

in our last issue, a letter was read at the meeting of the Improvement Committee of the Corporation from Mr P. Dillon, Gwentworth-street, intimating that he had been instructed by his partners, Sir Robert McAlpine and Company, Pall Mall, London, to apply for the lease or purchase of a considerable portion of the lands of Corkauree for the erection of cement works. The Committee, needless to say, is anxious to facilitate the project in every way possible, and instructed the Borough Surveyor to report as to the extent of land available for the works in question. Developments will be awaited with much interest by the citizens. The cement trade is a big industry, and it would, of course, be to the great advantage of the city, from the point of view of employment and otherwise, to have a factory in our midst and on a site which is quite adjacent to the Docks, and which in the near future could be served by the new railway link from Rosbrien.

BRILLIANT MUSICAL SUCCESSES.

Silver Medal and Book Prize Awarded to Limerick Students.

We are pleased to learn that Miss Nellie O'Dea, Crescent Emporium, who passed with honours, and obtained the highest marks (96 p.c.) in the senior section pianoforte playing, at the local Centre Examinations of the London College of Music, held last June, has been awarded a first class silver medal for the excellent work presented. Master Timothy J. Small, Farranshane Terrace, Whomoadgate, who passed with honours, and obtained 91 p.c. in the intermediate section violin playing, has been awarded a special book prize for the excellent work presented. Both are pupils of Mr H. C. Beggs, Limerick, and we wish them every success in their future musical career.

LIMERICK RACES.

The Autumn fixture, which takes place on Wednesday and Thursday next, has received a huge entry, representative of all the leading stables in the country.

The fact that all the railways concentrate on Limerick, the fares are very cheap, admission prices have been reduced, added to the prospects of excellent racing, should attract a very large company to Greenpark.

COUNTY INFIRMARY LINEN GUILD.

Mrs A. White and Mrs G. E. Farmer wish to thank all those who so kindly and generously contributed to the success of the County Produce Fair held in aid of the above Guild.

They also wish to thank Messrs. Wm. Todd and Co for the use of their premises, and Messrs. Goodwin for the supply of china, etc.

DEATH OF MR T. GERAGHTY.

We regret to record the death of Mr Francis Timothy (Tim) Geraghty, which took place at his residence, Mount Gerard, O'Connell Avenue, yesterday morning. Deceased, who was a son of the late Mr M. Geraghty, a Director of Messrs Quinn and Company, was very popular, and the sympathy of a wide circle of friends is extended to his relatives in their bereavement. The funeral arrangements appear in the obituary notice.

been agreed to by the Union.

A leading official of the Transport Union said to an "Irish Times" reporter that the free lodging would work out very cheaply; 5s a week would be an outside estimate of its value, especially where a large number of men are concerned. The fact that the men will be housed on the job will be a distinct advantage to the contractor, and will facilitate in getting the work done speedily.

Situation To day.

The position underwent no change to-day, and when seen the Mayor (Councillor O'Brien) declined to make any statement relative to his conversation yesterday with Dr T. McLoughlin. While the statement of the Transport and General Workers' Union expresses the official view of organized labour, it is an open secret that the contractors will have very little difficulty in procuring all the unskilled labour they require, as numerous applications have been received from all over the country. It would create no surprise if work was started on the project early next week at the rate of pay and conditions advertised.

CHEAPER CLOTHES.

A Tailor's Record.

Anything that cheapens the cost of living in these times of stress, is doubly welcome. Our readers will be interested in the report that raw wool quotations have become easier, and that transactions are taking place at lower prices than those obtaining hitherto. It is, however, stated in some trade quarters, that it will take three months for this reduction to reach the public on the cost of clothing.

In an interview with Mr Hipps—who thirty years ago was the pioneer in selling tailor-made garments direct from his tailoring workshops, to the public—our Representative was informed that it was his intention to give the public the fullest advantage of the price concessions obtained on raw material, at once. He remarks that the scale of his operations was so large that each season's stock of cloth was sold. Therefore, on his new purchases of Tailor-made garments ("When I say Tailor-made garments, I of course, include all ready-to-wear garments as I have always made a point that ready-to-wear garments should be tailor-made") the new and lower prices would be charged. "The development and progress of my business, depend," said Mr Hipps, "upon the goodwill of the public, and this can only be secured and retained by giving the utmost in service, and quality, for price. The gentleman who have been our customers for many years, know the true meaning of our slogan "Pay less and Dress Better," and I am sure all your readers will desire to take advantage, right at the beginning of this new season, of the values advertised in page 3 of this issue."

HARTIGAN'S WEEKLY CATTLE SALE.

At the Cattle Market, Mulgrave Street, Limerick, on Saturday last, 19th September—Large entry; trade quiet. Two-and-a-half bullocks, £12 12 6 to £15 17 6; two year olds, £13 7 6 to £14 7 6; 1½ bullocks, £11 5 to £12 12 6; second run, £9 15s to £10 15s; heifers, £9 10s to £11; calves, £8 to £9 15s; dairy cows, £16 10s to £27. A good clearance.—Hartigan and Co. Auctioneers.

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