

OBITUARY.

MR JAMES D. MOORE.

The death of Mr. James D. Moore, of Dromard Terrace, Sandymount, occurred at his home yesterday. Born 77 years ago, Mr. Moore was the son of the late Mr. Michael Moore, Newcastle West. He attended school in Limerick, and later at Guernsey School in Limerick, and later at Guernsey and Cork Colleges. As a young man he entered the Civil Service, and after some years as Court Clerk he was appointed to the Irish Land Commission, from which he retired on pension about twelve years ago, after thirty years' service. He was a great supporter of the old Nationalist Party.

Mr. Moore was a brother of Fleet Surgeon John Moore, of the Royal Navy, and of Dr. Gerald Moore, of London, both of whom pre-deceased him.

MR. THOMAS O'GRADY.

Brother of Parliamentary Secretary
Dead.

Mr. Thomas O'Grady, brother of Mr. Sean O'Grady, T.D., Parliamentary Secretary to the Minister for Lands, has died at his residence, Cappamore, Crusheen, Co. Clare, after a short illness.

Mr. O'Grady lived on his farm at Cappamore, and his home was a visiting place for members of the I.R.A. during the War for Independence. He leaves a widow and three children.

LATE MRS. H. DUGGAN.

The remains of the late Mrs. Helena Duggan, Ardglass, O'Connell Avenue, were interred in Mount St. Laurence Cemetery on Tuesday last. The cortege was large and representative in character and a fitting testimony to the esteem which the deceased lady enjoyed in the city.

The chief mourners were—Mr. Daniel Duggan (husband); Mr. Patrick Duggan (son); Mr. T. McEnery (brother); Mrs. M. Hanrahan (sister); Messrs. Patk. and Thos. Hanrahan (nephews); Messrs. Thos. Owen, and John Hanrahan, Charles, Jos. Hally, and Alphonsus Smyth, Timothy and Thomas Duggan (relatives).

The clergy present were—Rev. Fr. Harty, Adm., St. Michael's; Rev. Fr. Fitzpatrick, C.C., do.; Rev. Dr. Cowper, C.C., do.; Rev. Fr. Moriarty, C.C., do.; Rev. Fr. Gormley, C.S.S.R., and Rev. Fr. Fox, C.S.S.R.

THE LATE MR. M. O'DWYER.

The death of Mr. Michael O'Dwyer, at his residence, Clare Street, Limerick, on Wednesday night last will be learned with much regret by a wide circle of friends. The deceased, who was in little more than middle life, was for a long number of years in the employment of Messrs. Wallis and Sons, carriers. He was prominently associated with the Sinn Fein movement since its inception, and enjoyed the confidence of the local leaders, who regarded him as being a valuable asset in the fight for national independence. He was elected a member of the Corporation in that interest in 1920, and showed an intelligent grasp in local government affairs. In his passing a man of lovable character is lost to the city, and with his family sincere regret will be extended by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

National Army, wireless operator and motor driver; Christopher Bray, Arthur's Quay, Limerick, gunner; John Cross, William Street, Limerick, Old I.R.A.; Pat Coffey, Sandmall, Limerick, unemployed, noted athlete; James Doyle, High Road, Thonondgate, motor driver; James Frawley, Ahern's Row, Limerick, worker; James Fahy, shop assistant; William Fitzgerald, Keays' Row, plasterer; Wm. McSweeney, Rathbane, Limerick, workman; Christopher O'Sullivan, Nicholas Street, Limerick, newsagent; Patrick Rowe, Summer Street, Limerick, recently released from prison in connection with the Wolfe Tone Commemoration; Thomas Keane, Athlunkard Street, Limerick, motor driver; Patrick Mangan, Blackboy Pike, Post Office employee; Desmond Traynor, Thomas Street, Limerick, plasterer; John Doyle, Ballyneety; Frederick Ahern, Boherglass; Thomas McNamara, fisherman; Wm. Delaney, Ballycumane, ex-Captain, National Army; Daniel Ahern, Rathkeale, District Court clerk; Thomas Fennell, Rathkeale, publican; Christopher Whelan, O'Connell Avenue, Limerick, carpenter; Michael O'Grady, Blackwater, farmer.

APPLICATIONS CONTINUE.

As well as the above, almost thirty others, from East Limerick, travelled, but their names are not available at present.

It is understood that applicants continue to pour in, and will be accepted from time to time.

It is stated that none of the men who travelled from Limerick to Galway did return from the tender.

TO FIGHT COMMUNISM.

Mr. J. Ryan, who is in charge of the Irish Brigade in Limerick, addressed the contingent before their departure. He said no words of his could express the joy and admiration he felt for each individual Volunteer, who, he had no doubt, were sincerely imbued with the true Catholic spirit. They were going out as apostles to a foreign land to fight against the greatest heresy that ever swept over Europe—Communism. The Volunteers were not mercenary soldiers, as some people in the country described them. They were true soldiers of the Cross.

A ROCKY ROAD.

Continuing, he said: "You will have a rocky road to travel. You will pass through the bye-roads of the thorns and the thistles. You will, perhaps, be wounded on the way; but your wounds received for Christ the King will one day be the trophies of your victory, and shine more resplendent on the day of your resurrection. You may be called upon to make the ultimate sacrifice, but the blood of the martyr is always the seed of the Church." He added the men were leaving all—their homes, positions, friends, and all to whom they were bound by ties of love and friendship. What more perfect act? They were going to Spain prepared to lay down their lives for the Friend of Friends. "Greater love than this no man hath, than a man to lay down his life for his friends."

In conclusion, Mr. Ryan said—"The country is proud of you. You are a credit to the old Catholic City of Limerick, to the Catholic Church above all, and to your country."

Mr. D. J. Madden asked the County Surveyor if the amount could be reduced further.

Mr. Ryan—It cannot. With my assistant I have gone over this particular thing on many occasions, and it has been reduced to such an extent that I am only asking for a fraction of what is required for

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