
Died in Church

Co. Limerick Lady's Sudden Collapse.

Mrs M S Burke, wife of Mr M S Burke Kilfinane, Co. Limerick, while attending first Mass on Sunday morning, took suddenly ill and collapsed. She was removed from the Church, but life was found to be extinct. Dr J J Ryan was quickly on the scene, but deceased was beyond medical assistance. Spiritual aid was given by Rev D O'Connell.

Speaking later at the Mass Rev J Carr, P.P., who had been informed of the tragic occurrence, asked the prayers of the congregation and made sympathetic references to Mrs Burke's death. The deceased was seated in a front pew in the church and was to have received Holy Communion as she did every Sunday. Before leaving for Mass she performed her customary household duties, and her sudden death is deeply regretted.

The Island Field Scheme