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while the big fellows who came over with Cromwell were residing on good land. Was not the Government's business to undo the work of Cromwell?

He agreed that the people suffered during the economic war, but they had tried to make their lot as easy as possible, and were endeavouring in every way to help the people over this crisis. If it were over, however, they would not be as well off as they would like to be, for they could see the way that every country in the world was complaining about economic affairs.

Mr John Hogan presided.

Dr Ryan also spoke at a meeting at Ballin-garry

## THE AIR CRASH NEAR LIMERICK.

### Funeral of Mr William Ower.

A large number of people from Newcastle West, Co. Limerick, and surrounding districts were present on Saturday evening to meet the remains of Mr William Ower, junr., killed in the recent air crash near Limerick.

The remains were received by the Rev. Canon Orpen, Adare, and the Rev. P. J. Sweeny, Rector of Newcastle West and Rathronan, and placed in the local church. The funeral took place yesterday to Rathronan Cemetery, Ardagh, and was attended by most of the prominent people of the town. Numerous messages of sympathy are reaching the parents of the deceased.

## THE HOUSING QUESTION.

An adjourned meeting of the Corporation Housing Committee will be held this evening, at which it is expected Mr M. P. Colivet, Chairman of the Housing Board, will attend. The business concerns the Island Field housing scheme. It is the view of Mr Colivet that houses for the accommodation of people living in slum areas could be built more cheaply on other sites and let at economic rents. The whole question will no doubt be discussed at to-night's meeting.

weather, dear another blow on Cup Tournament which we held evening last in conjunction with races. Due to start at 7 p.m., the matches, and half a semi-final played when it was decided to remain till another date, and promised to be one of the most evenings of the season had to be but it did not in any way interfere with the enjoyment of the huge crowd in spite of the weather, congregated.

The first matches, Catholic Athlunkard, and Shelbourne v. Institute, represented by Miss M. and Mr G. Guinan, proved to be a good match, and the result was 6-1 for Institute, who were represented by B. Harty and Mr G. Griffin. The match produced some very good tennis, but in the end the perfect combination play predominated to win by 6-0.

A surprising but well deserved win was Dalcassian, represented by Hanly and Master Gus Hanly, Shelbourne, Miss R. Madigan and Ryan, 6-2, 6-0, and thereby to meet Institute in the semi-final.

The match between the two Clubs resulted in a win—6-3, 6-0. The Dalcassians (South Hill), represented by Murphy and Mr D. P. Kelly. (Fitzgerald's) were represented by May Gunning and Mr J. H. The match produced some excellent tennis, and the winners go into the final.

The semi-final between the two Clubs had to be abandoned in the first set, which fell to Institute. The match produced excellent tennis, and Hanley's display drew forth much applause. We are looking for a tussle to decide this match, but to think that the superior play of the Institute will put them through.

The remaining semi-final will be played on Friday evening next at 7.30 p.m., and the Club is inviting to all teams and is looking forward for good weather and an enjoyable evening.

The Club next Sunday (Southill) for the first "friendly" match.