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Annual Report of ESB Demand for Electricity still grows

The annual report of the Electricity Supply Board for the year ended 31st March, 1958, shows that the demand for electricity is still growing, the increase over the previous year being 7.7%.

The report will be stressed, says the Board, that the average electricity remains relatively stable and in recent years has been increasing. The Board's prices, generally, are in line with the general price level in the country. The price per unit sold in 1957-58 was 12.7d.

The Board's output of electricity was 127 million units, an increase of 22.5 million units over the previous year. The output of the hydro stations was 202 million units, an increase of 10 million units over the previous year. The output of the thermal stations was 107 million units, an increase of 12.5 million units over the previous year.

The Board's expenditure on electricity was £124,000,000, an increase of £12,400,000 over the previous year. The Board's revenue was £124,000,000, an increase of £12,400,000 over the previous year.

Recent Deaths

Late Mr. Thomas Murray

Knocknacra, Cappagh. Blessed with an authoritative knowledge of the English language and the French language, Mr. Murray, who died at his residence, Knocknacra, Cappagh, recently.

An native of historic Tipperary, the deceased gentleman, who had attained a ripe old age, was born on 1st January 1870, and died on 1st July 1958, at the age of 88 years.

He was a member of the Catholic Church and a devout worshipper. He was a member of the local branch of the G. O. P. and a member of the local branch of the G. O. P. and a member of the local branch of the G. O. P.

Late Miss Mary E. Maher

Mitchel Street, Dungarvan. Miss Mary E. Maher, who died at her residence, Mitchel Street, Dungarvan, recently.

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SPECIAL WEEK-END BARGAINS

Mary Wall's

From 10.11 to 11.11

From 12.11 to 13.11

MARY WALL

10, ST. DUNGALAN

CHAIRMAN KYNE THREATENS TO RESIGN Housing 'Hoofle' Alleged

SERIOUS allegations were made at a meeting of Dungarvan Urban Council during the week-end by an applicant for a Council house, Mrs. Boyle, Barrack Street, who strongly protested against the manner in which she was treated by Council officials in being deprived of a house.

Speaking in support of Mrs. Boyle's case, the Chairman, Ald. Tom Kyne, T.D., told the meeting that if Mrs. Boyle did not get the house to which she was fully entitled, then he would resign from the Council, stating that it was his view that "a bit of a hoofle" was being worked but he would not remain on the Council "as a guarantee of honesty and fair-play."

At the outset of the meeting, the Chairman told the members that he had been approached by Mrs. Boyle with the complaint, in view of the seriousness of the allegations made by her, he had asked her to appear before the meeting to put them before the members. He had also approached the County Manager with the request to stay his decision to let the house in question at St. Monica's Terrace, Abbeyside, Mrs. Hanora Hayes, of Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan. As a matter of courtesy to the Council, the Manager had agreed to stay his decision pending the outcome of the Council's deliberations.

The Rural Electrification Scheme has progressed so rapidly that 75% has now been completed. The remaining 25% is taking the developments into sparsely populated areas. Consequently, further development without a subsidy will be almost uneconomical for the areas already complete. It is estimated that the annual loss per area will be about £10,000.

The revenue account shows a loss for the year of £23,127, which loss will continue to grow. The financial burden which has been placed on the Board by the retrospective removal of subsidies must be regarded as inequitable and strong representations have been made for some relief. In some instances, work of this nature has been rendered possible only with State aid. (Note—Since the end of the financial year it has been intimated to the Board that the subsidy will be restored in respect of areas yet to be developed.)

TOP OF THE LIST

Mrs. Boyle went on to state that she had been waiting for a house for over three years and that she had been offered a house in Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, which was a very good house, but she had been refused it because she was not a native of the town.

WHY SHOULD I HAVE TO FIGHT?

Mrs. Boyle went on to say that she could not understand why she was having such trouble in getting a house. She had been waiting for a house for over three years and that she had been offered a house in Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, which was a very good house, but she had been refused it because she was not a native of the town.

DID NOT REFUSE HOUSE

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NO POINT IN BEING A MEMBER

Chairman — As far as this Council is concerned, the members who had expressed their willingness to accept it, sometime later, however, she changed her mind and refused to take it. It was the usual procedure that those who refused to take a house offered them to go to the bottom of the priority list.

'A FACADE'

The Town Clerk then went on to name out those who had been appointed tenants in the course of which he was asked to say what became of John Kelly's (Waterford hater) application. He stated that the name was passed over because he had gone to England. A member pointed out that this should not have happened as Mr. Kelly might be there on a temporary basis only.

CHAIRMAN KYNE THREATENS TO RESIGN

Chairman — This is the kind of hoofle that I am up against. Now you can see that it is time we got out of this. I'm not going to keep up a facade of impartiality for people here.

rent collector had stated one thing and she had stated another. In fairness to him he should be asked to attend the meeting. The Chairman replied that all officials concerned in the matter were fully aware that it would be dealt with at this meeting and it they wished to clear themselves then they could have been present.

I WILL RESIGN

Mr. Lannen said the Manager should know what was happening. Chairman — He has to depend on his subordinates. I give him credit for the fact that he stayed his action until the matter is cleared up here.

THIS IS NOT JUSTICE

The Chairman agreed that the house was vacant for quite some time and he was sorry that Mrs. Boyle believed she was entitled to this house which was the first to become vacant. They all knew there was a question of a house for Mrs. Boyle.

ALL-IRISH LOAF AT THE HORSE SHOW

Only bread baked from 100 per cent Irish flour will be available at the Horse Show this year. This arrangement has been reached after negotiations between Mrs. Lawlor, of Naas, and the N.F.A. Grain Committee. The bread will be supplied by a leading Dublin bakery which has a contract with Mrs. Lawlor.

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Local Happenings

MASS ON TOUR MOUNTAIN

There was a huge crowd present at the annual Mass at Tour Mountain on Thursday, 28th ult. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Callaghan, C.C., assisted by Rev. Fr. Slattery, C.C. In the course of a short sermon, Fr. Callaghan thanked Mr. Jeremiah Fitzgerald, Main St., Dungarvan, who, he said, spared neither time nor money in making Tour Holy Well the important holy shrine it is today.

DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB (Ladies)

The competition for the Captain's (Miss R.M. Ryan) Prize had to be postponed owing to inclement weather and will now be played on Sunday 24th August, Tuesday 5th August.

ST. LAURENCE'S PARISH HALL DRAW

Winners: C7 — Mr. Thomas Kennedy, Ballinacorney; promoter, Jim Power, Ringview. Kilmotion C2 — Mr. Wm. Power, Ballinacorney; promoter, Anne Marie Morrissey, do; C2 — Mr. John B. Daly, Ballinacorney; promoter, Mrs. D. Daly, Acers, do; C1 — Mr. Thomas Curran, New Line, promoter, Miss Sheila Curran, Knock.

Wedding Bells

The wedding took place at Ballinacorney recently of Mr. Liam Murray, Ballinacorney, and Miss Eileen Condon, Cappagh, both well known personalities in West Waterford. The ceremony with Nuptial Mass and Blessing was performed by Rev. D. Murphy, C.C., Dungarvan. The best man was Mr. John Murray, brother of the groom, and the bridesmaid was Miss Maureen Buckley, cousin of the bride. The honeymoon was spent on a tour of the West of Ireland. The happy couple were the recipients of many presents of gold, silver and happiness. The reception was held at the Ocean View Hotel, Clonmel.

point a committee of three members who, with the authority of the Manager (if it is necessary) will deal with all cases of the kind which will then be reported back to the Council for consideration.

The committee will be made up of the Chairman (Ald. Tom Kyne T.D., Mr. P. Quigley and Mr. D. Moloney.

Chairman — If the Manager tells us this is none of our business which he has every right to do, I for one will resign forthwith and the other Labour member will do the same also Mr. Lee. The Urban Council will be very small then.

This brought the matter to a close.

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