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The Trade Guardians have entered their protest against the Budget proposals.

The Michael town traders, in view of the Budget proposals, have formed an association for protection purposes.

Captain M. G. Poole, Royal Engineer, from Limerick, will be posted to Dublin on the 1st September, for the Postal Telegraphs.

The Sixteenth Annual Irish Trades Union Congress will be held at the Athenaeum, Limerick, on Whit-Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

Mr. Michael Quinn, D.C., Reask Pallasreean, has been appointed to the Commission of the Peace for County Limerick. He was sworn in before Mr. H. Turner, R.M., Tipperary.

Only two Irish special reserve units will assemble this month for the annual training—the 1st R.F.A. at Glenbaig, and the Wicklow R.F.A. at Dundalk, on the 26th inst.

Sir Shirley Murray, who fills the responsible position of Medical Officer of Health for the City of London, was admitted on Thursday a Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons.

The action in which the Hon. Alexis Roche sues Sir Timothy O'Brien, Bart., for damages for slander alleged to have been uttered in the hunting field, has been set down for trial before a Co. Dublin Special Jury, on June 2nd.

On the occasion of his retirement from the agency of the Bank of Ireland at Banagher, Mr. T. W. Goodwin was presented by his friends with a handsome carved silver tray, silver coffee kettle, and other gifts as a mark of their esteem.

The members of the Irish Butter Trade Association, at a meeting in Cork, re-elected the following officers:—President Mr. E. J. Hickie, Cork; vice-president, Mr. W. L. Stokes, High Sheriff, Limerick City; hon. secretary and treasurer, Mr. Charles Daly, Cork.

Mr. W. P. Curran, sub-manager of the Munster and Leitrim Bank, Macroom, has been appointed Manager at Newmarket, County Cork. Mr. Curran served as accountant at the Buttevant, Rathkeale, Naas, Skibbereen, and Sandon branches.

The annual exhibition under the auspices of the Cork County Industrial Association was opened on Thursday by Lord Bandon, in the Cork Assembly Rooms. The exhibits all round were of a very high standard, but in numbers there was a noticeable decrease.

By direction of Coroner Burke, County Roscommon, the police had a grave opened, and the body exhumed of an infant male child, buried privately at Oguill graveyard. The child's mother, a respectable farmer's daughter, has been arrested and remanded.

Col. Macartney-Filgate will deliver a lecture on Sir John Moore in connection with the effort to erect a permanent memorial to the distinguished soldier at Sandgate. The lecture will be given at the Royal United Service Institute on Thursday next.

The following are staying at the Shannon Hotel, Castleconnell—Mrs. Ingham, the Misses J. B. and G. Whealey, Mr. J. Wheatley, Mr. G. O. Williams, Mr. Claud Williams, Mr. A. Creswick, Mr. B. Bacon. The departures include Mr. C. Galway Foley, O.L.

Twenty farmers prosecuted at Miltownmalbay Petty Sessions by Sergeant Moloney and Acting Sergeant Farrell, for obstruction by exposing cattle on the streets previous to the fair day proper, were each fined 7s 6d, and it was intimated by the Bench that in any future cases severer penalties would be imposed.

The Most Rev. Dr. O'Dwyer returned to Limerick this morning from Rome, where he had been sojourning for the past month. His lordship, who was accompanied on his visit by the Rev. Andrew Murphy, Adm., St. John's, arrived by the 9.55 mail from Dublin, and was met by several of the clergy.

Constable Cleary, William street Barracks, died at Farrington's Hospital to-day of pneumonia. Deceased was a native of Nenagh, and was very popular amongst his colleagues, who deeply regret his premature demise. He was some three years stationed in the city, and proved himself a very efficient and courteous officer.

The announcement is made in the "Dublin Gazette" that the Estates Commissioners are about to acquire compulsorily, under the Evicted Tenants Act, part of Bellaghaglash, Inchiquin, Co. Clare, the property of Mr. Hyacinth D'Arcy and part of Ballinadrum, Forth Co. Carlow, the property of Mr. John E. F. Leary, Bullykeely House, Ballon.

THE CHURCH.

St. John's Church.

THE LATE MISS HICKSON.

The Funeral.

The funeral of the late Miss Olga Vera Hickson took place for St. Mary's Cathedral yesterday morning, and was private, at the request of the family. The chief mourners were Mr. F. Hickson, R.M., father, and Mr. Bertie Hickson, brother of the deceased young lady, and a few intimate friends. The choir of St. Mary's sang in the Cathedral the 90th Psalm and the hymn "For ever with the Lord," and at the conclusion of the service at the graveside "Safe in the arms of Jesus" was sung. As the remains were being conveyed from the church to their last resting place the "Dead March in Saul" was played on the organ by Mr. F. Muspratt. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Proctor Addeley, M.A.

The following were the wreaths:—"To our loving gentle, darling daughter, Olga, from her broken-hearted bereft parents"; "With deepest sympathy from grandfather, and all at Pembroke House, Dublin"; "With deep sympathy from her loving godmother, Mrs. James William Copeland, 20 Earlsfort Terrace, Dublin"; "With deepest sympathy from Proctor and Mrs. Addeley"; "In loving memory of dear little Olga, from Mrs. and Miss Ethelwynne Palmer"; "In loving remembrance, and with much sorrow, from Mrs. Sandes"; "With love, Mrs. T. F. Abbott"; "Jesus called a little child unto Him, Mrs. Hewson"; "In loving memory and deepest regret and sympathy from all at Barrow House"; "In affectionate remembrance from the officers and lads of the Church Lads' Brigade"; "In loving memory from E. mine, Geoffrey, and Jacqueline Garrington"; "With deepest sympathy from Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Phelps"; "Loving memories, sweet thoughts from her little friend Theodore Luther"; "In loving remembrance from Florrie Walcott"; "Deepest sympathy from Mr. Alfred E. Fluery, Glenwood, Kilmworth"; "From her loving little friends Maurice and May."

City Magistrates' Sympathy.

At the City Petty Sessions yesterday a resolution of sympathy was tendered to Mr. E. F. Hickson, Mrs. Hickson and family on the death of their daughter, Miss Olga Vera Hickson.

The Mayor, with whom was associated on the Bench, Messrs. J. Kerr and J. H. Roche, said:—Since the last court day I regret to have to state that death has overtaken the family of our respected resident magistrate, Mr. Hickson. The magistrates here as well as the general public of the city of Limerick, will tender to him and his family in their bereavement their sympathies. During my connection with this court and coming into contact with Mr. Hickson I must give merit where merit is due. I must say that he is one of those gentlemen who in the capacity of magistrate has always acted with unbiassed feelings and the same attribute has characterised his action in every other respect. I must give him credit for his gentlemanly qualities, and on this occasion when death has visited his household we all regret that it should fall to our lot to offer him our condolences. I now beg to propose:—"Resolved—That we the magistrates presiding at the Petty Sessions Court hereby tender to our esteemed colleague Mr. E. F. Hickson, R.M. the expression of our sincere regret at the death of his daughter, and that our Clerk convey a copy of this resolution to Mr. Hickson and family."

Mr. Roche seconded the resolution, and said that everyone had learned with sincere regret the bereavement that had fallen to Mr. Hickson and his family.

Mr. Kerr said it was with the greatest regret that he rose to associate himself with the vote of condolence. As the Mayor and Mr. Roche had stated, everyone in the city had expressed sorrow at little Miss Hickson's demise, and tendered their sympathies to her distinguished father, who for a number of years presided over that Court.

Mr. B. Barrington, solicitor, on behalf of the legal profession, joined in the expression of condolence, and desired to offer Mr. Hickson the sympathy of his colleagues and himself in his bereavement.

Mr. B. Nash, solicitor, desired to be associated with the vote of sympathy which, he said, was a most becoming expression of the magistrates' sorrow. It would be a source of solace to Mr. Hickson to know that in the hour of his affliction his family and himself had the sympathy of the citizens.

Mr. T. H. Enright, solicitor, and Mr. P. J. O'Sullivan, solicitor, wished to be identified with the resolution, and on behalf of the Constabulary District Inspector White said it was unnecessary for him to say that they all sympathised with Mr. Hickson in his sorrow.

The resolution was passed, and the Court shortly afterwards adjourned as a mark of respect to Mr. Hickson.

STOP PRESS NEWS

SERIOUS CITY ACCIDENT.

This afternoon John McNamara was discharging the duties of watchman at the sewerage works in the South Circular-road, and it is stated that while walking along the side of the excavation, which is about twenty feet, he stumbled and fell in. He received two nasty scalp wounds and a serious injury to the spinal column. He was removed to Brington's Hospital in the Corporation ambulance.

SPORTING.

Catwick Races.

LEONARD'S SELLING PLATE.

Is) Hampton filly	...	1
Amadeus	...	2
Ste Lucie II	...	3

Also ran—Water Wagtail, Nautch Girl, Fair Belle, Bountiful, Cute, Faultless, McCorbella.
Betting—5 to 2 Ste Lucie, 10 to 1 Amadeus and Iso Hampton.

ROOK PLATE.

Hampton Agnes	...	1
Miche	...	2
Bobsleigh	...	3

Also ran—Amphotic, Riparian, St George's Lass, Accuracy, Count Mac, Dorinda, Plume.
Betting—100 to 30 agst Miche, 7 to 2 Bobsleigh, 4 to 1 Hampton Agnes.

PRINCE'S HANDICAP.

Dorona	...	1
Dibs	...	2
Laveuse	...	3

Also ran—Heath Lad, Bouncing Bes, Dawney, Datch.
Betting—3 to 1 agst Laveuse, 100 to 30 Dibs, 7 to 1 Dorona.

MARLBOROUGH STAKES.

Thaddeus	...	1
Sixty	...	2
Lawn Sand	...	3

7 ran.
Betting—5 to 4 Thaddeus and Sixty II., 25 to 1 Lawn Sand.

REIGATE HANDICAP.

Waveham	...	1
Muffa Boy	...	2
Peter Parley	...	3

15 ran.
Betting—5 to 1 agst winner.

MAIDEN PLATE.

Lord Hastings	...	1
Macaron	...	2
Damp Ardour	...	3

8 ran.
Betting—3 to 1 agst winner.

Haydock Races.

GRAND STAND PLATE.

Billy the Verger	...	1
American Boy	...	2
Diamond Wedding	...	3

Also ran—Woodhall.
Betting—3 to 1 American Boy, 4 to 1 Diamond Wedding, 5 to 1 Billy the Verger.

JUVENILE PLATE.

The Colago	...	1
Jersey Lilly	...	2
Beotie filly	...	3

Also ran—Sir Samuel, Maud Earl, Aquavit.
Betting—5 to 4 The Colago, 4 to 1 Jersey Lilly, 10 to 1 Beotie filly.

SCURRY PLATE.

Wild Goose	...	1
Thirty Three	...	2
Little Hat	...	3

Betting—13 to 8 on Wild Goose, 13 to 8 agst Little Hat, 100 to 8 Thirty Three.

HAYDOCK HANDICAP.

Velvet	...	1
Rockbourne	...	2
Rhinefield	...	3

Also ran—Faithful Don, Eaton Lad, Marathon II, Montygle.
Betting—7 to 2 agst Rockbourne, 5 to 1 Velvet 8 to 1 Rhinefield.

EARLSTOWN HANDICAP.

Volumnia	...	1
Gaelic Cross	...	2
Will Eisey	...	3

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JAPANESE

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BIG RIS

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PIT

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CHARGE A

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