

House, Killybegs, has Honor awarded £50 for the purchase of building materials on the 18th July, 1923.

Mr. L. O'Leary, Ballynolan, claimed in respect of the burning of a hay barn and hay which it contained and a backcart, on the 3rd October.

H. H. O'Connell awarded £762 10s.

Mr. A. Bland Smyth, solicitor, appeared for the applicant, and Mr. J. J. Power, State Solicitor, for the State.

## THE BISHOP OF KILLALOE.

The Archbishop has fixed Friday, April 4th, as the day for the meeting of the Synod for the election of a Bishop of Killaloe, caused by the resignation of Right Rev. Dr. Stelling Barry. The meeting will be held in Limerick.

## PRUDENTIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

This great corporation is over three-quarters of a century in existence, having been established in 1843. All through this long period of time its career has been one of steadily increasing prosperity in its various branches, evincing the undoubted public confidence and support that it enjoys. This is abundantly evident from a summary of leading figures of the company's business, which we publish this evening. The total income in 1873 was £477,355. This advanced to the immense total of £31,699,266 in 1923, while the total assets were £5,536 and £11,450,229 respectively. The premium incomes in the Ordinary Branch, the Industrial Branch, and the General Branch in each case very substantially increased in 1923 compared with the previous year, all showing record results, on which this widely known and very popular institution is to be heartily congratulated. It has district offices in the Irish cities. Mr. F. M. Murray is the courteous and energetic Superintendent in Limerick, and intending policyholders will obtain all further information from him.

## L. P. Y. M. A. LITERARY CLASS.

On Friday evening next the annual reading of essays for D. F. Guity's Prize will take place. It is expected that this competition will be very keen, as so far a large number of entries have been received. This will be the concluding meeting of the season.

## DEATH OF MR JOHN O'NEILL.

The death took place at his residence, Upper William street, Limerick, on Thursday evening, of Mr. John O'Neill after a rather prolonged illness. The deceased who was in his seven-and-sixth year was a well-known and respected citizen. He was for a number of years a prominent patron of the turf, and his colours were successfully carried by such well-known horses as Miss Lyons, Navan Boy, Navan Lass, and Uncle John.

## ATHENÆUM PICTURE HOUSE.

Special attractions are provided at the Athenæum for St. Patrick's Day. "The Midnight Alarm," is a drama full of thrill, amongst them a train crashing into a motor car, a railway draw-bridge incident, a terrific fire, and a dramatic rescue. There will also be produced "The Gown Shop," an artistic production relating to the fair sex.

Prayer and Litany.

**TRINITY CHURCH.**—2d Sunday in Lent—Morning Prayer at 11.30; Preacher, the Rev. Canon; Evening Prayer at 6.30; Preacher, Dobbin, B.A. Children's Service at 10.0.

**ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.**—2d Sunday in Lent—Morning Prayer at 11.30; Preacher, Dobbin, B.A. Evening Prayer at 6.30 the Archdeacon.

**ST. MUNCHIN'S CHURCH.**—2d Sunday in Lent—Morning Service, 11.30; Evening Service on St. Patrick's Day, 11.30. Meeting in Parish Room, Friday, 8 p.m.

**ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH (Parteen).**—In Lent—Morning Prayer, 12 o'clock. Rev. A. E. Hewatson, M.A.

**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (Lower Mallick).**—Morning Service, 11.30; Evening Service, 8 p.m. Preacher, Rev. A. W. Neil, M.A.

**METHODIST CHURCH (O'Connell-street).**—Morning Service at 11.30; Evening Service at 8 p.m. Preacher at both Services, Rev. C. H. C. Meeting for Prayer, Wednesday, 8 p.m.

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**—Morning, 11.30; 6.30. Speaker, Mr. Simpson, on Tuesday, 8 o'clock; Bible Class; Wednesday, 8 o'clock, Prayer Meeting.

## TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

The scheme for the re-organisation of Technical Education in the city was adopted at the last night of the Municipal Technical Instruction Committee, the Deputy Mayor (Mr. Ald. Walsh) presiding.

The project, which has been under consideration of the Committee for some time, provides for the centralisation of the technical classes at the Technical Institute in a new building to accommodate in place day preparatory trades' classes.

It is also provided under the scheme to accommodate the Commercial classes at the new, Cecil street.

## ORGAN RECITAL AT CHESHAM CATHEDRAL.

Mr. F. Muspratt gave an organ recital at Chesham Cathedral on Tuesday evening last before a representative audience. The programme, which we shall publish in next issue, was appreciated.

## WATERFORD-FISHGUARD RAILWAY.

A statement made at Waterford Harbour Commissioners, regarding recent conferences, the Great Western Railway had undertaken in the future to do everything to develop the Waterford direct steamer service.

## PIANO RECITAL.

Lovers of instrumental music will have a treat provided for them at the Central Hall next Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. A piano recital will be given by Adolphus, a brilliant Polish maestro of extraordinary talent. There will be selections from various composers, including Chopin and Liszt, and ballads, transcriptions by Borovszky who, in the finest musical tradition, to the benefit of the Slav, brings the distinctive cosmopolitan. The opportunity of hearing such a pianist should not be missed.