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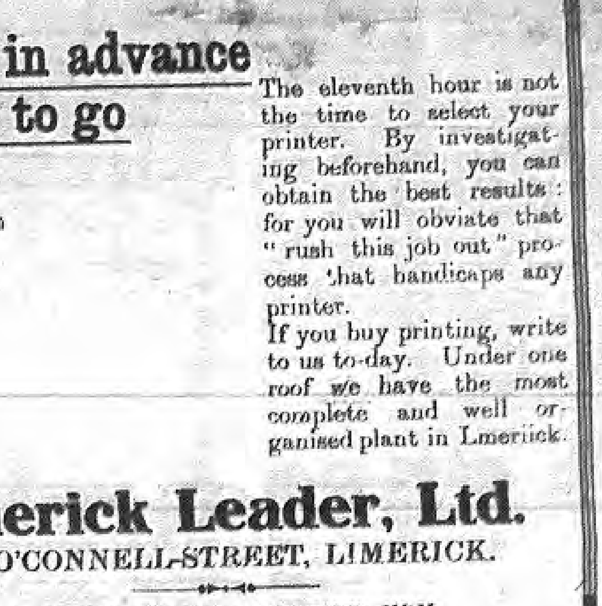

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THE members of the above Council will, on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd of AUGUST, 1916, consider proposals for executing the following Works, according to specification. Roof Repairs only to Labourers' Cottages :

8	Reens	Cornelius Bennett
9	Kilcolman	Pat Sullivan
11	Robertstown	John Walsh
12	Parkmore	Daniel Enright
14	Shronlane	John Enright
15	Killea	Edward Ahern
18	Shanid	Edward Wall
19	Monavaha	Ellen Kearns
21	Ballywilliam	James Mulcahy
22	Ballywilliam	Joseph O'Brien
24	Oldabbey	Michael Madigan
25	Mayrone	Thomas O'Connell
26	Loughill	Michael Walsh [illegible]
28	Ballyvistearocka	David Egan
29	Ballyvistearocka	Pat Sullivan
31	Killeheen	Pat O'Brien
35	Loughill	Thomas Costelloe
36	Rathkeale	James Lynch
40	Tooradeely	Daniel Kennedy
41	Tooradeely	Honora Sullivan
42	Cortreenan	James Conway
43	Ballyneale	John Walsh
44	Lisnann	Peter Daly
47	Dromana	Pat Kennedy
48	Carrigane	[illegible]
49	Ballyallinan	Denis Doherty
50	Castlematrix	Pat Quinn (Senior)
51	Mohernagh	Michael Landers
52	Gortadroma	James Bradfield
53	Knockaderry	John Cleary
54	Shanid	Pat Kennedy
55	Kilgobbin	Michael Daly
56	Killmurrin	Pat Scanlan
57	Killbradran	James Somers
58	Ballyallinan	Thomas Frawley
59	Knockbrylane	John Hinton
60	Carbeny	Cath. Enright
61	Ballynacarriga	Kate Norris
62	Ballynacarriga	Thomas Sheahan
63	Ballynacarriga	Michael M'Mahon
64	Flean	Michael Troy
65	Mohernagh	John Costelloe
66	Pallaskenry	John Hennessy
67	Kyleen	Mary Cleary

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Repairs of Askeaton Dispensary.
Cleaning Pallaskenry Sewers.

The person or persons whose proposals shall be accepted must enter into a written contract, to be prepared at his expense; and the names of the sureties should be stated in the tender. A deposit of 5s. will be required with each tender which will be returned in case of rejected tenders. No tender to be considered without a deposit. Sealed tenders, properly endorsed, will be received by me up to 12 o'clock on the above day. The lowest or any tender need not be accepted.—By order,

THOMAS O'SHAUGHNESSY.
Clerk of District Council.

RATHKEALE UNION

Wardsman Wanted.

THE Board of Guardians of the above Union will, on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd day of AUGUST, 1916, consider proposals for the office of Wardsman in the Workhouse Hospital, at a salary of [illegible] per week and rations; age from [illegible] to [illegible] years. The appointment will be made subject to the approval of the medical officer and head nurse of the Workhouse. Applications accompanied by testimonials, especially from the parish priests of the applicants, will be received by me at the Boardroom up to 12 o'clock on the above date.—By order,

THOMAS O'SHAUGHNESSY, Clerk of Union.

CROOM UNION

Coal Wanted.

THE Board of Guardians of the above Union will, at their meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of AUGUST, 1916, be prepared to receive and consider tenders for supplying the Workhouse (delivered into [illegible] the Workhouse there) with 120 Tons of Best Newport Red Ash Coal, [illegible] [illegible], as per ton. The coal to be delivered [illegible] after the declaration of the contract. Tenders, properly endorsed, containing the names of two solvent sureties willing to join the contractor in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract, to be sent through the post so as to reach not later than the morning of the 3rd August. Any tender delivered by hand will not be entertained by the Board. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—By order,

JAMES CONWAY, Clerk of Union.

CROOM RURAL DISTRICT

Notice to [illegible]

THE Croom Rural District Council will, at their meeting to be held on THURSDAY, the 3rd day of AUGUST, 1916, be prepared to receive and consider tenders from competent persons for [illegible] and fixing wall at [illegible], Ballygrennan, £ [illegible] at per foot. The [illegible] separately the rate per foot they will be prepared to [illegible] the wall for [illegible] and [illegible] and approved [illegible]. The work to be done according to specification and to the satisfaction of the Clerk of Works and District Council on or before the [illegible] October, 1916. Tenders (forms of which can be had on application), properly endorsed, and containing the names of two solvent sureties willing to join the contractor in a bond for the due fulfilment of the contract, to be sent through the post so as to reach me not later than the morning of the 3rd August. Any tender delivered by hand will not be entertained by the Council. The Council will not hold themselves responsible for any accident which may occur during the progress of the work. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.—By order,

JAMES CONWAY, Clerk of Council.

Limerick County Committee of Agriculture and Technical Instruction.

POTATO SPRAYING.

APPLICATIONS for the use of the hand spraying machines, the property of the County Limerick Committee of Agriculture and Technical Instruction, may be made to the following persons, who have undertaken the management of the sprayers:—

Very Rev Canon Casey, P.P., [illegible]
Rev P Godfrey, P.P., Cappagh
W H Gubbins, Esq., J.P., [illegible], Kilfinnane
Patrick Duggan, Esq., M.C.C., [illegible]
Thomas Hayes, Esq., [illegible]
P K Hogan, Esq., J.P., [illegible]
Edmund Mitchell, Esq., M.C.C., Lodge, Hospital
James Butler, Esq., D.C., [illegible]
Michael Condon, Esq., J.P., [illegible]
John Coleman, Esq., J.P., [illegible]
Very Rev Canon Lee, P.P., [illegible]
Rev J [illegible], P.P., [illegible]
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Patrick O'Shaughnessy, Esq., M.C.C., [illegible]
David Naughton, Esq., [illegible]
Very Rev Canon [illegible], P.P., [illegible]
Patrick [illegible], Esq., J.P., [illegible]
Rev T. Wall, C.C., [illegible]

The Committee have ordered that a charge of [illegible] per half-acre or less than a half-acre be made for the use of the spraying machines, such charge to be paid to the person in whose charge the sprayer is, before the use of the machine [illegible].

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Kilrush Rural District Council
THE members of the above Council will, at their meeting to be held on SATURDAY, 5th AUGUST, 1916, receive and consider tenders for the undermentioned works to be carried out, according to specifications which can be seen at the Council's Offices, viz:—Contract No. 1—Repairs to Dromellihy Cemetery Wall. Contract No. 2—Repairs to Kilmacduane Cemetery Wall. Tenders (envelopes duly endorsed) will be received by me up to 11 o'clock a.m. on the above date. Tender forms can be had on application to the undersigned.—By order,
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Form 10. Article 26—Notice Publishing Time and Place of Audit.
Rural District Council of Kilrush.
NOTICE is hereby given that the Audit of the Accounts of the abovenamed Council for the financial period ended 31st March, 1916, will be opened in the Boardroom of the Workhouse by W. Boughey, Esq., LL.D., F.R.C.A., Local Government Auditor, on Monday, the 31st day of July, 1916, at the hour of 11 o'clock a.m, when and where objections to any matter contained in the several accounts will be heard. The Accounts will be open during office hours to the inspection of all persons interested for seven days before the Audit. Dated this 3rd day of July, 1916. T. KELLY, Clerk of Council.

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For Particulars see posters.

E. A. NEALE, General Manager.

Dublin, July, 1916.

LIMERICK LEADER.

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 28.

The Man at the Wheel

THERE are but two known ways of winning a nation's freedom. One is by physical force and the other by the employment of the methods and weapons of constitutional agitation. If it is clearly established that the adoption of the former is not feasible it is irresistible logic that the latter should be resorted to by a people wishing to be free. The recent rebellion and the whole course of Irish history has made it painfully clear that this country cannot win her rights by armed conflict with England. That fact being admitted—and we think even the extremists themselves must admit that it is a fact—the only sane and, what is more, the only patriotic course to pursue is to fall back upon and make the best possible use of the only other weapon available. Constitutional effort has almost effected miracles in Ireland, as those who have an intimate knowledge of the struggle and the victories of the past forty years are aware, and it is amazing how, in the light of hard and obvious facts, Irishmen can be found to advocate its abandonment for revolution that can at best be futile when it is not positively disastrous to the cause and interests and hopes of the country. Recent happenings in Ireland have many lessons for Irish Nationalists, but if there is any one which they convey with greater force than another it is the lesson of the wisdom and the necessity of being thoroughly loyal to the National movement that happens to be the choice of the majority. Ireland has wisely adopted constitutionalism, which has yielded unquestionable proofs of its efficacy, and the duty of those of her sons who desire her welfare and her liberty is to close up their ranks and give earnest, sincere and practical support to the men who are the nation's choice, and who are entrusted with the arduous task of securing the greatest results from the weapon decided upon. Half-hearted or qualified or questioning approval will not do, for it requires no great insight into things to enable one to see the damage that has been done by such a sort of support in the recent past. If men believe in the constitutional movement let them do all they can, not by carping criticism that can do no good but much harm, to strengthen the hands of "the man at the wheel." Some people who agree with Mr REDMOND on broad and general lines may not see eye to eye with him on points of detail in his policy, but that constitutes no valid reason why they should not give genuine and wholehearted loyalty to his leadership. He is the chosen leader and spokesman of the constitutional endeavour, and if they are on the side of that movement they must, if they are true Irishmen, give him real and earnest support. No good soldier in warfare stops to question the capability or honesty of his officer in command when he does not clearly see the wisdom of that officer's tactics and instructions. Likewise, no genuine or reliable supporter of Ireland's constitutional effort should ease off in his support of the chosen leader simply because he may not be able to fully grasp the inner meaning of certain of his actions. Mr REDMOND is qualified by honesty, ability, proved foresight and long experience to see far ahead as well as underneath the surface and no leader has been more fully vindicated time after time by subsequent events than he has been. Therefore, it is not only wrong but presumptuous for any follower to conclude that because he does not see things as does Mr REDMOND, with his inner knowledge, trained judgment and great experience, Mr REDMOND must be wrong. Speaking at a meeting of the North Dublin Executive of the United Irish League on yesterday Mr JOHN P GAYNOR, B L, gave utterance to a truth that must be readily admitted by every level-headed and impartial observer of political events since Easter week. "Every incident in the LLOYD GEORGE proposals," he remarked, "tended with cumulative effect to vindicate the policy pursued by the Irish leaders and to emphasise the disaster that would have been inflicted on the Irish Cause had Mr REDMOND and his able and trusted colleagues been guilty of the egregious stupidity of playing the game of the LANSDOWNES, the NORFOLKS, the MIDLETONS, and all the other lifelong opponents of every concession to Nationalist feeling in Ireland." Mr REDMOND is not only a great leader, but we unhesitatingly give it as our honest conviction that he is the greatest leader Ireland ever produced. It is not yet possible to see his greatness in its full proportions but, if we may venture on a prophecy, the time will come when his name will be reverenced not only in the land he loved and served, but wherever throughout the world the Celt has found a home. Let us hope that, for the sake of our common country, all Nationalist Irishmen will now, no matter what their attitude or policy has been in the past, join hands in serving Ireland by strengthening the power, influence and position of the man at the wheel.

THEATRE ROYAL

Another big attraction has been secured for the Theatre Royal for next week, when the "Biscuits," a splendid company of seven talented artistes, will introduce their pantomime, burlesque, and original revue "crazes." On Wednesday and Friday nights there will be a change of programme, further details regarding which will be found in our advertisement columns.

THE GAIETY

Exceptionally fine pictures are being shown this week at the Gaiety. On to-night and to-morrow night, as will be seen from our advertisement columns, the programme will include an exclusive four-reel film, entitled, "The Flower of Death," three very amusing comedies, and the Gaumont Graphic, giving the world's news. On next week a very fine series of pictures will also be shown.

Aeroplane and Pigeons

An aeroplane which was flying over the Midlands of England on Wednesday encountered a flock of pigeons, in passing through which the propeller was damaged. The machine had to descend.

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FAR & NEAR

Interesting News Items

Roger Casement

A petition for the reprieve of Roger Casement, says our Kilmallock correspondent, has been forwarded from Kilmallock.

Limerick Major Wounded

Major Larry Roche, Munster Fusiliers, recently mentioned in despatches by Sir Douglas Haig "for gallant and distinguished conduct," has since been reported wounded.

Ennis War Victims

A Requiem High Mass will be celebrated at the Cathedral, Ennis, on Thursday next, 3rd August, at 10 o'clock, for the repose of the souls of all soldiers of the parish of Drumcliffe who were killed in the present war.

Big Demand

It is stated that the Dublin solicitor of the Provincial Bank has written to the Kilrush Urban Council demanding payment of a sum of £326 due to them for years. Their grievance (says the *Clare Journal*) seems to be on the ground of the Council transferring their accounts to the National Bank lately.

The Clare Railways

The traffic receipts of the West Clare Railway Co, Ltd, for the 12th week ending 21st July, 1916 (including South Clare Railway), 53 miles, were £471, which when compared with last year shows a decrease of £19. The aggregate receipts this year were £4,915, or a decrease as compared with last year of £372.

Entry to Quarries

At Tuesday's Patrickswell Petty Sessions, before Mr J E St George, R M, orders were obtained by Mr R Davison, County Surveyor, to enter the quarries of Messrs John Hourigan, Mungret, and Patrick M'Namara, Patrickswell, for county purposes. Two other applications were adjourned for two months. Mr P J O'Sullivan, County Solicitor, appeared in support of Mr Davison's application.

Clare Councillor Released

After an internment of about two months in England the release has taken place of Mr Denis Healy, Co C, Bodyke, County Clare. It will be remembered that Mr Healy was arrested by the military at Killaloe during the late rebellion, and with a number of other prisoners was conveyed to England. He arrived home on Monday, and his return has been welcomed by the inhabitants, by whom he is held in high esteem and respect. A number of other Clare prisoners were released during the past week.

Fell 150 Feet

Flight Lieutenant Harry Waters, of the Royal Flying Corps (second son of Mr George Galway Waters, managing director, Middleton Distillery), has arrived home at Middleton from England, where recently he had a miraculous escape from death. In the course of a training flight the machine in which he was travelling suddenly crashed to earth from a height of 150 feet. Lieutenant Waters sustained a fracture of the left arm and injuries to his face and mouth. He is convalescent now, and has been invalided home for a while.

A Bit Mixed Up

For threatening to assault soldiers, and for assaulting Police-sergeant Stephens in the execution of his duty, two men named Thomas Allis, Cappawhite, and Thomas Cremins, blacksmith, Golden Gardens, were fined 40s or a month's imprisonment by the Tipperary magistrates. Sergeant Stephens said that Allis was walking along the street shouting: "Up Dublin and the men that lost their lives for Ireland! To h—l with the Dublin Fusiliers, who shot the brave men. I'd beat all the soldiers in the town myself. Up John Bull, every time!"—District-Inspector Brownrigg remarked, amidst laughter, that Allis was a bit mixed up on the occasion.

THE WAR

PROGRESS OF THE STRUGGLE

LATEST NEWS

THIS DAY'S TELEGRAMS

British Artillery at Work

Paris, Friday—British artillery is hard at work bombarding German positions from Leipzig redoubt to south of Troqes Wood and west of Guillemont, where infantry is indulging in grenade fighting. The possession of Delville Wood give the offensive great advantages and will much facilitate fresh advances.

The Western Fronts

Amsterdam, Friday—A message from Sluis says the heavy roar of artillery is distinctly audible from the south-west. There is great artillery activity on the Yser front. A large quantity of machine guns passed through Brussels yesterday on their way to the front. The Germans are also moving heavy guns to various sections of their Belgian and northern France fronts.

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS

CENTENARY FETE

A WORD OF THANKS

Mrs Jack Hartigan wishes, through the columns of the LIMERICK LEADER, to return her sincere thanks to each and every individual who helped her, the President of the Café Chantant, at the recent Fete, to make her undertaking such a splendid success. To mention individuals or individual efforts would be impossible where all worked to such perfection. To the artistes, to the attendants, to each assistant, to those who helped to decorate the stage, to those who directed games in aid of the Café, both ladies and gentlemen, Mrs Hartigan returns sincerest thanks. She would like to write and thank each individual, but that is not such an easy undertaking. Each and all will please accept this note. There are just one or two items which cannot be allowed to pass without a special word. The first of these is the firm of Messrs P M'Carthy and Son, for their general kindness in charitable undertakings, and on this occasion for the loan, free of charge, of the new "Weber" piano on which the Café accompaniments were played. A special word of thanks must also be given to Miss Nora Dundon for the dancing classes sent to the Café, and to Miss Teresa Halpin for the services of her very clever young exponents of Irish dancing.

THE ATHENÆUM

A leading feature of the picture programme to be submitted to patrons of the Athenæum Hall next week will be a film entitled "Greed." This is the seventh great Trans-Atlantic Serial and is a worthy successor to the "Master Key" and the "Broken Coin." Any picture-goer looking for thrills should not fail to see this magnificent film on next Monday and Tuesday. Each episode is a complete story. Did you ever see a whole street being blown up in the middle of the day when the traffic was heaviest on it? This is one of the many magnificent scenes you can witness for yourself in "Greed." We are informed that the street mentioned above was really built and destroyed specially for this film.

Holy Ghost Fathers

New Provincial Appointed

The friends of the Holy Ghost Fathers will learn with pleasure that the Very Rev O O'Shea, LL D, C S Sp, has been appointed Provincial in Ireland, in succession to the Right Rev Dr Murphy, C S Sp, Bishop-elect of Port Louis (Mauritius), and that the very Rev M Doney, C S Sp, has been appointed President of Blackrock College, Dublin.

RELIABLE COLOURS—BLUE, BLACK AND MINSTER GREY SERGES and VICUNAS —AT O'CALLAGHAN'S.

West Limerick Echoes

Rathkeale Races

The Rathkeale races, which were to be held on the 24th August, have, it is understood, been abandoned. This announcement will be received with regret throughout West Limerick, for the Rathkeale meeting was always a very popular one.

Still Missing

Organised search parties have closely examined every district for fifteen miles around Abbeyfeale, but up to the time of writing no trace of Michael Aherne, who left his home on Monday, the 17th inst, at Moyvane, Abbeyfeale, has since been found.

For the Gaels

The semi-final for the Limerick County Championship in football will be played at Newcastle West on next Sunday week, the 6th of August. The competing teams will be Abbeyfeale and the Commercials, and the winners will meet Kilmallock on a subsequent date.

Cappa Patron

The Patron or "Pattern" of St James' Well at Cappa will be held on Sunday next, 30th inst. Mr William Hayes, the veteran Rathkeale Nationalist, who has been indefatigable in organising these festivals, will be present on the occasion, which promises to be both enjoyable and interesting.

Prosperous Society

The Rathkeale Poultry Society is not only prosperous but progressive to a degree that reflects the utmost credit on all responsible for its working. An idea of its success and usefulness can be had from the fact that for the six months ended on the 30th of last month it paid £9,000 for poultry and eggs.

Irish Ireland

The Dromcollogher Annual Aeridheacht will be held on Sunday next, 30th inst. In addition to the Irish Ireland items usual on such an occasion the programme will include the final, between Broadford and Dromcollogher, in a hurling tournament for a set of medals. The day's proceedings will begin at 2.30 p m and the Festival should attract an enormous attendance.

Successful Students

At the recent Matriculation Examination of the National University of Ireland Master J Cregan, Newcastle West, and Master P O'Connell, of the same town, were successful. The former has been attending St Munchin's College, Limerick, and the latter Mount St Alphonsus College, Limerick. Both students (as well as their parents and teachers) are to be congratulated on their success.

Glin Man Wounded

Mr Thomas Walsh, Killucalla, Glin, has been informed by the military authorities that his son Thomas, who is in the 2nd Munster Fusiliers, has been wounded in both feet, in the right arm, and in the left shoulder in a recent engagement on the Western front, and that he is now in the East Leeds war hospital, and getting on well. A brother, John Walsh, of the same battalion, has gone through the fight safely. Before enlistment he was instructor in the Loughill National Volunteer Corps.

Rathkeale Man's Death

The death of Mr Thomas Fennell, Rathkeale, who passed away some days ago, has caused deep regret not only in his native town but in all the surrounding districts. The deceased was of a kindly manner and genial disposition, and these traits and his other good qualities made him an especial favourite with all who knew him. His demise has been heard of with sorrow throughout West Limerick, where he and his brother, the late Mr Maurice Fennell, who was a well-known horse-dealer, were well known and highly respected.

Athea Coal Field

At the meeting of the County Committee on Wednesday last a letter was read from the Department stating, in reply to the request that an expert be sent down to examine the Athea coal field, that owing to pressure of other work it was not found possible so far for the Department's expert to resume his inquiries in that district. "The Committee may rest assured," added the letter, "that their request will receive attention on the first available opportunity." The reply so far as it goes is satisfactory and it is to be hoped it will be followed by prompt and useful action.

Abbeyfeale Exile Weds

John Hogan, an exile from the Abbeyfeale section of West Limerick (writes a New York correspondent), was married on Sunday, July 2nd, at the Church of St Francis Xavier, New York, on 16th-street, between 5th and 6th Avenue, to Miss Mary Rose, a native of the County Monaghan. The best man was Mr T L Harnett, a native of Cragg, Mountcollins, and the bridesmaid was Miss Katie Rose, a native of the County Monaghan. After a reception was held at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Mr and Mrs Hogan left on a honeymoon trip to Atlantic City and Niagra Falls.

Regretted Death

Sincere regret has been caused throughout West Limerick by the death of Mr Stephen Ambrose, Newcastle West, who passed away on Wednesday after a brief illness. The deceased, who belonged to a highly respected and esteemed family, was brother of Dr Robert Ambrose, M P, and was himself a deservedly popular gentleman. He carried on an extensive grocery and spirit business, and in every relation of life was thoroughly upright, honourable, and straightforward. For his widow and large family and his numerous friends the deepest sympathy is felt in their sad bereavement.

More War Victims

West Limerick soldiers have been figuring pretty prominently of late in the casualty lists. Their number has been considerably added to within the last few days. It is officially announced that the following privates in the Royal Munster Fusiliers have been killed: J Foran and J Hanley, both of Newcastle West; J Williams, Rathkeale, and W Sullivan, Ballingarry. Private J Webster, Ballingarry, and attached to the Royal Irish Regiment, has been wounded, as have also the following Munsters: Privates M Hayes, Rathkeale; M Saxton, Newcastle West; E O'Connor, Shanagolden; and Lance-Corporal P Hogan, Ballingarry.

Abbeyfeale Priest Honoured

The congregation of St Patrick's Deanery, Dallas, Texas, met recently to bid farewell to their assistant pastor, Rev Father B O'Brien, on the occasion of his transfer to the charge of the Catholics of another parish. Rev Father O'Brien, who is a son of Mr Denis H O'Brien, Purt, Abbeyfeale, County Limerick, was presented with a handsome purse as a token of esteem and gratitude from the congregation. The presentation speech was delivered by the Very Rev Dean P M Donohoe, who paid a high tribute to Father O'Brien and the work he did in Dallas. Father O'Brien responded in a speech in which he expressed his gratitude to the congregation and regret because he was leaving. Father O'Brien was ordained on 14th June, 1914, being the first priest ordained by his Grace Archbishop Harty, D D, Thurles. Father Thomas O'Brien, ordained on 11th June last at Thurles, is a brother of Father B O'Brien.

"Glenquin Castle"

One of the most elaborately and beautifully fitted up cafes in the upper section of New York is known to West Limerick exiles in that great city as Glenquin Castle. It is so designated because of the fact that its proprietor, Mr John J Hanley, is a native of Glenquin, near Newcastle West. "To the millionaires and others who reside in the locality," says a correspondent, "it is known as the Broadway Café. Outside the main entrance to this elaborate tavern are two magnificent white pillars which, when they are lighted at night by electricity, can be seen for many blocks before you reach the locality. The interior is decorated with many beautiful paintings of scenes in American and Irish places. Previous to the purchase of the place by Mr Hanley it was dull and uninviting, now it is a regular bee-hive of industry and is patronised by thousands daily, who never entered there until it was renovated and remodelled.

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CITY PETTY SESSIONS

LICENSING PROSECUTION

Objection to Magistrate Adjudicating

Interesting Case

CRUELTY TO A DONKEY

The adjudicating magistrates at the City Petty Sessions to-day were Messrs F J Kelly, R M (presiding); J H Roche, W G Peacocke, and J J Delaney.

Sergeant Conroy summoned a youth named Albert Bennett, aged 10 years, under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act. The father, Maurice Bennett, was also summoned for not exercising proper control over the boy.

The Sergeant stated that on the day in question the young defendant came out of the Park at Perry-street, and stood on the footpath with a sack of cut grass, containing seven or eight pounds of cut grass; another young fellow with a pony came up, and the defendant deliberately struck the pony under the flank with the sack; the pony got frightened and ran down as far as St Michael's Church, where it stopped owing to exhaustion; the incident might have been very serious, as a number of children in the streets were likely to be injured.

The Chairman inquired how the offence came within the Act.

Sergeant Conroy said the defendant was charged with terrifying the pony.

The mother of the child appeared, and said it would not occur again.

The father was ordered to pay 1s and costs.

Mr John O'Neill, publican, Upper William-street, was charged with a breach of the Licensing Laws on Sunday, 16th inst. Three men named Joseph Shearin, James Gorman and Richard O'Neill were charged with being unlawfully on the premises.

When the case was called, Mr Gorman objected to Mr Roche adjudicating during the hearing of the case.

Chairman—You object to Mr Roche adjudicating?

Mr Gorman—Yes, I have a strong personal objection.

Mr Roche asked on what grounds was the objection made.

Mr Gorman alleged partiality in a former case by Mr Roche.

The Chairman said that Mr Roche having heard the objection it rested with him to adjudicate or not.

Mr Roche said he would adjudicate as he really did not know what Mr Gorman was complaining of.

Evidence was then given by Constable Bergin which went to show that on Sunday, 16th inst, at about ten minutes past one he, with Constable Leech, entered the publican's yard, the door of which was open; he found the three defendants above mentioned in the yard; Gorman, when asked what he was doing there, said, "don't you see what I am doing;" Gorman was reading a paper; Joseph O'Neill said he was waiting to go for a drive with with a man to Cahernorlish and Shearin said he was there since half past twelve in the morning; the publican arrived afterwards and said the gate was always kept open. Constable Leech asked him was the yard licensed and he said that it was his business to find it out; on Sunday, 2nd April, Mr O'Neill said the yard was licensed.

Replying to Mr Ebrill, solicitor (who appeared for the publican), witness said the gate was not always open; it was shut from 3 o'clock; it was opened in the morning to let in traps; he could not exactly say how many cars were in the yard on this day; he found no signs of drink being sold; the door leading into the premises was closed; the yard was licensed as he was informed so by the Excise Authorities; the license payable was £24 [illegible] per year.

Mr Ebrill—The licence certificate shows that the licence is only £13, and it also states that it is the house that is licensed.

Mr Gorman cross-examined the witness at length, and asked if he were prejudiced against him.

Constable Bergin—No.

Did you see other people in the yard except these men? No.

Did you see three people near the horse's car? No; I disremember that.

Did you see any stables in the yard? Yes.

Whom did you find in one or in how many of them? None.

Did you search them? No.

Why didn't you search them and do your duty impartially? Did you think you had enough when you had me netted? Did you see two other men sitting alongside me? No, not as far as I remember.

Constable Leech gave corroborative evidence.

Replying to Mr Gorman, he said he didn't see anyone else in the yard except those already mentioned.

Mr Gorman—I will put you on the same category as Constable Bergin [illegible].

The publican was then called to give evidence, whereupon Mr Roche remarked: "I was not aware that Mr O'Neill was a defendant in this case. I will not take part in the case for reasons which Mr Ebrill knows. I wish to say that all my decisions are most impartial, and the charge Mr Gorman makes against me is most uncalled-for."

Mr O'Neill then gave evidence, and stated the yard was left open on Sundays for the convenience of his customers for the last 32 years, during which time he was in occupation; before he came into occupation the yard was not licensed, and he made an application to establish the licence; he was paying only £24 a year licence duty.

After some further remarks, the case was adjourned to the next Court to enable Mr Ebrill to ascertain from the Excise authorities if the yard was licensed.

A man named Timothy Hogan, charged with permitting a donkey, his property, to be worked while in an unfit state, was fined 1s and costs, at the suit of Mr [illegible], Inspector.

A number of young children named O'Neill, Vize's Field; Hayes, Watergate, and Vaughan were committed to Industrial Schools.

CLARE OUTRAGE

ASSAULT IN A CHURCH

ACCUSED BEFORE SPECIAL COURT

At a Special Court at the Constabulary Barracks, Ennis, presided over by Mr George M'Elroy, R M, a young man of the farming class named Pat Rogers, who was arrested at his house at Ballinruan in the early hours of Wednesday morning, was charged with the attempted murder of Patrick J Hegarty in Ballinruan Church under circumstances already reported.

District Inspector Townsend, Ennis, examined a young farmer named James Keehan, who gave evidence that he was at Mass on this Sunday, and was kneeling in the back end of the church, some distance from the door; just before the Elevation he heard a wild shout from just inside the door, and getting off his knees he saw Pat Hegarty walking towards the door, and saw the defendant Rogers having a hold of him, with his left hand on the back of his head, and "making drives" in at his head with the other hand; they went out of the door out of his view; there was shuffling at the time among the people inside the door; after the Mass he saw the prisoner in the chapel yard, but did not see Hegarty.

Sergeant Gunn gave evidence of the prisoner's arrest at 4.40 a.m., and he was then remanded in custody until Monday next.

NEWCASTLE WEST UNION

The Newcastle West Board of Guardians on yesterday decided to request the Local Government Board to sanction the appointment of Dr Cremin as there was no medical man in the district above military age to do his duty. At the District Council meeting a letter was read from the Local Government Board refusing to sanction the proposal to reduce the rents of cottages by 25 per cent.

A long discussion took place in connection with the erection of the proposed Carnegie Libraries for Knockaderry, Feenagh, Broadford and Athea, and it was decided to again appeal to the Carnegie Trustees for sufficient money to complete the building of the libraries.

Full report of proceedings will appear in our next issue.

HANDBALL

Interesting Match Next Sunday

O Monaghan and J Ryan will meet J Heffernan and J Dickinson in a rubber of the best 3 out of 5 games on next Sunday at 12.30 o'clock at the Ball Court (entrance by Bank Place). The match is sure to be an exciting one, and the price of admission is very low—only 3d.

SPORTING NEWS

(Special Telegrams)

WINDSOR MEETING—[illegible]

The Cottage Two Year Old Plate—[illegible] 1; The Spender, 2; [illegible], 3. Also ran—[illegible]. Betting—[illegible].

The Village Welter Handicap—Royal Bucks, 1; Melksarck, 2; South Parade, 3. Also ran—Michigan, Model, Artist, Square, Frazania, Overnight, Yard, Black Devil, Sea Voyage, Laissez, Fakir III, Blue Rock, Melton Flier, Fly Car, [illegible], Billeter, Flotation, [illegible], No Bail, Happy Days, Bank Holiday, [illegible], Ballast, [illegible], Orlada. Betting—[illegible] to 2 Melton Flier, 6 to 1 Blue Rock, 8 to 1 Michigan, 10 to 1 each Melksarck, No Bail, Royal Bucks, Overnight and Sea Voyage, 100 to 8 Fakir III, 100 to 7 Frazania, 25 to 1 others.

The Royal Borough Three Y O Handicap—[illegible], 1; Jack Annandale, 2; Clematis, 3. Also ran—[illegible], Trim, Clan Ronald, Sweet Sorrow, [illegible], Con Cregan, [illegible]. Betting—5 to 2 Jack Annandale, [illegible], 6 to 1 Con Cregan, 7 to 1 Clan Ronald, [illegible] 1 Clematis, 10 to 1 Ferox and Trim, 20 to 1 others.

The Bridge Y O Selling Plate—Queen's Lancer, 1; Morris Dancer, 2; [illegible], 3. Twenty-four ran. Betting—5 to 4 Queen's Lancer, 10 to 1 Morris Dancer, 20 to 1 Tousaints.

LIMERICK RACES

The July Plate at Greenpark on yesterday was won by Mr Walker's First of May, the Shannon Plate by Mr B O'Donnell's Brown Label, the Munster Plate by Mr Anthony's Alice Rockthorn, the Thomond Plate by Mr J O'Connor's Dunsilie, the Maiden Plate by Mr Kirwan's Carriganessy, and the Holiday Plate by Mr Bryan O'Donnell's Yoke. The attendance was on the small side, due, naturally, to the harvesting operations keeping the farming community away. Mr John Cahill, as usual, made a most reliable and courteous Secretary, while Mr J P Garrigan displayed his customary ability as Clerk of the Course and Scales.

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SUNDAY'S GAELIC GAMES

Limerick and Clare meet on Sunday next at Listowel in the final for the Munster Championship in senior football and junior hurling. At the Market's Field interesting matches are arranged to take place—Castleconnell v Cahernorlish, senior hurling; St Patrick's v Cappamore, [illegible], junior hurling; and South Liberties v [illegible], Murphy Cup football.

GREAT MUNSTER FAIR

The Great Munster Cattle and Sheep Fair was held to-day. There was about the usual supply for the season with a large attendance of buyers. [illegible] sold at £5 per cwt, and [illegible] of which there was a good supply [illegible] from £3 10s to £4 10s, [illegible]. Three year old [illegible] two year olds from £12 to £25, and yearlings from £10 to £15. Three year old [illegible] from £21 to £28; two year olds from £15 to £20, and yearlings from £10 to £15. Fat cows sold at about 90s per cwt, according to age and quality. Mr John O'Brien, Auctioneer, had a pen in [illegible] [illegible] for sale.

VOTE OF SYMPATHY

At a special meeting of the Amalgamated Society of Mill Sawyers and Wood Cutting Machinists held in the Mechanics' Institute on Wednesday evening, Mr P Downey presiding, it was proposed by Mr Michael Maher and seconded by Mr Martin Daly—"That we, the members of the above branch, tender our heartfelt sympathy to our esteemed member, Mr Thomas Hayes, on the death of his wife, and that God and His Blessed Mother may console him and his young family in their sad bereavement." The resolution was passed in silence, all the members standing.

Market Intelligence.

LIMERICK MARKETS—July 28.

BREADSTUFFS—"B" Patents, 19s 6d per sack; Bakers' Patents, 18s 6d per sack; "Whites," 18s per sack; Specials, 16s per sack; Pinse, —s per sack; Wholemeal, 15s per sack; Oatmeal, 44s 6d per sack; Oatmeal Flake, 35s 6d per cwt; Flake Bran, £11 10s per ton; W Bran, £10 10s per ton; Special Bran, £9 10s per ton; Pollard, £11 5s per ton; Sharps, ——s per ton; Indian Meal (coarse), £11 5s per ton; do (fine), £14 5s per ton; [illegible], £11 5s per ton; Barley Meal, £11 5s per ton.

HAY AND STRAW—Owing to restrictions no new hay offered for sale. Such permits may be obtained by applying to Lieutenant Hamilton, New Barracks. Old hay and straw can be sold without permits.

HAY AND STRAW—A small supply in market; good hay sold from —s 6d to 90s 0d per ton; inferior, 80s 0d to 75s 0d per ton; oaten straw, 70s to 75s per ton.

AMERICAN BACON—Short rib middles, 99s to —s per cwt; short rib backs, 93s to —s per cwt; clear backs, 98s to 90s per cwt.

THE PIG MARKET—This day's prices—Suitable pigs, 1cwt 1qr 0lb to 1cwt 3qrs 14lb, 92s per cwt; small, 1cwt 3qrs 15lb to 1cwt 3qrs 0lb, 93s per cwt; overweight, 1cwt 3qrs 1lb to 1cwt 3qrs 14lb, 91s per cwt; heavy overweights, over 1cwt 3qrs 14lb, 88s per cwt; do, over 2cwt 0qrs 14lbs, —s per cwt; Berwicks about 8st, 89 per cwt; "sixes" (bacon pigs), under 10 stone, 89s per cwt.

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KILMALLOCK SHOW

AMUSEMENT TAX

INTERESTING DISCUSSION AT MEETING OF COMMITTEE

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

At the meeting of the Committee of Management, at which Mr J E Costello presided, the Secretary (Mr Harris) read letters on the subject of the amusement tax. That from the Secretary of the Munster Agricultural Society stated they could not get exemption from it. Mr Harris said he had been at the Cork and Midleton Shows, and had to pay the tax.

Chairman—How much was it?

Mr Harris—2d in the shilling.

Chairman—I suppose there is no way out of it?

Mr J W A Harris said the object of their Show was to give instruction.

Mr T Clarson—You might as well say we are amused saving hay.

Mr Harris—And I am sure you are.

Mr Clarson—With this fine weather (laughter).

Chairman—How is it that Mallow did not have to pay it?

Mr M J Gleeson said they probably would have to do so.

Mr M J Hurley said he would like to know the law on the matter. He understood that it was not intended that the tax would apply to Shows such as theirs, and that it was not payable on anything provided for partly educational or partly scientific purposes.

Mr J Doherty, T.C.—And we are engaged in developing the resources of the country.

Mr Harris said they might ask Sir Gilbert Greenall if there was a tax at the Royal Show.

The Secretary said Sir Gilbert and others went as a deputation to the authorities and were awaiting a reply.

Mr J A Riordan conveyed that in his opinion dancing, jumping and driving competitions came under the head of amusements.

Mr Hurley said those were only a few classes out of a total of 100 or 170, and surely such a small minority could not bring the others under the head of amusements.

Mr Harris said Shows were held for the purpose of bringing out what was best in the country. Whether jumping and driving could be called amusement was a debateable question.

Mr Doherty said it was straining a point very far to say that because of a dancing class the Show was for amusement.

Mr Hurley said the Society was not started for amusement or profit but to encourage, foster and promote agricultural and other industries. When the question of the tax was before Parliament it was stated that Agricultural Shows would be exempt from it. They would also remember that in the beginning of the year the necessity for increased tillage was impressed on the people by Government Departments and others, and now when they had produced crops that possessed such merit as to entitle them to prizes at an Agricultural Show, was it to be expected that for exhibiting them an amusement tax would be imposed and that those who desired to see their good qualities would also have to pay. It was hard to believe that such a result could have been contemplated.

It was decided to communicate with Sir Gilbert Greenall as to the reply to the interview.

In the House of Commons yesterday the Vote of Credit for £450,000,000 was agreed to, as were several other Supply Votes, and the Consolidated Fund Bill was read a first time.

UNRULY SCENES AT GAELIC GAMES

Sunday's Happenings in Limerick

Another Appeal to the County Board

TO THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK LEADER.

SIR—In the last issue of your paper I observed a letter signed "A Limerick Gael" dealing with the disgraceful conduct which took place at the Markets Field on Sunday last in the hurling match Claughaun v Young Irelands. The writer therein makes an appeal to the members of the Limerick County Board to do their duty, meaning thereby, I presume, to mete out the necessary punishment which the serious offences committed deserve. The idea is, indeed, a most practical one, and will, if carried out, be the most fitting means of putting an end to regrettable scenes at hurling contests, which, unfortunately, spectators are accustomed to witnessing frequently for some time past. Players should be made realize that their unseemly conduct cannot be allowed to go on with impunity, and that they are not to be permitted to lower the honour of the game, and bring it into disrepute by their outbursts of ill-feeling and bad temper. However, I fear your correspondent has appealed to deaf ears. The County Board—whether it is through fear or through disinterestedness in the promotion of the games—will not, I am afraid, take any measures to improve matters or sufficiently punish players who commit themselves in a most outlandish fashion. Past experience has shown that when flagrant breaches have taken place, when the players were reported the County Board, to a large extent, condoned the rough and unruly play by letting off the offenders. In fact there are some members who actually make little of the offences and are quite prepared to pardon the guilty players no matter how serious their conduct might be. When we have the governing body taking such a course it is only natural to expect that the players will get it into their heads that no matter what they do they can get off free. I am afraid that there is not a sufficiency of grit and determination in the County Board, and I can assure you that I am not alone in that opinion. Unless something is readily done to improve matters there is a certainty that Gaeldom in Limerick City and County will soon become a complete dead letter. Matters will soon reach a climax. No decent teams will compete when they are assured that they are engaging in games where they are not sure of their lives and limbs. I am not yet, however, devoid of hope, and I earnestly join with your correspondent in making a final appeal to the County Board to at once stamp out any recurrence of these scenes. If they make a genuine attempt they can rely on the support of the overwhelming majority of the Gaels, and instead of militating against them, their action will tend to vastly improve the status and spread of our national pastimes which at the present moment are badly in need of an impetus. Yours truly,

A WELL WISHER.

PURE INDIGO OLD DYE SUITINGS AND SERGES, COLOUR GUARANTEED, AT O'CALLAGHAN'S.

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Children's Eucharist

NEXT SUNDAY'S COMMUNION

FOR PEACE AMONGST THE NATIONS

Powerful Sermon by Rev. Dr. Murphy, O. S. A.

In the Augustinian Church on Sunday evening Rev Dr Murphy, O S A, delivered an eloquent address on "The Children's Eucharist." He took for his text the words :—

"Assemble the ancients, gather together the little ones and them that suck at the breasts."—Joel, cap ii, v 16.

He said :—Horrified, agitated, at the vision of punishment incurred by the wickedness of the Jewish nation, the prophet betought him of the child-folk amongst the people as likely supplicants on behalf of the community. Their native helplessness, their guileless hearts, their simple prayers and blameless worship would stay the purpose of revenge and stir the God of Mercy to compassionate the multitude, which embraced so many and such loveable adherents of the Kingdom of Grace. Of them it is written that the righteous and innocent have clung to me, and again—"Out of the mouth of infants and of sucklings thou hast perfected praise."

In this world the chastisements which the Lord visits upon His people have a twofold object—retributive and corrective. The Justice of God will manifest itself in taking toll of evil deeds by turning the creature-powers of the whole universe to the infliction of pain and displeasure on such as have by their abuse of those things upset the order of Divine Government, transferring their allegiance from the Creator to the creature. The re-establishment of balance is not necessarily completed during the term of mortal existence. Much may remain (so far as individual liability is concerned) to receive compensation in the life beyond. But so long as one is still treading the pathway of probation, and every now and then deviates from the true course, wilfully careless of the rule of road, and headstrong in pursuit of forbidden quests and vain allurements, the scourge of God follows on, not only to recover the balance of Divine Justice, but to bring back the truant from the byeways of unrighteousness, and to set him once more with his face to the goal. In other words, the punishments sent by God in this world, whether on communities or on individuals, are of their nature both

atoning and remedial.

The sharpness of reproof is sometimes so mordant and drawn out that human weakness can bear no more, and nothing stands between it and utter deletion except the hidden mercy of the God against whose claim of vengeance it cannot protest nor interpose. Then, indeed, it will seem as if the Lord had found no token of amendment, and that the virtue of correction had succumbed to the deserts of reprobation. The old Testament is full of instances. It is on such occasion that the prophet Joel makes appeal for the hostage of innocency being placed before the anger of God. He tells us that "the day of the Lord is great and very terrible, and who can stand it?" But he adds: "Rend your hearts and turn to the Lord your God, and who knoweth but He will return and forgive and leave a blessing behind Him." "Call a solemn assembly, sanctify the Church. *Gather together the little ones and them that suck at the breasts.*" Truly there must be virtue in the lisping prayer and winsome service of little children. At the present moment and for well nigh two years the hand of the Lord has lain heavily on the peoples of Europe, and as the days are mounting up the pressure is increased, evils are multiplied, bitterness becomes more intense and the population of Europe is being

ruthlessly extinguished

through a mania of suicide both from within and from without, unheard of and unsuspected in the ages that have gone by. At the voice of the Vicar of Christ and in union with His known purpose we have all of us, priests and people, sent up unceasing prayer to the Most High, that the Lord of Hosts might sheathe the sword of battle and turn to peace and amity the nations now estranged from one another. But yet, to use the plaint of the Hebrews, "The Lord heareth not." He hath despised us. He hath hidden His countenance and stopped up His ears lest He might behold our miseries and be turned away from the purpose of His judgment. We have earnestly prayed for the peace of Jerusalem, and instead of a cessation of hostilities we are left in the throes of war with the piled up horror of another winter campaign before us. Perhaps the adults of this generation are more deeply involved in the moral debasement and religious indifference which evoked this display of divine wrath than is generally imagined. Perhaps we do not realise each one of us, grown-ups, how much we may have in the past contributed to the sum of wickedness and how much we in our daily lives do still continue to minister to that pestiferous accumulation. I think it is scarcely open to question that we are, all of us, in some degree or other badly tainted with the taboo vices that, for short, are known as the "isms." Militarism, Materialism, may be described as constituting and characterising the spirit of Godlessness that is rampant everywhere and in every walk of life bids for and receives the worship or adulation of worldly-minded Christians. Even Paganism has contrasted from the corruptions of Christianity a more detestable irreligiousness than what has come to itself. We are wanting in that simplicity of heart, in that humility, that unworldliness, that innocency, and faith and trust and loving preparedness which might well weigh with a Truth and Justice-loving God, and disarm His

righteous indignation

against a sinful people. We have all of us something or other (perhaps we are actually committed to the policy) bowed down before the idol of this world. We need purification But while duly intent on fitting ourselves individually and collectively for the work of atoning service, we must not fail to seize the opportunity now offered us by a glad response to the invitation of Our Holy Father the Pope, and prepare our little children to assemble on next Sunday in their Father's House and, by their solemn participation in the Eucharistic Banquet, plead with innocency and trust and love, the significance, the importation and the power of the Bread of Life—The Sacrament of Unity.

Children have their faults, their waywardness, their proclivities, their sins. But theirs is not the crowning, menacing, usurping vice of worldliness. No one is absolutely pure of any taint, not even (as we read) the newly-born infant. But God can make them wholly pure through the infusion of His grace. As regards the little children baptised, and still sucklings, their parents can for them make a Spiritual Communion. Those others who are already declared capable of apprehending the presence of Our Lord in the Holy Eucharist should be admonished to fit themselves by a good confession in order as far as possible to ensure their worthy and efficacious participation in the Table of God. It should also be impressed upon these little ones that the solemn act in which they are to engage is by Christ's own Vicar directed to a specific object—

the peace of the nations,

and so theirs will be primarily a peace offering. Who knoweth if God will not grant to the child-like confidence of that assemblage, what is denied to the accumulated wisdom of all the politicians of the world—the olive branch of peace. There is much to encourage that hope. Our Divine Lord has sufficiently indicated how the virtue of childhood is estimated in Heavenly circles, and what store He sets on the pleading of a child. "Unless you become as little children you shall not enter into the Kingdom of Heaven." Whosoever, therefore, shall humble himself as this little child, he is the greater in the Kingdom of Heaven. And he that shall receive one such little child in My name, receiveth Me." Now, a simple argument will bring this discourse to a finish. Christ deems republics His own nearest identification with the innocency of childhood. To receive a little child in His name is to receive Himself. We, i e, the entire Church of God (for the Pope stands for the Church Universal), ask Our Lord to receive Himself in His own designated representatives—the little children, and indeed gathered together around His own table in the House of their God, and on behalf of the people of God, that from this Feast of Bethlehem the unifying power of the Bread of Life and the wholesome Wine of His Precious Blood might be glorified in the cessation of fratricidal war and the renewal of Christian friendship.

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RATHKEALE TOWN TENANTS

LOCAL RENT DISPUTE

Matter Again Under Consideration

At a meeting of the Rathkeale Branch of the Town Tenants' League Mr J Cohoon, T C, presided, and the other members present were—Messrs Tim O'Donnell, M O'Halloran, Wm Sheahan, T C; P Butler, G Kirby, M Madigan, T C; P Costelloe, J Ryan, T Costelloe, D C, T C; D Hickey, T Fennell, J Neville (jun), W Hayes, J Sheahan, Wm Ward, T C; M Hennessy, and G Scully, hon sec.

The case of Mr John J O'Donnell, grocer, and Mrs Woulfe & Co, re the rent of his house situated in Main-street, was again under consideration.

The following resolution, on the proposition of Mr Tim O'Donnell, was unanimously adopted—"That we, the members of the Rathkeale Town Tenants' Association, view with surprise that Mrs Woulfe & Co did not answer our summons to attend the meeting, and we come to the conclusion that by their absence they have ignored our call. That we now further pledge our whole-hearted support to Mr J J O'Donnell in the harsh treatment meted out to him by his fellow-townsman and neighbour, and that we call on all the town tenants of Ireland to assist us in this just cause, and that our secretary send a copy of this resolution with the full facts of the case to the secretary of the City of Limerick Branch of the Town Tenants' Association, and also to the Press."—G SCULLY, Hon Sec.

NATIONAL TEACHERS

Monthly Salaries Question

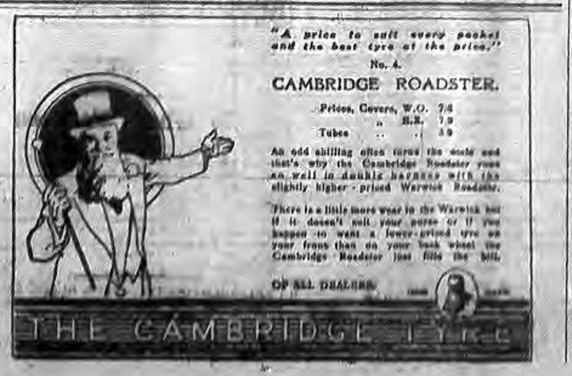
Decision of the Treasury

As the result of the various recent interviews which members of the Teachers' Executive have had with the Home Secretary and the Parliamentary leaders of both political Parties the long-standing question of the payment of Irish teachers monthly is at last to be settled on fairly satisfactory lines. The gap of two months' salary is to be bridged over by a supplementary estimate of £200,000 this year, and one of a similar sum next year, when the payment of the ordinary salaries monthly will be completed. The Irish Government, represented by the Home Secretary, will, hope that the scheme be brought into force with the least possible delay, and that the Commissioners of National Education will be requested to make, as soon as possible, the necessary administrative changes, so that there is every reason to expect, according to the Parliamentary leaders, that the new system of payment should begin not later than October next. The deputationists—Messrs Ramsay (President), Mansfield (Past President), and M'Gill (Assistant Representative)—have had during the past fortnight a busy and an anxious time. There is ample compensation in the cheering message they bring home to their fellow-teachers in Ireland. Through Mr Thomas O'Donnell, M P, they have just received the following letter, embodying the Treasury decision :—

"Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, S W.
26th July, 1916.

"DEAR O'DONNELL—I hardly think it will be necessary for me to receive a deputation from the Irish teachers. Mr Samuel has been good enough to send me a copy of the report of his recent interview with them, and I have also had an opportunity of discussing the matter with him. I recognise the force of the arguments in favour of the adoption of such a system providing for the monthly payment of the teachers' salaries at present paid quarterly, and the Treasury will be prepared, if the Irish Government so request, to ask Parliament to provide by supplementary estimate next February such a sum as will allow one monthly payment to be made during the course of the present financial year, and to provide in the next year's estimates for the completion of the change. I regret that it is impracticable to make the change at once. This would, however, involve a supplementary estimate of at least £180,000 during the current financial year, and I do not think it would be possible at a time when all civil expenditure is being strictly limited to ask Parliament to vote so large a sum for this purpose. Moreover, it is essential that the Commissioners of National Education should have sufficient time to make the necessary administrative arrangements.—Yours sincerely,

R M'KENNA."



Funeral of the Late Mrs Meany

The funeral of the late Mrs Meany, Doonass, took place on Sunday last from the Parish Church, Clonlara, to Rochestown Cemetery, where the remains were interred. The cortege which followed the remains to their last resting place was of exceedingly large proportions, and bore ample testimony to the popularity of the members of her highly-respected family, for whom very much sympathy is felt in their sad bereavement. The Clergy present were—Very Rev Canon Fennessy, P P; Rev Father Kennedy P P; Rev Father M'Inerney, P P; Rev Father Crowe, C C; Rev Father Creed, C C; Rev Father Neylan, C C; Rev Father Smith, C C.

The chief mourners included :—Messrs Laurence Meany, D C (son), Edward Meany and John Meany (brothers-in-law), John Meany and P Meany (nephews), Laurence Meany, Edward Meany (Banogue), P Nash, L Ryan, P Coleman, etc (cousins). Amongst the general public were :—Dr M S M'Grath, J Keane, C C; Geo Frost, C C; R Frost, B C, P L G; P Lane, D C; J Madden, D C; A Stritch, D C; P Mulqueen, D C; Ed O'Dwyer, D C; P Stritch, J P; J O'Connell, D C; T Hartigan, J M'Cormack, D Donovan, B Sheahan, J P, C C; E J O'Riordan, T W S; J Sheahan, T Sheahan, W O'Connell, M Donnellan; Backfield; T O'Grady, M O'Grady, D C; M M'Grath, J Duggan, Wm Smith, —Browne, R Holmes, D Mulcahy, M Bartley, J Leydon, J M'Inerney, J Dalton, P O'Farrell, J Kirby, C Ryan, M Lane, J Ryan, T Ryan, J Keane, J O'Connell, J F Halvey, J Murnane, M Murnane, P O'Grady, J Noonan, J Anglim, —Heffernan, J Mulready, J Kennedy and P Kennedy (Ladden), M M'Knight, P M'Mahon, etc, etc.

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FAIRY LAWN FETE

Results of Draws

IN CONNECTION WITH STALLS

The two draws in the Minerals and Ices Stall at the Fairy Lawn Fete (Presidents, Mrs Duffey and the Misses Doyle), were won as follows :—A safety razor, presented by Mr Duffey, Cecil-street, was won by W J Sullivan, 14, Sexton-street. Ticket No 292, sold by Miss Josie Humphreys, and a handsome Morocco set of gloves and handkerchief cases, presented by Miss Doyle, were won by Mr Edgens O'Callaghan, 1, Bellevue Terrace, S C R. Ticket No 275, sold by N Humphreys.

The following prize drawings have already been declared in connection with the Smokers' Delight Stall (Presidents, Mrs M F Riordan and Mrs P M'Bride) :—£1 note, presented by Mrs M'Carthy, Ballinacourra, won by Miss Byrnes, 2, Castle street. Ticket No 215. A white satin cushion was won by Miss Florence Comerton, Verona Villas. Ticket No 5, and a box of 50 J S Murias cigars, presented by Mrs Whelan, Davis street, was won by Mr Jack Clifford, 2, Crescent Villas. Ticket No 56.

The result of some of the prize drawings arranged in connection with the Gerald Griffin Bookstall (Presidents, Mrs A J O'Leary, Mrs T Crowe, and Miss B Quilligan), are as follows :—A Bissell's standard carpet sweeper, presented by Messrs F Spaight and Sons, Ltd, won by Mr John Kelly, Patrick-street. A fruit cake, presented by the Imperial Bakery, Sarsfield-street, was won by Captain O'Brien, 5, Rosbrien Villas. A pair of ornamental vases, presented by Messrs Goodall and Co, Ltd, were won by Mr J Kirby, 20, O'Connell-street, and a part breakfast and tea set, presented by Mrs Byrne, Sarsfield street, was won by Master Jack Cooke, Athlunkard-street.

A £1 note for 2d? The winners of the two prize drawings in connection with the Picture Gallery at the above fete have just been declared. The £1 note, presented by Miss Hartigan, George Hotel, has been drawn by Ticket No. 33, Mr M Coughlan, 29, John-street, and D'Alton's History of Ireland (in six volumes), presented by a Past Pupil, has been drawn by Ticket No. 148, Miss Fitzgibbon, 34, Catherine-street. How unexpected luck of this kind oftimes is is revealed by the fact that the first ticket has been put aside with other papers as not of much importance, and took some few minutes to find, and in the second case, the ticket had been thrown away with some others yesterday, but was happily unearthed from the dust bin, and in a soiled condition, of more value eventually than the purchaser dared to bestow upon it. The Presidents of the Picture or "Art" Gallery were Mrs J Gould, Mr Alph O'Connor, and the Misses Hartney. The Catalogue of the "Art" Gallery has been reprinted at the request of several patrons, and will shortly be had at the Central Offices, 68, O'Connell-street, for 1d each. As several also seem to have missed securing a copy of the official programme at the Fete, as a souvenir thereof, containing particulars of the various stalls and side-shows, a number are still to be had for twopence each. There is still a drawing for another set of volumes of D'Alton's History of Ireland, in connection with the palmistry and fortune-telling, the result of which is not yet declared. Some of the principal drawings are still open, and will be drawn later.

CLARE PUBLICAN FINED

FOR BREACH OF LICENSING LAWS

At the Kilrush Petty Sessions, before Mr P B Brady, R M (in the chair), and Mr P M Hassett, a licensed publican named Simon Culligan was prosecuted for a breach of the Licensing Act on Sunday, 25th June.

Sergeant Boyle stated that on the day in question there was a football match in Kilrush; when he entered the premises he found among a number of persons who were there three persons who were not bona-fide travellers.

Mr Hassett—They must have come in by the back.

Chairman—He is responsible at any rate.

Mr Blackall, C P S, said the last conviction was within five years. It was four years ago.

Defendant was fined 20s and costs.

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Death of Mrs. T. Murphy

Very sincere regret is felt by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances at the death of Mrs Theresa Murphy, wife of Mr John Murphy, a respected member of the Guild of Tailors, and Vice-President of the Mechanics' Institute, which sad event took place on Friday, 21st inst, to the great grief of her husband and relatives, by whom she was deservedly held in affectionate regard. Many expressions of sympathy have been received by Mr Murphy in his hour of trial. The funeral on Sunday last to Mount St Lawrence Cemetery was very largely attended by the Tailors' Society and other members of the Mechanics' Institute, as well as other friends of the family. The chief mourners were—Mr John Murphy (husband) Messrs Michael Murphy, Patrick Murphy, and Thomas Murphy (brothers-in-law), Michael and Frank Murphy (nephews).

BOUND TO THE PEACE

For Threatening and Abusive Language

CASE AT ENNIS PETTY SESSIONS

At the Ennis Petty Sessions, the only magistrate on the Bench being Mr G M Elroy, R M, Mrs Anne Murphy, of Corkally-lane, had a summons against Thomas Tierney for having used towards her threatening and abusive language. Defendant did not appear.

Complainant gave evidence that on the previous Saturday evening she was invited by another woman to have a drink; she was refusing to go go into a publichouse as she did not take drink——

Chairman—You are a peculiar woman, then.

Witness—I did not take a drink for the last 25 or 26 years.

Chairman—You will have to get a medal for that.

Witness said she went in and availing of the invitation she took a bottle of lemon soda; the defendant, who was in the same publichouse, asked could he get in with her company.

Chairman—Was he a young man? He did not appear to be.

Chairman—Did you know him?

Witness replied she did not, but her husband, whom she told about what occurred, told her he soldiered with Tierney in the Clare Militia about 25 or 26 years ago; the woman witness was with told Tierney they did not want his company, and told him they wanted to have their own drink; defendant then commenced to shove about them, and when he turned his attention to witness she also rejected his company, and he called her an old cow, at the same time he kissed his fists; she then got excited and did not understand the rest of his language.

The Chairman—Did he look to be drunk? I would not say he was drunk.

The Chairman—Why didn't you hit him? If I hit him I might injure a lot of people who were in the shop.

The Chairman inquired where the defendant lived, and Mr B O Cunningham told his worship that Tierney lived with his niece on the Clare Road.

The Chairman—Is that the man they call "captain" to?

C B O Cunningham—He is captain by courtesy, I understand.

The Chairman—Wasn't he in the marines?

C B O Cunningham—He was in the army. He retired with the rank of adjutant, and his pension was 15s a month. He has left the town and has gone to Limerick.

Head Constable Hourihan informed his worship the defendant did not get on very well in Limerick either. He did not hear anything about his conduct in the town.

The Chairman—Did you hear anything about this?

Head Constable Hourihan replied they did not hear anything about that incident, but Tierney's company did not appear to be the best. He had not come under their notice only on one occasion when he was about getting married.

The Chairman—I suppose this is one of the military virtues—to take a little refreshment.

John O'Loughlin, Turnpike, gave evidence corroborating complainant's story, stating that on the occasion he was in the publichouse with complainant and another woman from Milltown by whom he and Mrs Murphy were invited to a drink.

The Chairman—You would not go into a publichouse without an invitation? Not these, sir. It was a small bottle of porter.

The Chairman—I thought you had the pledge? Not at present; I don't indulge very much—only just an odd drink.

Witness said the defendant was in the publichouse. He laid his hands on Mrs Murphy, who objected to his doing this, telling him she was a married woman, and that he should be ashamed of himself for his conduct.

The Chairman—Had that a religious effect upon you? It had not.

The Chairman—He must be a bad character? He is not the best of men to tell you the truth, sir.

The Chairman said that Tierney would hardly come back to the town again. He would be bound to the peace in his own recognisance of £5 to keep the peace and be of good behaviour for 12 twelve months, or in default to go to prison for one month.

EAST LIMERICK FARMER

SENT TO PRISON

For Failing to Stamp Insurance Cards

Mr John A Smyth, Rathaney, Hospital, Knocklong, who was fined on three counts at Hospital Petty Sessions on April 13th last, at the prosecution of the Insurance Commissioners, for failing to stamp cards in respect of his employés, was arrested on Monday last and conveyed to Limerick Jail.

Mr Smyth, who is a very popular man in the locality, is a large farmer, and his absence from home at the present time, considering that the harvesting operations are in full swing, will be somewhat inconvenient, but it is only right and proper to state that several willing hands throughout the district have offered their services to save his crops.

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