

Limerick Family Bereaved

Death of Colonel T. G. Peacocke

The death occurred on Saturday night at his residence, Lumville House, Carragh, of Col. Thomas G. Peacocke, director of the Aga Khan's Sheshown and Ballymannny Studs. Aged 72, he took suddenly ill on Friday evening.

Col. Peacocke was a member of a well-known Limerick family, and was brother of Mr J J Peacocke, retired Limerick City Surveyor, Mrs J V Coogan, and the late Mr W G Peacocke. Entering the British Army Veterinary Service, he served for a considerable time in India, retiring with the rank of Colonel. He returned to Ireland in 1919, and took up residence at the Carragh.

On the death of Sir Henry Greer in 1924, Colonel Peacocke, who had been his assistant, took over the directorship of the Aga Khan's studs.

He was an acknowledged expert on the principles and practice of racehorse breeding, and was well-known as an adjudicator in the Show ring.