

TO ADVERTISERS

quence of the earlier departure of trains from Limerick, and the time of the hour for posting to the General Post Office, it has been necessary to issue the editions of the Chronicle at an earlier hour than usual. Advertisers will, therefore, be assured that the latest hour at which notices can be received at this office is 3.30 p.m. Publications received after that time will not be guaranteed.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 1924.

A PROBLEM IN BRITAIN.

The housing problem in Britain is as serious in this country, and successive Governments have had the subject under consideration, with a view not only of the workers' dwellings, so urgently needed in the big centres of population, but also of relieving unemployment, which is a considerable and widespread evil. A large scheme is contemplated by the Government in Mr. Wheatley's Bill, and it is being carefully discussed by the governing authorities, who had an interview with the Minister of Housing in London on Tuesday. This Bill cannot fail to furnish a great impetus and leading to all interested in the matter, the ratepayers, the building trade, the workers, and prospective employers. Mr. Wheatley pointed out that the Bill introduced by the last Housing Act was chiefly for sale. The great objection said, for those who could only afford to rent them was the question of the purchase and the delegates were invited to express their views on this point in order that an agreement might be reached, and embodied in an Act of Parlia-

OBITUARY.

Canon O'Shaughnessy. P.P.

We regret to record the death of the Very Rev Canon O'Shaughnessy, P.P., Knockaderry, which occurred at the Parochial House on Tuesday at the advanced age of 83 years. Early in his ministerial career the rev. gentleman was a professor in St Munchin's College, and afterwards Curate of St Michael's. He was for the lengthy period of 34 years Parish Priest of Knockaderry, and was very highly respected and esteemed by all classes and creeds.

Dr C. H. Blood.

The death, which we announce with regret, occurred suddenly this morning at his residence, Willow Bank, Kilmurry, of Dr Charles Holcroft Blood, M.D., in his sixty-second year. The deceased gentleman had been ailing for a little time, but his death was not expected. Dr Blood was a son of the late Mr Fitzgerald Blood, Ballykilty, Quin, Co. Clare, and was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, where he had a brilliant course. After taking his medical degree he left for South Africa and practised for a number of years in Johannesburg, returning to Ireland seventeen years ago, when he married Miss Allen, daughter of the late Dean of Killaloe. He was a very affable and courteous gentleman, and was highly respected and esteemed in Kilmurry and elsewhere. He was a member of the Limerick Diocesan Synod and Council. The sympathy of a wide circle of friends in Limerick and adjoining counties will be extended to his widow and relatives.

Funeral will leave Willow Bank at 12 noon (new time) on Saturday, arriving at Killoasoolagh Church at 3 p.m.

Mr W. F. McNamara.

We regret to record the death, which occurred last evening in St John's Hospital after a considerable illness, of Mr William F. McNamara, Ardara Terrace, Ennis-road. The deceased, who was in his seventieth year, was eldest son of the late Mr Thomas McNamara, plumbing contractor and sanitary engineer, Thomas-street, and brother of the well-known Redemptorist missionary, the Rev. John D. McNamara, C.S.S.R., St Alphonsus, Limerick. Mr McNamara was proprietor of the Shannon Foundry, St Alphonsus-street. He took a keen interest in the Irish industrial movement, and was a director of the Munster-Connaught Exhibition of 1906. He was a kindly and considerate gentleman, and his demise has been learned with extreme regret in the city, where he was well known and respected. Much sympathy is felt for his widow and relatives in their bereavement.

COBH OUTRAGE ARREST.

Coonan Brought to Cork.

Patrick Joseph Coonan, the young man who surrendered himself to the Civic Guards at Drogheda on Monday, asserting that he was

STOP PRESS N.

SPORTING.

FOLKESTONE MEETING.

LYDD CHASE.

Ormskirck (owner) ...  
Olive Bough ...  
Turning Point ...  
Also ran—Commander Smith, Go Only Son, Rushyford, Sang Blea, Gid.

[Winner trained by A. L.]  
Betting—3 to 1 agst Commander Olive Bough, 5 to 1 Turning Point, Omskirck and Governor Wood, 10 to 1. Won by 3 lengths.

CANTERBURY HURDLES.

Emphatic (Lefebvre) ...  
Frills (F Rees) ...  
Warrain (K Piggott) ...  
Also ran—Double Scotch, White Shotmaer, Columbus, Sybarite, Tower Square.

Winner trained by McK...  
Betting—11 to 8 agst Warrain, 6 White Haired Boy, Columbus, Double Scotch, Sybarite, 10 to 1. Won by six lengths.

FOLKESTONE CHASE.

Southern Lass (P Fleming) ...  
Waving Pin (Dok) ...  
Daisy Cutter (Lefebvre) ...  
Also ran—Red Empress, Lanca