

Limerick Horse Show Society.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Limerick Horse Show Society was held in the County Council Chamber this evening. The Mayor presided.

There were also present—Messrs. J. McCormack, S. J. K. Roycroft, G. E. Goodbody, Major L. Clarke, Major Finch, C. Carroll, J. J. Quaide, T. O'B. Kelly, solicitor; E. L. Lloyd, Co. C.; M. Dalton, J. Cleary, J. Grene Barry, R. Holliday, Kirkpatrick, S. O'Carroll, E. Stevenson, G. Peacocke, C. Downey, Mrs E. L. O'Donnell, junr.; J. Cahill, J. B. Kelly, solicitor; M. J. Russell, M. P. Jordan, Dr. J. O'Connor, Capt. D. Lyons, O'Donnell, T. Foley, Dr. J. Brennan, R. Sullivan, solicitor; J. Smith.

Mr M. J. Walshe, Secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting, which were adopted.

The Mayor regretted the unavoidable absence of the President of the Show Society, the Earl of Dunraven, from the meeting. Since the inception of the Show Lord Dunraven had taken a great interest in its welfare, and he knew his lordship would feel deeply pleased with the success that had attended their efforts during the past year.

Mr McCormack proposed the re-election of Lord Dunraven as President of the Show. That morning he had received a letter from Lord Dunraven regretting his inability to attend the meeting, as he was held up in Wales. His lordship had attended every meeting of the Show since its inception, and had shown practical interest in the proceedings and helped the Show in every way possible. He had given his valuable support, and enlisted on his behalf the support and co-operation of his numerous friends in the county. Although last year was not a very favourable one for Shows, still Limerick did well, and that could be in a large measure due to the energy and enthusiasm of Lord Dunraven and the Management Committee. (Applause).

Major Finch seconded the proposition, which was passed unanimously.

On the motion of Mr Goodbody, seconded by Mr S. O'Carroll, the following were re-elected vice-presidents—The Mayor, Mr J. McCormack (Chairman, Co. Council), and Mr C. Croker, D.L.

DEATHS IN THE SNOW.

A County Limerick Victim.

A poor cottier named Ml. Barrett, the father of five young children, was found dead in the snow on Saturday at Rooskagh Hill, about a mile from his home. He was on his way home from Newcastle West, about five miles distant, and it is supposed that he became exhausted in the snowstorm, at the spot where he was found is a bleak mountain road. Great sympathy is felt for his helpless young family.

Clare Man's Death

While Foddering Cattle.

A farmer named John Hartneady, aged about 70, and residing at Finlea, near Killaloe, lost his life during the snowstorm of Friday last. That evening, in the height of the storm, he went out to fodder his cattle and when he did not return within a reasonable time a search for him was begun, but without avail. On the following day the search was resumed and his dead body was found in one of his own fields. The deceased, who was unmarried, lived with an aged sister.

Two Other Deaths in Clare.

John Gildea, a middle-aged farmer, of Bohatch, Mountshannon, County Clare, was found dead beside a rick of hay on his farm on Saturday morning. He was overcome by the snowstorm while cutting hay on Friday evening, and was apparently suffocated.

Michael Moloney, a farmer, residing near Broadford, County Clare, was found dead beneath the snow at his farm on Saturday. He had been attending to his cattle when he was overcome by the blizzard on Friday.

Man's Death in the Street.

Patrick Bannon, Tullamore, who had long service with the British Army in India and elsewhere, and served in the Great War, was walking along the street in the blizzard when he collapsed and died.

Railwayman's Fate.

An employé of the Great Southern Railways, Michael Dowd, was found dead in the snow on Saturday afternoon only a few hundred yards from his own home at Rathcoole, County Dublin. Dowd was about forty years old and was employed at the

IRISH HOSPITALS'

Draw and Mix.

As already stated, the receiving cash and count Grand National has been yesterday to to-morrow, Wednesday, owing to last week-end.

All the arrangements for Mixing are now practically complete. The artists are very well advanced in the work of erection of these panels which will decorate the Grand National. Probably, however, a large staff engaged in the work that this work cannot very well be done on during ordinary business hours. The erection will have to take place after the clerical staff has left.

Thousands of applications for the Draw and Mixing are being received. All parts, large numbers of visitors being particularly anxious to see the public are again reminded for the Mixing are not to commence at 9.30 and continue until probably the afternoon, and the public admitted without charge or ticket in connection with these applications. It is noted that something like this has happened before.

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UNCLAIMED PRIZES.

As a result of Press public claims have been made for prizes of £100 each—viz., "Under the Southern Cross" Wandsworth Road, Surrey Australia, ticket Number 1000, the other drawn by Robins Harvey, of Cuba, ticket Number 1000.

ROWING

Meeting of I.A.R.U.

The annual general meeting which was to have been held last night, was adjourned on account of the snowstorm, representatives of the clubs being unable to reach the meeting. Mr J. Griffin (Executive), on Friday morning, succeeded in attending the meeting. The President, O'Donnell, with Messrs J. V. O'Donovan (L.B.C.), T. W. J. Horne (Regatta Michael's, and Curragower) who left by the afternoon train, reached Dublin in the