

star of hope for all subject peoples."

CITY TECHNICAL COMMITTEE CLERKSHIP.

At a meeting of the City Technical Committee, Alderman Casey presiding, Mr Patrick Standon, Nicholas street, was elected clerk, out of five candidates. He received 12 votes, as against 10 for a lady candidate.

Thirty-three applications have been received for the position of Principal, and it was decided to refer them to a special committee, who will select suitable names to be placed before the General Committee at their next meeting.

RELEASED FROM THE CURRAGH.

Some ten Limerick prisoners have been released from the Curragh, where they had been interned for a considerable time past. They returned home on Saturday night, and, it is stated, their release was unconditional.

BRITISH OVERSEAS AIR SERVICES.

The British Government is said to be in favour of airship services to Egypt, India and Australia. Mr Baldwin is expected to make a statement on the subject this week.

WATERFORD FARM STRIKE.

It is stated that a farmer has been held up by three armed men, while driving home in a trap, which was set on fire. It is also reported that several meadows have been spiked, and there has been a renewal of hay burning.

BATHING FATALITY.

A youth named Edward Lawless has been drowned near Clonakilty. Several attempts made to save him proved futile.

FISHING AT KILLALOE.

Salmon fishing at Killaloe is fairly good at present and a number of fine fish, some of them weighing as high as 30lbs, have been landed by fishermen during the past week. Peal fishing is not so good.

OUT AND ABOUT.

Four head of cattle were stolen off the lands of Mr McCutcheon, Kilmore, outside Nenagh.

Farmers in the Newtown, Cappawhite, County Tipperary, district, have signed over their sporting rights to Cappawhite Coursing Club for the year, 1923.

Mr J B O'Hara, Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd, Hospital, has been transferred on promotion to the Head Office, Cork. He will be succeeded by Mr B Flynn.

The death has taken place at Clonmel of James O'Brien, formerly a sergeant in the Royal Irish Constabulary, and once the champion weight-lifter in the world. He was 6 feet 6 inches in height.

Ballyrobe Council took no action on the Vonghal resolution calling for a change in the official holidays, several members remarking there were bigger questions agitating the State at present.

At the recent Olympic Games in Cyprus, the polo event was a 14-miles' race, and the first at the post was a rider on an all-steel Raleigh, the machine which is as popular in Cyprus as at

operation, something like two millions of money had been lodged.

The Government had decided that for the present they would not resort to the premium bond system of raising a loan. The 15s 6d Certificates, which would be worth £1 in five years, afforded the small investors an excellent means of saving. They would receive 5½ per cent, free of tax, on the money, and anyone who wanted his money back at any time, would receive it without delay.

The Government required money to make good the damage that had been done to the railways, house property, etc, during the last twelve months. It was roughly estimated that £20,000,000 over current revenue would be required this year. He believed that there were about twenty times as much floating capital in Ireland as the Free State Government would need for the next few years.

While that amount of money was available at home it would be suicidal to place a loan in either Great Britain or America, because these people in foreign countries were mere speculators and exploiters, who would desire the benefits which the Irish people could secure for themselves if they were wise.

Sir Thomas Robinson, in proposing a vote of thanks to the Postmaster-General, said that the business community would do all in their power to promote the object which the Government had in view, and they would encourage the wage-earners to participate in this splendid scheme.

Mr J C M Eason, in seconding, said that the possession of Savings Certificates would have a very steady influence upon the whole community, whether from a political or economic point of view.

DEATH OF MR M. J. O'REGAN.

We regret to record the death, which occurred to-day at his residence, Cathedral-place, Limerick, of Mr Michael J. O'Regan, auctioneer, late of Duckstown, Rathkeale. The deceased, who had reached an advanced age, belonged to a family connected with Rathkeale district for generations, and was highly respected and esteemed. The remains will be conveyed to St John's Cathedral at 9 o'clock this evening. Funeral on Thursday at 11 a.m. for Rathkeale Old Cemetery.

TIPPERARY TOWN CLERK RESIGNS.

The members of Tipperary Urban Council have received a circular from Mr Thomas Dawson announcing his resignation owing to permanent bodily infirmity, the result of a recent surgical operation. A special meeting of the Council has been summoned to consider the matter.

The announcement will be received with keen regret, not alone in Tipperary, but throughout Ireland, where the name of Mr Dawson as a pioneer in urban housing reform was a household word. The Dawson family have been connected with the public life of Tipperary for half a century.

BORN AT SEA.

Why Polish Baby Was Not Allowed Into America.

New York, Saturday.
Ellis Island officials are holding another British subject because the British quota is exhausted. It is the week-old infant of Polish parents. The baby was born on the Lapland, and, as the steamer flies the British flag, the Immigration officials assert the baby is British.

The mother, with the baby and two other children, will wait at Ellis Island to see whether some special dispensation for the infant's entry cannot be arranged so that she can join her husband in Pennsylvania.

The signature of the Peace will take place to-day at I. Satisfaction is expressed in news that the Russian Government at the eleventh hour consented to the convention concluded by the. The action of the Russian Government signally to indicate the policy of Garzon at the opening of the. The Poland-Turkish negotiations yesterday in the formal signing drawingroom of the Lausanne treaty of amity, a commercial establishment convention.

PEDESTRIANS

Severe Earthquake California

The severest earthquake felt at 11.27 last night at Los Angeles was a double shock, lasting six seconds. Many people in the cinema fled from their houses, and were thrown from their feet.

The fire department reports deep rumbling. It is believed that the earthquake was done, except to plaster walls.

At San Bernardino, however, records was badly damaged. The roof of another building fell.

One person was injured and fell in and windows were broken. Estimated at 6,000 dollars. Lasted for twenty seconds.

HURLIN

On Sunday, at the Market contest between Ballysillon and Young Ireland, Ballysillon won by 5 goals 3 points to 1 goal.



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