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DUNGARVAN DISTRICT COURT.

LICENSING PROSECUTIONS

DANCE HALL ACT CASE

Held on Wednesday before Mr. Justice Troy.

Drunk and Disorderly
Thomas Flynn, Lower Strand Street, was, at the suit of Garda Giblin, fined 5/- with being drunk and disorderly in O'Connell Street.

Lights
Guard Giblin, prosecuted P. Burke, Ballyvoile, under the Lights on Vehicles Act. A fine of 3/6 was imposed.
Same v. Patk. Walsh, Clonsa. Fined 3/6.
Same v. C. Power, Ballinacross. Fined 2/6.
Same v. Patk. Power, Kilsnera. Fined 3/6.
Guard Farrell v. Thomas Power, Lackanarra. Fined 2/6. Same v. Patk. Walsh, Clonsa. Fined 5/-.
Guard Strae v. N. Devine, Kilgobinet. Fined 3/6. Same v. Denis Daly, Loughmore. Fined 2/6. Same v. Wm. O'Brien, Windgap. Fined 2/6.
Guard Enright v. John Galvin, Ballinella, Old Parish. Fined 2/6. Same v. Daniel Fitzgerald, Gates. Fined 3/6.
Sergt. Vaughan, Ring, v. J. Quirke, Fined 2/6.
Guard Daly, Leamybrien v. John Riordan, Carruhen. Fined 2/6.

Driver's Licence

Guard Strae, prosecuted Mrs. Pendergast, Lough, with driving a car when her driving licence had expired. Defendant said she forgot all about renewing the licence. Fined 5/-.
Mr. Williams, solr., who appeared for the defendants, pleaded guilty.

Unstayed Cars

Superintendent Walsh, charged Patk. Coody, Shandon, and Thomas Carleton, Barrack Lane, as drivers, and Patrick Burke, Mary street, as owner, with using two unstayed cars. Mr. Burke, was also charged with signing a false declaration.
Mr. A. R. Farrell, solr., appeared for all the defendants.
Guard Deasy, gave evidence of being on duty on October 21st last and seeing Patrick Coody, who was employed by Mr. Burke, driving a car—K1-1339. He subsequently made inquiries at the County Council Office, and found that the car was not taxed. On October 25th he saw the same vehicle being driven by Thos. Carleton, and it was not taxed for that date, and on 25th October, P.I.-5389 a car was taken out for the month of November and December in respect of K.I.1339.
To Mr. Farrell, Guard Deasy said he did not know whether a licence had since been taken out for the month of October.
Guard Farrell, gave evidence of being on duty in the Square on 17th November and saw the motor hearse P.I.5389 driven through the Square. It was not taxed. The tax has since been taken out.
Mr. Liam Hayes, Assistant Taxation Officer, Waterford County Council, produced the register of licences, and said that in respect of K.I.1339 a licence was taken out for the months of November and December. In respect of the motor hearse a licence for the full quarter was taken out on December 1st.
In reply to the Superintendent, the witness said that the Department had written to the County Council asking for the fullest co-operation between the Council and the Guards for the purpose of eliminating this evasion of tax.
To Mr. Farrell, witness said Mr. Burke had paid out a big amount of money in tax.
To the Superintendent—There is a clause in the declaration form setting out that the car was not used in October.
Mr. Farrell said the explanation he had to offer was: Mr. Burke has a garage in Mitchell Street and his wife had a shop in Mary street. His wife was seriously ill in October and Mr. Burke had to look after the shop and had no time to attend to the garage. Since he first went into the business, Mr. Burke has paid £935 in tax to the County Council. In this case it was purely forgetfulness on his part, and he has since taken out the full tax and in the circumstances he would ask the Justice not to deal too severely with Mr. Burke.
Replying to the Justice, Guard Farrell said the tax on the Ford was £15 and on the hearse £20 a year.
Mr. Farrell said that owing to the buses and the number of private cars, owners of hackney cars found it very hard to make a living, and he would ask his Worship to take that fact into account.
The Justice, after reviewing the evidence, imposed a fine of £60 mitigated to £4 in respect of the unstayed cars, and imposed a fine of £3 in respect of the false declaration.

Transfer of Licence

Mr. Ryan, solr., was granted a transfer of the licence lately held by John Greene, Square, to Mrs. Greene.

Dance Halls Act

Superintendent Walsh, charged Mrs. B. Moloney, Lackanarra, Dungarvan, with a breach of the Dance Halls Act, on

the night of October 24th.
Mr. Farrell, solr., appeared for the defendant.

Sergeant O'Neill, deposed that with Guards Enright and Giblin, he visited the house of the defendant on 24th October. There was a dance in progress. There were about 30 people there; about 8 of these were dancing. Mrs. Moloney said when questioned that she was giving a card party, and said the dance was a usual feature of a card party.

Richard Cullinan, Ballyduff, in reply to Superintendent Walsh, said that accompanied by a man named Walsh he went to Moloney's on October 24th. He had no invitation. The door was closed, but they went in with others. He left it about 1.30 a.m. He danced a few "sets." He does not play cards, but got a man to play for him. He could not say what they were playing for (laughter). He just heard of the card party, and it was the usual thing to go.

To Mr. Farrell—it was a card party he heard about. There were only 8 dancing. The Justice, after hearing further evidence dismissed the case and said he did not think it was a public dance within the meaning of the Act. If he had a card party and invited some friends and others came along whom he knew, but without being invited, that would not make it public. A man is entitled to have a dance in his house provided it is not a public dance, and he held this was not a public dance within the meaning of the Act.

Licensing Prosecutions

Superintendent Walsh, charged the Committee of the Literary Club, Church Street, Dungarvan, with a breach of the Licensing Laws on the night of Sunday November 14th, and sixteen members of the Club were charged with being on the premises.

Mr. Williams, solr., who appeared for the defendants, pleaded guilty.

Guard Deasy, deposed to visiting the club on the night of November 14th accompanied by Guard Giblin. He was admitted by Thomas Maher, Carstaker. On going to the bar he found seven men there, they had drinks. Michael O'Brien was in charge of the bar. He found nine men in the Lounge Room, they had drinks also. Six of the nine were card-playing. The time was 11.17 p.m. He was admitted freely, and there was no sign of drunkenness or noise.

To his knowledge the club was never up before. Witness could not say if most of those men were at the pictures.

Mr. Williams, addressing his Worship said, the club was established 25 years ago and had a membership of 64, some of whom were the principal men of the town. The Committee realise their responsibility, and they will instruct their officers to observe the Licensing laws more strictly in the future.

A fine of £2 was imposed. The sixteen men found on the premises were each fined 2/6.

A fine of 10/- was imposed on Alice Draper, for a similar offence on November 14th and four men from the Ring district found on the premises were each fined 2/6.

Guards Deasy and Giblin, were the complainants.

Application for Renewal of Licence

Mr. Williams, on behalf of Mrs. Catherine Crowley, Mac's Hotel, Abbey-side, made an application for renewal of licence which she had omitted to have before the Annual Licensing Sessions.

Superintendent Walsh said there was no drink sales made during the 12 months, and the application was two months late.

The case was adjourned to the January Court.

Children's Court

James Curran, Shandon, was fined 2/- for riding a bicycle without a light.

Suspensory Sentence of One Month

The adjourned case of Superintendent Walsh v. Michael Coleman, Barrack Lane, heard at last Court, and which was adjourned as the defendant was promised work in London.

Mr. Farrell, solr., said that the cousin to whom he was to go, had since returned from London. The mother would now send him to Tipperary.

The Justice, in imposing a suspensory sentence of one month (not to take effect if he does not come up within 6 months) cautioned the accused that if he came before him again in Tipperary or any other place, he would deal very severely with him.

Dangerous Cycling

A young messenger boy named James Connors, Davis street, was charged by Superintendent Walsh, with dangerous cycling and knocking down a lady cyclist (Miss Lucy Fraber) on November 7th last.

The Justice—Why don't you walk with your messages.

Mr. Farrell—He would probably lose his job if he must walk.

The Justice said but for the fact that he may lose his work, he would put a stop to him cycling.

In dismissing the case he cautioned defendant.

Corn for Pigeons

Two youths named Drohan and Wall were charged with taking corn from

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LISMORE NOTES.

Lismore Coursing Club—The draw for the "Hynes" Cup Tournament to be held at Tallow on Sunday next at 12 (noon) under the above auspices resulted as follows:—
Dog—Michael Whelan's Botany Bay v. J. W. O'Connell's Tom-the-Mopper. Patrick O'Connell's Roving Dick v. Pax Lynch's Long Spans. J. Lynch's Black Phantom v. J. Cotter's Glasser. Dick. P. Ryan's Quality Talk. J. Sullivan's Sink or Swim v. J. Devlin's Glenmore Joy. J. Keating's Come-on-Stevie a bye.

Deaths of Mr. Patrick O'Brien—Mr. Patrick O'Brien, who died at his residence Ballinavilla, Lismore, after a prolonged illness and fortified by the rites of the Holy Church. We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to his bereaved wife and daughters.

Deceased was a fine type of Irish Catholic father, and was held in the highest esteem by all who knew him, which was plainly manifest by the attendance at the funeral to the Council cemetery on Saturday evening.

The chief mourners were—Mrs. Patrick O'Brien (wife); Miss Nellie O'Brien and Miss Agnes O'Brien (daughters).

Tallow Point-to-Point Races

The newly-elected committee have been practically in session since its formation, all the various details have been having consideration, particularly the financial aspect and several means have been devised to secure the necessary funds. Whist and "45" Card Drives have been arranged for approximate dates, and are to be the preliminary means to the desired end, and it is earnestly hoped that the attendance at both the Whist and Card Drives will eclipse all previous efforts in this direction.

The Working Committee with some members of the West Waterford Hunt, have been giving their attention towards providing a safe and suitable course, and their efforts in this way have been crowned with success, as an ideal all grass course has been marked out quite adjacent to the town and owners and trainers will find it to be the best ever selected and laid out in this district.

The date of the meeting has been provisionally fixed for February 2nd, 1938, and application for permit has been lodged with I.N.H.C.

Messrs. K. Williams and Co., for pigeons and Drohan was further charged with entering the house of Mr. Patrick Dwyer, Davis street, and stealing 5/-.

The Justice, dismissing the case against Wall and adjourning the case against Drohan for 3 months, said that the first time he is again found interfering with other people's property he is off to a Reformatory.

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NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS

In The Goods of The Reverend Matthew J. Carroll, late of Modeligo, in the County of Waterford, Parish Priest, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given pursuant to Statute 30 and 31 Vic. Cap. 54, that the above deceased, who died on the 10th day of March 1937 at Modeligo in the County of Waterford by his Will dated the 14th day of March, 1932, made the following Charitable bequest, that is to say: the sum of £150 to the Parish Priest for the time being of the Parish in which the Garrantane Church is situated to be laid out in twelve low Masses to be said annually in the Garrantane Church for the repose of his soul, and the souls of his grandparents, parents, brothers, sisters and uncles.

Probate of the said Will was granted forth of the Waterford District Registry of the High Court of Justice (Probate) in Saorstad Eireann on the 24th day of August, 1937 to Patrick Carroll of Clonsa, Dungarvan, County Waterford, Farmer, brother of deceased, and the Reverend Michael Carhage Crotty, of Cahir, in the County of Tipperary, in the Irish Free State, Parish Priest, the Executors named in the said Will.

Dated this 8th day of December, 1937.

AUSTIN R. FARRELL, Solicitor for the Executors, 19 Upper Merrion St., Dublin and 84 O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests in Saorstad Eireann and all others concerned.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In The Goods Of **PATRICK HEELAN**, late of Glenshask, Lismore, in the County of Waterford, Farmer, Deceased.

TAKE NOTICE, pursuant to the Statute 22 and 23 Vic., Cap. 35, all persons claiming to be Creditors or otherwise and having any claim or demands against the Estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 3rd day of January, 1936, are hereby required on or before Friday the 31st, day of December, 1937, to furnish in writing, particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix to whom Letters of Administration were granted on the 2nd day of March 1938 forth of the District Registry at Waterford of the High Court of Justice in Saorstad Eireann and take further Notice that after said date the Administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased having regard only to the payment of claims and demands, particulars whereof shall have been given as aforesaid.

Dated this 7th day of December, 1937. Signed/

JOHN W. O'GORMAN, Solicitor, 26 Mary Street, Dublin and Lismore.

COUNTY COUNCIL OF WATERFORD

WILD BIRDS (COUNTY WATERFORD) ORDER, 1937

WHEREAS it is enacted by subsection (1) of Section 7 of the Wild Birds Protection Act, 1930 (No. 16 of 1930), that the Minister for Justice may by order made on the application of the Council of a county or a county borough, prohibit for reasons stated in such application, the taking or destroying either generally or in any particular year or year in such county or county borough of any particular parts or part thereof of the eggs of any wild bird or any particular kinds or kind of wild birds:

AND WHEREAS Mr. Commissioner Moyrhan, acting as the Council of the County of Waterford, has applied to the Minister for Justice to make an order prohibiting in each of the years 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941 and 1942, in the County of Waterford the taking or destroying of the eggs of the following wild birds, that is to say:—chough, peregrine falcon, owls (all kinds), goldfinch, skink, crossbill, raven, kingfisher, nightjar and turtle-dove, for the reason that the said wild birds are, owing to the great increase in the number of egg collectors, subject to great persecution:

NOW, I, P. J. RUTLEDGE, Minister for Justice, in exercise of the powers conferred on me by Section 7 of the Wild Birds Protection Act, 1930 (No. 16 of 1930), and of every other power given me in the behalf enabling, for the reason that the said wild birds are, owing to the great increase in the number of egg collectors, subject to great persecution, do hereby order as follows:

1. This order may be cited as the Wild Birds (County Waterford) Order, 1937.

2. The Interpretation Act, 1923 (No. 46 of 1923), applies to the interpretation of this Order in like manner as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of the Oireachtas.

3. No person shall in any part of the County of Waterford take or destroy in any of the years 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941 and 1942, the eggs of any of the following wild birds, that is to say:—chough, peregrine falcon, owls (all kinds), goldfinch, skink, crossbill, raven, kingfisher, nightjar and turtle-dove.

Given under my Seal of Office this 10th day of July, 1937.

(Signed) **P. J. RUTLEDGE**, Minister for Justice.

(Signed) **S. A. ROCHE**, Published in accordance with subsection (2) of Section 10 of the Wild Birds Protection Act, 1930.

J. H. O'SULLIVAN, Secretary, County Council, County Secretary's Office, Dungarvan, 6th December, 1937.

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BLACKWATER FISHERIES.

At the usual monthly meeting of the Lismore or No. 4 Board of Fishery Conservators at the Corner House, Tallow, there attended—Messrs. R. G. Annesley, Chairman, Lt.-Col. Pennelther, T. E. T. Murphy, W. Dunne, Carey Joyce, Capt. R. Hooley Smyth, Capt. E. P. Maxwell, Major Longfield, A. Davison, M. Shanahan, W. O'Neill, Ion Villiers Stuart, J. Kent, R. Sheehan, W. Baldwin.

Messrs. T. Drohan, Clerk and Inspector, and W. Buckley, Assistant Inspector, were also in attendance.

Major Longfield said that Lord Charles Cavendish had been elected Vice-Chairman of the Board. He understood that his place as representative of the Lismore Estates was now taken by Mr. Eley. The Clerk read a letter from Mr. E. Carroll, salr., Fermoy, on behalf of the Co., duly authorising Mr. Eley to represent them.

Major Longfield said no several fishery could have two representatives. He, therefore, proposed that Mr. Eley be appointed Vice-Chairman in Lord Cavendish's place.

This was seconded by Mr. Kennedy, and passed unanimously.

Major Longfield, questioned the Clerk regarding the status of Messrs. Stafford and Loughnane as members of the Board.

The Clerk said that Mr. Stafford represented Dr. W's fishery at Mocollop by power of Attorney. Mr. Loughnane was in possession of a several fishery with a valuation of over £50. He had taken it over only recently.

The Chairman—Have you their powers of Attorney?

The Clerk said that Mr. Loughnane required no power of Attorney.

Major Longfield said it would be better to see Mr. Stafford's power of Attorney.

Mr. Baldwin—We never asked for yours, Major; we took your word for it.

The Chairman said new members ought produce their powers of Attorney.

Mr. Sheehan said the Clerk could give the required information at next meeting. It was decided to hold the next meeting on 13th December to enable the men to be paid before Xmas.

Some discussion took place on the question of giving J. Curran, caretaker of the Hatchery, a small bonus.

The Clerk said that Curran had a hard job and he discharged his duties very satisfactorily.

On the proposition of Mr. Kennedy, seconded by the Chairman, he was granted a bonus of 1/2 weekly.

Mr. J. O'Neill, official marksman, wrote asking for a change in the manner of his employment in the destruction of seals. He was allowed £1 per month during the season, with £1 for each seal killed provided the snout was produced. It was very difficult and often dangerous climbing down the rocky cliffs to get at the dead animal. He got injured on a few occasions. Since his appointment he had killed 654 seals in Youghal Harbour and around the coast.

The Chairman thought it would be better to pay by results.

Mr. Baldwin said Mr. O'Neill was a

thoroughly good man, who could be relied on to do his duty.

Mr. Shanahan said they should agree that it was very unfair Mr. O'Neill should be asked to descend the dangerous cliffs from Ardmore to Knockadoon.

The Clerk said that Mr. O'Neill had killed 32 seals last year and received a total of £55 10s. 0d. for wages and rewards.

Major Longfield said that, knowing the cliffs around the coast, he agreed with the remarks made.

Mr. Dunne said that he was a most trustworthy man. He had frequently seen him starting out on his patrol in the early morning.

Finally Major Longfield proposed, and Capt. Maxwell, seconded, that they recommend the Department to sanction a fixed wage of £1 per week.

Mr. Shanahan asked that Mr. O'Neill be instructed to pay an occasional visit to Knockadoon, where there were caves, frequented by seals.

The Clerk—He is responsible for the coast line from Ballycotton to Helvic Head.

An application was received from the Fermoy Trout Anglers' Association for the usual quantum of trout.

Mr. Baldwin—You are only rearing trout for the destruction of the salmon fry.

Major Longfield—That is what happens in nature.

The Chairman—We are preserving trout as well as salmon.

Mr. Kent said the Association was a very deserving body and he proposed that they get what they required.

The Clerk said they would do the best they could in the matter.

This was unanimously agreed to.

Messrs. Eley and Montgomery were appointed delegates to the forthcoming Conference of Irish Fishery Conservators.

Major Longfield to take Mr. Montgomery's place if he found himself unable to attend.

The Department of Justice notified the Board that fines of £10 each with costs imposed on two offenders at Cappoquin Court were reduced in one case to 10/- and in the other to £3, costs to stand.

The Department wrote with reference to information given about the Clonduane Weir, asking what action had been taken.

The Clerk said he knew nothing about the matter. He had received no report from Mr. Baldwin—Underhand work again.

A discussion took place on the question of the number of bulliffs employed, and the Clerk said he would not discharge anyone at the moment.

Mr. Sheehan—It would be unwise to take off any bulliff till next month.

This was agreed to.

Major Longfield called the attention of the Board to the continued damage being done to the fishing in the river by the effluent discharge from the Mallow Beet Sugar Factory. Frequent promises had been made that effective steps would be taken to remedy the complaint, but it was still going on and the pollution of the river bed, especially in the neighbourhood of the factory, was extending resulting in serious damage to the spawning beds. They should keep pegging away at that question until proper steps were taken to render the effluent harmless. It might cost a large sum, but in

CAPPOQUIN NOTES

First Mass in Mount Melleray's New Church—

The first Mass to be celebrated in the New Community Church at Mount Melleray, was offered up at 6 o'clock on last Friday morning in the new Sanctuary, which has now been converted into a temporary Public Church, as the old Secular Church has now been closed to the public owing to the foundations for the new Public Church having been started near the entrance to the former edifice.

Pending the completion of the latter building, the new Sanctuary will continue to be used as a Public Church for the use of the local congregation and all visitors to the famous Monastery, so that the Lord Abbot and Community are doing everything in their power to convenience all those worshippers who have been such regular and devout visitors to the old Church in the past.

After the first Mass on Friday morning several further Masses were said continuously until 2 o'clock, all of which were offered up for the benefactors and subscribers to the New Church Fund, who will be forever remembered in the Masses and prayers of the entire Community, as will also all future subscribers to this deserving fund.

It must not be inferred from the above that the New Community Church is now internally completed and furnished, as it has been previously stated that this costly work will be deferred until the new Public Church is completed so the public can realise what an enormous expenditure has yet to be faced before this important double project can be brought to completion.

G.A.A. "45" Drive—

Large entries are already pouring in for the great "45 Drive" to be held in the Boathouse Hall on next Sunday, 12th inst., in aid of the Cappoquin Hurling and Football Club.

As some misconception may have been caused amongst the public as to the actual value of the Cash Prizes offered for this event, we have been asked to state that the first prize is £5 for the winning pair, or £2 10s. each, instead of £2 10s. for the winning pair, as may have been inferred from the earlier announcements, while additional prizes of £6 will be given to each of the runners-up, and our readers are requested to study the amended ad., which appears in this issue.

Intending competitors for the Semi-

the interest of that important national industry the wool should be tackled.

After a prolonged discussion a resolution was proposed by the Major, and seconded by Mr. Montgomery, calling on the Department to prevent that steps were taken to effectively prevent a continuation of the pollution caused by that effluent.

Mr. Baldwin—We want to fish, but the poor man wants the sugar.

The Chairman—We want both.

The resolution was adopted unanimously and the delegates to the Conference were asked to bring the matter forward there.

Final and Final Rounds are specially requested to be in their places at their respective tables at 2 p.m. sharp, on Sunday, as the games will start punctually so as to have the entire proceedings completed, and the Boathouse Hall fully cleared of tables, seats, etc., for the regular Sunday Night Practice Dance to be held in the Hall at 8 o'clock that night.

Messrs. Joe Mason, Hon. Sec., P. McGrath, Treasurer, and all the other officials and members of the Hurling and Football Club Committee, will have made the most elaborate arrangements for the comfort and convenience of all their supporters, so that a most interesting evenings sport can be safely looked forward to in this splendid and commodious Hall.

The Race Fund Whist Drive—

The full list of the principal prizes to be offered for the Monster Whist Drive in aid of the Cappoquin Race Fund on Sunday night week, 19th inst., will be found in our advt. columns this week.

In addition to the valuable Xmas Hamper kindly presented by Mr. Richie Ryan, Turf Accountant, many more valuable prizes have since been presented to the Race Committee; and the members of the town, as well as the sporting people of Dungarvan and several other outside districts, deserve the best thanks of the promoters owing to the generous responses which they have made to the appeal for suitable and seasonable prizes for the occasion.

A perusal of the list of prizes elsewhere will show that this year's Whist Drive should be even more attractive than any of those previously held, and we hope it will be supported accordingly by the public.

West Waterford Hounds—

Followers of the above popular pack of foxhounds have been enjoying some rare sport at every "meet" since the opening of the present season.

At the recent "meets" at Headboro', Aglish, Rockfield, Kereen and Beary's Cross unusually large "Fields" were present, and with foxes plentiful in each district, several long and exciting runs were enjoyed, and many "kills" were registered in those fine stretches of hunting country.

The generous support which the hunt is receiving this year, as well as the splendid sport being provided, must prove particularly gratifying to Miss A. Hickman, the new M.F.H., for her first season with these hounds, and for the sake of all concerned we trust that the same good sport will be continued to the end of the season.

Many Deaths—

During the past week an unusually large number of deaths have been reported from various parts of the country in this area of West Waterford, but, fortunately, with the exception of one man of advanced years, Mr. Gas. Gallagher, who died in Dungarvan Hospital, none of the victims belonged to this town.

Cappoquin must be a particularly healthy place to live in, owing to the low rate of mortality amongst the inhabitants, even when severe epidemics of influenza were claiming many victims in other places; and considering that we have thank God, enjoy such immunity with

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defective Sewerage and Water Schemes in the past, it is too much to hope that we may all live to be centenarians when the New Sewerage and Water Schemes are completed in the town?

Like A Fairyland Scene—

Coming home from the Barrack street direction a few nights ago we were struck by the pretty and artistic spectacle presented by the long line of red lamps lighting the entire length of the Main street in connection with the New Sewerage Scheme now in course of construction in this principal thoroughfare.

The historic "Cornerstone" instead of presenting its usually dark brown colour, was transformed into a solid mass of ruddy hue, like a large live coal, and we wondered what would some of our Cappoquin exiles think if they saw this famous landmark on that night, for in former years it was the custom with many of those departing for America or other foreign countries to take a chip of this old stone with them as a souvenir of Cappoquin, as it was believed to have a greater talismanic touch than even a chip of the famous "Barney Stone".

Wintery Conditions—

Last Sunday night was the coldest night experienced here this winter.

There was a hard white frost which made even those with the warmest clothing shiver, but the only persons who did not feel the cold were those who were enjoying themselves at the practice dance in the Boathouse.

However, as many of those, including a number of young ladies, had to cycle home a long distance after the dance, the sudden transition from a warm room to Arctic conditions outside proved a most welcome experience for them, but they would gladly face it all again for the sake of another night's enjoyable dance.

Monday proved unusually cold and foggy here, and provided a severe test for all those engaged in outdoor work, and ample evidence was afforded that wintery conditions have now visited us in grim earnest.

The Turkey Season—

Producers who had been holding over their birds for higher prices than those at present prevailing, have at last begun to realise the danger of a big drop in the prices, the same as happened last Xmas, and are now sending their turkeys to market in much greater numbers than appeared likely a week ago.

During the present week Messrs. J. O'Connor and Sons, Egg and Poultry Exporters, Cappoquin, have received very large supplies of turkeys in excellent condition, for which they paid the highest possible market prices, and from recent indications their turkey market for this Xmas will prove as successful as any of those experienced by this popular and reliable firm in former years.

HEROIC CARRICK-ON-SUIR FIREMAN IN NEW YORK

Recent issues of New York newspapers contain lengthy accounts of the thrilling feats during the past twenty years at rescues during fires of Lieut. Edward O'Sullivan of the New York Fire Department.

Lieut. O'Sullivan's parents were born in Carrick-on-Suir. Until his grandmother died there some years ago Lieut. Sullivan used to write to her at Xmas and Easter. The only address he ever used was: Carrick-on-Suir, Ireland, two doors from the pump. That address always found his grandmother.

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Death of Miss...
The Hurling...
The New Road...
SAFETY...
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INCH NOTES—

Death of Miss M. J. Long— Death has been reaping a grim harvest in the district lately, and has left in his wake a tract of desolate hearts and lonely homes. True, most of those who heard the call died full of years, leaving to their families a heritage of well spent lives rich in service to their Redeemer and beneficial to their country and their kind. Some died young, however, and at a time when this world was to them fairest and fullest of promise. To this latter category belonged the late Miss Mary Josephine Long, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Long, of Kilkenny, Killeagh, whose death took place at the residence of her uncle Mr. John Morrissey, Castlemartyr. She was young to die, just about twenty-one years of age, and her manner was as gentle and guileless as a child's. She had a kind word and a warm greeting for everybody, and was liked and respected by all who had the privilege of knowing her. Educated for the most part by the good Sisters of Loreto at Middleton, she graduated with distinction and choosing the teaching profession she entered a Training College in Dublin. Here her progress was exceptionally satisfactory, and gave promise of a brilliant and successful career. Also that promise was destined not to be fulfilled, her health broke down under the strain of constant study, and confinement. God wanted this precious plant for his own heavenly garden. Her illness and suffering she bore with great patience and fortitude, and when the call came—when the angel of death beckoned—she went forth in perfect resignation to answer the summons. To her grief-stricken parents and sorrowing sisters, we offer our respectful sympathy in their great affliction. The remains were interred on Monday 6th inst. in the family plot in Ballynane cemetery. The funeral was of large proportions, and though the journey was long—about 16 miles, and the road for the most part bad, a large number of people from her native district as well as from Castlemartyr, Killeagh, etc., were present when the grave was closed. May she rest in peace.

EAST CORK JOTTINGS

Killagh Point-to-Point Races—

Many of the sports work in connection with organising the Killagh races has already been done, and the success of the meeting is a foregone conclusion. The races will be run under the auspices of the United Hunt Club, one of the most popular clubs in the south of Ireland. Major Watt, who hunts the United's is one of the best-known promoters of the sport of fox-hunting in Ireland today. He is keenly interested in the Killagh fixtures, and that fact alone is sufficient guarantee of its success. This meeting has always been popular with race-goers on account of being so centrally situated, and being favoured with such ideal facilities regarding transport arrangements. There are always plenty of runners too, for there has never been a scarcity of good hunters in the counties of Cork and Waterford, not to speak of the owners and breeders in other counties who have always patronised the Killagh fixture. The course has been improved this year and nothing will be overlooked that would in any way promote the success of the races, or the comfort and convenience of the patrons and supporters who will no doubt be present in large numbers. It may be mentioned that there are plenty of stabling conveniences to be had in the village and neighbourhood, and owners and trainers can rest assured that their horses will be well housed and cared for while they are in the district.

Gaelic Notes & Notions

By "CROTOG"

"Pipped on the Post Again." For the third time this year a Waterford Senior team has had the tantalising experience of seeing victory wrenched from its grasp by a last minute goal. The two crucial disappointments in the Munster Championships at Clonmel should have been lesson enough to us, yet it took last Sunday's bolt from the blue to expose the fatal policy of sitting presumptuously on the slender lead of a point. The day was gloriously fine and the crowd was so small that the sheep scattered on to the pitch during the second half evidently thinking that they had the whole place to themselves. Certainly it was no compliment to the visiting Cork team to find such a sparse attendance. The football public of the Deise can wax very vocal at times on the question of the neglect of the game in the County. But it is they themselves who are guilty of neglect. They clamour for a football revival, but they do not think it worth their while to support it or lead it the encouragement of its presence. They forget their elementary duty. No wonder the Corkmen returned on Sunday night with a very poor opinion of the support forthcoming in this county for Gaelic Football.

PORTLAW "PICKINGS"

"More money for Christmas." This headline in the Financial News of a Dublin daily cheered us greatly. We hope it will go round and round and round and bring pleasure and merriment to millions. As in music it is hard to get along without a little "do." We are coining the "do" for this occasion.

Apart from the shop window displays the signs of Yuletide will soon be plentiful on all sides. There will be greater alacrity in the responses of the lads and lasses who have a list for your signature at Christmas, and others expecting the "annual" impress their salutations with an ardour which one never hears at any other time of the year.

Who will deny the potency of the whisky sold here in Portlaw after reading what immediately follows? A customer spilled some of the "precious" liquid; a very small mouse ran out from its hiding place and mopped it up; it then rushed to the street in search of the biggest cat in our Leather City with a swagging defiance, as much as to say, "Come on now, you big stiff, and I will teach you a lesson." No wonder the "starred stuff" is much talked about.

There is a pleasant way and a harsh way of performing the same duty. A certain local Civic Guard believes in the former method, and his tactfulness has made him a favourite even amongst transgressors whom he is obliged to bring to book. A young man dallied long inside the Brown Street house he was visiting—perhaps he was spending the time pleasantly with his fiancée. The darkness descended and his car at the kerb showed no light. It was a danger to traffic. "Rat-tat," it was the Garda's knock. And this is how he explained his business—"Would you mind telling Sir Malcolm Campbell that his 'Bluebird' outside here should be showing light? Everybody laughed, and all was well that ended well. Not deprecating Sir Malcolm, it would have been more up-to-date to substitute Captain Eyston and his "thunderbolt."

We were in the way one evening within the present week when a popular punter of the purlieu of Pouldrew remarked in our hearing, "Mine wasn't only the last horse." Which, incidentally, reminds us to remind you that a comely Kilmecden maiden has dreamt on three successive nights that a 'chaser called Cooleen will win a race value 700 sovereigns at Sandown at the end of next week. (May the "dream tip" prove "money for jam" for you!)

The daring young man on the flying trapeze is not what he used to be. An old-time showman with whom we had a long and interesting chat in Fiddown a few evenings ago subscribes to this view. With the light of enthusiasm in his eye he told us of "the good old days" when it was considered as nothing to see as many as six aerial artists—all flying simultaneously. Today, he reflected sadly, one did not have the daring of old. Going on, he gave us an intriguing sidelight on the training of a trapeze artist. "Before you teach them to fly," he said, "you have to teach 'em to fall. That's always the first lesson. If they can't pick that up then they have to turn elsewhere for a career." Walk before you leap, but fall before you fly; that is the order!

Miss H A Kavanagh, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. Kavanagh, and the late Mr. James Kavanagh, Kiltulla, Athenry, who recently passed the examination in Queen's Institute of District Nursing, has been appointed district nurse in Kilmecden. By the way, general and deservedly popular Lady Susan Denny, of Whitefield, is President of the Kilmecden Branch of the Co. Waterford District Nursing Association.

If a certain local "old-timer" of our acquaintance wrote his reminiscences they would sell like hot cakes in winter. Had a chat with this man a day or two ago, and let him with reluctance because he was recalling some of his experiences in the place when he was a little lad. Apropos of strange pets, he told us of a woman in the neighbourhood whose house was over-run by rats. She fed them in the same way as she fed the fowl, and looked after them with the same oversight. The cats and the dogs which were also of the household seemed to respect her prejudice, for the rats scampered about unmolested. Rats, mice, cats and dogs mingled together as one happy family of the animal kingdom. The old man told us of his unpleasant sensations when he first visited the homestead. He carried an asphixant, and he made a swipe at a few of the rodents that emerged from seclusion to career around his feet. But the woman almost screamed hysterically, exclaiming: "These rats are my pets, boy." As an uncle took him to England (where he worked for forty years) soon after, he did not know what happened to the rats.

Breeding rats as a hobby is no uncommon experience. But these are not of the destructive variety. The white rat is the type favoured. It is a harmless little fellow, very tame, never bites or scratches, and is quite as clean as any other animal. Some people concentrate on white mice. They are not the sort who go into the African jungle to shoot lions; they are more domestic. White mice are a variety of the common mouse, but they are as different in disposition as in colour since they like to be fondled, run about here, there, and everywhere, and sleep in your pocket. In some homes they are kept as a miniature menagerie for the kiddies, but all the same there are otherwise heroic women who would scream for help at the sight of a white mouse. Such, however, are in the minority—in our midst, at any rate!

The game itself developed from a drab featureless first half into a highly exciting encounter in the second half. The local, owing to defections, had to make six or seven last minute changes and as a result the team was very disjointed. Some of the newcomers created a very favourable impression especially the Kilrossary trio, Loneragan, Veale and Dalton, the first named, a strong thick-set youth with a great raking kick is certainly an acquisition to the Senior team. Veale, a slight but nippy winger, flicked a quick ground pass from Ryan to the net with a neatness which Purty Landers himself might have envied. Barron was once again the fastest and most whole-hearted player on the Deise side and the lightning raid with which he captured the Cork net was the one bright spot in the dull early half. Jim Ryan reproduced his County Final form and scored as grand a goal as a footballer could wish to see—scoring two goals in the net with a neatness which was a total unexpected goal in the last moment of the game. In fairness to Seamus Hayes it must be said that the obstruction of a Cork forward inside the "square" gave him little or no chance. The umpire, as "umpires" usually do, did not trouble to call the referee's attention to the point.

On Sunday's form, our players have lots of things to learn about football and most of them are elementary. There was much culpable "wish" in hurling, character, throwing hand-passes, hugging and tugging jerseys, catching the ball on the ground and such like amateurish crudity. The forwards could not be persuaded that there was any amount of room for the ball over the cross-bar. Cork won because they gratefully took what the gods gave them and shot points at every opportunity—seven in all. Waterford lost because none of the forwards could or would shoot over points when they were there for the taking. Everyone knows the gambler who prefers a long-priced loser to a short-price sure-fire winner. Well, many of the Deise attackers over-did this sort of gambling and the result was disastrous. Trying to shoot a fourteen-yard free through a solid wall of backs positioned in the square is about as foolish and just as profitable as quarrying limestone with a tooth-pick. Why? In hurling, it is only the expert with a lightning who can hope to succeed and with a fast-flying ball many times smaller.

On Tuesday evening 30th ult., there was a lively hurling tussle in Dungarvan between those keen school rivals, the Priory and Lismore. A hectic game ended in favour of the homestays by a single goal, the visitors actually scored as much as their conquerors, but were either unlucky to have a goal disallowed. Moore, Healy, Pollard, Fives and Duggan played a very brainy game for the losers, while Lyons, Kiely, and Gavin, did heroic work to gain the day for the victors amongst whom the bold Danno' Mahony seems to be mighty popular judging by the whoops which greeted the execution of his numerous body slams. Indeed, Danno's whole ambition seemed to be to pile up a record number of 'Falls.' The Lismore lads had the better stamina and after overhauling a long half-time lead of eleven points finished very strongly and were somewhat unlucky to taste defeat on the score of 6 goals 1 point to 5 goals 1 point.

At a special meeting of the Co. Board on Sunday 23rd Ult., it was decided to launch a great "45" Card Drive to aid the finances of the G.A.A. in the Deise. T. B. Boyle, Dungarvan, very kindly lent his services to advise on the technical details and general organisation of the scheme. Huge Prizes are being offered, £30 for the Final Table and £60 in consolation Prizes, with entrance fee of only one shilling. This ambitious Drive should exercise a tremendous appeal not only on all G.A.A. clubs and individual Gaeils, but also on the many thousands of enthusiastic card-players in the county. Organised with earnestness and pushed forward with vigour it should help in great measure to provide widespread activity for the Gaelic public during the winter recess as well as restoring some measure of financial stability to the Treasury of the Waterford County Board.

The Hurling Tournament— It has been definitely decided that the tournament final will not take place until the New Year. Some prominent Castlemartyr players are suffering from injuries received in recent matches, and some are ill. Under these circumstances, and because of the rapidly-shortening days, and uncertain weather conditions, I think the wisest course has been adopted. The Castlemartyr v. Inch match has been postponed also, and will now be likely to take place the same day as the tournament final. We will thus have something of great interest to look forward to in the New Year.

The New Road— The new road now being constructed from Manaburra to Killeagh is nearing completion and will mean a considerable shortening of the journey from the upper to the lower end of the parish. Its construction has given a good deal of much-needed employment to a fair number of men during a lean period, and for that reason alone has been a boon to the locality.

SAFETY OF CHILDREN ON THE ROADS— Members of the Civic Guards here visited the schools in Carrick-on-Suir and have given lectures and demonstrations to the school children on the safe use of the roadways and how to avoid being injured by passing traffic.

CARRICK-ON-SUIR CHRISTIAN BROTHERS— A representative committee has been formed in Carrick-on-Suir to raise funds to help the local Christian Brothers Community to pay off a heavy debt incurred in carrying out much-needed extensions to the schools such as the enlargement of playgrounds, central heating of schools, covered-in playing sheds for use in bad weather and other work. The project has the warm support of all sections of the townspeople, who appreciate the good work for the education and training of the youths done by the Brothers in Carrick.

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Local lovers of the chase were well to the fore at the meet of the Waterford Hounds at Carroll's Cross on Saturday of last week. A biting cold day held dry up to about 4 p.m. from which hour heavy showers of sleet were of frequent occurrence. With conditions for scent satisfactory, the fairly large field out obtained a series of gallops at racing pace before hounds were called off. Snow lay on the slopes and summit-spurs of the Conraghs as the sporting riders returned to their respective homes.

ATHLETICS NO MINUTES Unusual Crux At Annual Convention MUNSTER COUNCIL Increase In Number Of Clubs And Athletes

There was an unusual feature attached to the annual Convention of the Munster Council of the National Athletic and Cycling Association of Ireland, held at Mal'ow on Sunday week, when it was found that no minutes of the previous Convention held in Limerick were recorded.

Mr. W. J. Nolan (Dungarvan) the Hon. Sec., said that there was no record on the minute book of this Convention. The Chairman (Mr. M. W. O'Brien, Ennis) said that Mr. Nolan was appointed Hon. Sec., at the last Convention.

Mr. Nolan—Yes, but I was not present. The Chairman—We shall have to forego the minutes and I will ask the secretary to read his report.

Mr. Nolan, in the course of his report, stated the year was successful in every respect. There was a slight falling off in the number of open meetings, but no decrease in public support. All six counties were represented at the Munster Inter-Co. Contest, and he was pleased to record an increase in the number of affiliated clubs and registered athletes.

Cork had won the Inter-County Championship for the seventh successive year, and it was hoped that the county would take a leading part in the cross-country revival.

Mr. Nolan added that the number of clubs affiliated in the different counties was as follows:—Tipperary, 20; Cork, 18; Clare, 9; Waterford, 8; Limerick, 6; Kerry, 5. The number of athletes in the different counties was as follows:—Clare, 217; Tipperary, 157; Limerick, 90; Waterford, 75; Cork, 69; Kerry, 20.

Press Criticisms—Supt. Moore said that the Council had agreed to include the javelin. He then went on to criticise the reports which appeared in the daily Press about the Inter-County Contests at Cahir.

Mr. O'Farrell said that the Press also criticised the National Championships at Killybegs. Referring to the Interprovincial Contest between Munster and Leinster at Maryboro, Sergt. Kelleher said that he was the only Limerick official present. With the few Limerick and Tipperary athletes, augmented by some from the D.M.G., they made a brave showing against a strong Leinster team, and he now believed that they should consider the advisability of continuing this competition.

The Chairman said that they were grateful to Sergt. Kelleher for the interest he had taken in this contest at Maryboro. On the question of affiliation fees from the different County Boards, the Hon. Treasurer said that only Clare and Kerry had paid their fees.

The Chairman said that that was a most unsatisfactory state of affairs. Mr. Curran (Waterford) said he feared they could not collect the money in November, as the Co. Waterford clubs had always paid their affiliation fees in December and January, but as a matter of fact they had already sent one-third of the fees to the Central Council in accordance with the rules.

Sergt. Kelleher (Hon. Treasurer) accepted Mr. Curran's explanation but said it was impossible to prepare a proper balance sheet until all counties had paid up. The election of officers was postponed and the Convention was adjourned to the last Sunday in January in Limerick at 3 o'clock.

Mr. M. W. O'Brien (Ennis), Chairman, presided. Others present were Messrs. P. J. Kelleher (Thurles), Hon. Treasurer; W. J. Nolan (Dungarvan), Hon. Sec.; M. Curran, J. McGrath (Waterford); J. A. O'Farrell (Limerick); D. Hurley, W. Dooley (Clare); T. Ryan, P. Torpy, S. Flanagan, Supt. J. J. Moore (Tipperary).

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LYNCHE—In sad James Lynch, son of James Lynch, died at his residence, 11, St. Mary's Street, Dungarvan, on Saturday, December 11, 1937, aged 21 years. He was the youngest son of the late James Lynch and his wife, Mary Lynch. He was educated at the National School, Dungarvan, and at the Dungarvan Technical School. He was a member of the Dungarvan G.A.A. Club and the Dungarvan Football Club. He was a very popular and promising young man. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. James Lynch, and his father, Mr. James Lynch, both of 11, St. Mary's Street, Dungarvan. He is also survived by his two sisters, Miss Mary Lynch and Miss Elizabeth Lynch, both of 11, St. Mary's Street, Dungarvan. He was buried in the Catholic Cemetery, Dungarvan, on Sunday, December 13, 1937, at 11 o'clock. Requiem Mass will be said for his soul at 8 o'clock on Monday, December 14, 1937, at St. Mary's Church, Dungarvan. The Rev. Fr. J. J. Walsh, P.P., will officiate. Friends are invited to attend the funeral. J. J. Walsh, P.P., Dungarvan.

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IN MEMORIAM
LYNCH (First Anniversary)—
and sad and loving memory of
James A. Lynch, Killarney,
Dungarvan (late Editor "Dun-
garvan Observer") who died
December 11th, 1936. Sacred
heart of Jesus, have mercy on
his soul.—R.I.P.
Inserted by his loving wife
and children.

DEATH
MORRISSEY—Hermitage, Abbeyside, on
Lacecorse St. (at the Dungarvan Dis-
trict Hospital) Gerald Morrissey,
dearly regretted by his sorrowing wife,
family and relatives.—R.I.P.
Interment (today) Friday after Re-
quiem Masses in Ballinroad cemetery.

IN MEMORIAM
FORDE—Tender precious memories today
and ever of my darling mother, Mrs. K.
M. Forde, who died on 13th December,
1935.
Sweet Jesus have mercy on her. Imma-
culate heart of Mary, pray for her.
Masses offered.—R.I.P.
Worthy of everlasting love and remem-
brance. Sadly missed and deservedly
regretted by her lonely May.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.
CONDOLENCE—
At a meeting of the Touraneena Fife
and Drum Band, held on Tuesday night,
a vote of sympathy was passed to Mr.
Edmond Cullinan and family, Touraneena,
in their recent sad bereavement. The
meeting then adjourned as a mark of respect.

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ing, Mr. Grocock's Spes Unica, won the
Southall Nursery Plate (six furlongs, value
£250) from a field of 13 runners at the
nice price of 100/6.
Spes Unica is by Teletivity out of "What
A Hope," "What A Hope" is the property
of Mr. Thomas Barry, Goodahilly, King,
who sold the winner to Mr. Grocock, at a
nice figure.

A PROMISING CUEIST—
While playing in a game of billiards at
the National and Commercial Club Mary
street, on last Saturday, Master "Gusty"
Power, made a "Ten Shot." This is a
"shot" which is very seldom made in bil-
liards, and we wonder if Master Power
did not create a family record, as his
father Mr. Wm. Power, made another
"Ten Shot" when playing in a handicap
some years ago. Master Power is one of
the last eight left in the present handicap
being run off at the Club, which is a won-
derful performance for one of his age, and
a fine tribute to his prowess as a cueist.

PRESENTATION TO POSTMASTER—
On the occasion of his transfer to Skib-
berden from the Dungarvan Post Office, a
presentation was made to Mr. J. J. Ma-
honey, by the Dungarvan Staff on
Saturday evening last.
Miss Kinnealy, in making the presenta-
tion, said it afforded her much pleasure in
presenting to Mr. O'Mahony a little token
of the esteem which he enjoyed from the
staff, and wished him every success for
the future.

Mr. J. Mooney, said that he personally
regretted the departure of Mr. O'Mahony,
and he had no doubt but each and every
member of the staff held the same view.
Their congratulations were extended to
him, and the real fact is that his promo-
tion is Skibberden's gain and our loss
(hear, hear).

Miss Barry also joined in offering good
wishes to Mr. O'Mahony on his well-earned
promotion, and said she, too, was sorry
that he is leaving Dungarvan.
Messrs. Nagle, O'Connor, McGrath,
Mooney, Hayes and others also spoke in
praise of Mr. O'Mahony, the kindness
they had received from him and all wished
him further success.

Mr. O'Mahony, replying, spoke with
feeling, and said he was very sorry to be
leaving such a fine staff, from whom he
had always received the utmost co-opera-
tion and support in the course of his duty.
He appreciated very much, the gifts, not
for their intrinsic value, but for the spirit
in which it was entered into by all the
staff. He thanked them very much, and
said he will always remember the happy
days he spent in Dungarvan.

G. A. A. COLLEGES HURLING—
The meeting of St. Augustine's College,
Dungarvan, and St. Augustine's College,
New Ross, at the Gaelic Field, Dungarvan,
on Wednesday last, was productive of
some of the best hurling seen between
College teams for some years. The match
which was for a beautiful set of medals,
was won by the Dungarvan Collegians.
The medals were presented to the victors
after the match, by the Very Rev. Fr. F.
Cooney, Provincial, who received a great
ovation from victors and vanquished
alike.

Mr. D. Goode, referred in his usual in-
partial style.
DUNGARVAN FOOT BEAGLES—
Dungarvan Foot Beagles meet on Sun-
day next at the Pike (Garranbane) at one
o'clock.
DOMESTIC ECONOMY—
Arising out of a request by the Rev. T.
B. Walsh, C.C. to the last meeting of the
Vocational Education Committee, that
additional classes in Domestic Economy
be provided at Scoil na nGard, Dungarvan,
application forms have been handed to
the C.E.O., on behalf of 38 Domestic
Servants and 28 others, resident at Dun-
garvan.
The C.E.O. points out that Miss Landers
is conducting the existing Day Junior
Domestic Economy Course, as well as the
Evening classes, and has a full quota of
students and work.

It was agreed to advertise for a Domest-
ic Economy Instructress, on a temporary
whole-time basis for Session 1937-38.
DUNGARVAN G.A.A. CLUB—
At a Committee meeting of the above
Club, held on Saturday November 27th,
in the Club Rooms, the following resolu-
tion of sympathy was passed:—
"That the Committee of the Club ten-
der to their fellow-member, Mr. Michael
Fives, Burgery, Dungarvan, their sym-
pathy on the death of his uncle, the late
Mr. John Greene, Burgery, Dungarvan."
The resolution was passed in silence,
the members standing.

G. A. A. CLUB—
At a Committee meeting held in the
Club Room on Saturday 4th December, the
following resolution of sympathy was
passed:—
"That the Committee on behalf of the
members of the Club, tender to Seamus
Hayes, a member of the Club, their sin-
cere sympathy on the sad and unexpected
death of his brother-in-law, the late Mr.
Charles McFarland, Dublin.
The resolution was passed in silence,
the members standing.

DUNGARVAN H. & F. CLUB—
At a Committee meeting of the above
Club, held in their Club Room, the fol-
lowing resolutions were made to be nomi-
nated by the Club at the coming Conventions:—
West Divisional Board, 1938—Chairman—
Sergt. Paul Russell, Dungarvan. Vice-
Chairman—Seamus O'Neill, Lismore. Hon.
Treas.—Seamus Hayes, Dungarvan. Sec.—
Thomas A. Kyne, Dungarvan.
Representatives on Co. Board—James
Quirke, Ballyduff; Joseph Mason, Cappo-
quin, and James Goode, Dungarvan.
Co. Board 1938—Chairman—M. V.
O'Donoghue, Lismore. Hon. Treasurer—
Seamus Hayes, Dungarvan. Sec. and Reg-
istrar—Declan Goode, Dungarvan.
Reps. on Munster Council—P. Russell,
and M. V. O'Donoghue.

CHILDREN'S HEALTH BAZAAR—
The Committee beg to announce co-
operation in this good work for the dis-
advantaged poor children of the town, of those
loyal supporters in an excellent cause,
every effort on behalf of the Committee
has been expended to make the Bazaar
a success. We appeal to all to do their
best and make it as in the past, evidence
of your charity.
The Committee are deeply grateful to
subscribers of the many valuable gifts
whose names will be acknowledged in the
next issue of the "Observer."

DANCING—
The grand Ciderella dance at the Pike
Hall, on next Sunday night, Dec. 12th pro-
mises to eclipse any of the many enjoyable
dances already held in this popular venue.
MEALS FOR POOR CHILDREN—
The Committee in charge of the Grand
Bazaar in aid of the funds of the Child-
ren's Health Committee, to be held in the
Town Hall, Dungarvan, on Tuesday, Wed-
nesday and Thursday nights next, have
all arrangements completed. We trust
that their efforts in this worthy cause
will meet with generous support from the
public.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mr. Gerald Morrissey

Seldom has any event caused such
genuine regret in the town and district as
the announcement of the death of Mr.
Gerald Morrissey, which occurred at the
Dungarvan District Hospital, on Wednes-
day last after a very brief illness. R.I.P.
The late Mr. Morrissey was a member
of one of the oldest and most respected
families in the Dungarvan district, and
was a member of the firm of Morrissey
Bro's, Main Street, Dungarvan.

The late Mr. Morrissey possessed a most
attractive personality, while his upright
and honourable character won for him the
esteem of all sections of the public with-
out distinction. A devout Catholic all his
life, he was a model to all, and his pre-
mature death while still in the prime of
life is deeply regretted by a large circle
of friends, and the public in general, and
the deepest sympathy with his widow and
young family is expressed on every side.
The deceased was brother of Mr.
Michael Morrissey, J.D., and of Messrs.
Wm. Morrissey, Carrnagarriff, Mr.
Thomas Morrissey, Main Street, Dunga-
rvan, Mr. A. Morrissey, Esplanade, do.,
Mrs. T. Ryan, Ballyrande, do., and Mrs.
P. Mooney, Gionna, do., while he was bro-
ther-in-law of Very Rev. Fathers John
and Edmond O'Shea, of the American
Mission.

The remains, which were removed from
the District Hospital to the Parish Church,
Dungarvan, on Wednesday night, were
followed by practically the whole populace
of the town and surrounding districts,
while the funeral to Ballinroad on Thurs-
day evening proved one of the largest seen
in the district for many years.

The interment takes place on today
(Friday) after the celebration of Re-
quiem Masses.

Death of Mrs. E. Flynn,
Abbeyside

The death took place on Friday morn-
ing last of Mrs. Emma Flynn, Home
Rule Street, Abbeyside.
The deceased who had reached a fine
age, was an upright, industrious woman.
Of a kind and charitable nature, she was
ever doing good among her neighbours.
To her bereaved family, the deepest sym-
pathy is extended. Despite the most in-
clement weather conditions on Saturday
evening, a very large cortege of mourners
and sympathisers followed the remains to
the Parish Church, Abbeyside, where they
were received at the Church gates by Rev.
M. Power, C.C. On Sunday after the cele-
bration of Mass, the remains were interred
in the family plot in the adjoining ceme-
tery.

Rev. M. Power, C.C., officiated at the
graveside.

TO MRS. E. FLYNN (EMMA YOUNG)
R.I.P.

In the distance, snow-covered mountain
glean on this clear, cold December day
Bitter tears from your loved ones eyes
which stream are falling on sacred
day.
Sympathising neighbours have gathered
round—and some who with your
children weep—
In this hallowed and consecrated ground
to leave you in your last long sleep?
You were friend alike to the rich and poor
—all regardless of earthly gain—
No sufferer knocked at your cottage door
who requested your aid in vain.
But no more an aching and fevered head
your sympathetic touch may soothe;
No more the pillow of the silent dead
your hand shall reverently smooth.
Rest on by the Abbey in perfect peace
rest by the ever-surgling tide.
Your soul to that Home where all sorrows
cease has flown through the ether: vast
and wide.
M. T. B.

Death of Mr. Walter Brett

Mr. Walter Brett, Sarsfield Street, Ab-
beyside, who passed to his eternal reward
on Tuesday last, was during his life a
hard-working industrious man, who by his
quiet and unassuming manner, earned for
himself the respect of all sections of the
community. He rested a most respected
family. His funeral to Ballinroad on
Wednesday was a fitting tribute of the es-
teem in which the deceased and his family
are held.

XMAS IS COMING!

We extend to all our Friends and the General Public a
cordial invitation to attend our ever popular

ANNUAL EXHIBITION

WHICH WILL BE HELD IN OUR SHOW ROOMS TO-DAY FRIDAY UNTIL 10 p.m.

A Cead Mile Failte to all! Your particular Friends will appreciate the Gift of one of our High-class Rich Cakes and Delicious Plum Puddings

An unlimited and choice selection to choose from, including: Iced Cakes, Simnel Cake; Fruit, Seed, Madeira and Cherry Slabs; Gateaux, Yule Logs, Mince Pies, etc.

The increasing demand proves beyond all doubt the public appreciation of their unsurpassed excellence and purity. They please above all others, and maintain our High-class Reputation for choicest quality.

Power's Bakery, DUNGARVAN. PHONE—50.

Children's Health Committee FOR SALE BY PRIVATE TREATY VALUABLE LAND WITHIN 1 MILE OF DUNGARVAN

A GRAND BAZAAR AND FANCY FAIR (in aid of the above) WILL BE HELD IN THE TOWN HALL, DUNGARVAN ON THE 14th, 15th and 16th DEC., 1937 Doors Open Nightly at 7.30 p.m.

GAMES! GAMES!! GAMES!!! Shooting Gallies; Roulette; Spinners; House, Wheel-'em'-in; Pin-Tables and Numerous other Attractions!

PRIZES FOR ALL FANCY STALLS CHILDREN'S STALLS

GRAND DRAW FOR 6-VALVE H.M.V. ALL-WORLD RADIO Value £15 15 0, and other Prizes

ADMISSION 3d, which entitles Holder to participate in Nightly Draw for VALUABLE DOOR PRIZE

ENJOY A GOOD NIGHT! HELP A GOOD CAUSE! PROVIDE FREE MEALS FOR THE POOR CHILDREN

GRAND CINDERELLA DANCE TOWN HALL, SUNDAY 19th DEC., 1937 Dancing 9 to 2 a.m. TICKETS 2/6 See Other Posters for full Particulars

GRAND CINDERELLA DANCE Will be held AT THE PIKE HALL. On Sunday Night, Dec., 12th, 1937

Music by the Famous Nightingale Orchestra, Lismore. Dancing 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Admission (including tax) 1/6

SOME AND ENJOY ANOTHER REAL GOOD NIGHT AT THE LEADING DANCE HALL

SALE OF KERRY HEIFERS—We direct the attention of the farming Community to the Sale on page 8 of this issue, by Mr. James Hayes, Auctioneer, on Wednesday next (fair day).

TODAY AND EVERY DAY THIS WEEK OUR GREAT ANNUAL RED-LETTER SALE

Ladies' Smart Wool Frocks and Wool Jumper Suits. Sale Price 6/11 each. Children's Cashmere Socks, all sizes, nice quality. Sale Price 3/4 per pair. Warm Winter Coats for Boys, big selection of colours. Sale Price 7/6 each. Ladies' Patent and Brown Leather Shoes. Sale Price 6/11 per pair. Fountain Pens, lovely 6d. line, reduced to 3d. each. All shades Sanitary Distemper selling at 1/11 per alb. tin. Coco Fibre Door Mats, 11 1/2, 1/3, and 1/6 each. Wonderful Value in good brown Army Blankets, offered at pre-war prices while stocks last. Sale Price 1/11 1/2 each. Heavy Shadow Cretonnes, ideal for curtains and loose covers. Sale Price 7/4 per yard.

HEARNE'S WATERFORD.

XMAS, 1937.

USEFUL & PRACTICAL GIFTS

Gloves, Silk Hose, Umbrellas, Tea Sets, Pillow Sets, Cardigans, Jumpers, Travelling Rugs, Ties, Caps, Hats, Shirts, Pyjamas, Irish Poplin Ties, Eiderdowns, Tablecloth

AT WALSH'S, Drapers. GRATTAN SQUARE, DUNGARVAN.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR GIFTS

CAN WE HELP YOU TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM OF YOUR CHRISTMAS GIFT?

FOR LADIES: Silk Hosiery (in Fancy Boxes), Silk Scarves, Wool Scarves, Art Silk and Silk Lingerie (Boxed in Sets), Handbags, Silk Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Irish Linen Handkerchiefs (in Fancy Boxes), Pullovers, Lumber Jackets, Silk Squares. FOR MEN: Ties (Silk and Poplin), Wool Scarves, Silk Squares, Gloves, lined and fur-lined, Boyles, Dungarvan Knitwear Fancy Wool Socks, Cardigans, Slip-Overs and Pull Overs (in Fancy Boxes), Silk and Art Silk Shirts, White and Neat Stripe Tropic Shirts, Tie and Handkerchief Sets (Fancy Boxes).

WE STOCK ALL BRANDS OF KNITWEAR, including ROUND TOWER, LEE, ST. BRIGID'S and AFTON, Etc.

DALTON'S, THE SQUARE, DUNGARVAN (AT 'BUS STOP)

GRAND 45 DRIVE AT CAPPAGH FOR TWO VALUABLE XMAS HAMPERS

Entrance Fee—1/- each! First Rounds can be played anywhere. Semi-Final and Final Rounds at—OLD CAPPAGH HOUSE ON SUNDAY DEC., 19th, 1937 At 7 p.m.

Names of Winners of First Rounds with cash to be returned to: EDDIE WALSH, or RICHARD POWER, Hon. Secs.

BALLINAMULT SOCIAL CLUB WILL HOLD A GRAND DANCE IN THE HALF-WAY HALL ON ST. STEPHEN'S NIGHT DECEMBER 26th 1937

Music by BILLIE HARPUR and his Antonio Dance Band, Colonel Dancing 9 to 5 a.m. Catering in charge of Ladies Committee TICKETS 3/- M. Fitzpatrick, T. Kirwan, Hon. Secs.

SOUTH TERRACE, DUNGARVAN Under instructions, I will sell on WEDNESDAY DEC. 15th (Fair Day) At SOUTH TERRACE, DUNGARVAN 3 Bred Vans (horse drawn) in splendid condition; 1 Horse (8 years) trained to all work; A large quantity of corrugated iron and timber sheathing in convenient lots; Two Sets of Harness and Other Articles. Sale starts sharp at 12 o'clock PATRICK RYAN, Auctioneer & Valuer, Dungarvan.

NOTICE—Currahaha Wood, the property of Mr. Walsh, Colligan, is preserved. Trespassers will be prosecuted. THORN QUICKS for sale 3 year old. Apply Perks, Ballyduff, Dungarvan. TO BE LET for eleven months, 3 acres of good grazing with plenty water, and very well sheltered. Apply to Thomas Keniry, Carrnagarriff, Cappagh, SO. FOR SALE—A well-sharpened yearling Aberdeen-Angus Bull, fit for service. Apply J. J. Drohan, Serahan, KillmacThomas. FOR SALE—Good Ford Tudor Saloon, 14.9 h.p. Taxed to December 31st 1937. Perfect running order. For further particulars apply J. J. Walsh, Mary street, Dungarvan. FOR SALE—A.D. Turkey, Chocobels and hens (English and Canadian bred) weight to 27 lbs. Also Indian Runner Ducks, wonderful laying strain. All birds ringed by Department. Booking orders from excellent winter layers of White Wyandottes at 2/- per sitting. Incubator lots available Dec. and Jan. within three days. Post-free extra: delivered Dungarvan—Prendergast, Poultry Station, Lauragh, Cappaghin.

ANNUAL SALE NOW PROCEEDING!

From now until Xmas Eve we are offering some marvellous value in Ladies' Coats, Frocks, Pullovers, Gloves, Handbags and Millinery. Men's and Boys' Overcoats, Suits, Suitings Pullovers, Shirts, etc.

BOOT DEPARTMENT--Some great value in Men's and Boys' Shoes and Boots. All our Heavy Nailed Boots are clearing at greatly reduced prices. We are offering a Special Bargain in Ladies' Shoes and Bedroom Slippers.

A Visit will convince you that we are offering some Genuine Bargains.

C. LAWN, Grattan Square, Dungarvan.

CONNA CASTLE (Near Tallow)

By P. J. O'Brien

The founding of Conna Castle is ascribed in Lewis's Topographical Dictionary of Ireland to an Earl of Desmond, but other writers state probably with more accuracy, that it was founded by Sir Thomas Roe Fitzgerald, the eldest son of the 14th Earl of Desmond, who by right should have succeeded his father as 15th Earl of Desmond. Its erection, therefore, doubtless took place about the middle of the 16th century. But as the 14th Earl of Desmond following the example of King Henry VIII having repudiated his first wife Joan, the rights of his son by his first wife, viz., Thomas Roe Fitzgerald, to succeed him were passed over in favour of his younger half brother, Gerald Fitzgerald, who thus became the 15th Earl, and it might well be said the last of the great Earl of Desmond the princely ruler of South Munster. This latter Earl as is well-known broke out into rebellion and eventually lost his life by the treachery of his own countrymen in 1590. All his immense possessions became in this way forfeited to the Crown, by whom they were parcelled out amongst the adventurers from England, or undertakers as they were named, whose descendants in many instances still hold portions of the ancient Geraldine lands. Sir Thomas Roe Fitzgerald made an unsuccessful attempt to assert his rights, but took no part in his half brother's rebellion, and retiring to his castle at Conna, he peacefully ended his days there on the 18th of January 1595. His remains were removed thence for interment in the Franciscan Friary usually named the South Abbey of Youghal, where so many of his noble kinsmen lay buried, whose tombs, the ruins of the Friary and the surrounding graveyard were rooted up and destroyed in the 18th century, so that not a vestige of them now remains.

By his wife, Alice, daughter of Richard Power, Lord of Curraghmore, Sir Thomas Roe, Fitzgerald had three sons, James, John and Gerald, and a daughter Margaret, who married Donal McCarthy, Reagh, James, his eldest son, was the ill-fated Saganan Earl of Desmond, who on the death of his father's brother, Earl Gerald whose own son a minor, was long confined in the Tower of London, assuming the title of Earl of Desmond. This the Government not having recognised, he was nick-named by Queen Elizabeth's adherents the Saganan Earl. He had joined Hugh O'Neill, Earl of Tyrone, when the latter raided Lord Barry's territory in 1599 and he took an active part in his relative's rebellion, till at length he was betrayed by his kinsman the White Knight, taken prisoner and tried in the King's Castle at Cork, and was transferred thence to the Tower of London, where after some time he died insane.

It was in the same year 1599 as Tyrone's raid that Queen Elizabeth's favourite Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, and Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, made his unsuccessful campaign in Ireland. When it was drawing to a close, he resolved to visit Munster, and on his homeward journey thence turned aside to visit Conna, where Desmond had his chief residence. As narrated in Bagwell's Ireland under the Tudors, Essex's army on reaching Kilmallock had then no money, magazine or remnant of any kind of food. The advance of Essex's troops was resisted over Ballyhoura hills near Butevant to Glanworth and Fermoy. Essex himself went to Mallow. There was some fighting between Fermoy and Conna and the latter castle was dismantled. Lord Barry brought the convoy safely to Castletown, the Blackwater was passed at Affane Forde and Essex marched unimpeded into Waterford.

In 1603, as recorded in Smith's History of Cork, Conna castle was demolished by Sir James Fulkerton to the first Earl of Cork, by whom it appears to have been again put into a defensive state, for the next thing we hear of is that Conna castle was taken by storm by the loyalist forces under that English hero of an Irish title Lord Castlehaven. Lord Castlehaven's own account of this capture is a remarkably brief one, as recorded in his Memoirs--"I advanced towards Lismore, but Conna Castle lying in a pass on my way, and, sending on summons a

defiance, I encamped before it, thinking to place by guns that night, but the young fellows belonging to his arm eased me of that trouble, and before it was dark took it as they did Milltown by storm."

In the spring of 1650 Oliver Cromwell, we learn from the late Rev. D. Murphy's "Cromwell in Ireland," passed by Conna. To the west of the castle is Gallops Hill, where he is said to have halted with his army and held Council about the attacking the garrison. From this point he lattered the castle with his guns, but apparently with little effect. But he sent out parties from here who captured the neighbouring castles of Mocollop, Cap-pouin and Dramana.

In 1655, Conna Castle was burned by fire and in the conflagration three young ladies--Avis, Joanna and Jane, the daughters of Edward Germain, lost their lives, to whom a monument was erected in the church at Knockmounse, about half a mile to the west of Conna.

The castle and lands of Conna passed in later years to the descendants by marriage of the Earl of Cork, viz., the Dukes of Devonshire. When many years ago the late Rev. Mr. L'Estrange, became landlord of the Conna district, he partly restored the keep of the castle which seems to have suffered little from Essex's dismantling. Mr. L'Estrange disposed of his property here some time back to his tenants under the provisions of the Wyndham Land Purchase Act, and now he has with unprecedented generosity bestowed the castle on the nation by bequeathing it to his Will. Mr. L'Estrange was an Anglican Minister, who resided in London and paid several visits to Conna, the picturesque little village on the banks of the Bride in the centre of a fertile district, on the road from Rathcormac to Tallow. The river Bride is renowned for salmon and trout fishing. Anglers from Cork city and other remote places, come there in large numbers during the summer months, and are well catered for by the proprietors of the two hotels, Messrs. Twomey and Roche.

FAT CATTLE EXPORTS

Bounty of 30/- A Head From January To June

The Department of Agriculture announced today that a bounty on fat cattle exported to Great Britain and Northern Ireland in the period from the 1st January, 1935, to 15th June, 1938, both dates inclusive, will be payable at the rate of 30/- per head, provided that the regulations governing payment of such bounty are complied with.

FAT CATTLE QUOTA NOT FILLED

Exporters Complain

Owing to the decrease in the export of fat cattle to Britain there was no necessity for licences to export them, said Mr. T. W. Molloy at the Irish Live Stock Exporters and Traders' Association meeting in Dublin.

This year, so far, he said, the number of fat cattle exported was over 13,000 less than during the same period last year, and there was no possibility of the quota being filled.

The new coal-cattle pact was being prepared and this was the time to get the licences dropped.

Mr. M. Birmingham, who presided, said fat cattle licences were a waste of money. They all thought a year ago that the economic war was finished, but the senseless affair that was doing no good to anybody was being continued. It could be settled by men sitting around a table in conference.

The Secretary was directed to approach the Department of Agriculture regarding licences.

WEST WATERFORD HUNT

DECEMBER 1937
Monday 13th--Moorehill
Thursday 16th--Millstreet
Monday 20th--Villierstown
Thursday 23rd--Ballinamuck
Monday 27th--Clashmore
Thursday 30th--Crough
11 o'clock

DUNGARVAN URBAN COUNCIL.

DAIRIES AND MILKSHOPS ORDER

Mr. Thomas McCarthy, Vice-Chairman, presided at the weekly meeting of the above on Friday. Also present--Messrs. J. Butler, M. Clancy, J. J. Crotty, J. F. Foley, P. Quann, D. Foley, J. Dahill, M. Connors, J. Mansfield, P. Byrne and J. Christopher.

Registration of Dairies and Cowsheds. Dr. O'Farrell, County Medical Officer of Health and Mr. R. P. Byrne, Veterinary Inspector, appeared before the meeting in connection with the registration of Dairies and Milk Shops.

Dr. O'Farrell read a long report on the premises of the nineteen purveyors of milk in the Urban Area, dealing with the progress made by each purveyor in the carrying out of the recommendations of the Veterinary Inspector as regards structural alterations, etc.

The report recommended the granting of licenses in a few cases where the recommendations had been complied with, the putting of a time limit of fourteen days to have the work completed in others and in a few cases recommended that a refusal order for registration be made.

Chairman--Has any member anything to say on this?
Mr. Dahill--Some time ago, Dr. O'Farrell was before a meeting here, and he promised to go with Mr. Byrne, V.S., and that the minimum alterations only would be insisted on.

Dr. O'Farrell said all the recommendations were then at the minimum and below that they could not go, and he would not recommend the Council as Sanitary Authority, to go below that. Those people that he recommended a refusal order against, will have 21 days in which to appeal to the Minister against the recommendations made by the V.S. The Council can rest assured that the recommendations of the V.S. are at the minimum. As regards premises in the town recommended for registration for the sale of milk, the milk being supplied from outside the Urban Area, that will be a matter for the Board of Health, and the Board of Health will look after those premises. Regarding the delay by the purveyors in carrying out the recommendations, Dr. O'Farrell said the Act was in force since July last, the recommendations were to be carried out in July, and now it is December and they are not carried out. In some cases it was only a question of getting the minor things required such as milk pails, etc.

Mr. Mansfield asked if there were too many refusal orders made will the people be able to get sufficient milk?
Mr. D. Foley--You will have the price of milk at 2/6 a gallon.

Mr. Quann said that recently the Children's Health Committee were unable to procure milk and it was thought they should fall back on powder milk. Mr. Clancy said they were all anxious to supply clean, pure milk to the people, and to the poor children, who are getting it, and we should not embarrass our doctor in his efforts to supply this, but we could ask him to be reasonable.

Dr. O'Farrell said he believed a letter from the Council to the various applicants for registration would result in the work being carried out. The Council as Sanitary Authority had a duty towards the purchasers of milk.

After much further discussion on the matter, the Chairman said this is the first time the matter came before them in this form and he suggested that all the applicants get the 14 days to carry out the alterations.

Mr. Crotty seconded this, and the matter was accordingly adjourned, the Clerk to notify the various applicants of the decision of the Council.

Relief Grant
Commissioner Moylhan, writing with reference to the resolution of the Council recommending certain works to be put on hands in the Urban Area, informed the Council that there is a sum of £1,220 to be expended on Urban Roads, of which £945 is a State Grant and £175 a local contribution. It is hoped to start work within a week.

The work includes rolling in stone at Kilrush, Father Twomey's Road, Abbey-side and concreting footpaths at Friary street and Fair Lane and front at Esplanade. These works have been sanctioned. The sum to be expended on Fair Lane is £150, but to complete the job a further £150 would be needed, but the County Surveyor does not recommend this to be done until all the houses are connected with the new sewer and to water mains.

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Letters acknowledging resolutions of sympathy passed to them were read from Mr. James Smith, Knockatoomore; Mrs. Margaret Casey, Square and Mr. Mce. Duggan, New York.

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Clerk--That appointment was as Milk Sampling Officer.
Dr. O'Farrell, Co. M.O.H., also wrote asking for information of the number of applications made to the Council for registration under the Slaughter of Animals Act, and the number of licences that have been issued by the Council as from the coming into force of the Act on August 3rd 1937.

The Clerk stated that six persons applied for licences as Slaughtermen. He would like to know what action the Council will take, and who is to inspect these men, to see if they are fit and proper persons.

Increased Duties
Mr. R. P. Byrne, Inspector under the Milk and Dairy Act, wrote asking to have his salary as such raised to £50.

Mr. Butler said this was a very useful letter, as it would enable the Council to get down to facts. He thought there would be very little use in dealing with it now. The Council should have before them what extra work Mr. Byrne and Mr. Walsh also, will have to perform under the new Acts and bye-laws coming into force.

The Council agreed that they should have all the extra duties before them and deal with the whole question.

The application was adjourned, the Clerk in the meantime to consult with Dr. O'Farrell on the matter.

Housekeeping Scheme
Mr. Brady, Clerk of Works on the above scheme reported the number of men employed on the scheme for week ended November 27th was: 1 Foreman, 10 tradesmen; 22 carters and 17 labourers. Total 50.

Weightbridge
Mr. Walsh, S.S.O., reported that the contractor for the Weight House (Mr. J. Walsh) having completed his bond took over possession on November 30th. Mr. Callaghan, was employed for 19 days and as previously reported it is a matter for the Council to arrange for his remuneration.

Chairman--What are we going to pay him. What money was made?
Clerk--£3 9s. 8d.
Chairman--What would be a reasonable sum?
Mr. Christopher--£1 a week.
This amount was approved.

Vaccination Defaulters
A letter from the Ministry Local Government and Public Health, asking for information re the number of Vaccination defaulters in the Urban Area, was referred to the Home Assistance Officer.

Sewer For Co. Home And Loughmore
The Council made an order for payment of £55 9s. 10d. to the County Board of Assistance in respect of repayment of loan obtained for the above purpose, of which the Council are to contribute two-sevenths.

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THE HOUSE FOR GENUINE VALUE

MEN'S OVER COATS 42/6, 35/6, 25/- 22/6, 19/6, 15/9 12/11	MEN'S NAILED BOOTS 21/6, 19/6, 17/6 15/9, 14/6, 12/6
MEN'S READYMADE SUITS 42/6, 35/6, 27/6, 25/-, 22/6, 21/- 19/6	MEN'S SHOES 25/-, 19/6, 15/6, 14/6, 13/9, 12/11, 10/6
MEN'S UNDER SHIRTS And DRAWERS 8/6, 7/6, 5/11, 4/6, 3/6, 2/11 1/11	LADIES SHOES 19/6, 17/6, 15/9, 14/11, 12/6, 10/6, 8/6
PULLOVERS AND CARDIGANS 16/6, 14/6, 12/11, 10/6, 8/6, 5/11, 3/6	MEN'S SHIRTS 6/6, 5/5, 4/11, 3/6, 2/11, 2/5, 1/6

COFFEY & BERESFORD, MAIN ST., DUNGARVAN

DUNGARVAN Cycle Service Depot.

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VOUGHAL

Present--Messrs P.C., Chairman, R. Savage, J. W. Namara, Mr. M. Cashman, J. Broderick, E. D.

Acknowledgments

Letters were read from Mrs. Prudence O'Connell, thanking kind notes of sympathy. On the 10th Messrs. W. J. were nominated Council of the holders Organisation.

Mr. Forrest plan, seconded, their former of Fookes, on the law.

Economic

The following from the Kilkenny. That the Government take immediate removal of the pigs exported from Great Britain.

Mr. Broderick namara, seconded Mr. Daly those portune for the soon be a new larger question Mr. Savage a Some fine morning general conflagration The Chairman (laughter). Any not do any harm the Government. The resolution

The County Life-Saving Association stating that a Life-Saving Association for Ireland, a various public County Association establishment of a The resolution only on the program. seconded The Clerk said, trial Irish Fund, could be made to lives in life-saving

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Mr. Power--I be a Great Blessing The Chairmans motion for next

The Water C reservoir was over water was 17 feet the Mental Hosp 76,000 gallons. The Clerk said covery and repair Street.

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VOUGHAL URBAN COUNCIL

Present—Messrs. P. J. O'Gorman, P.C., Chairman; M. Ahern, J. Forrest, R. Savage, J. Whelan, J. N. R. Macnamara, solr., R. Power, E. P. Lynch, M. Cashman, J. Daly, B.E.; M. D. Broderick, E. D. Condon.

Acknowledgments
Letters were read from Miss Dunny, Mrs. Prudence Hourihan and Mr. P. O'Connell, thanking the Council for their kind words of sympathy.

Sympathy
Mr. Forrest proposed, and Mr. Whelan, seconded, a vote of condolence with their former colleague, Mr. A. J. Fowkes, on the death of his father-in-law.

Economic War
The following resolution was received from the Kilkenny Corporation: That the Government be requested to take immediate steps to arrange for the removal of the tariff in cattle, sheep and pigs exported from Saorstát Eireann to Great Britain.

Netting Hares
Patrick and Michael Trihy, Prap, and Maurice and John Power, Mweeling, were charged with netting hares without a permit.

Life-Saving
The County Clare Swimming and Life-Saving Association forwarded a resolution stating that a National Swimming and Life-Saving Association should be formed for Ireland, and requesting that the various public bodies take steps to form County Associations with a view to the establishment of a Central Association.

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The Clerk read a list of arrears of rent due by tenants in the Council's houses, ranging from 8 up to 13 weeks.

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Mr. M. J. Galvin, Clerk of Works, reported that no further consignment of concrete blocks had arrived on the housing site.

Water Supply
The Water Curator reported that the reservoir was overflowing, the height of water was 17 feet 9 inch. The supply to the Mental Hospital for the week was 70,000 gallons.

GIVE IRISH BOOKS FOR XMAS
There must be thousands of boys and girls all over Ireland attending school and who recently left school who as a result of the excellent teaching of Irish in recent years can read and enjoy a good story in Irish, as well, if not better than in English.

ARDMORE DISTRICT COURT.

(Before Mr. T. G. O'Sullivan, D.J.)

There were nearly 70 cases on the book for disposal, the majority being for unlicensed bicycles and carts, unlicensed dogs, etc., some being dealt with under the P.O.A. and the usual penalties imposed in the remainder.

Unsanitary Building
James Bushe, was charged by the Waterford Co. Board of Health, for being owner of premises in the village which had become unsanitary and dangerous to the public health.

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THE BLACK AND WHITE

(Inch Hiding Team)

Though fortunes frown on marked us down, and grim disaster came our way To stay defeat our greatest feat would sometimes end in disarray.

Away down south by harbours mouth we met the weavers of the blue And when the play was o'er that day our flag again triumphant flew.

Then Knockanore, so famed of yore, and now as then their peopies pride Their hosts arrayed; each ashed blade being swung by arms true and tried.

The cherished dream of this young team was shattered by the Black and White.

Our guiding star Carrignavar at Midleton caused to decline.

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That she may thrive shall always strive the weavers of the Black and White.

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CAUSES OF TAIN IN MILK

Weeds in Pasture and Absorbed Flavours

Certain pasture weeds if eaten by cows can cause very decided milk taints. The worst is garlic. The flavour of garlic may be detected in the milk of a cow within a few minutes of the consumption of the leaves of the garlic plant; in ten minutes the garlic flavour in the milk reaches a high degree of intensity.

The following pasture weeds are reputed to cause milk taints—shepherd's purse, wild lettuce, golden rod, mare's tail, fox-glove, horseweed, water parsnip, fool's parsley, cowbane, yarrow, buttercup (Ranunculus repens and R. aculeatus), stinking mayweed, ragwort, tansy, and bog asphodel. The evidence for implicating each or all of these weeds is not very convincing.

Milk on occasion may acquire a foreign odour and flavour from the environment. An unventilated or unclean byre is sometimes the cause. The effluvia of strong-smelling dung are often absorbed by newly drawn milk, and for this reason it is always advisable to remove the milk as soon as it is withdrawn from the cow to the purer air of the dairy, and not to allow it to remain for a time in a collecting vessel in the byre.

The odour of certain disinfectants used in paint work or in the whitewash for walls may, according to Danish observers, be readily taken up by milk. Carbolic acid is specially implicated.

Cows under veterinary treatment often produce a tainted milk, the taint frequently arising from the administration of specific medicines, e.g. chloxydine, iodine compounds and aloes. The last-mentioned substance causes a bitter flavour, and results in a reduction of the fat content of the milk.

Bacteria which gain entrance to the milk after it has been withdrawn from the cow are a common cause of disagreeable flavours in milk. The most frequent change which takes place in market milk on aging is souring and the concomitant development of a somewhat bitter flavour.

This dual change is due to the associative action of certain bacteria; the souring is caused by the lactic acid bacteria which are chiefly derived from the udders, the bitterness is due to the action of spore-bearing bacteria which commonly originate from the cow's coat, from the milk vessels or from the milking machine.

The remedy here is plain; the preliminary cleaning of the cow's flank and udder, the retention of the foremilk, the use of sterilised utensils, and milking with clean hands.

"Metallic" does not mean that the flavour so designated is directly due to the presence of a specific metal (or its salts) in solution in the milk; rather does it imply the gripping astringent taste which one commonly associates with the salts of certain metals, e.g. copper, zinc or iron.

The objectionable flavour may or may not be due to the contact of the milk with metal equipment.

Under certain conditions the fat in milk may undergo degradation changes which profoundly affect the flavour of the milk. As a result of the alteration of the fat, the milk may acquire an astringent, or talloxy taste, the difference between these being one of degree only.

These off-flavours are sometimes called "oxidised flavours" because they arise largely through the oxidation of the milk fat. Such oxidation is of a chemical nature and is a direct result of some of the dissolved oxygen in the milk itself being converted into an active state, in which condition it easily attacks the milk fat. This activation may be brought about or greatly accelerated by the exposure of milk to strong sunlight or by the action of ultra-violet rays under certain conditions, but it is more commonly effected by the presence in the milk of small traces of certain metals, particularly copper.

Milk with this taint has an odour resembling castor oil, and an obnoxious clinging and sickening taste. Oiliness occurs most frequently in the colder months of the year. The oiliness is not obvious in the newly drawn milk, it most frequently appears in cold milk which has been stored for twelve hours or more.

Bacteria do not seem to be directly responsible for the favour defect, and it has not yet been demonstrated that any organism isolated from affected milk is capable of producing oiliness when introduced into normal milk. Nor can the effect be transferred by inoculating some oily milk into sterilised milk. A frequent source of trouble is the milk cooler. When the lining becomes worn locally, the perspiration is exposed in small areas, and the milk passing over the bare copper absorbs traces of the metal.—R. L. in "Farmers' Gazette."

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