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Last year, you probably found it to your advantage to use its columns for your advertisement. If you did not, may we suggest that you should. If you did, you are bound to do so again this year. This Christmas number will be published 10 days before Xmas, giving every one an opportunity of DECIDING BEFORE HAND WHERE THEY WILL SHOP FOR CHRISTMAS.

May I ask you to send on your order early, or if you do not know our charges to tell us the space you require, and ask for a quotation.

Yours truly,  
THE MANAGER.

P.S.—Particulars of the literary features etc., will be found in an advertisement in each issue of the Chronicle till December 14th, on which day (Saturday), please note we shall publish our Christmas number.

### DEATH OF MR. JOHN H. WELDON, J.P.

We regret to record the rather unexpected death of Mr. John H. Weldon, J.P., Ashill Towers, Kilmallock, which occurred on Saturday last. It would appear that he was having a Turkish bath for about an hour and a half, during which he conversed with an attendant, who gave him water to drink, and otherwise supplied his wants. The attendant left the apartment on an errand, and on his return Mr. Weldon presented the appearance of being asleep. Failing to arouse him, he called the other servants, who found their master in an unconscious state, and immediately took him out of the bath and put him to bed. Messengers were then despatched for medical aid, and Dr. P. J. McNamara, J.P., was soon in attendance, but, despite his efforts, the patient died in the course of two hours, without having regained consciousness.

Mr. Weldon, who had attained the ripe age of 84 years, was in the enjoyment of apparently good health up to the last. He was an extensive farmer and landowner, an old member of the County Grand Jury, and a magistrate for the county, in which positions he discharged his duties ably and conscientiously. He was respected and esteemed by all classes in the community.

### PROPERTY SALE TO-DAY

Messrs. Ebrill Bros., auctioneers, held their periodical sale of property at their Salesrooms, 60 George street, to-day. There was a large attendance of property owners and capitalists, and good competition for the various lots on sale.

- Lot I. comprised four houses in the Windmill, yielding a nett rental of £19 12s. per annum. Sold to Mr. Manning at ..... £90
- Lot II.—Four houses in Windmill street, yielding a nett rental of £2 18s. Sold to Mr. Manning at ..... £100
- Lot III.—Four houses in Windmill street, yielding a nett rental of of £25 4s. Sold to Mr Manning at ..... £150
- Lot IV.—Two houses in Windmill street, yielding a nett rental of £39 16s..... £205

life. Recently he was informed by a firm of English solicitors that he was heir to an estate and money valued at 50,000 dollars. He decided to end his exile, and return home and seek out his old love, who, it is stated, is now dying of consumption in a charity hospital abroad, and see what his newly acquired wealth would do to soothe her declining years.

### FOOTBALL UNDER DIFFICULTIES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

On Sunday at the Sports Grounds, Kilmrush, one of the most extraordinary, if not exciting football encounters, took place between teams representing Kilmrush and Ennis in a final for the Co. Cup. For eight continuous hours rain fell, and as a result the arena was fully waterlogged, and while the match took place rain came down pouring. Sawdust had to be procured to enable the players to have some footing near the posts. The teams were good ones probably the best in the Banner County, but a poor crowd witnessed the match. Kilmrush had the best of it throughout. When the match stopped the score stood—Kilmrush 1 goal 3 points; Ennis 1 goal 1 point.

### OBITUARY.

#### Mr. Edward O'Kelly.

On Saturday last, at the early age of 23 years, the deeply lamented death of Mr. Edward O'Kelly occurred at the residence of his mother, Kilmallock, Ballingarry. By his winning and upright disposition he made a wide circle of friends, and his death is largely and sincerely lamented. The remains were interred yesterday at Ballinakill churchyard, amid striking evidences of popular regret.

#### Mrs. Mary O'Leary.

We regret to announce the death of Mrs. Mary O'Leary, an old and respected resident of Glin, the sad event taking place yesterday morning. The late Mrs. O'Leary had been principal teacher of the Glin Girls' National School for many years, and retired on a pension, the highest obtainable, her class being first of first. Her entire family of four daughters and one son have at the same time been principal teachers in the service of the Irish Education Board.

#### Mr Joseph Houlihan

His many friends will learn with regret of the death of Mr. Joseph Houlihan, which sad event took place at his residence, Athlonsard Street on Saturday evening. Deceased, who enjoyed robust health, contracted a chill some two weeks ago, but no serious consequence was anticipated. Towards the end of the week however he sank rapidly, and the end came wholly unexpectedly. Much sympathy is felt with his widow and family in their bereavement. The funeral, which took place on Monday was very largely attended.

### THE PERIL OF "KINDNESS,"

A widow of Hanover Square, London, named Mrs. Gladys Hussey, has been fined £10 for giving a servant a character which falsely stated that she had been in her employment, where she had never employed her.

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