

Old Welfare Centre, the Vets. Department, Schools, and the Tuberculosis Centre, refers to such as Cancer Investigation, Child Welfare, the Superwives, and Registration of Nurses. Dr. McPol'n points out that the Welfare of the Blind during the year under

let to persons from slum clearance areas. He outlines the steps taken to acquire building ground at Prospect and Edward Street, as well as at Killeely and Janesboro'. The number of unhealthy houses in the city was 1,903. The Sanitary Inspectors are at present engaged in a detailed house to house survey of the city, and when this is completed they would be in a better position to know accurately the housing needs.

## T LIBERTY.

### Killarney Disaster.

### Court Proceedings.

Mr. Conner, at Killarney, and informations in the case against Patrick Lynch, Killarney, arising out of the drowning of English tourists by drowning on August 24th last. It was said that the evidence given would make a prima facie case of negligence.

He was accordingly discharged.

## L SEIZURE

### Death of Killaloe Business Man

He died rather suddenly last evening, of Mr. Killaloe, a prominent business man of the North Tipperary Co. The deceased gentleman had a large office, and when Dr. Rabreen arrived, life was

He was a well-known person throughout Ireland. He was a horse and cattle breeder, and back he won a first prize at the Dublin Society Show. This year he won prizes at the Nenagh Shows.

His premises, comprising a provision shop, and bakery, were gutted by fire. The house was the best-equipped in the largest individual estate in North Tipperary. Mr. Killaloe's decease is deeply mourned by all classes of the community, and he was survived by a widow and three children. He was an uncle to Mr. Killaloe, M.L.A., the popular member of the Lakeside Hotel, Killaloe, and Nurse McKeogh, St. James' Hospital, Dublin, and brother-in-law to late Mr. Matt Russell, and Mr. Andrew Egan, representative of Messrs. Murrill and Co. He represented the North Tipperary for many years of thirty years.

### FLOWER NOVENA.

Novena in preparation for the feast of St. Therese of the Child Jesus. Flower—was very beautiful in St. Joseph's Church during devotions on Saturday evening.

### DEATHS.

October 6, 1938, at her residence, New Road, Thomondgate, Mrs. Bridget Hartnett, mother of Mr. T. J. Hartnett, D.D. Re-

## OLD LADY'S DEATH

### Inquest at Barrington's Hospital

At Barrington's Hospital, Mr. J. McNeice, Coroner, with a jury, formally opened and adjourned an inquest on Mrs. Annie Patterson, 13 Mount Vincent Cottages, Rosbrien, whose death as a result of an accident occurred at the Hospital early on Tuesday morning.

Inspector W. Brazill appeared for the State at the proceedings, and Mr. J. S. McNeice, solicitor, held a watching brief for the driver of the car which was involved in the accident.

Evidence of identification was given by Richard Patterson, 2 Ryan's Cottages, Rosbrien, who stated that his mother, who was a widow, was aged about 80 years. He last saw her alive on the 10th September, when he was speaking to her. She was then in very good health. Despite her age her sight and hearing were very good.

#### MEDICAL EVIDENCE.

Medical evidence was tendered by Dr. S. McDonagh, House Surgeon, Barrington's Hospital, who stated that when the deceased was admitted to the hospital on the 11th September she was in an unconscious condition and was suffering from a wound on the right side of the head, a wound over one of her eyes, in addition to a large contusion on the left side of the neck spreading down over the left shoulder. She died on the 4th October. Death, in his opinion, was due to shock and heart failure.

Inspector Brazill—Was death in any way caused by the injuries she received?—It was.

Inspector Brazill—Would you agree that death could be attributed to her injuries?—No, they would not.

#### REPORT TO ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

Inspector Brazill—In this case the facts are being reported to the Attorney-General, and I am directed to request that this inquest be adjourned until his direction has been received.

Coroner—Could you give any indication of how long we will have to wait for his direction?

Inspector Brazill—About three weeks or a month.

Mr. McNeice—On behalf of Mr. Donal O'Sullivan, Maryville, Rosbrien, who was responsible for the death of this poor old lady, I would like to convey to the bereaved relatives my sincere sympathy on the tragic occurrence. The young man was a near neighbour of the deceased lady, and knew her all his life, and this tends to make the accident more tragic still.

The Coroner, Inspector Brazill, and the foreman of the jury associated themselves with Mr. McNeice's remarks.

The inquest was then adjourned indefinitely.

### KILKEE DAMAGE.

### ROOF OF GRAND STAND BLOWN AWAY.

A fierce gale swept over West Clare on Monday night, causing considerable damage to all kinds of property and crops. Hay was swept away and houses were left without slates or chutes. Kill-  
Roof tops—and

conclusion that a Federal State will be established forthwith.

## LIMERICK WOMAN'S DEATH

### Drowned in 18 Ins. of Water

#### Inquest Rider

Hannah English (88), wife of Patrick English, of Kiltcaroon, Ballyporeen, was discovered by a farm worker lying in a pool of water on the road at Knockamane, Co. Limerick. The body was removed by Sergeant Sheedy, of Ballyporeen.

It would appear that she had been visiting relatives in the Kilbehenny district and left for home around 4 o'clock in her donkey and cart. At Knockamane the river overflows on to the road, and the opinion is held that the donkey shied at the water and pitched the woman on to the road. Where the body was found the water was only 18 inches deep.

On Tuesday Coroner Clery held an inquest.

Evidence of identification was given by Patrick English, the deceased woman's husband. His wife was aged 84, and had been to visit friends in Kilbehenny on Monday.

Dr. L. A. Hayes, Mitchelstown, said death was due to asphyxia.

Dr. McCarthy corroborated.

Sergeant Sheedy, Ballyporeen, gave evidence as to the finding of the body. The water was only 18 inches deep at the place.

Inspector Cunningham represented the Guards.

The jury returned a verdict that deceased woman was accidentally drowned. They added a rider asking the Limerick County Council to take steps to prevent a recurrence of the flooding on the Knockamane road.

## LIMERICK SHIP BOMBED

### One Man Dead

The Limerick Steamship Co., Ltd., the owners of the SS. "Luimneach," which was reported to have been struck by four bombs during an air raid on Barcelona, have now received official news concerning the affair.

An official of the Limerick Steamship Company told a "Chronicle" representative that there may or may not be a Limerick man amongst the crew. A new crew was signed on at Antwerp some days ago, but the list had not come to hand.

The cook, who was reported to have been seriously injured, was a foreigner.

The master of the vessel, Capt. Jones, is a native of Liverpool, and the owners of the Luimneach are of the opinion that the entire crew, with one possible exception, are foreigners.

So far as the owners know, there is one Limerick man on the crew, but it is pointed out that he may have left the vessel at Antwerp.

#### ONE DEAD.

The report received by the owners states that a member of the crew named A. Sprit, a resident of Antwerp, has died from his injuries. The remainder of the crew escaped injury. The vessel received slight damage.

## ANGLO-IRISH AGREEMENT

### Carrying Out The Provisions

In two important aspects the terms of the Anglo-Irish Agreement, signed in London on 25th April last, have now been implemented. Under the financial agreement the Government of Eire undertook to pay to the Government of the United Kingdom, on or before 30th No-

## John Count McCormack

### The Reception

The recital given by John Count McCormack at the Savoy Cinema on Tuesday night, was enthusiastically received by the large house who attended to see and hear Ireland's own John McCormack in his last public appearance in this city. From the first note of his opening number, "Minnelied," until the final lift of his last song, "Believe me," had died away, the house was held in a spell.

In addition to the nine songs on the programme he was "compelled" to give seven encore numbers.

Ireland's greatest singer was in fine voice, and his rendition of the Irish melodies in particular were received with tremendous applause. "Panis Angelicus" was perhaps his best offering of the evening; but indeed every item was excellent.

Only those who had heard the Count when he was at the height of his fame could notice the almost imperceptible difference in his clear, bell-like tones from those with which he took the world by storm twenty years ago. The advance of age has affected his voice but little, and on Tuesday night he sang as only he is able.

The most popular number of the evening was "The Star of the County Down," which was greeted with prolonged applause. His repertoire included compositions by Handel, Bach, Schumann, Donaudy, and the beautiful "Panis Angelicus" of Caesar Franck. Among his Irish selections were "Farewell, My Gentle Harp," "The Star of the County Down," "O Mary Dear." The encore items included "The Fairy Princess," "The Rose of Tralee," and "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms."

Mr. Joseph Saxby, his accompanist, contributed a most acceptable offering of piano solos.

## BEAUTY SPOTS

### Government Grant for Clare Improvements

At a meeting of Clare County Council notification was received from the Local Government Department that a free grant of £400 was being made for the removal of banks, hedges and high walls which obstructed scenic views in the county.

Mr. F. Dowling, Co. Surveyor, said there was one great difficulty about the operations connected with the expenditure of such a grant. The Council had no power to compel permission from owners to remove such obstructions.

The Chairman (Mr. Sean Brady) said that was a thing not generally known. If the general public did not realise it, then there would be very dangerous bends eased without the Council having to compensate the owners three times over.

Mr. Dowling said the public knew the fact only too well.

Mr. W. Murphy asked could any of the grant be expended in improving the entrance to the cliffs of Moher, one of the scenic wonders of the world. The entrance was in a shocking state.

The Secretary (Mr. M. J. Brady) said the entrance to the cliffs was on private property and the Council could not interfere.

Expenditure of the grant was referred to the County Surveyor.

Mr. Subodh Chandra Roy, the well-known blind scholar of Bengal, has sailed for England to take a Ph.D. degree at London University.