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MISS NOREEN WALSH—Honours.  
MISS RITA SHERIDAN—Pass.  
MISS BETTY CREED—Pass.  
**SECOND YEAR.**  
MISS JOSIE POWER—Honours.  
MISS MONICA BARRON—Honours.  
MISS KATHLEEN CLANCY—Hons.  
MISS ENA HARTNETT—Honours.  
MISS THERESA SULLIVAN—Pass.  
MISS MARY CURRAN—Pass.  
MISS PHYLLIS DALTON—Pass.  
**FIRST YEAR.**  
MISS NANCY DALTON—Honours.  
MISS MARY POWER—Honours.  
MISS PEGGY MACHUGH—Honours.  
MISS AGNES MURPHY—Honours.  
MISS BRIDIE QUARRY—Honours.  
MISS MARY CURRAN—Honours.  
MISS MAISIE POWER—Honours.  
MISS BRENDA CROTTY—Pass.  
MISS NELLIE HOULIHAN—Pass.  
MISS BIDDY YOUNG—Pass.

#### Leinster School of Music.

**MIDDLE GRADE—FIRST YEAR.**  
MISS KATHLEEN CLANCY—Honours.  
**JUNIOR GRADE—FIRST YEAR.**  
MISS NUALA DALTON—Honours.  
MISS THERESA WALSH—Honours.  
MISS MAISIE POWER—Pass with Merit.  
MISS MAY O'FLYNN—Pass with Merit.  
MISS NOREEN WALSH—Pass with Merit.  
MISS PEGGIE O'DONNELL—Pass with Merit.  
**PREPARATORY GRADE.**  
MISS NAN O'FLYNN—Honours.  
MISS MAY RYALL—Pass with Merit.

#### Death of Mr. Denis Quarry, Kilrush, Dungarvan.

It is with much regret we record the death, which occurred on 17th inst., of Mr. Denis Quarry. Deceased was brother of Mr. Patrick Quarry with whom he resided all his life. He was ever a most industrious and hard working man, whose quiet and unassuming manner endeared him to a very large circle of acquaintances. A big crowd of relatives, friends and the general public attended at the removal of the remains to the Parish Church, Dungarvan, on Wednesday, where on arrival at the Church gates they were met and escorted into the Church by the Rev. T. B. Walsh, B.A., C.C. On Thursday morning after the celebration of Masses of Requiem the remains were laid to rest in the family plot adjoining the Church, when another large concourse of mourners and friends were in attendance.

## DUNGARVAN DISTRICT COURT

### Renewals and Transfers of Licences.

#### Undefended Civil Bills.

Held on Wednesday last, before District Justice Troy.

#### PUBLICANS' LICENCES.

This being the annual licensing sessions, all the existing publicans' licences were signed with one exception, this being the licence recently held by Miss K. Crowley in respect of "Mac's" Hotel, Abbeyside. Supt. Walsh said that in this case there was no trade carried on in the house within two years. Notice of renewal was served on the agent of the owner, Messrs. McDowd, solicitors, Dublin, and they were unable to trace the owner. The licence was accordingly allowed to lapse.

#### TRANSFERS OF LICENCES.

Mr. Kenny, solicitor, was granted a transfer of licence held by the late Daniel Cooney, Grattan Square, to Mrs. Hannah Cooney.

Mr. Kenny was also granted a transfer of licence from the late Mrs. Ellen Crotty, Main Street, to Mr. Daniel Crotty.

Mr. Williams, solicitor, was granted a transfer of the licence from the late Mrs. Catherine Casey, Main Street, to Mr. Pierce Casey.

Mr. Williams, solicitor, was granted a transfer of the licence held by the late Mrs. J. J. Morrissey, Square, to Mr. Wm. Morrissey.

#### OCCASIONAL LICENCE.

Mr. T. C. Williams, solicitor, was granted an occasional licence on behalf of Mrs. M. C. Power for the night of October 13th, the occasion of the Show dance.

#### RENEWALS OF DANCE LICENCES.

Mr. Williams, solicitor, was granted a renewal of the licence in respect of the dance hall attached to the hotel.

Mr. Williams, solicitor, was granted a renewal of the licence for the Pike Amusement Hall, on behalf of Thomas Lynch, secretary.

Mr. Morrissey (Messrs. Farrell and Morrissey, solicitors) was granted on behalf of An Fear Mhor a renewal of the licence attached to the Hindeberg Hall.

#### DUNGARVAN TOWN HALL.

Mr. Williams, solicitor, on behalf of the Dungarvan Urban Council, applied for a renewal of the dance licence.

Mr. Williams said he understood there was to be an objection. Two years ago the Superintendent objected on the grounds of lack of sanitary accommodation, and at that time he (Mr. Williams) gave an undertaking that this would be remedied. The position at present is, that the late Borough Surveyor prepared plans, etc., which were sent on to the Department. The Department had written back for details of the cost, etc.

Justice—For goodness sake, what do they want—the detailed cost of putting sanitary accommodation in?

Mr. Williams said this is a fairly big scheme, and Mr. Morrissey, the Chairman, is prepared to give an undertaking that the

work will be carried out with all speed. The Justice said Mr. Williams has already given an undertaking, and now Mr. Morrissey is prepared to give another. Would it be fair to Mr. Morrissey? He may find himself sitting on the Department's doorstep trying to get this passed, so that he can keep his undertaking. Supposing I adjourn this application.

Mr. Williams—There is no other place in town for dancing.

Justice—Even so, it is not fair to bring dancers into an unsanitary hall.

Dr. O'Farrell, County Medical Officer of Health, said it is three years since the undertaking was given. The sanitary arrangements in the hall were undoubtedly very crude, and great nuisance was caused on dance nights.

Replying to Mr. Williams, Dr. O'Farrell said that in the event of the Chairman (Mr. Morrissey) giving the undertaking that the work will be carried out in three months, he is prepared to forego the objection.

Mr. Morrissey said he was prepared to give this undertaking.

Justice—Suppose Mr. Morrissey is let down. I will grant it so, but it is not fair to Mr. Morrissey. Suppose I grant it for six months.

Mr. Morrissey said he would be prepared to undertake that the work would be completed in that time.

The licence was then granted for six months.

#### EJECTMENT ORDERS.

Messrs. Farrell & Morrissey, solicitors, on behalf of the landlords (Mrs. Kathleen Eaden, 233 Royal Terrace, North Circular Road, Dublin; Dr. Mark Anthony, Aylesbury, England, and Edward Anthony, of Cobh, Co. Cork) sought an ejectment order against Daniel Wade, New Chapel Street, Dungarvan, in respect of premises held by him at the weekly rent of 2/-.

Mr. L. F. Lanigan, solicitor, appeared for the defendant.

Mr. Morrissey, for plaintiffs, said that notice to quit was served on the defendants on August 3rd.

Mr. T. Power, agent for the landlords, gave evidence of serving the notice to quit and the refusal of the tenant to leave.

Mr. Morrissey, solicitor, said that the house was in an area in respect of which a demolition order was made.

Mr. Lanigan, solicitor, asked for an adjournment to the November Court, as his client was bringing the case to the Circuit Court.

After discussing the legal aspect of an adjournment in such a case, the case was adjourned to the November Court.

#### DEGREE FOR POSSESSION AND RENT ARREARS.

The same complainants sought a decree for possession and for arrears of rent—£4 10s. 0d.—against Mary O'Brien, New Chapel Street, in respect of a house in the demolition area.

Both decrees were granted.

#### UNDEFENDED CIVIL BILLS.

A large number of undefended civil bills were dealt with, decrees being granted in almost every case.

#### GUARANTOR FOR BICYCLE.

John Lynch, Ballyduff, Dungarvan, sought a decree against Patrick McCarthy, Friary Street, for £3 11s. 6d.

Plaintiff, in evidence, said that he acted as guarantor for the purchase of a bicycle and he had to pay the amount claimed.

A decree was granted.

#### TRESPASS CASES.

In the adjourned cases by Patrick Ryan, Buttery, against several persons for trespass, Mr. Williams, solicitor, said since the adjournment everything is satisfactory.

The Justice, dismissing the cases, said he hoped things would keep so.

#### LARCENY OF FOWL.

In the adjourned case of Supt. Walsh v. James Donovan, charged at the last Court with the larceny of fowl.

Supt. Walsh said the accused was to pay in 10/- before this Court.

Justice—Did he do so?

Mr. Morrissey, solicitor, said his firm were acting for Donovan, but he did not pay anything in to them.

A fine of 5/- in each of the three cases was imposed.

**LIGHTS.**  
Sergeant Teehan prosecuted N. Bell for

cycling without a light or reflector. Defendant said he attended an Irish dance at Ring and did not think he would be so late.

Justice—It is just as dangerous to come from an Irish dance without a light as any other dance.

A fine of 2/- was imposed in each case. The same complainant charged Michael Crotty, Loughmore, with cycling without a front light or reflector.

Fines of 3/- and 2/6 were imposed. The same v. Joan Dwyer, Buttery St.—fined 3/- for a like offence.

Same v. Stephen Cowmeay, Ballinacorney. Fined 3/6.

#### NO LIGHT AND WRONG NAME.

Guard Begley prosecuted Michael Morrissey, Kilmacthomas, with using an unlighted bicycle.

Complainant said defendant gave a false name.

A fine of 15/- was imposed.

#### BIRD CATCHING.

Guard O'Leary prosecuted Michael McCarthy, Cathal Brugha Place, with setting birdlime for the purpose of catching birds.

Complainant produced three or four sticks with birdlime which he said he found attached to cages.

Defendant, replying to the Justice, said he did not know it was wrong to catch birds in this way, and promised not to do so again.

The Justice said it is very few nowadays that did not know it was wrong.

The case was dealt with under the Probation of Offenders Act.

#### CONCEALMENT OF BIRTH.

In the case of the State v. Arthur Sheehan, Mrs. Mary Foley, and Mary Murphy, all of Ballinrood, charged with concealment of birth.

Sergeant Teehan, in reply to Superintendent Walsh said that on that (Wednesday) morning he arrested Arthur Sheehan on a warrant. He charged him with the offence set out above, and cautioned him.

He then made the following statement—"I do not wish to say anything in addition to what I have said already to yourself and Supt. Walsh." He (the Sergeant) is still pursuing inquiries into the case, and asked for a remand to the next District Court.

In the case against Mary Foley, Sgt. Teehan said she arrested her this (Wednesday) morning, on a warrant, and charged her with the offence set out above. When cautioned she said: "I only got the baby when it was dead, and I told Sheehan to bury it in the chapel yard where the trees are." As he is still pursuing inquiries, he applied for a remand.

In the case against Mary Murphy, Sgt. Teehan gave evidence of arrest that (Wednesday) morning. After being charged and cautioned she replied: "The only thing I wish to say is that I did not injure it, and I never saw it." Sergeant Teehan said he is still pursuing inquiries and asked for a remand.

On the question of bail, Supt. Walsh said that Mary Foley and Mary Murphy can get bail, but Sheehan does not seem keen on getting bail, although they advised him to.

Mr. Morrissey, solicitor, said he advised him likewise.

Justice—You can do no more. Sheehan was then remanded in custody to Limerick Jail, to appear at the Tipperary Court on October 1st. Mary Foley and Mary Murphy were remanded on their own recognisances to the Dungarvan Court on 23rd October.

Mr. L. F. Lanigan, solicitor, appeared for Foley and Murphy, and Messrs. Farrell and Morrissey, solicitors, for Sheehan.

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### Retirement of Popular Bank Manager.

After completing fifty years of service in the Munster and Leinster Bank, Mr. Joseph O'Neill, the capable and very popular Manager of the Dungarvan Branch of that Bank, will retire on Monday next, September 30th.

Mr. O'Neill was appointed to the Fermoyle Branch of the Bank at an early age in the year 1890, later being transferred to Lismore when a new branch was opened there in 1891. He went from Lismore to the Head Office in Cork, and later served in Drumcollogher, Bandon, Mitchelstown, Buttevant, and Naas, being transferred from the latter to Dungarvan in 1904.

From Dungarvan he was appointed Manager of the Tullow (Co. Carlow) Branch, where he spent thirteen years, when he was then appointed to the Management of the Bathra (Co. Limerick) Branch, and from which he was appointed to Dungarvan in 1925.

To mark their appreciation of his never-failing courtesy, his many friends both inside and outside the Bank's clientele, decided on making him a presentation.

The presentation was made at the Bank House on Wednesday evening, when a farewell supper to his many friends was given by Mr. O'Neill to upwards of forty guests.

Mr. M. J. McCarthy, Abbeyside, in making the presentation, paid glowing and well-deserved tribute to Mr. O'Neill. This was endorsed by everyone present.

In accepting the presentation Mr. O'Neill, who was visibly moved, said: This reminds me that my years in the service of the bank and the public have been many; half a century is a long span. Half of this has been spent amongst you in Dungarvan. We have known each other in business relations and kindly social intercourse, and on my retirement I shall have the recollection of many happy days amongst you and many sincere friends made.

As you all know, I am not going far away—only across the bridge to Abbeyside—where I can keep Dungarvan constantly under my observation, reflect on its splendid historic record, and think of the many distinguished men in Church and State which this old town has fostered from childhood.

A most enjoyable social evening was spent in the Bank House, after which the guests took their departure, one and all wishing Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill many years of health and happiness in their lovely abode at Abbeyside.

### CO. CORK-BORN LADY'S DEATH IN LONDON.

The death occurred, in London, of Mrs. Kathleen Ravenhill, formerly Miss Hayes, she was the daughter of a Rector of Coachford, and, prior to her departure from Cork many years ago, she was one of the best known sportswomen in the county, excelling in tennis, golf and hockey. She was killed in an accident.

### LISMORE NOTES

#### FOLLOW THE HOUNDS!

Sunday next, September 29th, will once again mark the opening day of the coursing season. The Lismore Coursing Club have all arrangements made to spend the day on the mountain in pursuit of the strong elusive mountain hares. In order to make this a red-letter day, all members of this Club are earnestly requested to be at the Monument at 11 o'clock (S.T.), on Sunday and to bring their hounds.

#### ATTENTION ALL!

Come to the grand cinderella dance which will be held in the Courthouse on Sunday, September 29th, under the auspices of the local Coursing Club. All such previous functions sponsored by this Club have been most successful and enjoyable and no stone will be left unturned to make this one bigger and better than ever. Music will be supplied by No. 1 Nightingale Orchestra, whose fame is well-known in all parts of Waterford.

#### GONE ARE THE SPORTSMEN!

It has come to light that the Fourmile-water hurling club have lodged a frivolous and petty objection to the Lismore junior hurling team being awarded the 1940 Divisional final. It seems that they were unable to suffer defeat in a sporting and manly fashion and apparently raked up some silly pretext to file a grievance. This matter will be dealt with at the next meeting of the Western Board and there is no doubt that the good name of the Lismore G.A.A. Club will emerge unscathed.

#### RED CROSS.

The series of lectures on first aid which were delivered weekly by Dr. Daniel Healy, M.O., Lismore, to the members of the local sub-branch of the Irish Red Cross have come to a close and all are now ready to undergo the examination for First Aid Certificates which will shortly take place. The members wish to return their sincerest thanks to Dr. D. Healy for rendering such great services and for his undivided efforts in lucidly explaining as to demonstrating the essential features of the course.

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# WATERFORD BOARD OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

## SCARCITY OF WATER IN MANY DISTRICTS.

### Burial of War Victims.

### Minister's Instructions

Commissioner Moynihan held the adjourned meeting of the Board of Public Health on Friday evening last.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

The financial statement submitted by the Secretary showed a balance to credit at August 31st of £1,527 8s. 1d.

### MILK TENDER.

Mr. Phelan, superintendent assistance officer, submitted a tender from Mrs. Margaret Ivery for supply of milk under the free milk scheme in the Cullaghane, Passage East and Checkpoint districts for six months at 1/10 per gallon.

An order was made accepting the tender at 1/9 per gallon, subject to sanction of the Local Government Department.

### GRANT EXCEEDED.

The Secretary reported that expenditure under the free milk scheme for the year ended March, 1940, exceeded the Government grant by £6 2s. 6d. Sanction of the Minister will be required for this over-expenditure.

### AN APPLICATION FOR SANCTION WAS MADE.

### RECOUPMENT.

A letter from the Department notified the recoupment to the Board from the national free milk supply grant for year 1940-41, second instalment of £218.

### CORRESPONDENCE FROM THE DEPARTMENT.

The following correspondence was read from the Department of Local Government and Public Health (1) stating that the Local Authorities (Officers and Employees) (Amendment) Act, 1940, has now become law and will come into operation on a day to be appointed for the purpose and adding that the Local Authorities (Officers and Employees) Act, 1929, will not then apply to the office of nurse under a local authority; also stating that no further requests for the recommendation of persons to be appointed to the position of nurse should be made to the Local Appointments Commission, and that until the appointed day, vacancies in this post should be filled temporarily.

### THE LETTER WAS MARKED "NOTED."

(2) Approving of the acceptance of tender of Mrs. Stacia McGrath at 2/3 per gallon for supply of milk under free milk supply scheme for period ending 31/3/41, subject to favourable reports from the veterinary inspector on the dairy premises, etc., and provided that the tenderer is registered under the Milk and Dairies Act, 1935.

### BURIAL OF WAR VICTIMS.

A letter from the Department stated that it is observed that in some of the maritime counties the bodies of persons who lost their lives as a consequence of the war have been washed ashore, and that it may be expected that when the war is over inquiries will be made concerning the identification of any such persons whose remains have been interred on Irish soil, and adding that the local authority are empowered to provide for proper burial of the remains, and the Minister would like every care possible taken to preserve in the records of the Board of Health for future reference full particulars in every case of any marks, numbers and articles of identity, also of the location of the grave in which each such body is interred; and adding that a separate record should be kept of expenditure for consideration at a later period.

### AN ORDER WAS MADE THAT THE INSTRUCTIONS BE CARRIED OUT.

### BLIND PENSIONS SCHEME.

The following letter was read from the National Council for the Blind of Ireland: "This Council are feeling concern at the lessening of allowances and state pensions to the blind because of the increasing cost of many essential commodities. On this account we consider it to be necessary, now more than ever, to impress on your Board the great need for implementing your scheme for the blind to its maximum, so that the blind in your area may have the full benefit of the intention for which the scheme was made, though that with State pension (even when unadvised) forms but a bare minimum of living. While appreciating the fact that your scheme when generously applied does meet many needs of the blind, we would earnestly beg of you, in view of their special difficulties, to interpret the scheme as generously as possible, and also to be sparing in your application of the means test where the blind

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are concerned. May we further ask that your scheme be brought up to a level at least not lower than that of Boards in neighbouring districts where local conditions may fairly be compared with yours, but which show higher allowance rates to their blind."

Mr. Liam F. Lanigan, solicitor, Dungarvan, wrote thanking Commissioner Moynihan for appointing him to carry out the legal work of the Board during the absence of Mr. J. W. O'Gorman, the Board's solicitor, who is at present in the Army.

### VACCINATION DEFAULTERS.

A letter from the Department of Local Government and Public Health inquired what steps are being taken to enforce compliance with the law on the part of vaccination defaulters outstanding in the dispensary districts in the county.

The Commissioner stated that assistance officers have been instructed to prosecute in cases of persistent default.

### BALLYDUFF WATER SUPPLY.

Mr. Michael Higgins, caretaker, reported that owing to the exceptionally dry weather for the past two months, the water supply to Ballyduff village is very low, and in order to give a fair supply to all consumers he is cutting off the supply nightly from 9 p.m. to 7 a.m.

The report was approved.

Mr. Higgins also reported as follows:—"In reply to your letter of the 26th Aug. last, stating that the rents fixed for the new houses at Talloo shall include water rent, I would feel obliged if you would get an order made at next meeting striking off the accrued rents of the March, 1940, half-year on the tenants. I brought them forward as arrears at the end of the last half-year."

An order was made that these arrears be struck off.

### DUNMORE EAST PUMP.

Miss C. Power, Secretary, Dunmore East Public Health Committee, reported that her Committee recommended that a pump be erected in the well at Lower Dunmore, and that Mr. Jephson, assistant engineer, be instructed to proceed with the work immediately.

Mr. Jephson, assistant engineer, reported as follows:—"With reference to water supply at Lower Dunmore East, there is a well that was closed and could be cleaned out and put in working order, as an examination there is some water in it. I would wish the Board's instructions in reference."

The engineer was instructed to have the well done.

Dr. M. O'Farrell, County Medical Officer of Health, reported as follows re water supply at Kilmenny:—"In reply to your letter of the 3rd inst. regarding an application for a water supply at Kilmenny by seven families, representing a total of 27 persons, these people live on the road from Parkadotia to Kilmenny bridge, which is approximately one mile. At least 11 of the 27 live within a mile of Parkadotia pump, and the remainder live near Kilmenny bridge, at which there is a small stream and water, other than for drinking purposes, which could be procured here. About 100 yards from the bridge, in Mr. O'Callaghan's field, there is a spring well which I understand had been in use some years ago but is not now used. This well might be available, but I do not think it would be necessary, seeing the Parkadotia pump is convenient."

The engineer was asked to report as to the well.

### WATER SUPPLY AT MONEA CROSS.

Dr. O'Farrell, County M.O.H., also reported:—"I beg to inform you that I inspected the well which constitutes the water supply at Monea Cross. This well is situated about 50 yards from the road and supplies seven families with a total of 27 persons. I have not had the water analysed but it seems to be quite good. I think if this well had a little surround there would be no need to extend the main Ardmore water supply to the cross."

The engineer was directed to have the well protected.

### CROW HILL WELL.

Dr. O'Farrell forwarded the following letter from Mrs. Willie O'Donoghue, Crow Hill, Cappoquin:—"We are very thankful for the new well. It is very nice, and the water is beautiful to drink; but now I wish to draw your attention to the fact that people are using it for other purposes. I sent one of the children this morning to the well for water, and they could not take it, as it was all dirty. There was a boy after coming along and dipping dirty buckets into it and watering his ponies with it. There is plenty of water running out of the well for all animals. I will give the name if necessary. On Thursday evening (25th) when the children went for water, they had to wait. There was a man having his pony drinking out of the well. The cattle are drinking out of it every day."

The engineer was asked to report as to how the animals have access to this well.

### WATER AND WELLS—LISMORE.

Dr. D. Healy, M.O., Lismore dispensary district, re Lismore water supply, reported as follows:—"With reference to shortage of water supply to the hospital, I would like to point out that at the site of the new non-municipal housing scheme the main leading to the hospital is tapped for the purpose of providing a convenient supply of water for building operations. This reduces the pressure and the water fails to reach the hospital. Also, the new houses, although incomplete, are already connected to the supply, leading to a wastage of water, owing to the taps being left turned on. The previous contractor was not permitted to draw water from the mains, but was obliged to draw water from the 'spout' in barrels. I would suggest that you get in touch with Mr. Bowen, with a view to having the supply to the new houses cut off; also, perhaps, you may request him to refrain from using water from the mains for building purposes at present, having regard to the acute water shortage at the

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hospitals. I understand Dr. O'Farrell is taking up the water question for the remaining parts of the town."

In reply to the Secretary's letter, Mr. J. Bowen, county engineer, reported as follows:—"I am in receipt of your letter of the 16th inst. We will see that no waste of water takes place in our work, and the amount used is very small. There is undoubtedly great waste of water in the town and we have no control over this. This question is the subject of talk for the past forty years, but no positive action has ever been taken to put the work on a satisfactory basis."

The letter was marked "Noted."

### RINGVILLE.

Dr. P. Casey M.O., Ringville dispensary district, reported that two public wells on the roadside at Crobally (Rathhead) are open to pollution and dangerous to health, and recommended that the engineer's attention be directed thereto.

Referred to the engineer.

### BALLINGOW.

Dr. T. J. Donohue, M.O.H., Whitechurch dispensary district, reported that the public well at the home of Mr. T. Dinneen, N.T., Ballingow, is open to pollution by cattle, and recommended that the well be enclosed.

Referred to the engineer.

### BALLYKEBOGUE.

Dr. P. G. Dooley, M.O.H., Kilmachomas dispensary district, reported as follows:—"As medical officer of health of the Kilmachomas dispensary district, I hereby report to you that a well situated at Ballykeogogue, on the lands of Mr. Power, is being used as a watering place for cattle. It is the only available water supply for at least three families. Clean water is at a premium during the summer months, and I recommend that proper precautions be taken to ensure freedom of water supply from contamination."

Referred to the engineer.

### ARDMORE.

Dr. T. Foley, M.O.H., Ardmore dispensary district, reported that two wells in Bawnard area of Ardmore are exposed to contamination, and recommended that the engineer inspect same and report in the next issue.

Referred to the engineer.

### KNOCKENPOWER.

Dr. P. Mullany, M.O.H., Seskinane dispensary district, reported that there is a well in Murphy's farm at Knockenpower which is open to pollution, and recommended that same be protected.

Referred to the engineer.

### CAPPOQUIN WATER EXTENSION.

Mr. J. Bowen, county engineer, wrote re extension of Cappoquin waterworks to Green Street, Cappoquin, as follows:—"Further to my letter of 11th July and estimate of £85 and £10 for this connection, and the Board's decision to have the work done, I now wish to report that we cannot get the job done for £85, as already estimated. Advertisements were issued for tenders, and those received were much too high. The work was then passed to me. I found that costs and difficulties of supply of piping had advanced since the estimate was made, and that it is now very difficult to obtain any piping or fittings. I got a tender from Mr. D. M. Heahy, of Cork, to do the whole work for £23 17s. and this is the lowest at which it can be done. He has the necessary materials on hand for the work, and can do it at once. I have made a provisional agreement with him to do the work, and ask that the Board should approve of this. The lowest tender received was £107 10s."

The Board approved.

### BALLYBRUSSA.

Mr. M. Hassett, assistant engineer, reported as follows re Ballybrussa pump:—"I beg to report having inspected above. I estimate the repairs to put the pump in working order, and if a thorough repair very deep pump, and such as the substitution of wood rods, which would make the pump much less difficult to work, and the renewal of the rising main, which may be found necessary, the total cost would be £30."

The engineer was directed to get the work done at cost not exceeding £8.

### ARDMORE WATER SUPPLY.

A letter was read from the Department in connection with Ardmore water supply, requesting the submission of a report as to the number of houses and connections which have been made with the scheme and the number of premises not yet connected, and

stating that the water should be tested for hardness and a report on the analysis submitted to the Department.

The matter was referred to the County Medical Officer of Health.

### CORRESPONDENCE.

The following letters were also read:—From Messrs. Patrick McGrath & Sons, Two-Mile-Brigdy, Dungarvan, applying for permission to connect water from main at Garrahan to national school, for the Board of Works.

Permission was granted.

From Richard Geoghegan, Ballymarket, Dungarvan, stating that the water he is using is not fit for human consumption as it is water from Dalgin river, and asking the Board to see further about it.

Mr. Hassett, assistant engineer, reported as follows:—"I have investigated the above matter and consider that a pump at a suitable place in the area should be erected. I beg to suggest that the services of a water diviner should be procured to ascertain the probable position at which the pump could be successfully erected."

The engineer was directed to report as to location of existing supplies.

Mr. E. Moloney, Main Street, Ardmore, wrote as follows:—"I have not made up my mind about taking in the water. Is it true that some people have the water for £1, and I am asked to pay the same just to wash a car, say, 20 times at the most. I would get the car washed in a garage for 2/6. Would it pay to take in the water—that is the question."

An order was made that the rent of £1 per annum be adhered to.

Patrick Barry, Ballybarban, Dungarvan, wrote as follows:—"There are some disused pipes piled up at the County House for which I propose to make six sets of 2 1/2 inch. I want to pipe some water from a spring to the farmyard, and would very please ask the consent of the Commissioner to let me have about 150 feet of pipe at above offer. Thanking you in anticipation."

The offer was refused.

Nine residents of Lefanla and Corriga wrote stating that they have to go to Cappoquin for their domestic water supply, a distance of more than a mile in some cases, and that they would be very grateful if the Board could erect a pump in the vicinity.

Referred to the engineer for report.

William Norris, The Square, Portlaur, wrote:—"The rent collector (Mr. Quinn) called on me a few days ago and stated that the Board of Health intends cutting off the water if I don't pay up. I am not able to pay anything. I have no work at present that I could earn one shilling at. Just 12 months ago one of my children had to go to hospital with renal fever. After that Dr. Prendiville made the Connery put in the water and cement the yard. Only for that the water would never be put in here. If the Board of Health cuts us off now, I will put the case in Dr. Prendiville's hands."

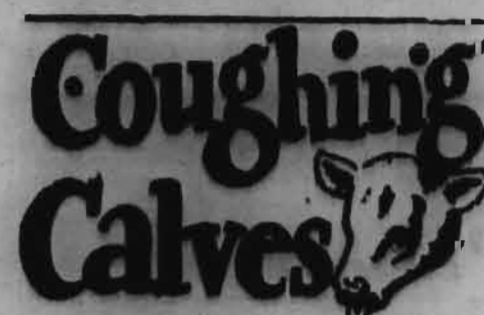
Order—Water to be cut off if rent is not paid within one month.

### PUBLIC LIGHTING.

Mr. P. Kirsey, Kilmachomas, wrote asking that he be allowed to continue the lighting of Kilmachomas streets for eight months, commencing Sept. 1st, at same terms as last year.

### MOCOLLOP GRAVEYARD.

The following letter from the Minister for Local Government and Public Health was received:—"In regard to the question of the provision of additional burial ground accommodation at Mocollop, in view of the



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## POULTRY KEEPING

NOW IS THE TIME FOR REJECTING ALL OLD BIRDS AS THEY FINISH LAYING.

By H. H.

Smaller flocks fed properly are better than the normal quantity on restricted rations. Unless there is a special reason for retaining old hens they should be killed or marketed as soon as they have finished their laying. There will, of course, be odd birds which persist in laying late in the season.

As a rule there is no great difficulty in finding out which are still in lay, and they can be kept until they have finished. Unless some of the yearlings are wanted for future egg production, culling need not be attempted. All one need do is to remove the non-layers periodically until the whole flock has been dealt with. If one is planning to retain only a few, then the flock should be handled and thoroughly examined.

Many pullet flocks this year were hatched later than usual, but it will pay to get rid of all those which have failed to develop fully. When handling the birds, take note of body condition, irrespective of age, they should handle solid.

Birds devoid of breast meat at any stage of growth are not worth keeping. It is a symptom of either intestinal worms or coccidiosis, or both.

Not to cull the pullet flocks would be a great mistake, because, however good they all may look, there will be some unfit for laying purposes.

Realising that there would be restrictions, I culled severely, with the result that I have fewer but better pullets. But even then odd birds with bad eyes, deformed in back or legs, underweight and poor-conditioned specimens have had to be rejected since.

Good production can only be expected from first-rate stock. If the breeding stock are not first-rate layers, then even the best of feeding will have little effect. Quality must be in the blood of the parents, and from even top-stock one must expect to find a few odd birds. It may seem difficult to adopt such a strict policy, but it is the only one worth considering now.

### excessive price demanded for the acre of land at Ballyduff, and of the report of the county engineer as to Kneakraun graveyard, the Minister considers that a further survey should be taken with the object of securing a suitable site at a reasonable cost."

Referred to the engineer.

### KINSALEEG GRAVEYARD.

Mr. Henry D. Keane, Maryville, The Cove, Tralee, wrote as follows:—"I think your Board has charge of the old graveyard at Kinsaleeg (Ferryport). My people's plot is there, and at the western (or Youghal) end of the plot is a large tree now standing very much alone and exposed. There is imminent danger of this tree being blown down upon my headstone and railings, and I would feel deeply grateful if you could have the tree felled before the weather breaks. The felling of the highest part of the tree and the remainder of the tree would be an item of largely in the place, that would be better than destroying the whole tree and less dangerous all round."

Order—Referred to the engineer to have the tree felled.

### SCRUBS AND JEVES' FLUID.

A letter from Mr. J. Dunphy, caretaker, Sewers at Passage East, applying for a half dozen scrubs and two gallons Jevess' Fluid.

The Secretary stated that he had the application referred to Mr. P. Walsh, Sanitary Inspector, who reported as follows:

(1) I am informed by John Dunphy that the scrubs applied for are for sweeping the streets which to my mind does not come under the jurisdiction of the Board at all.

(2) The Jevess' Fluid is required for putting down in manhole openings. As this is an unusual product, I do not see any necessity for it unless a complaint was received about offensive odours rising from the manholes.

Mr. P. Walsh, sanitary inspector, also reported as follows:—"I wish to report on houses in Knockboy owned by Edmond Phelan, Ballygarran, about which a letter was written to him recommending that certain repairs be carried out."

(1) Roofs in two or three cases have been repaired but in one case that of George Elliott's house, the work was not satisfactory as I am informed by the occupier that a leakage still occurs. (2) No sanitary accommodation has yet been provided to any of the houses. (3) Nothing has been done to prevent flooding but in this case it may be as well to mention that the houses are below the level of the road and the surface of the road has a decided slope towards the houses so that it would be necessary to build up the existing walls to a height of one foot or more and this would make entry to the houses a very dangerous procedure.

The fire owner by again written to was the order made.

Mr. P. Walsh, Sanitary Inspector, also wrote re Milk and Dairies Act, 1935, reporting as follows:—"Reports on the premises of the following eight registered suppliers were received, also the result of a Minit Dirt test in each case which was satisfactory, viz:

N. Beresford, Coolinagar; M. Sattery, Ballygegan; T. Broderick, Magsallow; M. Ronayne, Coolormack; P. A. Usher, Cappoquin; J. S. Christopher, Ballybarban; (Free Milk Supplier); L. Curran, Ballybarban; J. Sullivan, Villierstown (Free Milk Supplier).

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Large Enamel Saucepans, 3 lbs. ea.  
1 doz. Stainless Tea Kettles, 3 lbs. ea.

1 doz. Stainless Dinner Knives, 4 lbs. ea.  
Set Carvers (3 piece), 3 lbs. ea.  
Set Carvers (2 piece), 3 lbs. ea.  
Ornamental Flower Pots, 1 lb. ea.  
1 doz. Dinner Plates, 1 lb.  
1 Kitchen Cup and Saucer, 1 lb.  
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LATE MICHAEL DAVITT'S PREFACE

The following interesting preface to the Rules and Constitution of the Gaelic Athletic Association, by the late Mr. Michael Davitt, who wrote under the pen-name of "Mulla," appeared in the Rule Book of 1888—

In sending forth the revised and authentic manual of the Rules of the Gaelic Athletic Association, some words by way of preface may not be uninteresting or unsuitable to the Gaelic friends and brothers both at home and abroad. It is certain that, for one reason or another, few movements have been started in Ireland or elsewhere within recent years that took hold of the Gaelic mind so quickly and spread so rapidly as the Gaelic Athletic Association has done both on our own soil and even in outside distant lands where the sea-divided Gaels most congregate.

It will not be needful here to account at length for the reasons of this acknowledged fact. The Association was established at Thurles on November 1st, 1884, less than four years ago. For a considerable time there had existed a strong desire in the minds of many Irishmen to start such an organisation, and various attempts to do so were tried by some well-wishers of our national pastimes. But their efforts failed on one ground or another, though the objects in view were highly commendable. They were nearly identical with those which were made the basis of the Association that was launched into existence at Thurles, the objects of which were somewhat of the following character—

It was intended to encourage Irish games as practised by the people of the Celtic stock and to direct them by well defined rules which were to be published, and circulated among all friends and followers of our national sports and pastimes. It was hoped that by bringing players and spectators from distant quarters into friendly intercourse, good feeling and good fellowship would be established and intensified among our countrymen.

Old feuds and factions, it was thought, would be buried, parish quarrels would be ended, the axe would be laid finally at the root of faction, fighting and all other sources of unsocial, unmanly and unreasonable recriminations would die out and be heard of no more on the athletic fields of Ireland.

DE. CROKE'S PATRONAGE. Such aims and intentions should commend themselves to the appropriation of all sincere well-wishers of our race, and this fact was visibly realised in the case of the Gaelic Athletic Association. The name of the Archbishop of Cashel was connected with it from the outset. His patronage was a tower of strength to the organisation from its infancy. His pen was frequently employed in its support. When, later, the Gaelic ship was on the point of sailing into troubled waters and the enemies of our name and race rejoiced over the fact, it was his wise advice and his disinterested mediation that steered the Association into a haven of security and peace—where it now moves free and fearless—with well-trimmed sails, its colours mark high and plain for all good folk to see. The names and influence of other acknowledged powers in the land, such as Mr. Parnell, Mr. Davitt, Mr. John O'Leary and Mr. William O'Brien, were also lent to further the objects of the Association. It took root rapidly and spread over the face of the land on every side. On several grounds this state of affairs had a very happy effect.

Many dark days have dawned over our country within the past four years. Sorrow and trouble have likewise made their way into the homes and hamlets of our people. It is certain that in some places these clouds would have been darker, and care would have eaten more deeply into the hearts of many had it not been for the pastime and pleasure created in the revival of Irish games by the Gaelic Athletic Association. The most severe and unsympathetic critics of the Gaelic cause have made this acknowledgement.

ALMOST IDENTICAL WITH ROMAN GAMES. No finer sights have been witnessed in a sporting way at any period or in any land than some scenes and events that have taken place under the Gaelic patronage and for the promotion of the fine games of Gaelic hurling and football which are almost identical with those played by the Romans. Old men have forgotten the sad memories of the famine and had their youth renewed by the sights and sounds that were evoked by the thrilling music of the caman, the well-directed stroke of the col-baire, or the swift stride of the Gaelic forward in his pursuit of the ball to victory.

Persons accustomed to tramp to the strains of martial music and who were in the roar and rush of battle have walked long distances to witness a Gaelic encounter on the hurling field and have been in raptures of admiration at the glad spectacle—knights, squires, counts, and stately dames whose tastes lay in widely different channels, some years since have come to look on at the games as a tournament and were captivated by the many feats of the strap-torn Gaels in their evenly-matched combats.

With the publication of the annexed rules and constitution, the work of the Association will in a certain sense become complete. They were drawn up at the Convention at Thurles, held on January 4th, 1888, when the present Central Council was appointed and the Association placed on a solid footing. Since then, Gaelic matters have gone on smoothly, and within a year or less the organisation will be in complete working order.

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TOPICS OF THE DAY

A habitual glance at the daily newspaper or five minutes ear to the daily broadcast leaves us the belief that the clouds of war are growing thicker and blowing nearer towards us. Many independent nations which six months ago helped to make up the map of Europe only exist in name, while their armies stand by to salute the passing German forces who march on almost unchecked. Never before has the strength of England been put to such a test. Each and everyone of our friends across the channel are fighting the greatest battle of their lives to save themselves their homes and a far-flung Empire. Their plight is hardly to be envied. From hour to hour they wait in feverish anxiety, never knowing when their names may be added to the death roll. At the sound of the siren they must run like rats to underground shelters. Here they spend long tedious hours, counting the bombs which spell the ruin of their friends and cities, until, when the all-clear is sounded they return once more to view the familiar scenes of wrecked factories and homes.

Ireland too stands in imminent danger but we have room to hope. Come what may we may not feel the pinch too seriously. In the days when air-raid shelters were unknown the homes of Irishmen were wrecked and they were forced to fly to bog and mountain. Many of them had to fight an unarméd battle and in few histories has there been a record of a braver fight a longer fight or a fight for which so many men offered their lives. Time after time throughout the age of 750 years they strove like drowning men to rise above the waters of oppression while subdued by power and numbers they continued to fight and fall until they gained our present measure of freedom. We must offer as great a sacrifice to maintain it.

But England is not yet beaten. There are "Black and Tans" in England yet, even followers of Cromwell. With such a glorious history of conquest behind them, those veterans will not leave her down. They have yet to present themselves. What if the German nation is overcome, her fate will be a sad one. Perhaps some of her most prominent leaders will be tracked down, imprisoned in the Tower of London and beheaded. Perhaps they will be hung, Birmingham Manchester and Lyburn are still flourishing. They may be dragged from their beds at untimely hours and stabbed without knowing the reason. Even yet they may be tried in the law courts, and with the help of perjured witnesses, be condemned for high treason. What if they are caught red-handed and are treated with the pitch-cap or the cat-nine tails. We had better not dwell upon it. The German people may not own their lands or gripping landlords may seize on their last penny by way of rent. Yes, or their lands may be confiscated and they are faced to fly to the mountain sides with at length worn out by starvation, sickness and oppression they die in thousands by the roadside.

Neither side we hope will have such trials to suffer but hope for the peace which will end to a fair extent the sufferings of thousands.

IN MEMORY OF MY FRIEND MARGT. BRODERICK, WHO DIED IN SAN FRANCISCO, MAY, 1940.

Oh why did you leave me, friend of my heart? Why were you the one had to go? Oh! bitter for me that we two should part In that hour when I needed you so.

Oh how could I know you were going to die, So full of life's joyous zest On that night in New York when I said good-bye, On your way to the Golden West?

Sure I'm glad that your suffering is over Dear, That you're dwelling with God on high; But why did you leave me lonely here, Why couldn't I also die?

'Twas little I thought on that sunny day, When we sailed from our native shore, That the voyage would take you so far away, To "Come back to Erin" no more.

But for going with you, I wouldn't have left, Yet how happy our journey seemed And now I am heart-broken and bereft Of all I had thought and dreamed.

How gladly we planned our voyage home, Together unto the end, But now I must cross the foam, Without you my life-long friend.

How hard to bear is this lonely cross, That in dying you left to me, Though many another will share that loss, Even here and across the sea.

For where will they find a friend so kind, So loyal, so good and true, With a laugh so ringing, an open mind, And a generous soul like you.

'Tis not that I grudge your well-earned rest, And the Heavenly Crown you've won; But 'tis hard just to say that "God knows best," And His Holy Will be done."

And I wonder at times, when in Heaven you dwell, If you think of your own dear Land, That you served so fondly and loved so well, With the gifts of your heart and hand.

But the word comes forth in vision of you In gleams of shining light, Dear friend, can't you send a message through, To light up this long dark night?

To tell us that may be 'tis all worth while, Earth's loneliness but and pain, And that our way will reach the last long mile, On our way to see you again.

ELIHS NI CAR7A'G.

AS OTHERS SEE US

(WE CULL THE SUB-JOINED ARTICLE FROM A COPY OF A RECENT ISSUE OF "THE EVENING HERALD," DUBLIN)

IN SEARCH OF THE TYPICAL IRISHMAN

The "Typical Irishman," of whom both friend and foe speak with such glib assurance, is an elusive individual, so hard to identify when one goes in search of him that it may be instructive to set down here the result of a "common or garden" Irishman's effort to find him.

By the way, it is not strange that we seldom or never hear anyone speak of a "typical Irishwoman," or, indeed, "typical" woman of any other country? Perhaps the explanation is that women are the same all the world over, except as regards their colour—and even that has ceased to be any criterion in these days of "camouflage."

However, to get back to our "typical" Irishman: Let us take the country province by province, and search the principal counties in each for the prevailing characteristics of their men-folk.

SOCIABLE DUBLINERS.

Though living in Dublin, I am not a Corkman, but merely a native of this city and, therefore, my remarks regarding the other natives of the Metropolis may be swallowed with perfect safety.

You will find the average Dubliner easy-going, musical, abetentious as regards drink—although not as regards language—sociable, observant and fairly contented with his lot.

His passivity in allowing himself to be elbowed out of positions to which he has first claim is a source of much silent satisfaction and profit to more pushful, if often less brainy, people from other counties.

His neighbours in Wicklow are somewhat similar, but more talkative, perhaps. They are great card players.

Coming to Wexford a remarkable contrast is found. The average Wexfordian is a poor conversationalist, is reserved, not very musical, but industrious, brave and determined.

The "Boys of Wexford" and "The Mad County" are names that speak for themselves.

Kildare folk have a peculiar way of talking, with their teeth almost closed, which gives the effect of biting off the ends of their words—"taking the bit between their teeth" as it were, like the tanious horses.

As to Tipperary, it is a pity that I cannot pick out a Kildareman, almost anywhere, from this peculiarity.

Besides being noted for their sporting qualities, the people of this County are enterprising and business-like.

Mr. Manster, Cork naturally claims first attention. Here we are on delicate ground, as the Corkman, though talkative and critical of others, is himself rather touchy and must be handled gently.

He is ambitious, inquisitive, plainish and musical, with a marked aptitude for journalism. He usually wears a frock—the horizon for a better job than the one he has at the moment.

He is not slow to recognise his own merits and, indeed, is not infrequently the first to discover them.

But though a Corkman can be distinguished in many things besides a row, it must be admitted that he is "fathooloch" and charitable when convinced that the object is a deserving one. "Cork's own Town and you know the rest!"

STRONG, SILENT MEN. Waterford people are quiet, polite, unobtrusive and peaceable, and, in consequence, easy to get on with. One seldom hears of any exciting events or movements originating in Waterford. Its people will never set their river after—that's sure!

Tipperary is the home of strong silent men whose moods of "love or hate" have been eloquently described by Charles Kinsale.

These are still a few licensed premises left in Dublin whose owners or "curates" do not hall from "The Gallant County." (Cavan-ment, I am told, hold the remaining "curacies.")

The agricultural enterprise and industry Tipperary deserve the verdict of "Tipp-top," with the addition of "highly commended" for progress in sport.

Kerry, in the South, and Donegal, in the north, "south" (with apologies to the mariner's compass, as well as to Einstein, Euclid, and other inventors and discoverers) have many characteristics in common as regards their inhabitants. Both Kerry men and Donegal men have a decided genius for mathematics and leaning towards the priestly.

Probably a greater number of priests hail from these two counties than from any four other counties in Eire. Their retention of the Gaelic language has undoubtedly strengthened and preserved their mental powers from becoming dulled by the "Bourgeois."

Brown eyes seem to be more common in Kerry than elsewhere. Hot tempers and generous hearts are plentiful both in Kerry and Donegal.

THE MERRY LASSIE. Clare: The men of this county are brave,

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WEST WATERFORD NEWS.

CLASHMORE L.S.F. On Monday night last a well attended meeting of the Clashmore L.S.F. was held in the local hall. Prior to the meeting several new members joined in their names. For the first time some members of Group A turned out in their new uniforms. Having received full instruction, about 24 members of Group A paraded through the village in charge of Group Leader James O'Donovan. All carried rifles and the smart appearance and military bearing of the men called for favourable comment. Later a meeting of A and B Groups was held. Addressing the members Supt. M. Walsh, G.S., Dungarvan, congratulated the Group on their efficiency and expressed satisfaction at the thoroughness of organisation. They were very lucky to have acquired such a splendid hall and should be very grateful to Mr. E. Maher, Manager, Dungarvan, Co-operative Creamery, Ltd., for so kindly placing it at their disposal. He was pleased that the numerical strength of the L.S.F. in Clashmore continued to increase but they required still more and he appealed to each member to do his best to get in another new member.

The Supt. then pointed out to the members the importance of the tasks that lay ahead of them. Each man should do his best to fit himself for his particular task. Having explained various matters he appealed to the members to be prepared for any eventuality. It was most probably the first time in the year since they would be given an opportunity of taking part in military manoeuvres.

On the Proposition of C. Curran seconded by T. Harding a vote of sympathy was passed to J. Barron (Clashmore L.S.F.) instructor on the death of his mother, Supt. Walsh and Group Leader, James O'Donovan associated themselves with the vote of condolence and all the members stood in respectful silence. Group Leader James O'Donovan proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. E. Maher, Manager, Dungarvan, Co-operative Creamery, Ltd., for having so kindly placed the hall at the disposal of the Clashmore L.S.F. C. Curran seconded, and the vote was passed with acclamation. Several minor matters having been discussed the meeting adjourned. Members of Clashmore L.S.F. are requested to note that Group meetings take place on Monday and Thursday nights at 8 o'clock (S.P.) and all are expected to attend. The force has now been divided into different squads each with its allotted task for the purpose of raising some necessary funds if it is proposed to hold a number of Card Parties during the winter months. Full particulars will appear later.

PRAYERS FOR PEACE. Prayers for peace are held in all the Parish Churches in this area twice a week. They consist of the Rosary, a special Prayer for Peace and Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament, and are attended by large and devout congregations.

KINSALEBEG PARISH COUNCIL. A Parish Council has been formed in Kinsalebeg, the members are: Very Rev. Fr. Murphy, P.P., chairman, Rev. Fr. P. O'Connell, C.C., vice-chairman, Mr. E. O'Brien, Hon. Sec., Mrs. P. Kennedy, N.T., Messrs. M. Murphy, J. Walsh, J. White, T. Moran, and J. Fitzgerald.

CLASHMORE PARISH COUNCIL. Several important matters are to be discussed at the next meeting of the Clashmore Parish Council, and all members are requested to attend. The business will include matters relating to essential food stocks, fuel supplies, organisation for the relief of the poor, etc.; Red Cross and hospital facilities, transport, water supply, etc.

ARDMORE DANCES. A successful and enjoyable practice dance was held in Ardmore Hall on Sunday night last. Another dance will be held in the same hall on Sunday night next.

ARDMORE L.S.F. DANCE. The forthcoming dance under the auspices of above promises to be one of the best yet held in the parish. All arrangements are in the hands of Mr. J. F. Prendergast, Group Leader, and a capable committee. Full particulars will appear in these columns later.

IN AGLISH LAST SUNDAY. Quite a big crowd attended the West Waterford J.F. final in A.G. and they were rewarded with a first-class game in which interest was sustained to the end. A special tribute is due to Messrs. T. Cotter, P. Morrissey, M. Ducey, L. Cotti, and the other members of A.G. club for the perfect arrangements at the venue.

GALWAY HOSPITALITY.

Galway—"As proud as a Galwayman" has almost become a proverb. The natives of this fine old county are noted for their fondness for litigation, their refinement, extravagance and hospitality, which is, however, tinged with a certain degree of reserve and an undue regard for social distinctions. This may be traceable to their early connections with Spain.

Any Irish person visiting a Spanish country town would imagine he was in Galway, where the long black cloaks with hoods, and the dignified mien of the women are similar.

The Roscommonman is eloquent, witty, and generous. But he is rather imprudent. He has a peculiar, bright twinkle in his eye that is not noticeable in a people elsewhere. He is argumentative and capable, with a strong bias towards party politics.

Sligo's sons are good businessmen—sharp and logical. They are not too much taken up with business affairs, however, to prevent their interesting themselves in the realms of Art, Literature, and Music, where they have often gained distinction.

Donegal has been referred to already, in connection with Kerry.

SPECIAL BRAND.

The other Northern County with the most prominent characteristics is, perhaps, Antrim. The men of this and of most of the Northern Counties are silent and determined and fanatically devoted to whatever brand of politics, religion or whisky they have been brought up on.

The Belfastman, of course, is a special brand of human being—"half Scotch and half Irish" as someone has said—whose like is not to be found in any other part of the country.

From this brief analysis, I should be inclined to define the "typical Irishman" as a being in whose composition the Vitamen S predominates. He is a mixture of saint, scholar, soldier, sportsman, and sinner.

The last-named element, it must be explained in fairness to other countries, is, as will be readily conceded by all, due undoubtedly to the mixture of foreign blood in our race!

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## DUNGARVAN URBAN COUNCIL

### Derelict Sites To Be Cleared By Council.

Mr. Michael Morrissey, T.D. (Chairman) presided at the weekly meeting of the above on Friday last. Also present were Messrs. T. McCarthy (Vice-Chairman), P. Byrne, J. J. Crotty, P. Quinn, J. Dahill, and D. Foley.

#### REPORT OF WATER CARETAKER.

Denis Dee, caretaker, Deelish water supply, reported that at 7 a.m. on that morning the height of the water in the storage tank was 7 feet 6 inches.

Replying to Mr. Crotty, who asked whether this was good or bad, the water inspector said it is about the average for the last five or six weeks.

#### REPAIRS.

A large number of applications for repairs were read from tenants of Council houses.

All were referred to the Borough Surveyor.

#### ADOPTION OF TOWN AND REGIONAL PLANNING ACT.

Mr. Williams, solicitor to the Council, wrote stating that first step to be taken by the Council in order to adopt the Town and Regional Planning Act is for the Borough Surveyor to prepare a map of the Urban District on a scale not less than six inches to the mile. He asked the Council to so instruct the Borough Surveyor.

Chairman—This letter is in connection with the adoption of the Town and Regional Planning Act. One thing which is badly needed here is a detailed map of the urban area showing the sewers, water mains, etc., in the various streets. We have an old one.

Mr. Byrne—This will mean a lot of extra work for Mr. Brady.

Mr. Crotty—One in the office is very necessary.

Chairman—Yes, particularly with regard to sewers and water mains.

The matter was referred to Mr. Brady.

#### DEMOLITION OF HOUSES.

Sites To Be Cleared.

Mr. Williams, solicitor, also wrote stating he understood from the Borough Surveyor that despite the warning which was given to the various owners of the condemned houses some weeks ago, many of the houses have not yet been demolished.

He suggested that the Council should now employ men to demolish the houses and clear and level the sites, and they can then recover the cost incurred in doing so from the various owners.

Chairman—I have been a long time suggesting that and I think we should now go ahead and instruct our Borough Surveyor accordingly.

Mr. Crotty—What will the Borough Surveyor do with the stones?

Borough Surveyor—I suppose stack them in some convenient place. He did not think that if the stones were stacked on the site, the site could be considered cleared.

Regarding the question of whose property the stones will be, it was decided to have the solicitor's advice.

Mr. McCarthy—I suppose the rubble can be drawn for trunking the Marsh.

It was decided to have the solicitor's advice on all matters connected with the demolition by the Council.

Mr. Brady, B.S., replying to the Chairman, said he would be ready to proceed with the work on Tuesday.

#### FIELD DAMAGED BY REFUSE.

Mrs. A. Nugent, Park Lane, Abbeyside, wrote complaining that rubbish is being dumped into her field by residents of Quarry Lane. The residents there are dumping ashes and rubbish of all kinds on the field. He had this field cleaned at great expense recently and removed some 30 loads of rubbish. Your attention to this matter will be greatly obliged.

Mr. McCarthy—Do the scavenger go there at all?

Mr. Walsh, S.S.O.—No.

Mr. McCarthy—They should get a call as well as any other.

Mr. Walsh—The residents just dump it over the wall.

Mr. McCarthy—Does he call there?

Mr. Walsh—He goes to Sheares Street. If he went up there he would probably get nothing.

Mr. Crotty—I don't think he could turn the horse up there.

#### PLAN OF BUILDING.

Mr. P. Casey (Michael J. Casey & Co.) wrote as follows:—

"Herewith we beg to submit sketch of building that we propose to erect on our vacant site at O'Connell Street. The building will be in keeping with the existing building there."

A member—Where is the building to be? Mr. Crotty—In O'Connell Street.

Mr. Quinn—One thing I hope is that we will get a substantial, decent building there. I hope it won't be anything like that which is there already. Let us hope it will be something substantial.

The sketch was referred to the Borough Surveyor.

#### SCRAPING AND PAINTING HARBOUR BUOYS.

Three tenders were received for the scraping and painting of the harbour buoys, viz.: Michael Kenneally, £7 10s.; Michael Kieley, £10 8s.; James Dwyer, £11 9s. Mr. Kenneally's tender was accepted.

#### TENDER FOR SAND.

For the delivery of 100 tons of sand at the Kildangan reservoir three tenders were received, viz.: Philip Beresford, Abbeyside, 4/- per ton; John Cashman, Abbeyside, 3/10 per ton; Michael Condon, Mitchell Street, 5/- per ton.

At the request of Mr. Byrne, the Clerk again read the tenders. Condon's tender being the only one to state that delivery would be made in six days.

Mr. Byrne held that that was the only tender in order.

Mr. Foley—I take it they all understand that.

Chairman—That is also my view. Mr. Byrne—I propose Condon's tender be accepted, as being the only one in order.

Chairman—All the tenders are in order. Mr. Foley—Certainly.

Mr. Byrne—The others can hold you for the 365 days.

Chairman—We will accept the lowest tender on condition that he is to deliver according to specification.

Mr. McCarthy—Six days is too short for any one man to deliver this number of loads. It should be at least a month.

#### REPORT OF BOROUGH SURVEYOR.

The Borough Surveyor submitted reports and estimate of repairs required in five tenants' houses costing £16 8s. 6d.

The report stated that all repairs to date are being carried out and should be finished by the end of next week. In the case of repairs to roofs, same will be carried out immediately they are located.

#### WATER AND SEWERAGE.

The recent rains have slightly improved the supply at Deelish and Kildangan. The returns asked for by the consulting engineers have been forwarded. As directed, the gully traps in streets have been disinfected. Sewers choked in the recent rains have been cleared and defective water supplies are being attended to in rotation.

#### THE MARSH.

Mr. McGrath, contractor, is agreeable to loan to the Council borrowings for the Marsh scheme. As two borrowings are required constantly, I recommend the purchase of two. Mr. McGrath is submitting a quotation for the hire of a derrick for dredging the harbour.

Mr. Crotty—About two years ago I suggested that a stock book be kept in the office. He was out at Kildangan recently and saw all the fine Bangor slates on the caretaker's house. These should be all taken down and brought in, if the roof is not going to be repaired, because they will all be broken in the next storm.

Orders made were that repairs to houses be carried out within the estimate. That two barrows (steel) be purchased. Also that the Borough Surveyor be instructed to take stock of all material in the Council yard.

#### REPORT OF SANITARY OFFICER.

Mr. Walsh, S.S.O., reported that a dilapidated thatched cottage in Sarsfield Street, Abbeyside is a danger to the public. The roof of a store in the Fish Market, adjoining Mr. Lynch's premises, is in a very dilapidated state and a danger to the public. He recommended that the owner be served with notice to have this roof either removed or repaired.

The Borough Surveyor was directed to serve notice for demolition or repairs, as he thinks fit.

#### REPAIRS TO FOOTPATHS.

Mr. Walsh, S.S.O., also reported, as directed, on the footpaths requiring repairs. These included Grattan Square, Main Street, O'Connell Street, Shandon, Mitchell Street, Sarsfield Street.

The report was referred to the County Surveyor.

#### LADIES' BATHING PLACE.

Mr. Dahill said some of the residents of the Lookout complained to him of the nuisances caused at the ladies' bathing place. The place was not used for bathing by the ladies this year, but it is used by young men who go into the boxes and create a nuisance. He thought it would be well to take down the division and the boxes.

Mr. Byrne—Some of the boatmen who reside near the Lookout would look after the boxes. I remember seeing boats and the gear for the boats stored there.

Mr. Walsh, S.S.O., said he had to send a man there to clean it out. During the week it was a disgrace.

Chairman—The trouble is, we make orders but we don't follow them up and see that they are carried out.

The Borough Surveyor was asked to inspect the place and report.

#### DANCE FOR CHILDREN'S FUNDS.

Mr. J. J. Glanville, hon. sec. Dickens Leather Company's Social Club, wrote stating that they proposed to hold a cinderella dance in the Town Hall on Sunday, October 27th, in aid of the Children's Health Committee funds. This, of course, is subject to our getting the hall, so I hereby apply to you for its use, and I think that under the circumstances you will let us have it free.

Mr. Dahill—They should certainly get it free.

Mr. McCarthy—It is a very fine offer. Chairman—We will grant them the hall. The gratitude of the Council is due to them for their splendid help. They have shown the way to others who may come along and help too.

#### LIGHTING OF WIGHAM BUOY.

Only one tender was received for the lighting of the Wigham buoy for a period of 12 months, viz., Wm. Carey, Abbeyside, at 5/- per week.

In connection with this tender, the following letter was read from F. Barrett & Co., Dublin, manufacturers of the buoy:—

"Dear Sir,—We believe that about this time of year you accept a tender for the maintenance of the Wigham's lighted buoy which is moored off Ballinacoury. Our Mr. L. Green has been in Dungarvan on three or four occasions during the past few months and has given the light keeper, Michael Kieley, a good deal of instruction in the maintenance of the light. We believe Kieley to be conscientious and genuinely interested in his work, and we hope, for this reason, coupled with the extra knowledge which he has acquired from our representative, that your Council will see its way to continue his job. From our experience of periodic inspections of buoys and beacons round the coasts of Ireland and Great Britain, we have no hesitation in saying that troubles are caused by neglect on the part of light keepers. We always recommend that, when a good keeper has been found, he should be continued in his job. We hope you will excuse us for writing on this matter, but we feel sure you will appreciate that the proper working of

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## YOUGHAL URBAN COUNCIL.

### CONDUCT AT DANCES.

Present: Messrs. M. D. Broderick, Chairman; E. D. Condon, R. Power, J. Daly, B.E., R. Savage, P.C.; J. Whelan, M. Ahern, P. J. O'Gorman, P.C.

#### LABOUR AND WAGES.

A cheque for £78 1s. 10d., wages for the week, was passed on the proposition of Mr. Savage, seconded by Mr. Whelan.

#### DANCES IN TOWN HALL.

Mr. Whelan said there were many complaints regarding the dancing in the Ballroom of late. The noise and vibration were enough to make persons using the billiard room afraid.

The Clerk suggested that all hirers of the hall for dances should be warned that they would be responsible for the conduct of the dances, and all payments should be made in advance.

Mr. Whelan—We are not "kill-joys," but there should be some proper supervision over these dances.

The Chairman said that the floor of the ballroom was rather worn, and at the present rate it was being torn asunder altogether, and sometimes those attending the dances go over the whole place.

The Clerk said he had received a complaint that portion of the mahogany balustrade had been torn away.

Mr. Whelan—If any misconduct like that occurs again, the person in charge of the dance shouldn't get the hall again.

The Chairman said that recent events show that there should be responsible supervision over those dances.

The Chairman said that the misconduct complained of might cause them to lose their dance licence altogether.

Mr. Power—Mr. Clerk, did you find out anything about the Youghal Tourist and Development Association? (Laughter.)

The Clerk—I wrote, but got no answer. Mr. Power—What are Mr. Troy's duties? The Clerk—To see that no one under 18 attended, and no one under the influence of drink.

The Chairman—Who was running the dance on the night in question? The Clerk—I am not sure.

The Chairman—If there is a repetition of that or other misbehaviour we will not give the hall.

Mr. O'Gorman—I devolves on those hiring the hall to see that the dance is properly conducted and that there is no damage done, and they should be made to realise that, and also be held personally responsible.

The Clerk read a number of applications for the use of the hall, including one from the "Rhythm Boys." (Laughter.)

Mr. Power—What do they call themselves—the "Rhythm Boys"? (Laughter.) It is all a money-making game, and we should get a share.

Mr. Condon—It should be stopped; it is going too far altogether.

Several members expressed their agreement, pointing out that at the present rate of wear and tear the floor was bound to give away before long, and then a new floor would be a costly undertaking.

After further discussion it was unanimously decided, on the proposition of Mr. Whelan, seconded by Mr. Condon, to increase the charges for the hall by 50 per cent., payment to be made in advance, except in the case of all-night dances organised by responsible committees.

The Clerk said that Red Cross lectures and Parish Committee meetings were held on three nights weekly, and the meeting decided that the hall should not be let for dances on those occasions.

#### SYMPATHY.

Mr. Daly proposed a vote of sympathy with the relatives of the late Mrs. E. Lynch, an esteemed member of an old and respected family.

Mr. O'Gorman, seconding, said that the deceased lady was a deservedly estimable character who had reared a family some of whom joined the religious life and two others distinguished themselves in the medical profession.

The Chairman said that after the remarks just made he had only to express his sincere association with the proposition.

Mr. Whelan, other members, and the Clerk also joined in.

#### THE LATE BISHOP OF ROSS.

Mr. Savage proposed a vote of sympathy with the relatives of the late Most Rev. Dr. Casey, Bishop of Ross, and also with the Irish Hierarchy on the loss they had sustained.

Mr. Whelan seconded.

The Chairman said they all associated themselves with the proposition. Dr. Casey was well known and highly esteemed by the people of Youghal.

The other members and the Clerk also associated themselves with the proposition.

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high appreciation of the admirable work done by both those officers.

Major Humphries seconded.

The Chairman—We all agree to that. We are pleased with having two such efficient officers. (Hear, hear.)

The proposition was passed unanimously. Messrs. Power and Kenny thanked the meeting for their kind resolution.

#### FINANCIAL POSITION.

The Clerk said they had a bank credit of £603, out of which they were paying that day £127. It was about the same as last year.

Mr. Sheehan—The new Board would be in debt anyhow. (Laughter.)

## BLACKWATER FISHERY CONSERVATORS

### INSURANCE ARREARS.

#### Inspector's Report.

At the usual monthly meeting of the Lismore (or No. 4) Board of Blackwater Fishery Conservators, held at the Devonshire Arms Hotel, Tallow, there attended: Messrs. R. Grove Annesley (Chairman), Captain R. Holroyd Smyth, J. Kennedy, W. Baldwin, W. O'Neill, Miss G. Montgomery, Major E. Pennefather, C. N. Deane, Major Humphries, Major Coote, R. Sheehan, M. Shanahan, and J. Kent.

Messrs. J. Power, Clerk and J. P. Kenny, Inspector, were also in attendance.

#### INSURANCE ARREARS.

A letter was read from the Department on the subject of National Health and Insurance contributions stating that no objection would be raised to a payment of the nature indicated. The Board should satisfy itself that the amount was correct and free from audit objection. As regards the general claim for arrears in certain cards, the Board seek a settlement with the Insurance Authorities. There was so many indefinite factors in the matter that with all respect to the legal advice received the Minister will not favour too strong an attitude while there was prospects of a reasonable compromise. The ultimate decision rested with the Board, but a policy of "not doing anything further" would not avail much.

The minutes of the sub-committee appointed to investigate the claims for outstanding contributions for national health and unemployment insurance was read and signed.

The committee admitted the claim of £17 the stockkeeper at Youghal. The remainder of the total claimed—over £300—had been the subject of legal advice, and it was referred to the meeting.

After a prolonged discussion the matter was referred to Messrs. J. L. Keane & Son, Youghal, solicitors to the Board, with instructions to endeavour to come to terms with the insurance authorities.

It was pointed out by several members that the accounts of the Board had been regularly audited from time to time.

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Mr. Ken called attention of the Board to the hardship imposed on two ratepayers owing small sums of a couple of pounds. They had been summoned to the Cork Circuit Court, while there were two or three District Courts in their vicinity at which their cases could have been heard, thereby saving the poor people the cost of going to Cork. Both were small farmers and it was most unfair of the Board to put them to such unnecessary expense.

The Clerk said he had nothing to do with the matter beyond handing the accounts to the solicitor for collection.

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#### THE MOTOR LAUNCH.

Some discussion took place on the Inspector's suggestion to procure a small motor launch in place of the present one, and the question was finally adjourned for the present.

#### COMING ELECTION.

Mr. Sheehan suggested that as that was the last meeting of the present Board, they should ask the Department to send down an official to advise them in the conduct of the forthcoming triennial election.

The Chairman expressed agreement with Mr. Sheehan's suggestion, which was unanimously adopted.

#### CLERK AND INSPECTOR.

Mr. Sheehan said that at the termination of their three years' office, he had great pleasure in proposing that they put on record their sincere appreciation of the manner in which Messrs. Power and Kenny had discharged their duties as clerk and inspector, respectively, during their term of office. No officials could have done their work better or more efficiently. He therefore proposed a resolution, to be forwarded to the Department, expressing their

## TALLOW COURT

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

### LICENSING.

This was the annual licensing sessions, and Inspector Holland stated that there was no objection by the Guards, and all the renewal certificates, were signed.

#### UNLICENSED BULL.

John Murray, Coolbeggan, was charged with having an unlicensed bull.

Mr. E. Carroll, solr. Fermoy (for Dr. Counihan, State solicitor) prosecuted, and Mr. J. N. R. Macnamara, solr., Youghal, defended.

Mr. P. O'Keefe, court clerk, said that Coolbeggan wasn't in the court area.

Mr. Macnamara said that to save time and expense they would plead guilty, and he would accept the decision of the Court. The case should have been brought to Youghal.

Mr. M. Doyle, livestock inspector, said that on June 1st he found a two-year-old crossbred heifer and bull on defendant's farm. The bull wasn't registered at all. Defendant denied having the bull.

Cross-examined by Mr. Macnamara—Are you aware that this was a purebred bull?—Yes, but not out of a purebred cow.

Do you know that the animal was used for his own personal service?—No.

Mr. Macnamara said the defendant's herd had been going against him for two or three years, and he kept the animal as an experiment, hoping to have better luck with his cows. The animal wasn't used for outside stock and had since been castrated.

The Justice said that in the circumstances, and owing to the manner in which the case was met, he would fine the defendant 5/- with the costs involved (27/-).

#### LICENCE CONFIRMATION.

Mr. E. Carroll, solr. Fermoy, applied for a confirmation of the ad interim transfer of the licence of David Sheehan, Barrack Street, Tallow, to Miss Murray (manageress).

Inspector Holland said there was no objection, and the application was granted.



CAPPOQUIN COURT

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

ANNUAL LICENSING SESSION. This was the annual licensing session. Inspector Holland said there was no objection. All the usual licenses were granted.

TRANSFERS. Mr. P. J. Morrissey, Solicitor, on behalf of J. J. Walsh, Millstreet, Modeligo, was granted a transfer of the license lately held by Annie E. Walsh.

Mr. Williams, Solr., on behalf of Annie Fisher, Kersen, was granted a transfer of license lately held by Margaret Power.

DANCE LICENSE. Mr. L. F. Lanigan (for Mr. O'Gorman), Solicitor, on behalf of Mr. J. P. Daly, applied for a dance license in respect of Cappoquin Boathouse. He applied for 12 all-nights and for a change in the short dances from 8-11 to 8-30-12.

Inspector Holland said he thought the number granted last year was sufficient. Mr. Sargent said that eight all-nights were quite sufficient for the Boat Club but other clubs wanted the Hall and if they did not get the extension they could not give the Hall to them.

The Justice granted 12 all-night dances, 10 cinderellas and the usual number of practice dances, but from 8.30 to 12 in summer time, otherwise 8 to 11.

The application of Mr. L. F. Lanigan on behalf of the Irish Shell Co., Limited, for the storage of 5,000 gallons of spirit in Cappoquin was granted.

All the publicans' licenses were renewed without objection.

UNLICENSED BULL. The Minister for Lands and Agriculture prosecuted J. McGrath, Ballinacoola, for having an unlicensed bull in his possession. Dr. Counihan appeared for the State.

Mr. Doyle, Inspector, said on May 31st, he paid a visit to defendant and found a cross-bred Aberdeen Angus bull on his (defendant's) lands.

Mr. McGrath said he had the bull castrated two weeks later. He was fined 30s. with 30s. costs.

UNSTAMPED CARDS. Minister for Industry and Commerce v. Ed. and Patrick Lucas. Mr. Morrissey, Solr., appeared for the defendants.

This was a case of defendants failing to stamp National Health and Unemployment Insurance cards.

Mr. Morrissey explained that the cards had since been stamped and the case had been settled with Mr. Mortell, the Inspector.

Defendants were fined 2s. 6d. in each case with 2s. costs.

UNLICENSED BULL. Minister for Lands and Agriculture v. Philip Hickey, Carruahan, Lismore. Dr. Counihan, Solr., for plaintiff.

Mr. L. F. Lanigan, Solr., Dungarvan, for defendant. Mr. Doyle, Inspector, said this animal was a cross-bred Aberdeen Angus bull calved in May, 1939. He was in a field with calves. Defendant said he had made an attempt to castrate him but failed.

Defendant admitted the offence. Fined 30s. and 2s. costs.

DRUNK. Guard J. Browne summoned J. Landers, Church Street, Lismore, with being drunk on August 4th, in Cappoquin. He was fined 3/6.

NO LIGHTS. Guard J. Mahony summoned Thomas Coleman, Mt. Mellery, with cycling without a light after lighting up time. Fined 3/6.

Same v. M. O'Brien, Deerpark, Lismore, with cycling after lighting up time without a light. Fined 3/6.

Guard Thorne summoned Patrick Moynihan, Cappoquin, with having no front light on his bicycle. Fined 2/6.

Same v. D. Fitzgerald, Ballyhane. Fined 3/6.

SEQUEL TO TAKING OF PONY. Superintendent Quinlan, Lismore, charged Patrick Carr, of no fixed abode with the taking of a pony and trap, with cruelty to the animal, and with the loss of a whip and the breaking of reins.

Inspector Holland said that on September 8th, Mr. Corcoran, travelling horse dealer, and his wife were camped outside the town and came in, in their pony and trap for groceries. They tied the pony some short distance outside the town. In the meantime, Mr. Carr came along and took away the pony.

Mr. Corcoran gave evidence of the pony being ill-treated.

Mr. Carr—The Guards ordered me out of town. I meant to go to Aglish to the L.S.F. meeting.

J. Regan (to Supt. Holland)—I saw defendant on September 8th near Ballinacoola. He was carrying madly along. I found it necessary to dismount my bicycle. Sergt. Browne said at about 10 p.m. he found the pony tied to a gate near Whitechurch. It was in a very exhausted condition. He left the pony at Cappagh that night. Next day the owner went for the pony and brought him to Cappoquin and pointed out the cuts the animal had sustained to the Guards.

Inspector Holland—This man has been before you before.

Just—I am familiar with his face. The case was adjourned to the Cappoquin November Court, and in the meantime if the defendant was able to pay £2 10s. fine, he would be let off.

LARCENY OF TURF. Attorney General v. P. Doyle, Clogheen. This was a case of larceny of turf from the mountain, in which Mr. J. Butler charged P. Doyle, Clogheen, with larceny of two loads of turf, his property.

Mr. M. Butler said he had a special type of spade for cutting turf. No one else had a spade like it. He was on the mountain on August 23rd. He did not see Doyle that day, but on August 12th, he met him with a load of his turf. When he (Butler) pointed out to him that it was his turf, Doyle only abused him. He missed the turf 10 minutes after meeting Doyle. The price of it was 25s.

Mr. J. Butler—I helped my family in saving the turf on the mountain. I saw

KILMATHOMAS NOTES

DEATH. Miss Hannah Power, formerly of Few's, Kilmathomas, died at her cousin's home, Mr. Power, Carrigeen, Kilmathomas, on Wednesday, aged 82 years. Burial took place at Newtown, on Thursday morning, following celebration of Requiem Masses. Peace to her soul.

CROUGHANE RANGERS. The members of above team, who are to be in Ballyduff on Sunday at 1.45 (new time), to meet Dunhill in the junior hurling replay are: M. Downey, G. B. Power, M. Power, N. Flynn, Burke brothers, P. Butler, G. Hassett, M. Keane, Buff Walsh, A. Wall, M. Keating, M. Whelan, T. Coleman, M. Kiely, Foley brothers, Troy brothers, R. Connel, and N. Casey.

THE FAIR. Kilmathomas fair, held last Tuesday, was well stocked. Buyers were plentiful, but demand was very slow, due no doubt, to present conditions governing the cattle trade. Sows with litters and young pigs exchanged at lower rates. Flocks of lowland and mountain-bred sheep on show were left unsold. Traders had a dull day.

PROPERTY SOLD. On the fair day, Messrs. Flahavan and Hartly, auctioneers, Kilmathomas and Dungarvan, offered for sale the site of the old R.I.C. barracks, opposite the station, and two fields of about six acres, the property of Mrs. K. O'Donoghue, provision merchant, Main Street. Bidding opened briskly between merchants, local business men, and a few outsiders. Both places went to the hammer in separate lots and all together, but as the reserve price was not reached, the sale was withdrawn. It was learned on Thursday morning that Messrs. E. Hill & Sons, Ltd., had purchased for £600 and fees. Mr. T. Kiersey, solr., had carriage of the sale.

HUNT DANCE. The dance held in Hill's spacious and up-to-date hall, in aid of the East Waterford Hunt Club on Wednesday night, was a pronounced success from every viewpoint. Supporters came from Cork city, Youghal, Midleton, Malinbeg, Fermoy, Lismore, Cappoquin, Dungarvan and the Pike. The eastern side of the county was well represented by patrons from Waterford city, Tramore, Dunmore, Gaultier, Kilmeehan, Portlaw, Anestown, Bonmahon, Ballylance, Kill, Killossanty, Stradbally, and Kilmathomas. Big numbers attended from Clonmel Carrick-on-Suir, Kilkenny city and county, and Wexford town and county. O'Shea's famous band supplied the music in capital style. The catering was excellent. Floor, lighting effects, and M.C. Barron were never better. Great credit is due to Mr. R. de Vere Hunt, Rockmount House, secretary of the Hunt, for his untiring efforts to ensure a most successful and enjoyable night.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING. Mr. McGarry, County Commissioner, was present at the Parish Council meeting held in the Courthouse on Wednesday night, presided over by Very Rev. T. Galvin, P.P., Newtown. In a brief and firm speech the Commissioner outlined his policy, the absolute necessity of such a Council, and the gravity of the situation ahead. His listeners were deeply impressed. A vote of thanks, passed to Mr. McGarry, brought the meeting to a close.

THRASHING OPERATIONS. No fewer than ten threshing sets are operating in Mid Waterford over the past two weeks. The corn was cut and saved in splendid harvest weather, and good returns are reported from all quarters. In some areas farmers are complaining about the prices paid for oats and barley. Later on, no doubt, prices will improve considerably, and growers would do well to store a sufficient supply of their best seeds for winter and spring sowing. It is almost certain that at least 20 per cent. more arable land will be turned up next season. All classes of bag manures will be difficult to obtain, so that orders should be placed early to avoid disappointment. Harken to the call of Mr. Ryan and speed the plough.

DEATH OF MRS. TORPEY. It is with deep regret we announce the death of Mrs. Torpey, Garranturton, Kilmathomas, which sad event occurred at her home on Wednesday night, following a short illness. Deceased had reached the allotted span in years, and was very popular in the neighbourhood. A large, respectable family, some of whom are domiciled in England, are left to mourn her loss. They have the sympathy of a wide circle of relatives and friends. Deceased was the wife of the late Mr. John Torpey, and sister-in-law of Mr. James Torpey, County Council overseer. Glendalligan, Killossanty, Her funeral to Ballylance on Thursday evening was large and representative. On this (Friday) morning, after the celebration of Requiem Masses by the Very Rev. E. English, P.P.; Rev. Fr. Lawn, C.C., and Rev. Fr. Walsh, C.C., Stradbally, the burial took place in the family plot in the old graveyard. Peace to her soul.

my turf on August 13th. Two horse loads were missing.

Mr. P. O'Donnell said he was breaking stones at Loughlin, Bridge on the 12th of August. He saw Doyle going home with turf. He found two sods on the road and recognised it as Butler's turf.

Mr. Patrick Griffin said he was speaking to Guard Twomey on the 16th, August. He cut turf on the spot where the Guard showed him two years ago.

Thomas Quirkie replied that he looked after the cutting of turf on the mountain. He said defendant did not ask permission to cut turf until August 14th.

Guard Doyle said accused pointed out the spot where the turf was cut. He could not possibly have the turf there as there was grass and young ferns growing there.

Guard Doyle said on the 12th of August, he went and met P. Doyle at Castlegrace and he made a statement. Accused told him yesterday he would be threshing to-day and couldn't attend.

Defendant was fined 12s. with £2 10s. expenses and 25s. compensation.

TALLOW NOTES

TENNIS DANCE. The patronage accorded the dance sponsored by the committee of the local Tennis Club, which was held at the Cinema Hall on Tuesday night, was illustrative of the popularity of this annual function, and the happy company present absolutely revelled in the delightful programme of dance music provided by the Fermoy Laurentian Dance Orchestra, which was specially engaged for this occasion. The committee are to be complimented on the manner in which they looked after their guests, many of whom travelled long distances to be present, including Malinbeg, Kanturk, Fermoy, Glanworth, Mitchelstown, Cahir, Clogheen, Clonmel, Dungarvan, Youghal, Lismore, Cappoquin, Killeagh, Midleton, and all the well-known local centres. It is hoped that during the season the committee will again be at home to their many friends and supporters.

FORTNIGHTLY GIG MARKET. Due to the disorganised state of affairs existing in the pig and bacon industry at the moment and for some time past, the pig market on Tuesday last was what might be truthfully termed a fiasco as most of the pigs presented by the feeders were taken home again, notwithstanding the general scarcity of feeding which prevails generally presently, owing to the shortage of maize. The few sales which were, however, effected were considered anything but satisfactory from the feeders' point of view, and certainly it can't be wondered at, if there was a disposition on their part to discontinue bacon production at unremunerative prices, or, should one say, at a distinct loss to themselves and the community as a whole.

APPLE GRADING STATION. The above has now been in operation for about a month, during which time considerable quantities of dessert and cooking varieties have been handled on behalf of the orchard owners of the immediate and surrounding districts. The selecting or grading is conscientiously being done by hand which the different consignments arrive, after which they are put up in specially made crates or boxes (which are made by local labour on the premises), when completed are marked and labelled with the labels issued under the Department's scheme for apple marketing. From reports to hand, large consignments have been dispatched to Dublin and other marketing centres, and satisfactory returns have been forthcoming, which should undoubtedly be an incentive for growers in the immediate vicinity to harvest their crops with the utmost care, so that none but the best should be presented for packing and forwarding to the markets now open.

PARISH COUNCIL. Mr. McGarry, assistant to Mr. Commissioner Moynihan, administering the functions of the Waterford County Council, attended a meeting of the local Parish Council, at which there was a full attendance of members. Very Rev. Fr. Kehoe, P.P., presided. Introducing Mr. McGarry, the Rev. Chairman extended a welcome to him on behalf of the committee and townspeople, and expressed the hope that good results would follow from Mr. McGarry's visit, and from the details of the work which he was about to give a resume of, and which the Council would have to attend to during their period of office.

Mr. McGarry, addressing the meeting very concisely and instructively, stressed the importance of the functioning of Parish Councils, in accordance with the desire of the Government, to safeguard the welfare of the people as a whole and the poor in particular in case of an emergency arising at very short notice. Having dealt with the various aspects of such emergency, he urged that the committee should do everything possible to encourage the local traders and other residents in a position to do so, to lay in stocks of non-perishable foodstuffs with a view to alleviating any distress that may arise in the near or distant future. In this connection, and on the motion of Mr. McGarry stressed the necessity for the local suppliers to send him at appointed periods particulars of the amount of stocks carried by them, so that he would be aware at short notice to calculate the available supplies in a given district and throughout the county as a whole, and in this way to safeguard the welfare of every citizen, but particularly the poor. Having dealt with many other details and aspects of the present state of affairs in Europe and nearer home, and the probable repercussions arising therefrom, he again urged on the committee the necessity of doing all in their power to envisage the future and by so doing, realize the necessity for the committee to be prepared to perform the tasks and duties which would be allotted to it from time to time, and in this way to establish machinery to deal with any emergency big or small that may arise.

General discussion on various aspects of the programme of duties to be enacted followed with good results and on the motion of the Rev. Chairman a hearty vote of thanks was unanimously extended to Mr. McGarry for his attendance and able discourse on the occasion.

The meeting was held in the Temperance Hall, other members present being Rev. Fr. Corbett, C.C., vice-chairman; T. Harris, Hon. Sec.; T. P. Reynolds, M. & L. Bank, hon. treas.; Dr. O'Mahoney, W. J. O'Keefe, D. Slattery, J. Kenney, D. Sheehan, M.P.S.I.; F. T. O'Leary, N.T.; J. M. Beecher, J. Ryan, T. J. O'Dwyer, P. Walsh, J. F. O'Keefe, W. Sheehan.

CAPPOQUIN NOTES

THE BADMINTON CLUB. At the annual general meeting of the Cappoquin Badminton Club, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Captain, Mr. Fred Anderson; hon. sec., Mr. M. J. Sargent, P.C.; committee—Messrs. R. Curran, L. D. Dunne, M. J. Sargent, jun.; J. A. Fives, John Curran, Liam Ryan; selection committee—Miss S. White, Miss E. Lacey, Mr. L. Dunne, Mr. J. McCarthy, B.A. The members of the club are now engaged in intensive practice, and the first competitive games will be held in the near future.

DANCING. At the District Court on Thursday the Justice granted Mr. M. J. Sargent, P.C., on behalf of the Rowing Club, a licence for 12 all-night dances. This is four more than last season, so that we may look forward to a record dance season in Cappoquin this year.

PRACTICE DANCES. The first practice dance of the season will be held in the Boathouse Hall, Cappoquin, on Sunday night next, and first-class enjoyment is promised to patrons. Splendid music will be supplied by a first-class dance band, and with general arrangements in the capable hands of Messrs. M. J. Sargent, P.C., J. P. Daly, J. A. Fives, and the members of the rowing club committee, it is an event nobody should miss, so be there and bring your friends along. These practice dances will continue for the winter months and are assured of liberal support from dancing enthusiasts.

AN ACCIDENT. While engaged at play one evening recently, Master Michael O'Connor, son of Mr. O'Connor, egg and wool merchant, Cappoquin, received a fall and as a result sustained rather serious injury. He was immediately attended by a doctor and nurse. We are pleased to record that he is progressing satisfactorily and will soon be well again.

THE L.S.F. The Cappoquin Local Security Force is making satisfactory progress. During the present week Mr. John Roche has been in Cork doing a special course of instruction at a military barracks. Mr. Ion Villiers Stuart and Mr. M. Power, leader and asst. leader, respectively, of Villierstown group, are also attending a similar course of instruction, as are leaders of other local groups. This course is designed to increase the efficiency of each group.

INSTALLATION. The officiating clergymen at the recent ceremony of installation of Rev. J. S. O'Loughlin as Rector of Cappoquin, in St. Anne's Protestant Church, were Most Rev. Dr. Harvey, Bishop of Cashel, Emly, Waterford and Lismore; Very Rev. Dean Stanton, Rev. W. H. Smith, Rev. R. D. Murray, Rev. G. W. Murray, Rev. R. B. Ryan, Rev. T. W. B. Irish, Rev. G. McKinley, Rev. H. Vere Flint, Rev. G. R. Ennis, Rev. J. B. Jamison, Rev. E. J. Staunton, Rev. J. D. Cowley, Rev. C. J. Stanley.

G.A.A. The replay match—Cappoquin v. Lismore (in aid of parochial funds)—is postponed until further notice, as a result of illness prevailing amongst some of the Lismore players.

AGRICULTURAL PROGRESS. In Cappoquin area threshing operations are nearing completion. The pulling of the beet crop is at present progressing, and despite the unfavourable conditions experienced during growth, the yield is reasonably satisfactory. Indicative of the progressive methods of farmers in this area is the fact that ploughing has already commenced.

DEVOTIONS FOR PEACE. The devotions for peace, held in the Parish Church on Sunday and Friday evenings, are being attended by large and devout congregations.

AN OMISSION. In our recent report of the L.S.F. meeting at Aglish, we omitted to state that Mr. R. Tobin, Villierstown, presided. Mr. Tobin, who is a practical farmer, has had a lifelong connection with the national movement and for seven years took a leading part in public life.

YOUGHAL COURT

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

UNDEFENDED CIVIL BILLS. A large number of undefended Civil Bills in which Mr. J. N. R. MacNamara, solr., appeared for the plaintiffs and other solicitors, were first disposed of by decrees or adjournments.

Mr. J. F. Foley, solicitor, Cork (Messrs. O'Connor & Foley) applied for an ad interim transfer of the licence of the Adelphi Hotel.

Mr. Foley said the application was from Bridget Fell, deceased, to her nephew, Dr. J. A. Ryan, who was left the premises under her will. Dr. Ryan was at present serving in an hospital in England and he was unable to attend the Court. With the approval of the Court he wished to appoint his mother, Mary A. Ryan, to take his place.

After some arguments on the legal points involved, Supt. Kelly said there was no objection by the Guards, and the application was granted.

NO LIGHTS. Guards Madden and Carroll had a number of persons charged with cycling without lights, and fines up to 3/6 were imposed.

NORTHERN APPLES FOR EIRE. The import duty free, of a limited quantity of raw apples from Northern Ireland and Great Britain has been approved. The allocation has been divided equally between the two places.

FERMOY TOURNAMENT FINAL.

Blackrock Defeat Tallow. The final of the hurling tournament organised by the Fermoy Club about four years ago was played out at the Sports Ground on Sunday before a very good attendance. The teams engaged were Blackrock who had previously disposed of Malinbeg and Tallow who had won over Carrigrohilly on a replay, and the prizes were south-lengths of Irish manufacture. The Tomas Ceant Pipe Band was in attendance and played the teams on to the field.

The game was well contested throughout forward line, as they certainly did a great deal of attacking. The Blackrock men were better in combination and when they reached the scoring distance showed more accuracy than their opponents. The full time score gave Blackrock a sound lead of 3 goals and 5 points to 1 goal and 2 points.

The first ten minutes were in favour of Tallow and they repeatedly attacked Blackrock's defence but on each occasion were repelled. A free taken by Regan was well cleared and then Blackrock took play down from the goal stroke worked down to the centre where a nice bout of hurling was seen. Play was sent further on and Blackrock were again tested. They returned play to mid-field. Tallow again attacked and were awarded a seventy taken by Regan. This was cleared but in a few minutes Tallow were awarded a free taken by Daly. This was also cleared and then Tallow ground where Whyte from far out sent over the bar for a point. Play was of an even character until Tallow after a great effort made a strong attack on Blackrock's posts. Doyle on the wing got possession and passed to Daly who secured and with a grand shot scored a goal. Soon after this Blackrock were putting pressure on the defence which stood up splendidly to the attack. Blackrock, however, were not to be denied and Taughan sent over to Mahony who made no mistake in finding the net. Tallow now pressed and Mara in goal cleared several times. Blackrock now took up the issue and Sullivan from close in added a further goal. Tallow responded and brought play to Blackrock's ground where McNamara was prominent. They were awarded a 70 but it was fruitless. Midfield play ensued and O'Keefe had a long shot which gained a point. This was followed by another point per Norberg. This was replied to by Curley, who from far out pointed for Tallow. Play was from end to end but there was no further score at half time, which stood—Blackrock, 2-4; Tallow, 1-1.

On the resumption Tallow again took up the attack but were not able to get home the advantages until Regan secured a point, which was their only score in this half. Blackrock forced the play and Curley and Hartigan cleared to midfield. Tallow were again pressing but were unable to penetrate the defence, and Blackrock coming away with a great dash had Tallow's posts in danger. The defence held out for some time and Barrett getting possession scored a neat goal. Several frees to each side were given but there was no result and in the closing stages Blackrock were on the offensive for O'Shea to send over the bar when the whistle went Blackrock were well-merited winners, the score being—Blackrock, 3-5; Tallow, 1-2.

Mr. A. Scannell, N.T., refereed. Blackrock—J. Mara (goal), M. O'Brien, J. Creedon, J. Leahy, P. Hayes, J. Norberg, D. McCarthy, T. Barrett, T. Vaughan, M. O'Shea, T. Sullivan, W. Twomey, N. Whyte, W. O'Mahony, P. O'Keefe.

Tallow—E. O'Brien (goal), J. Malone, S. Curley, J. Hartigan, J. Bourke, M. Regan, P. McCarthy, J. O'Keefe, P. Sheehan, J. Daly, T. Daly, M. Curley, D. Doyle, J. McNamara, P. Maher.

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MOOREHILL NOTES

KILWATERMOY PATTERN. The annual Pattern in honour of the exaltation of the Holy Cross, to which the parish is dedicated, was held in Kilwatemoy on 14th Sept. last. Mass was celebrated at the Church at 9 o'clock, at which a very large congregation were present, as also on Sunday evening, when the decorations of the Holy Hour was held in honour of the feast, the celebrant on both occasions being Rev. Fr. Tobin, C.C., Glendine. From an early hour on Saturday morning pilgrims from far and near wended their way to the holy well which is situated about a quarter of a mile from the Church, to do the rounds, which consisted of saying the Rosary, as the pilgrim walked three times round the well. Before leaving it is customary to bathe the senses with water from a shallow stream beside the well, and a bottle of water is generally taken home, which legend says is a cure for many ills. In olden times "Pattern Day" was observed in nearly all the parishes in Ireland, but of late we are getting more modernised and say oh these patterns are all nonsense, just old fashioned people with foolish ideas. But let us ask ourselves the question, who were the fools, the older generation or the present one? Be that as it may, it is good to know that in spite of all modernism, the people of Kilwatemoy still cling to the grand old custom handed down to them from their forefathers, they cling to the faith in spite of all persecution, fire and sword, and we should be ashamed to call ourselves Irish, if we allow the grand old Irish customs to die out, that they were willing to sacrifice their lives for.

VOTE OF SYMPATHY. At a special meeting of the Moorehill hurling club, held during the week, the following, proposed by Denis Cody and seconded by John Baldwin was passed in silence—That we the members of the Moorehill hurling club tender our deep sympathy to Mrs. O'Sullivan and family, Kilwatemoy, on their recent sad bereavement.

UP KERRY. So the wearers of the Green and Gold have retained the championship in the Kingdom for 1940, it was a game of very close marking, inclined to be rather robust at times, but a neck to neck struggle from start to finish. Conditions were against good football for a grassy ball and a slippery sod are not conducive to high fielding and accurate kicking. The crowd had resigned themselves to a draw, and several thousands had left the field, when Kerry in one of their traditional last minute rushes, swept down on the Galway lines and Charlie Sullivan drove over the bar, for the winning score and the championship. For the winners, Keohane, Sean Brosnan, Paddy Healy, Eddie Walsh and Charlie Sullivan were best, while Conaire, Dinny Sullivan, Rafferty, Dunne and Brendan Nestor were outstanding for Galway.

WELL DONE, KNOCKANORE. Before a very large attendance at Aglish on Sunday last, Knockanore defeated the Bricey Rangers, in the West Waterford junior football final, it was a good game, though on the whole the football did not reach a very high standard owing to very close marking, but Knockanore eclipsed all previous performances, every man played his part well, and it would have been a pity to see them beaten. The winners find it definitely impossible to obtain weekly returns we shall have to compromise on fortnightly or monthly returns. In this connection I would, however, ask you to do your best, it should be explained to the shopkeepers that, if in the event of an emergency and through lack of up-to-date information in my hands, Dungarvan should be left short of supplies, the responsibility will rest with the shop-keepers. In other words they are letting down their neighbours.

This matter was discussed at length by the Council and the point stressed that it was of vital importance that traders send in returns.

The Hon. Sec. said that the returns when made would be strictly confidential.

RESOLUTIONS TO URBAN COUNCIL. The Council discussed the delay in the purchase of fire fighting appliances and the establishment of a fire-fighting unit in the Town. It was the opinion of all present, that if a fire occurred in the town at present, it would be impossible to extinguish it through lack of necessary appliances.

The Secretary was directed to draft and forward a resolution on the subject to the Urban Council.

A.R.P. SHELTERS. The Council also discussed the provision of Air Raid Shelters and a discussion took place on the number of cellars and other buildings, which could be considered suitable.

The Secretary was also directed to write the Urban Council in connection with this matter.

Routine matters having been dealt with, the next meeting of the Council was fixed for 9 p.m. on Wednesday next, October 2nd.

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