is inclined to become matted on or near the surface, drastic cultivation with a spring-toothed harrow to bring soil to the top and improve aeration, etc., has a decidedly good effect. Under matted conditions air and moisture are unable to reach the roots of grasses and clovers, and earthworms appear deficient in numbers. Any tearing action which brings the soil to the surface has a good effect, and the grass harrows especially designed for this purpose will do the work very effectively. In bad cases two cultivations will be necessary, and for better penetration it should be carried out when the ground is soft after rain.

In accordance with the rule "Sow when you can and wait when you must," winter wheat crops might advantageously be drilled—as already referred to in these notes—at the first favourable opportunity that presents itself. It is inadvisable to delay sowing longer than is necessary to obtain the requisite fine seed bed, for in the event of unfavourable weather conditions later, it might be unduly delayed. The ideal seed bed for wheat is referred to as "sleak," firm, and moist beneath, with ample small clods sprinkled on the surface to afford protection to the seedling plants from hard biting winds of spring. These can later be harrowed down, or are sometimes broken up by the action of severe frosts, when they

YOUR LOCAL COUNCIL

Present—Mr. J. R. Smyth, P.C., Chairman; Mrs. S. Hurley, P.C.; Messrs. D. Donnelly, E. Clancy, T. Beausang, P. J. McMahon, P.M.; J. Kennedy, J. Wheilan, M. D. Broderick.

Wages, Etc. On the proposition of Mr. McMahon seconded by Mr. Linehan, a cheque for £24 was passed for wages, etc.

Lifeboat Signals. A letter was read from M. A. Nelson, Hon. Sec., Lifeboat Committee, stating that in former years when a practice was held every quarter, the signal gun was always fired as well as of course in the event of a wreck. Now-days since the advent of the Motor Lifeboat, a practice was held every month, but the signal which consisted of two green star maroons by night and a red flag and two green star maroons by day—was never fired with two exceptions only i.e. (1) In the event of a wreck or casualty of some kind and (2) On a surprise practice. There was no difference between wreck and practice signals. As a surprise practice was only held once a year, at the most, this was the only time when any unnecessary anxiety might be occasioned. When the last surprise practice was being arranged he purposely advised his Committee to bring it off before the advent of the Salmon Season, so as to avoid alarming the relatives of the fishermen, and that was agreed to, and carried out. As far as he could see at present the only way of avoiding any anxiety would be to stop the practice altogether. He was placing the Clerk's letter before his Committee, and they would give it their earnest consideration at the first available opportunity.

Rent Of Cottages. A letter was read from the Minister for Local Government and Public Health, stating that he had approved of the proposal of the Council to let the 20 houses erected by them under the Housing of the Working Classes Acts at 3/6 per week, inclusive of rates.

Exhibition Amplifier. A letter was read from Arcadian Ball Room, Cork, regarding the amplifier they had bought from the Exhibition in which it was understood the Council was interested. Mr. McMahon—We have amplifiers more than enough now (laughter). Mr. Broderick—It is modifiers we want these days (laughter).

Cottage Sites. A discussion took place on the question of a site or sites for the proposed further scheme of workmen's dwellings.

Mr. Beausang suggested that 15 houses of the 30 proposed be erected at the south and 15 at the north.

This was approved of generally. The question was finally adjourned for further information. A letter was read from a tenant in the Council's houses at Cork Hill, stating that if the further repairs necessary were not done he would have it carried out and send the bill to the Council.

Mr. McMahon—We will have no threats of that kind. The Clerk said no public body would stand that. If he wasn't satisfied let him clear out. Mr. McMahon—We certainly won't accept that from a tenant. Mrs. Hurley—Do those tenants ever do anything to the houses. Mr. McMahon—They would not drive a nail.

PAT'S WISH. Wife—"Ah, Pat, I wish I was in heaven." Husband—"I wish I was in Flagan's tavern." Wife—"Yes, you greedy thing, you always want to be in the best place."

DONT WASTE HIM. There was a row in the gallery of a Dublin Theatre, a scuffle, and a voice shouted: "Turn him out!" Another, "Throw him over!" "Ay!" added a third, "and don't waste him, boys. Kill a fiddler with him."

AN EARLY SPRING. Is generally the forerunner of a good season. We invite all our customers to look up their stocks of Garden Tools, Spades, Rakes, Digging Forks, Hoes, Trowels, Lines, etc. All our tools are made from the finest Sheffield Steel and are fully guaranteed. Our prices are the lowest in the city. Harpur Bros., Ironmongers, Quay, Waterford.

provide a helpful moulding for the tiny wheat plants. It is desirable to apply at sowing time a dressing of 1 cwt. of sulphate of ammonia, 3 or 4 cwt. superphosphate and 2 cwt. of kainit per acre. As regards varieties, Queen Wilhelmina, Yeoman, Square-head Master, and Little Joss are but a few of the many proven kinds, and may be relied upon to give satisfaction in any normal season. The dressing of seed against smut should not be neglected, and dressing with coal tar just prior to sowing time will help to prevent depredations of crows and other birds—"MAU" in "Farmers Gazette."

ALL WORK AND APPROPRIATE COW TESTING ASSOCIATION

Mr. Jas. Fives, president of the annual general meeting of the members of the above named Association, which was held on January, 29th.

There was a good attendance of members. The usual business was dealt with. The Treasurer submitted a very satisfactory statement of accounts.

The following Officers were unanimously re-elected for the ensuing year:—President—Mr. Jas. Fives, Committee—Messrs. G. Bell, T. Coghlan, A. Ellis, R. Bell, T. Flynn, M. McGrath, M. O'Connell, E. E. Hey, and J. T. Barry. Supervisor and Secretary—K. D. Barry.

The Supervisor, submitted the Tenth Annual Report of the working of the Association as follows:— During the year 1933, we had 19 members keeping records with 223 cows under test, which shows an increase of 6 members and 77 cows over 1932.

For 216 cows that have complete records for 1933, the average yield of milk is 5,422 lbs., 493.14 lbs. of butter-fat and average test 3.56. Valuing butter-fat at 1/- per lb. and separated milk at 1d. per gallon, the average cow in the Association earned £11 9s. 1d. The butter-fat test has increased by 12% over that of 1932, while the milk yield has decreased by 45 gallons.

Analysing the yields of these 216 cows, we find that 4 cows yielded over 1,000 gallons of milk; 2 cows yielded over 900 gallons of milk; 14 cows yielded over 800 gallons; 19 cows yielded over 700 gallons; 36 cows yielded over 600 gallons and 144 cows yielded less than 600 gallons.

The five best cows yielded on an average 10,990 lbs. of milk, 391.27 lbs. of butter-fat, average test 3.77. Valuing produce on the foregoing basis earned £23 3s. 11d. per cow. The average yields for the five worst cows (5 years old and upwards) are 2,142 lbs. of milk, 75.34 lbs. of butter-fat, average test 3.51 and earned only £4 9s. 4d., per cow, or a difference of £13 4s. 7d., per cow under the five best.

The highest yielding cow for the year has been the 7-year-old registered shorthorn, "Isabel" the property of Mr. M. McGrath. In 45 weeks she gave a yield of 12,558 lbs. of milk, 445.80 lbs. of butter-fat, average test 3.55, which when valued on the foregoing basis earned £26 9s. 5d. This cow is a daughter of the P.B.D. Shorthorn Bull "Fota Music Maker II." Another cow in Mr. McGrath's herd is, I think, worthy of mention, viz., "Poli" (R.A. 7917), she yielded in 42 weeks 11,625 lbs. of milk, 433.02 lbs. of butter-fat, a test of 3.55, and for the previous five successive lactation periods yielded between 10,000 and 12,000 lbs. of milk per year.

Mr. T. Coghlan, is the owner of the highest yielding heifer, viz., "Roan Lass" (L.M.R.J.15), she calved at the age of 2 years and 9 months, and has yielded 700 gallons of milk in 45 weeks, average test 3.64%. She is a grand-daughter of "Fota Music Maker II." Two registered cows in this herd and also progeny of "Fota Music Maker II," yielded between 10,000 and 11,000 lbs. of milk each.

A few of the best herd yields are as follows:—No. 1 herd of 3 cows, average yields 9,755 lbs. of milk, average test 3.72. No. 2 herd 9 cows, average yields 8,483 lbs. of milk, average test 3.48. No. 3 herd 36 cows, average yields 5,842 lbs. of milk, average test, 3.54. No. 4 herd 2 cows, average yields 3,506 lbs. of milk, average test, 3.82. No. 5 herd 10 cows, average yields, 6,544 lbs. of milk, average test, 3.56. No. 6 herd 13 cows, average yields, 6,003 lbs. of milk, average test, 3.54.

Some other herds have average yields of over 6,000 lbs. of milk. Between 50 and 60 registered cows are retained in the Association, and there are 45 cows eligible for inspection (under Clause 8 Scheme No. 20), on the 1933 records. Forty calves have been tattooed for 1933. 156 double visits were paid to members herds during the year for the purpose of weighing and sampling of milk, and 1,190 samples of milk were tested.

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No. 2 herd of 8 cows in 1925, average milk yield was 529 gallons, and for 10 cows in 1933, average milk yield was 654 gallons, equals an increase of 125 gallons of milk, and the herd comprises of 6 registered cows and 5 recognised progeny heifers at present. This proves that the cows of poor conformation are fast disappearing from the herds of the more enthusiastic members, and are being replaced by the good registered heifers out of registered cows and the Association's Stock Bulls.

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YOUGHAL DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Mr. G. P. Farrell, D.J.)

Mangan v. Sexton.

This was a summons for possession of a caretaker's cottage, Mr. W. R. Hodnett, solr., for plaintiff and Mr. J. N. R. Macnamara, solr., for defendant.

Plaintiff stated he wanted the house for a workman.

Defendant said he had a large family. The plaintiff had two other houses in better repair. Witness tried but failed to get alternative accommodation.

Mr. Macnamara said they suggested that they would take a tenancy from plaintiff, if he did some trifling repairs.

Mr. Hodnett said they really wanted the house for their workman.

To the Court—Witness said he had been 11 years in the house altogether. He had asked plaintiff for employment. He came originally from West Cork.

Mr. Macnamara said they only asked for time to enable them get a place. A decree for possession was granted with a stay of 6 weeks.

Milk Case.

Sergt. Lupton, charged Wm. Jennings, with selling milk 33 per cent. deficient in fat.

Mr. T. K. Keane, solr., defended.

Complainant having given formal evidence, handed in certificate of analysis.

Mr. Keane said their defence was that the milk was sold as it had come from the cow. There was a big deficiency, but it could be accounted for. The night previous had been very cold and the cream came to the top and was frozen. The Sergt. was first to get the sample, with the result that it had been deprived of its cream by the frost. Noticing the weakness of the milk, the defendant opened the churn and seeing what had happened he mixed the contents thoroughly before any member of the public got a supply.

Cross-examined by Mr. Keane—The Sergt. said he had frequently taken samples of defendant's milk for the past 4 years, and it had always been up to the standard. The defendant gave the explanation mentioned by Mr. Keane.

Defendant stated that on 13th. Dec. he brought 2 churns of milk to the town. One contained the previous night's milk and the other that morning's. It was from the former that the Sergeant got the sample and the cream of the milk in it had frozen during the night. He milked 15 cows of a high class.

Mr. T. Smyth, Supervisor Killeagh Cow-Festing Association, stated he had taken samples of defendant's milk every 6 weeks and always found it to be over the standard. The cows were a very fine herd of cattle. He could not explain the deficiency, except as stated by Mr. Jennings.

Detailed evidence was given to the effect that there had not been any tampering with the milk.

The Justice said that, though technically the sample of milk sold to the Sergeant was not as it came from the cow he was satisfied with the evidence given by and on behalf of the defendant and, he dismissed the case.

Weights Case.

Jas. Forrest, South Main street, was charged by Sergt. Leahy, Inspector, of Weights and Measures, with having a 14 lb. unstamped and 1 1/2 oz. light.

Defendant stated that he had two new 14 lb. weights and that the weight in question had not been used for a considerable time.

He was fined 2/6 in each summons and the weight was forfeited.

Unstamped Bottles.

Sergt. Leahy, charged Patk. Meade, with having 41 unstamped bottles—8 stout and 3 bass.

Mr. Wm. R. Hodnett, solr., for the defence.

Complainant having given evidence, Mr. Hodnett said his client procured all his bottles from a foremost Cork firm who supplied none but bottles guaranteed and stamped. The bottles complained of must have come in amongst other returns or else have been stolen bottles. They must have got overlooked owing to the fact that an experienced bottler who had been in his employment for a considerable time had left him lately.

Defendant having given evidence corroborating Mr. Hodnett's statement, stated that on examination six of the bottles referred to had been stamped, but the stamp got covered by the label. He admitted that the remaining bottles were unstamped.

Complainant said traders were not permitted to put the label over the stamp.

A fine of 2/6 was imposed.

Lorries As Hackneys.

The Justice gave his decision in cases against Michael Shanahan v. Ellen Cashman, Ballymacoda, for using two commercial lorries used as hackney cars, bringing hurlers and footballers to Midleton to play, for which they had received £1 hire each. It had been proved that they had been so used and the defendants would, therefore, become liable to a penalty of three times the difference between the commercial lorry and hackney tax, a matter of about £50 in each case. There had been very little profit in the whole transaction which happened on particular occasions only. He therefore proposed to exercise his power in the matter and to mitigate the penalties to £1 in each case.

Mr. D. Casey, State solicitor, applied for 14/- expenses.

The Justice said he would allow 7/-

in each case to be taken out of the fine imposed.

Ballymacoda Incidents.

The case against Maurice O'Rourke, Ballymacoda, John Adams, do.; John O'Brien, Mountcolton, Michael Condon, Ring James Cashman, Ballymacoda, James O'Donoghue, do. Park, Quinn, Cotton, and Michael Hyde, Ballypherode, was called.

The seven defendants were charged with having, on the 6th. December, 1933, at Ballymacoda, with other persons, being armed with stones, and other offensive weapons, did unlawfully assemble, and being so assembled and armed as aforesaid, did unlawfully assault Brooke W. Brasier, P.C., M.C.C., and others, and damage a house, the property of Mrs. McLaughlin.

Mr. D. Casey, State Solicitor, appeared for the Attorney General, and Mr. Jerome J. Ronayne, solicitor, Midleton, was for the seven defendants.

At the opening of the case, Mr. Ronayne said he had a suggestion to make which would tend for the peace of the district. If this case went on, he submitted that the Justice would have no power to deal with it and having heard the evidence, he would either have to refuse informations or return the men for trial. From the wording of the charge, one would think that Ballymacoda on this night, was like the Place de la Concord in Paris last week (laughter).

The Justice—Except for the concord.

Continuing, Mr. Ronayne said it happened that on this night Mr. Brasier was holding a meeting in Ballymacoda, and some irresponsible boys threw stones at the door, and broke a lamp. If the case went on it would be proved that not a single one of the defendants was identified. They were supporters of the present Government in a legitimate way, and even one of them told the crowd to desist from stone-throwing. For many years Ballymacoda was one of the most peaceful districts in the Justice's area, and his Worship never had any serious crime from that locality. Political meetings were held there from time to time, but there was no violence on either side, and at the present time persons of different political views were living there in harmony. Undoubtedly on this night something happened. There was a hall in the village where meetings were held, and where men gathered at night. Mr. Brasier came to the hall on that night, with permission from the owner, to hold a meeting. Some boys threw stones at the hall, and his clients were sorry that this occurred, but they believed they were simply roped into this case, because they were prominent members of a political party. There had not been a single occurrence in the village since, and his suggestion was that the case should be adjourned for three months, and it would be in the best interests of the district. In the last two weeks there were two meetings of Blueshirts held there and there was no evidence of violence of any kind.

Mr. Casey said he did not agree with all Mr. Ronayne had said in regard to what occurred that night in Ballymacoda. Disgraceful scene occurred there. Mrs. McLaughlin, a respectable lady who has an unoccupied house there, but who obliges everybody who wants to use it, gave Mr. Brasier permission to hold a meeting there for the purpose of forming a branch of the United Ireland Party. As the men were going to the hall, they found a large crowd gathering around it and the defendants were identified. While the meeting was in progress stones were hurled through the windows, and shouts of "Up de Valera" were heard. "The greatest enemies the Government have to-day," said Mr. Casey, "are the people who created these scenes." The damage caused to the hall was not very great. One of those attending the meeting took the lamp from the wall, to save it from stones, and it was smashed in his hand. The next morning the whole road was littered with stones taken from the fence, and Mr. Brasier had to escape by the back entrance.

The Justice said he would fall in with the suggestion of adjourning the case for three months. The cases would be there hanging over the heads of the defendants, if it was necessary to go into them. An adjournment was not a final disposition of the case, and to his mind, it took the place of, and was often used, to take the place of binding to the peace. If it was a fact that by adjourning the case there was a possibility that it would do more good than hearing it, it was only common sense that he should do so, seeing what he had heard. Two months was allowed to elapse before the summonses were issued, and there was now no reason why he should not allow more time to elapse. Ballymacoda has been a very quiet place, and he would accordingly adjourn the case for three months, with leave to re-enter within the said time.

WELL DONE.

A word of well-merited praise to the men who have completed the work of building fences about the plots selected for the agricultural labourers about to become tenants of the new labourers' cottages now being erected over these parts. The fences in every instance are neatly and firmly built. The new cottages, too, will be very nice and comfortable when completed.

STRICT ORDERS.

In the counting-room of a Galveston Irishman the following notice is stuck up in a conspicuous place: "Persons having no business in this office will please get through with it as soon as possible."



THE LIFE OF A SHOW DOG.

DO NOT TOUCH.

By "PHILODOG."

MANY people are inclined to pity show dogs, imagining that they lead unnatural lives, alternating between hectic excitement and the dull routine of kennels. Dogs undoubtedly react differently to the experience. Some show every sign of pleasurable anticipation when the boxes or hampers in which they travel appear. I have even known them jump into the hampers and curl up comfortably at once. Others dislike the absence from home and strange surroundings, and do not settle down in the bench on arriving. The majority, however, are, I feel sure contented and happy. The novelty and sight of so many of their kind interest them, they like a change as much as we do, and, as it is unusual for any to be sent without being accompanied by their owners or attendants, they do not mind being away from their kennels.

We have had letters from owners of Tail-Waggers begging the public to refrain from disturbing dogs on the benches. Certainly, it is better to let them rest if they wish to, and they are apt to resent being pulled about. It says much for their good natures that so few of them attempt to bite when they are patted by strangers. I often warn people not to put their faces close to exhibits, and never to make a fuss of one that does not give the usual indications of friendliness. A wagged tail and wriggling body mean that attention is welcome. The expression of the eyes conveys a lot to the discerning. Several breeds are of a non-social nature, attaching themselves to one person only. Safe enough in the ordinary way, they object to being handled by anyone unknown to them. When I am judging I never open the mouth of a chow to look at its tongue and teeth, but ask the handler to do it. "Safety first" is my motto. Perhaps it is strange that judges are seldom bitten considering how thoroughly they go over the exhibits.

In many respects the life of a show dog is enviable, every care being lavished on him to keep him in the pink of condition. He is groomed well every day, housed in comfortable quarters; exercised a good deal, and fed on sound, wholesome food. He usually has the companionship of other dogs in the kennels, and altogether he leads a healthy existence. Wise owners also subject him to a training in deportment, for if he does not behave well in the ring he will be badly handicapped. This is where so many beginners go astray, and then grumble because the prizes go to the big exhibitors. They accuse the judges of favouritism when they are to blame for the neglect of elementary precautions.

This chat is issued by THE TAIL-WAGGERS' CLUB OF IRELAND, 23, Old Abbey Street (off Marlborough Street), Dublin, C.S. The Club will be pleased to answer any enquiries submitted by Tail-Wagger Owners in connection with canine hygiene and welfare.

General sympathy is felt with Mr. John Lalor, Currahaha, Kilmachomas, on the death of his son, Mr. James Lalor, B.E., which sad event occurred recently in Australia. The deceased gentleman was a brother of Miss M. Lalor, Kilmachomas, and step-brother of Miss T. Lalor, Currahaha, do.

Mid-Waterford farmers have sown their early potato seed, and many have wheat in the ground also. The weather is indeed ideal for all phases of agricultural work. The men who represented the home county at the All-Ireland Ploughing Competition at Athenry, last week, did very well considering it was their first time featuring in such a big event.

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KILMACHTHOMAS NEWS.

DEATH OF MR. THOMAS MOONEY.

Deep and widespread regret was occasioned by the death on the 14th inst. of Mr. Thomas Mooney, farmer, Knockane, Kill. The deceased gentleman, who had been ailing for some months past, had gained the grand old age of 84 years. All through his fine career he was a most exemplary Catholic, a sound Nationalist, a model husband and father, a sterling friend and truly charitable neighbour. A generation ago Mr. Mooney was well-known to lovers of sport throughout the Decies. The possessor of a lovable personality, he enjoyed in a marked degree the affectionate regard of all who had the pleasure of knowing him, and his many old friends up and down the county will regret to hear of his passing. He was father of Mr. Michael Mooney, Bank of Ireland, Limerick; Miss B. Mooney, National Bank, Clonmel; Mrs. O'Connor, Quay, Waterford; Mr. T. Mooney, Dunabright, Anestown; Mrs. N. Hayes, Kilduane, Bonmahon; Mr. J. Mooney, and Miss M. C. Mooney, Knockane. To these, as well as to the other relatives left to revere his memory (who include Mr. P. Dunne, Shandon Dairy, Dungarvan; Mr. J. Dunne, Main street, do.; and Mrs. P. Kirwan, Main street, Kilmachthomas general sympathy is extended in their bereavement. On Thursday evening of last week the remains were conveyed to Kill Catholic Church, the accompanying cortege being easily one of the largest and most representative seen in East Waterford for many years—a worthy tribute in honour of that quiet, kindly man. High Mass was sung for the repose of his soul on Friday morning, and interment was made in the adjoining cemetery immediately after. It would be impossible to give a list of the mourners and public present at the funeral and obsequies. Letters and telegrams of sympathy too numerous to mention, but greatly appreciated, were received by the universally esteemed family.—R.I.P.

DEATH OF MR. T. MORRISSEY.

The news of the death of Mr. Thomas Morrissey, Kilmachthomas, was heard with feelings of regret all over these parts. He breathed his last after a protracted illness, borne with true Christian fortitude. The late Mr. Morrissey, who was 77 years of age, was of a rather quiet disposition, deservedly popular among all creeds and classes. He was father of Mr. Michael Morrissey, Kilmachthomas (who so ably captained the Croughan Rangers Hurling team last year), and of Miss Josephine Morrissey, Leamybrien, Kilmachthomas, as well as the other relatives at home and abroad, unfeigned condolence is tendered. The large cortege which followed the remains en route to Clonea Power Catholic Church, proved a splendid tribute to departed worth. After Mass of Requiem for his soul on the 16th inst., the burial took place in Clonea Churchyard in the presence of innumerable relatives, friends and sympathisers. Peace to his soul (English and American papers, please copy).

SOME TITLE!

A Fenor farmer (a regular reader of the "Observer"), who is as big a bachelor as the Metal Man, claims the title of Munster's best man. "I have been best man on nineteen different occasions, the latest being no earlier than Shrove Tuesday last," he writes. "I feel confident no fellow-Munsterian can beat this." He adds that he has never once forgotten the ring. Brave fellow! It is to be fervently hoped that he will be "alive and kicking" and quite willing to fill this important office for your humble Kilmachthomas scribe when some neighbouring man's daughter (Miss Fortunata for choice!) disconnects me from the station "Bachelordore"! Anyway, good luck to our Fenor farmer friend!

GOOD NEWS.

It is pleasing to record that a large number of men have recently been given employment at the tree-planting at Curraghmore, under the Forestry Committee. The work will occupy a considerable length of time, and, needless to state, will help to solve the local unemployment problem.

A CUTE CAT.

Believe it or not, but we have just heard of a tricky tom-cat from the "Lost City" of Portlaw, which unlatches the pantry window when it is time to return home after his nightly peregrinations. What is more remarkable, he closes it on the inside in order not to arouse the curiosity of intruders, should any be foolhardy enough to trespass. It is simply surprising the sagacity of the domestic "line and all he (or she) contrives to do for his (or her) comfort and accommodation.

CYCLISTS CRASH.

While cycling in opposite directions in the dense darkness of last week-end Edward Flynn, Main street, Kilmachthomas, and Thomas Keane, Durrow, collided on the coast road at Ballyvoile. Mr. Keane's face, hands and knees were cut. Mr. Flynn, fortunately, escaped unhurt. Both bicycles were wrecked. By the way, the fog of last Friday night was one of the thickest experienced locally within recent times. It enveloped the whole countryside, to the apparent inconvenience of traffic and pedestrians alike. Motorists were compelled to travel at a crawling pace with lights on full.

UNEMPLOYMENT OVERSHIPS.

Mr. John Power, son of Mrs. Power, H.O., Faharelagh, Kilmachthomas, who took a high place at the recent examination for unemployment office Clerks in the Free State, has been assigned to the Waterford Office, and took up duty there on Monday of this week.

GAELIC MEMS.

Touraneena junior football team are travelling to Leamybrien on tomorrow (Sunday) to play a return friendly challenge match with the Kilmachthomas second string. When the units met at Touraneena on the 14th inst., the visitors (skipped by Joe Twomey) won a great game by 2-2 against 0-2 for the homesters.

The Touraneena team will go all out to recover their lost prestige tomorrow, but in Jolly Joe and Co., they will be again "up against it." The mix will be well worth witnessing.

We understand that James (Lukey) Ryan (Erin's Own H.C.) has received notice to take his place on the Munster hurling side in the inter-provincial match for the Railway Cup—coming off at Croke Park on St. Patrick's Day. "Lukey" has been a consistent performer for Portlargo, and his recognition is well deserved. The addition of "Lukey" brings the number of Waterford representatives to two, "Sonny" Wyse (Erin's Own H.C.) having been previously named.

At a general meeting of the Ballyduff Lower (Cathal Brugha's) Hurling and Football Club, the following were elected for the current year:—President—Mr. P. Donnelly; Vice-President—Mr. E. Dalton; Hon. Treas.—Mr. D. Brown; Joint Hon. Secs.—Mr. A. J. Madders, N.T., and R. Brown; Hurling Captain—Mr. M. Hunt; Football Captain—Mr. J. Burgess; Football Capt.—Mr. M. Fitzgerald; Committee Messrs. J. Power, J. Allsberry, M. Nolan, P. Reddy, T. Larkin, J. Larkin, M. Allsberry and Sergeant McElligott, G.S. Club Secretaries are reminded that as the county championships commence on the 4th prox., they would do well to register their players and club officers immediately. A capable club secretary keeps a duplicate copy of registered players.

TEACHER'S DISTINCTION.

A Carlisle and Blake Premium—the most coveted honour in the educational world—has been awarded to Mr. Joseph Barron (Principal teacher of Thomastown, Co. Kilkenny, Boys' National School), in respect of the year ended 30th June, 1933. This distinguished dominie, who is a son of Mr. Thomas Barron, Griffith's Place, Waterford, was Principal of Kilmachthomas Boys' N.S., for more than ten years, and on behalf of his troops and legions of friends in our Deme and district, we heartily congratulate him on his meritorious award.

U.I.P. AND L.O.Y.

At a special meeting of the Kilmachthomas District Executive United Ireland Party, Mr. N. Wall, T.D., being present, a vote of sympathy to the relatives of the late Mr. Joseph Devlin, M.P., was passed. The following motion was unanimously adopted:—"We express our admiration of the pluck of Commandant Cronin in submitting to three months in a prison cell rather than become a law-expressed breaker, and also our approval of his efforts in relieving us of the present tyranny." Messrs. Percy Kirwan and T. Connolly, were appointed to act as delegates to the Annual Congress of the Party.

At a meeting of the Kill Unit of the League of Youth, a resolution of sympathy was passed to the Hon. Treas. Mr. John Mooney, on the death of his father, Mr. Thomas Mooney, Knockane, Kill. The meeting adjourned without transacting any further business as a tribute of respect to the memory of the deceased.

Stradbally and Newtown League of Youth Units, respectively voted condolence to Mr. P. Cummins, Carrigeen, Kilmachthomas, in his recent bereavement occasioned by the death of his father.

REQUIESCAT IN PACE.

During the Masses at St. Anne's Church, Ballylanceen, on Sunday, Rev. T. O'Shea, C.C., asked his congregations to pray with him for the repose of the soul of Patrick Power, who died recently in America, and who was brother-in-law of Mrs. M. Power, Seafield, Bonmahon.

THE LATE MR. E. KEOHAN, DUNGARVAN.

Those of us here in Mid-Waterford who were proud to count ourselves among the above-named grandly-gifted gentlemen's friends will not forget him in death. He was a great man—how great, probably only a few persons, those who were fortunate enough to touch his life on its more intimate side, knew. Honest as the day, he set himself high standards, and not only maintained them in his own life, but inspired them in the lives of others. No truer, more steadfast, more loyal, or more lovable man ever breathed. Feeling the cold shadow which his demise casts on the Decies, we mourn with his worthy sons and daughters in their sorrow.—R.I.P.

W. & M. Broderick, Youghal.

PORKERS WANTED. HIGHEST PRICES PAID.

Killing Days—MONDAYS, TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

Bishop Hackett Hurling Cup.

Dungarvan 3-0, Lismore 2-1.

Dungarvan C.B.S. showed some of their old form in a hard and thrilling struggle, in the opening round of the Bishop Hackett Hurling Cup competition at Lismore on Thursday, 15th inst. Both sides defended brilliantly, but in attack, Dungarvan with very close passing, were cleverer and more effective. Before Lismore could settle down, Dungarvan took the offensive and O'Diomaigh scored from a well-placed seventy by O'Crotaigh. Lismore then sent down to their forwards only to be repulsed by Rheinisch and O'Longain, the former clearing to O'Crotaigh, who sent down to the Lismore goal, where O'Heachthighairn scored Dungarvan's second goal within ten minutes of the start. Lismore now recovered and attacked strongly, getting a goal per O'Finnéadha. Lismore's offensive however, was subdued by the good work of MacEoin and O'Muirghéasa, while Rheinisch was a tower of strength in the backline. At half-time Dungarvan led by a goal.

For the first ten minutes of the second half, the play was even until a skirmish in the Dungarvan goal led to a point for Lismore. The play now became very fast and exciting, both sides straining for victory. As a result of herculean efforts by O'Crotaigh, O'Muirghéasa and O'Heachthighairn, Dungarvan forced the ball down until in a desperate spurt O'Crotaigh scored a beautiful goal from about midfield. As the end drew near Lismore strained every effort to gain a victory, but Johnson in the Dungarvan goal, and Rheinisch and O'Longain in the back line, held them well. A few moments before the final whistle Lismore scored, but it was too late. O'Heachthighairn, O'Crotaigh, O'Muirghéasa and Rheinisch were outstanding for Dungarvan, while O' Cronin, O'Finnéadha, and O'Dalaigh, played best for Lismore.

The return match at Dungarvan on March 8th, promises to be a thrilling game, as Lismore are all out to avenge their defeat, whilst Dungarvan will strive to add to their previous victory.

COISTE UM SHLAINTE POBUL PORTLAIRGE.

LABOURERS ACTS, 1883 TO 1931.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

The Waterford Board of Public Health will, at their meeting to be held at the Courthouse, Dungarvan, on Saturday, the 10th March, 1934, consider Tenders for the Building of Cottages and the Fencing of Plots not previously contracted for.

The Plots are arranged in Groups, and intending Contractors for Cottages may tender for any number of Groups, but not for a smaller number of Cottages than that included in any one Group.

The Group System will not apply to fencing.

Lists, giving the number and location of each Plot and particulars regarding each Group can be obtained on application to my Office, County Home, Dungarvan, where copies of Plans and Specifications can also be obtained on payment of Five Shillings. The Provisions of Section 8 of the Housing (Financial and Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1932, will apply to the Contracts, and it shall also be a condition of each contract that preference be given to local labour.

Tenders on the Official Forms (to be had on application) containing the names of two solvent sureties or of a Guarantee Society, willing to join the person tendering in a bond in the sum of £300 for each Cottage and £25 for the fencing of each Plot included in his tender, must be lodged with me not later than 12 o'clock (noon) on the 10th March, 1934.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order, MICEAL O FLOINN, Runaidhe.

Oifig an Runaidhe, Arus a' Chonndae, i nDungarban, 21adh Feabhra, 1934.

COISTE UM SHLAINTE POBUL PORTLAIRGE.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Waterford Board of Public Health will, at their meeting to be held at the Courthouse, Dungarvan, on Saturday, the 10th March, 1934, consider tenders for the following, viz:— (1) The Reconstruction of the Storage Reservoir attached to the Ballinacourty Water Supply. (2) The laying of about 400 yards of 2-inch cast-iron water main at Moonvoy.

in accordance with plans and specifications, which may be seen on application at my Office, County Home, Dungarvan.

Tenders containing the names of two solvent sureties, who are willing to join the person tendering in a bond for the due performance of the contract, must be lodged with me not later than 12 o'clock (noon) on the 10th March, 1934.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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MOLONEY'S, Wholesale and Retail Stores, BRIDGE STREET & SQUARE, DUNGARVAN.

Early Seed Potatoes, 1934.

We have just received our first consignment for the season of EARLY SEED POTATOES. All this consignment has been specially selected, Athlone Grown, and are all certified by the Department of Agriculture, and are absolutely true to name. The following varieties are stocked—

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NOTICE.

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WATERFORD DISTRICT MENTAL HOSPITAL.

TO MARINE DEALERS: RAGS AND BONES, ETC., FOR SALE.

Tenders are invited for the purchase of the above, which may be seen on application to the Storekeeper of the above Hospital.

Tenders to be addressed to the Resident Medical Superintendent, to be quoted per cwt. and endorsed "Tenders for Rags," etc.

Tenders will be received up to the hour of ten o'clock a.m. on MONDAY, the 12th MARCH, 1934.

Terms—CASH. Purchaser must remove the stuff three days from date of sale.

THOMAS F. CASEY, Clerk. Offices of the Mental Hospital, 14th February, 1934.

NOTICE.



MAKE YOUR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS BY PATRONISING

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A CAREFUL HUSBAND.

Mrs. Denis: "It's raining, Mike." Mr. Denis: "It's mesilf knows it, Bridget." Mrs. Denis: "An' why don't yer cum in?" Mr. Denis: "O'im waiting for it to stop, so I won't be bringing the wet into the house, Bridget."

WATERFORD DISTRICT MENTAL HOSPITAL.

CONTRACTS FOR PROVISIONS, ETC.

The Joint Committee of the above Mental Hospital will, at their monthly meeting to be held on MONDAY, 12th MARCH, 1934, receive Tenders for the following for six months, commencing 1st APRIL, 1934 viz:—

Milk, Maintenance of Telephones and Bells, etc., Chimney Sweeping, Advertising (quoted per line), and Fish.

Tenders will not be accepted by hand, but must be posted to reach the Office of the Mental Hospital not later than 10 o'clock a.m., on MONDAY 12th MARCH, 1934.

Form of Tenders, and any particulars required, can be obtained on application to the Office of the Hospital any day not later than two o'clock p.m.

Contractors will please note that the conditions of the Tender Forms will be strictly enforced.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By Order, THOMAS F. CASEY, Clerk. Offices of the Mental Hospital, 14th February, 1934.

WATERFORD DISTRICT MENTAL HOSPITAL.

The Committee of Management at their Monthly Meeting on 12th MARCH, 1934, will proceed to select a suitable person to TAKE STOCK of Provisions, Clothing, Necessaries, etc., for the Half-Year ending 31st March, 1934, at a remuneration of £10.

Applications to be addressed to the Resident Medical Superintendent, and lodged with him not later than 10 a.m. on Monday 12th March, 1934.

By Order, THOMAS F. CASEY, Clerk. Offices of the Mental Hospital, 14th February, 1934.

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