

## Kilmallock Labourers' Scheme

### Held up for Want of Money

ATTITUDE OF L. G. BOARD

COUNTY COURT JUDGE CRITICISED

INTERESTING PROCEEDINGS

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

At Friday's meeting of the Kilmallock District Council, Mr. W. Moloney, and subsequently Mr. D. Moloney, presiding, on consideration of the proposal to fix the rent of the additional allotments,

Mr. Bennett said it was only a matter of form, as in arranging the scheme the labourers were present and it was agreed that the rent be 15s a plot. They made that honourable agreement with the labourers and the labourers did likewise with them.

Mr. O'Sullivan—That is so.

Mr. Bennett—In connection with that Mr. John Osborne wishes to say something.

Mr. Osborne, on behalf of the labourers, thanked the Council for having gone to the open market for the money to provide the labourers with the additional allotments. He called attention to the fact that there was a scheme of cottages and allotments for 240 applicants adopted by the Council and in the hands of the Local Government Board whose action in regard thereto he criticised and said it would soon be a thing of the past.

Chairman—It is about time.

Mr. Osborne said they would have their own representatives in their native Parliament in Dublin. He could see that the L. G. Board were part and parcel of the Ascendancy class in Ireland, detrimental to the Council and the enemies of the working man, but all their powers would come to nought in the near future. When the trumpet sounded for action the Council and their cottiers would march in the ranks of the Irish Volunteers headed by the men who truly represented them. The Council went before the County Court Judge to get cottages for the labourers, but the County Court Judge was no friend of the working man or the farmers. "Any man," continued Mr. Osborne, "who wears a wig in Ireland at present is detrimental to the welfare of the farmer and an enemy of the working man." (Laughter.)

Mr. Bennett (jocosely)—Down with the wigs (more laughter).

Mr. Barry suggested, and the chairman agreed, that they ought pass a resolution with reference to the scheme for 240 cottages. That was all they could do at present.

Mr. Osborne said there were 800 cottages built by the Council, and the Chief Secretary had said they had built a lot of cottages, but that was the grandest character that could be given to any body of men. The Chief Secretary should remember that there were 230,000 more labourers wanting cottages in Ireland, and before he ever came into office the Kilmallock Council had built 800 cottages without his aid or assistance. All they required was the money, and when the million was forthcoming he hoped the Chief Secretary would not ignore the Kilmallock Council, who were willing to build houses for the homeless. He suggested a resolution be adopted asking Mr. Redmond, M.P., and Mr. London, M.P., to see why the Local Government Board ignored a resolution sent them last while the labourers were living in wretched hovels and the Council were anxious to alleviate their wants. The Council would do in the future as in the past when they would have their own Parliament in Dublin, re-echoing the words of Grattan—"Ireland a Nation" (cheers).

The Chairman thought it would be well to look for their portion of the forthcoming million. The fact of their having built so many cottages made them all the more entitled to it.

Mr. Kearney—What state is that scheme in?

The Clerk (Mr. Coll) said the representations had been forwarded to the Local Government Board more than two years ago and the Council asked for the Local Inquiry but the answer was that 800 cottages had been built in the Kilmallock Union and they thought it quite enough.

Mr. Clery—We have not quite enough at all.

Mr. Bennett—Mr. Osborne has said that

## Local Athletes at Nenagh

Limerick and Clare athletes were well in front at the Nenagh Institute Sports, which were brought off at the North Tipperary cultural Show Grounds on Sunday last. They gave a splendid account of themselves in all of the most important events, as will be seen from the following details:—

100 Yards Open—M J Mulqueen, 1st; Magill, 2nd.

One Mile Bicycle Race Handicap O Davis, Limerick, 2nd.

220 Yards Handicap Open—E M'Carthy, C G Magill, Limerick, 2nd.

Two Mile Bicycle Race Handicap O Davis, Limerick, 1st.

440 Yards Handicap Open—T Bourke, Limerick, 1st.

Three Mile Bicycle Race Handicap O Davis, Limerick, 1st.

Long Jump Handicap Open—J E. Limerick, 2nd (2ft 6in handicap), 23ft.

Five Mile Bicycle Race Handicap O Davis, Limerick, 2nd.

## Death of Mr M O'Regan, M.P.

Widespread and sincere regret has been expressed in the counties of Limerick and Clare at the death of Mr. Michael O'Regan, M.P., which event took place at his residence, Newcastle West, on Monday, 22nd inst., at an early age of 38 years. Deceased had been suffering from failing health for some months, and the best medical services had been rendered to him, but still the grim hand of Death came to rest upon him. He was a quiet and unassuming disposition, but was extremely popular amongst all who came in contact with him. He was a devoted and good husband, and his demise at an early age is universally deplored. He had the pleasure of knowing his father, Fathers Irwin and Rice were in attendance during his illness, and his wishes and wants of deceased were assiduously attended to by them. He was District Secretary of the Newcastle West Union for many years, and his opinions on matters connected therewith were much respected. His father, Mr. Simon O'Regan, Poor Law Guardian of Newcastle West, for a goodly number of years, a brother Patrick, now deceased, and children, and also to his father-in-law, we extend our sincere sympathy for the loss they have sustained. On the 23rd inst. his remains were taken to their last resting place for interment at Churchtown, Newcastle West. His funeral bore ample evidence of his popularity, being one of the largest ever seen in Newcastle West for a man of his age. The Rev. Fathers Irwin, R.C., officiated at the grave. Arrangements were made by Mrs. O'Regan (mother-in-law), Mrs. P. She Dooley, Mrs. J. Vaughan, Mrs. D. J. Vaughan (sisters-in-law), Mr. W. Vaughan, E. I. Vaughan (brothers-in-law), Mr. Michael O'Connor, Stephen C. Murphy, John O'Geary, John Irwin (cousins).

## Pigs and Fi

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