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**DEATH OF MR D. FITZGERALD**

We regret to announce the death, which occurred in a London Nursing Home, on the 31st ult., of Mr Denis Fitzgerald, who for some years had been Manager of the National Bank, Kilrush. Deceased gentleman, who was the youngest son of the late Mr and Mrs Thomas Fitzgerald, of Ballinvranna, Holycross, Co. Limerick, and brother of Very Rev. Canon Fitzgerald, Effin, and nephew of the late Canon Fitzgerald, of Killee, had been in failing health for some time past. His premature demise is deeply regretted, not alone in Bank circles, but by a large circle of friends, who deeply sympathise with his widow, who is a second daughter of the late Ald. P. McDonnell, of this city, and her three young children in their bereavement.

The remains were conveyed to Limerick, and on Saturday morning High Mass was celebrated at St. Michael's Church, the funeral taking place at 3 o'clock for Mount St. Laurence Cemetery.

The clergy present were—Canon Fitzgerald (brother), Canon O'Dwyer, Father Thornhill, Adm., St. Michael's; Father Moriarty, St. Michael's; Father Cowper, do.; Father Fitzpatrick, do.; Father Carroll, do.; Father Hannan, St. Mary's; Father McNamara, St. John's; Rev Dr O'Brien.

The chief mourners were—Mrs Fitzgerald (widow); Canon Fitzgerald, Effin, Michael Fitzgerald, Maurice Fitzgerald (brothers); Mrs Ryan (sister); J. Ryan, M. J. McDonnell, L.D.S., Dr C. McDonnell, Dr C. Waters, Birmingham, Mr P. J. Hessian (brothers-in-law); Dr Leo McDonnell, T. Neylon, London, Messrs R. Fitzgerald, M. Dalton, M. Blake, Dr and Mrs Nolan, Mrs Madden, Kilmallock, J. Lynch, T. McDonnell, M. McMahon, E. McMahon, A. McMahon, L. McMahon, Mr and Mrs J. Barry (relatives).

There was a numerous attendance of the general public, amongst whom were the representatives of the several Banks, including Kilrush.

Numerous floral tributes were sent by relatives and friends, including the following—“As a last token of love, from your broken-hearted wife and children”; “With loving sympathy, Babe, Chris, and children”; “In loving remembrance of dear Denis, from Maggie, Paddy, and children”; “In loving remembrance, from J. and K. McDonnell”; “With heartfelt sympathy, Joe, Michael, and family”; “With deepest sympathy, Charlie and Loo.”

**DEATH OF MR. PATRICK MULCAHY, CAHERDAVIN**

Miss McNamara said she was in the employment of the last witness. She was often sent to the plaintiff's shop for goods and paid with cash.

The Justice said that no attempt was made to repudiate the account till proceedings were taken. It could not be contended that the plaintiff was not timely in sending his accounts. In the matter of the balance the plaintiff had proved his case, and he would give a decree for the full amount.

\* Edward O'Connor, carpenter, sued Thos. O'Grady for £15 for work done.

Mr Blood-Smyth, solr., appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr J. S. Gaffney, solr., for defendant.

Plaintiff's case was that the wife of defendant asked him to erect a porch for her. The upper portion of the porch was to be timber and glass, roof slated, and the base concreted. She did not ask him for any price, but she paid £7 in advance for the material. He charged only for his time, and worked for 166 hours. Mrs O'Grady made no complaint.

Mr T. Cleary, engineer, gave evidence of measurements, and said the work would be nine days of eight hours each.

The amount claimed was allowed.

The Waverley Book Company sued John O'Neill, Mount Pleasant Avenue, for the price of the "Book of Knowledge."

Mr Atwell, solr, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr J. A. Doyle, solr, for defendant.

Mr Atwell said that the plaintiffs' traveller was unable to attend, and he asked leave to call the defendant.

Permission was granted.

Defendant said the traveller called on him and asked him to buy the "Book of Knowledge," and produced a document which he signed without knowing what he signed. When he got the books he cancelled the order and returned the books to Dublin.

Mr Atwell said as far as he was aware plaintiffs had not received the books.

Mr Flood said Mr O'Neill was rather drawn into the matter, and cancelled the order. He suggested that the plaintiffs do not pursue the claim, and he asked Mr Atwell to communicate his suggestion so his clients.

He would adjourn the case for a month.

John Ryan sued Michael Coughlan for ejectionment for non-payment of rent.

Mr J. S. Gaffney, solr., appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr J. S. McNeice, solr., for defendant.

Plaintiff's case was that £8 18s 6d was due to him.

A decree was granted.

**NEED FOR CHILDREN'S PLAY-GROUNDS.**

TO THE EDITOR OF THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE.

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