other parts of the country, and, as the Department says, "cause immense damage and lose." We are further reminded that-"A fallure of the potato crop this year through neglect of spraying would not only he a disaster, but would be particularly deplorable, in view of the fact that so far the season gives promise of a good potato harvest," Information as to spraying is contained in the circular, which we publish elsewhere. It should be done when the potato tops are from twelve to fifteen inches They are usually fit for a first in height. dressing from the middle to the end of June, but this year, owing to the unfavourable weather at sowing time, the crops are backward, and first spraying will be somewhat later. A second dressing should be given about a fortnight or three weeks after the first.

DEATH OF MR WILLIAM Mackern.

We regret to observe the announcement of the death of a member of an old Limerick family, Mr William MacKern, only son of the late Mr Charles and Mrs MacKern, of this city. The sad event tock place on the 21st June at La Cambre, Argentine. The deceased gentleman had been for many years abroad. The news of his demise will be heard of with sorrow by many friends in L merlek.

CITY DISTRICT SESSIONS

It has been arranged that until the expiration of the holiday season in October, the City District Sessions will only be held fortaightly instead of weekly. In consequence there was no sitting of the Court yesterday.

DRAPERY SALES.

Cheap Fares to Limerick.

The summer sales in the monster drapery houses coromadoe on Monday next. People coming in tom the country are reminded of the railway facilities which have been in operation since the 15th June, and will continue for the summer at least. After 12 o'clock noon daily, return tickets to and from Limerick are issued from all local stations at single fares, these including Nenagh, Bandah, Bandah, Eanis, Charleville, Kilmallock, Knockling, and all intervening stations. These facilities should prove a great convenience to the public doing business in Limerick.

LIMERICK DOG SHOW.

At Greenpark Race Course on Thursday, August 13th, a Dog Show will be held under the auspices of the South of Ireland Gun Dog Club. This is the first Show of its kind to be held in Limerick for many years, and its revival under very happy auspices will be welcome to all lovers of the naulue breed. Mr M. J. Russell is the hon, sec. of the Show, which promises to be a great success.

Thos McKnight, and Thos McGann.

THE CORPORATION.

An adjourned statutory meeting of the Corporation is summoned for Thursday next, at 7.30 o'clook, to appoint Committees, consisting of representatives on the Harbour Board, Gas, District Mental Hospital, Technical Education, St John's and Barrington's Hospitals, and University Scholarships Committees, as well as on the City Beard of Health. These Committees are to hold office for the remainder of the year.

THE BALLYDOOLE ESTATE.

Some time ago the Ballydoole estate, Pallas-kenry, was divided up by the Land Commission amongst a number of uneconomic holders and labourers of the district, but it subsequently transpired that the division was not agreeable to some of the beneficiaries, as they contend the distribution was not altogether fair, especially to the labourers. It is now understool that the parcels allotted to the latter are to be increased in proportion to their needs.

ALLEGED BURGLARY.

Civic Guards from William street effected the arrest this morning of a man named O'Brien, on a charge of breaking into Messra O'Dwyer Brothers' Stores, Parnell street, in July, 1922. The accused was remanded to the City District Sessions on Friday next.

SUDDEN DEATH OF ARCHDEACON BERRY.

The death occurred suddenly in Tuam on Thursday evening of the Venerable Archdeacon Electwood Berry. The Archdeacon left the Rectory, Galway, on Thursday morning for Tuam, where he attended the annual Diocesan Synod. His last act at the meeting was to propose a vote of thanks to Bishop Orr for having presided. Afterwards he dined with the bishop and other members of the Synod, and took part later in a Service in the Cathedral. As he was leaving at 7 pm. he collapsed in the avenue and died immediately. A thunderstorm was raging at the time. Doctors Costello and Hosty were hastily summoned, but death had taken place before their arrival. Archdeacon Berry, who was in his sixtyeighth year, was educated at Trinity College, Dublin, and was ordained in 1881.

MR DE VALERA'S VISIT.

Mr E de Valera will visit the city on Tuesday, and during the day will address a convention of the City and County Executive of Sinn Feln in the Council Chamber, Town Hall. It is understood that the proceedings will be private.

MESSES RUSTON AND HORNSBY'S EXHIBITS.

With reference to the echibits by Messra Res'on and Hornsby, Ltd, Engineers, Lincoln, at Chester Show next week, to which we referred in last Tuesday's issue, it is necessary to correct a typographical error in reference to the firm's vertical oil engine. It was stated in our remarks that the engine when undergoing test prior to despatch to Chester gave a fuel consumption of "41b. per B H.P." per hour. The correct figure should have read 41b.

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