

Mr O'Malley, engineer, said that the sum mentioned as expenditure included £4,200 annual payment of principal and interest.

A letter was read from Mr Daniel McMahon resigning his office of guardian for the Castleconnell electoral division.

The resignation was accepted with regret, Mr P J McGrath handing in notice of motion to propose Mr McMahon's son, Mr John McMahon, for co-optation at the next meeting.

On the motion of Mr O'Halloran, seconded by Mr O'Neill, it was unanimously decided to ask the Local Government Board to sanction the appointment of a clerk to the Council at a salary of £120 per annum, and £18 18s as executive sanitary officer, the officer appointed to devote his whole time to the duties, and no assistant to be retained. The other business was routine.

P Y M A LITERARY CLASS.

Mr J G Boyd, B.A., gave a most interesting and instructive lecture on "Coal" at last night's meeting of the P Y M A Literary Class. The audience was greatly interested in the practical demonstrations which he made to illustrate some of his remarks, such as producing an aniline dye; how the by-products of coal are saved; explaining the mechanism of a miner's lamp, etc. etc. A discussion followed, in which Mr S Millar, B.A., W M Sewell, J E Galbraith, A B Hamilton, and J Halpin took part. Rev H E Spelman, President, conveyed the thanks of the Class to Mr Boyd for his lecture, and the latter suitably responded.

Next Friday Mr Sewell will give a lecture on "The Pyramids of Egypt."

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

Mrs Cleeve, Fern Bank, begs to acknowledge with many thanks contributions in money for her Badminton Tournament on Saturday, 23rd February, from the following—Mrs Morley, Lady Cleeve, Mr and Mrs Aylmer Cleeve, Mr W M Beauchamp, Mr H B Alton, Mrs McDonnell, Mr Harnett, Mrs Jennings, Mr F J Cleeve, Mr F C Cleeve, Mrs Boyd, Mrs Wm Croker, Mrs Wedon, Mrs D'Alton, Mrs Tidmarsh, Mr R Gelston, Mr Malcolm Shaw. Also the following ladies who kindly contributed cakes, etc, for the tea—Mrs Brien (South Hill), Mrs Malcolm Shaw, Mrs Leahy, Mrs Conyers, Mrs Travers, Mrs F J Cleeve, Mrs Furnell. Mrs Cleeve begs to say that the entertainment realised £16 15s.

Mrs Furnell wishes to thank Mrs F C Cleeve, Fern Bank, for cheque received £16 15s, proceeds of Badminton tournament, which Mrs Cleeve is kindly given to the Roxborough U. A. L. Prisoners of War Fund.

at Corbally. These 33½ acres, with the land voluntarily given by Mr S. Tubridy, by Mrs M'Namara at Corbally, by Lord Lansdowne and by Mrs Bailly, will provide allotments for between 600 and 650 additional applicants. Last year there were from 200 to 250 plottolders in Limerick and the number this season, as will be seen, will be between 800 and 900, a very gratifying increase, which is bound to have a most important effect on the food supply of the city later on. The lands will, it is understood, be made available without delay.

ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY.

The death occurred yesterday in Barrington's Hospital of Sergeant James Falls, Royal Irish Constabulary, after a comparatively brief illness. The deceased was a very conscientious, upright, public officer, and there is much sympathy with the relatives of the deceased in the loss they have sustained. The funeral leaves the hospital tomorrow at 2.30 p.m. for St Munchin's Cemetery.

WM B FITT'S GRAZING LETTINGS.

On to-day, at the Salerooms, 46, O'Connell Street, Limerick, Mr Wm B Fitt, Auctioneer, held his weekly sale in connection with land, three lots being on offer for grazing. Lot 1, part of the lands of Newtown, Caherconlish, for Mr John Kelly, 30 acres, made £10 1s 0d. Lot 2, Landscape, Clonlara, for Mr J C, Molony, 21 acres, let at £8 1s 0d, and part of the lands of Kilrush, North Circular Road, for Capt. Sir P. Kearney, about 12 Statue acres, realised a bulk rent of £118.

CO. LIMERICK FATALITY.

Robert Gorman, aged 20, of Lisard, Galbally, was in Mitchelstown on Thursday, and left there in the evening to cycle home. He did not reach home, however, and yesterday his dead body was found on the road at Ballyfustin, with his bicycle beside him. There is no suspicion of foul play.

DISPERSAL SALE OF DAIRY COWS AT CREAN LODGE.

On Tuesday Mr Wm B Fitt, auctioneer, conducted a sale for Mrs Hartigan, owing to the discontinuance of dairying, of her herd of dairy cows. They were a useful lot and attracted a good attendance of best buyers, with the result that the prices obtained were highly satisfactory and the sale was most successful. The young cows ranged from £35 to £41; useful cows, but showing a bit of age, £27 to £33 10s.

of £3,500 for damage done by the acres of pasture land near Doo in. compensation now amount to £15.

CO SLIGO.

Priest's Land R

Intense indignation has been ar by Sinn Feiners on the farm. Very Rev Canon Mulligan's Par Curry, Co Sligo.

THE PADDOCKS, LIM

Weekly Cattle and Shee

Wednesday, February 27th—N in the store stock section; inclina on part of buyers put business on f some previous markets; current heifers in active request, all lots three-year-old heifers, £17 10s; year-old bullocks, £15 to £18; heif bullock calves, £12 2s 6d, £11 11s 11s; heifers, £11 10s and £8 18s. department the usual weekly con forward. Early entries were a bit so that prices were "in and out"; lots were reached operations assu larly lively and active character plain that buyers meant business—reached the higher level; full values a quick exchange. The upward rates of last two markets was ac prices must be quoted as indicatin vance on best rates, so that value siderably in vendors' favour. Th for which there were a good man sharp competition. Mr Norris Rue another record for one of his heifers. Some of his other prices were £44 10s and £40. Tops from £40 to heifers, £35 to £40; useful media £41 10s; second-class, £25 to £30; £8 6s to £6 16s. Buys present in trade ruled active and firm through

VALUE OF LAND NEAR NI

Messrs Maurice Curtin and Son sold at the Courtyard Arms Hotel for the Representative Body of t Ireland, the Glebe house and land. The land contains 21a 0r 23p, sta. There was keen bidding between Mr Scaulan, and Mr Magner, the declared purchaser for £1,650 and fees.