

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS

In consequence of the earlier departure of the evening train from Limerick, and the curtailment of the hour for posting to the General Post Office, it has been found necessary to issue the editions of the Chronicle at an earlier hour than hitherto.

THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE

ESTABLISHED 1766 TUESDAY 11 TO SATURDAY JULY 22, 1922.

RAILWAYS AND AGRICULTURE.

The importance of transit as a factor in our agricultural and industrial development is a matter that comes home to all sections of the business community, and as has often been said, cheaper railway rates in this country would undoubtedly tend to stimulate trade and commerce.

THE CHURCH.

Sunday Services. St. Mary's Cathedral - 6th Sunday after Trinity - Holy Communion, 8 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion, 11 o'clock.

THE LIMERICK SIEGE.

Bullet-Swept Streets.

Heavy Casualty List.

Retreat of Irregulars.

STRAND BARRACK SHELLED.

Surrender of Garrison.

THREE MILITARY BARRACKS BURNED.

The siege of Limerick ended on Thursday night when the Irregulars evacuated their principal strongholds, the military barracks, after completely destroying three by fire. On Thursday morning the Free State troops trained a heavy gun on the Strand Barracks, the greater portion of the front of which was blown in by shell fire.

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but not seriously. At various places commandeered by both forces there are strong indications of the intensity of the fighting. Bullet marks are visible all over the front of some of the houses, while the roofs are strewn with broken glass and debris, such as mortar and broken bricks.

THE CASUALTY LIST.

- BARRINGTON'S HOSPITAL. F.S.-Wm O'Keefe, Claremorris, Co. Mayo, punctured wound left side. F.S.-John Maher, 8 Clare street, punctured wound left hand.

CO. INFIRMARY.

- Diad.-Patrick H. Neely. Wounded.-William Moore, John Doyle, Martin Ryan, Timothy O'Donnell, Eugene Cronin, Richard O'Neill, Thomas O'Brien, John Hogan, Patrick O'Sullivan, William Ryan, Francis Burns, William Walsh, Thomas Ryan.

ST JOHN'S HOSPITAL.

- Pte Thos O'Brien, Upper William-street (F.S.), g.w. in heart (dead). Patrick O'Sullivan, 7 Patrick-street, g.w. thigh. Patrick Hayes, 7 Garryowen, g.w. head.

THE POST OFFICE.

There is naturally a big accumulation of mails in the Post Office after an interval of ten or eleven days, during which there was no delivery. This morning a special staff was brought on, and a delivery of letters and papers was made.

GENERAL MESSAGE

To the Troops in Limerick City

The following has been issued:- YALLOW SOLIDERS. Three weeks ago a section of your countrymen took forcible possession of Limerick City. Those men had no authority from the people or the Government of the Irish people.

THE SLIGO COURTHOUSE

Official Report.

The National Army officials in Sligo have issued the following official report of the activities in the town on Friday week. At 6 p.m. the following communication was received from Commandant Seamus Devine, Executive forces, addressed from Headquarters 1st Brigade, 3rd Western Division, and dated 4th July.

DEATH OF MR M. W. GAVIN.

We record with very sincere regret the death of Mr M. W. Gavin, which took place on Friday evening, owing to complications arising from a couple of weeks' illness.

YACHTING FATALITY IN COBH HARBOUR.

A sad fatality occurred in Cobh Harbour on Saturday evening, when a yacht got into difficulties owing to rough weather conditions, and one of the crew, George Davis, aged 24 years, lost his life.

COMPULSORY EDUCATION.

At the half-yearly meeting of the Clare County Council, Commandant-General M. Brennan, Chairman, presiding.

THE CITY TO-DAY.

Beyond grocery and provision establishments, etc. there were comparatively few houses open in the city to-day. Quite a listless air seemed to pervade everything.

TRAIN SERVICE.

The train service to and from Limerick is still suspended.

LIMERICK MAN SHOT DEAD NEAR BRUFF.

While driving in the direction of Bruff with two friends during the week William Danworth, a

RAILWAYS & AGRICULTURE.

Important Evidence by Mr T. P. Gill and Mr Campbell.

Lord Justice O'Connor presided at the sitting of the Irish Railway Commission at Limerick House, Kildare-street, Dublin, on the 6th inst. Mr T. P. Gill, Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction, in his evidence, gave a general view of the Department's powers in relation to transit, its methods of exercising them, and the bearings of that experience on the general problem which the Commission was considering.

AGRICULTURAL INTERESTS.

It was their duty to endeavor to secure that produce was prepared and presented in the market in the best way. For that reason it would be always desirable, whether the railways were managed by the State or not, for an Agricultural Department to have power for watching the interests of agricultural produce, as they were affected by the conditions of transport.

A CHECK ON RATES.

He mentioned the case of the G.S. and W. Railway after their amalgamation with the Waterford, Limerick, and Western Railway when they proposed an increase of rates, which was fought out, and said the moral effect of that action was great.

EXPORT OF EGGS.

Dealing with the export of eggs, Mr Gill suggested a better type of packing case, such as was seen at the exhibits at Ballsbridge Show.

PROGRESSIVE FARMING.

Increased production could only be attained by improved methods of farming, more attention to output of production, and a more general application of science to the industry as a whole.

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LIMERICK MARKETS.

BUTTER-1s 6d to 1s 10d per lb. WOOL-As small supply; 7d per lb. EGGS-1s 6d to 1s 10d per dozen a duck egg, 1s 6d to 1s 10d.

PIGE.

Available Pige (1 0 to 1 7) - 12s 6d Stout (1 3 to 1 3 1/2) - 13s 0d Overtweight (1 3 to 1 3 1/2) - 13s 0d Heavy ditto (over 1 3 1/2) - 11s 6d Ditto (over 1 3 0) - 10s 6d Ditto (over 2 1 0) Special price

AN AUTUMN SESSION

For Irish Business.

Mr Chamberlain on Thursday last held the House of Commons that there must be an autumn session for Irish business. He imagined that the House would like to rise early. On Tuesday he proposed to make a statement about business.

THE HAGUE CONFERENCE.

A final and formal sitting of The Hague Conference was held on Thursday, July 20, to receive the reports of the sub-commissions which have dealt with Russia's debts, the confiscated private properties of foreigners, and what credits, if any, can be given to the Soviet Government to reconstruct the trade and finance of the country.

WATERFORD ENTERED.

Irregulars Retreating Southwards.

The following official bulletin was issued by G.H.Q., Irish Army, at 1.30 a.m., says the "Irish Times" of yesterday:- "The National troops are now in Waterford City, and have already taken 500 prisoners."

Headache, Wind, and Palpitation.

Pale with Anemia, Wasted and Weak. Sound Health Restored by Dr. Cassell's Tablets.

It was following an attack of pleurisy that I began to feel pain and stiffness in the back; I didn't strength to do anything, and I lost two stone in weight altogether. The pain was always at my chest and between my shoulders. My heart would palpitate violently at times, and I was troubled with headache, and I never had a proper night's rest.

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