

shot down there today. Two pilots were killed remaining members of the de prisoners.

NY OF SHIRT

Man Sentenced

NT DESCRIBED AS LING CRIMINAL

District Court on Tuesday J. M. Flood B.L., D.J., charged Thomas O'Hara, and who was stated to be onnel, with the larceny of 3/6, the property of Patrick allyfokeen.

STRANGER PASSING. Hayes said she lived in a cage at Knockballyfokeen, a small business there. On mber she left her place to for water, and while on her ell she noticed a stranger in her return she missed a as hanging on a line in the then shouted to a girl to who had passed. The girl e man and he came back he shirt. He apologised for said he was sorry. The to witness's brother and 3/6.

id said that the defendant at Borrisleigh Court some he larceny of a bicycle and ee Reformatory for three this year he was sentenced imprisonment for receiving e. Defendant was born in a travelling criminal.

INDANT'S STORY. old the court that up to he had been living with his He left Cork for the purg work in the country. hed Pallas he went into a d him he had been sent out work for him. This was a the purpose of getting some mer then gave him tea and eft and took the shirt from ress heard nobody shouting ed back and gave the shirt.

The latter said she was e Guards, and witness said he Guards what happened. Guard and told him about

had a right to stay in If you let me off this time

In 1865. is recently appointed Right eph Hurley, who for some ld a high position in the 'apal Secretary of State, as . Augustine in succession ght Rev. Dr. Barry.

men, with one exception, actually worked on permit with the two contractors prior to the strike.

The present position in the dispute is that the carpenters are working for employers, not members of this Federation, at the old rate of £4 8s. 0d. per week. This Federation has offered the carpenters £4 12s. 0d., but they still demand a weekly wage of £4 19s. 10d. All the other trades have accepted and are working for a weekly wage of £4 12s. 0d.

For and on behalf of the Federation of Builders, Contractors and Allied Employers of Ireland. (Limerick and District Branch.)

THOMAS GOUGH, Chairman.

DROWNING TRAGEDY

NEAR LIMERICK DOCKS

A sad drowning tragedy took place in the Shannon, near the Limerick Docks, yesterday morning. As a vessel was negotiating the waterway a member of the crew, Mr. Felix Brennan, fell overboard and was drowned. The deceased was only 22 years of age and was a native of Scattery, Kilrush.

The body has not yet been recovered.

NOVENA OF MASSES FOR PEACE

A Novena of Masses for Peace were celebrated by Rev. P. Hartnett, C.S.Sp., in St. Mary's Church, Abbeyfeale. Large congregations were present and approached the Sanctuary for Holy Communion during the Masses. Father Hartnett was one of the priests who had such remarkably trying experiences evacuating Louvain University before the advance of the Germans through Belgium.

IF WAR HADN'T COME

British seaside landladies and hotel proprietors might be congratulating one another on a profitable season if there had been season. Beaches bristled with barbed wire. Concrete strong points stood in place of bathing huts. There were machine-guns in the band-stands. And August, it is now permissible to reveal was Britain's finest "holiday month" in ten years.

I will go back to Cork and join the army if they will take me.

The Justice said that if the defendant got back to his people in Cork he would have a chance of being fed.

WAS DISCHARGED FROM ARMY.

Supt. Holland said that defendant had been in the army but was discharged last August.

Defendant told the Justice that he already had been six days in custody.

Justice—If I sentence you to seven days will you promise to go back to Cork? Yes, sir.

Defendant was then sentenced to seven days imprisonment, sentence to date from the 11th September.

Chairman—That settles the matter. The bigger allocation is made.

THE DAIRYING INDUSTRY.

Arising out of the allocation for livestock.

Mr. McNamara expressed the view that it was unwise to give premiums for shorthorn bulls having regard to the un-economic price obtained for milk. If present conditions continued the dairying industry would cease to exist.

The Chairman said that conditions might improve, and if the dairying stock were reduced irreparable harm could be done to the country.

Mr. Walsh—There is no denying the fact that the demand for shorthorns is decreasing. People are going in for Herefords and Aberdeen Angus and the premiums for these classes should be increased.

It was decided not to interfere with the classification for this year.

The C.A.O. said that the Committee had approved of schemes, the allocations and premiums for which were estimated to cost approximately £10,000.

TIPPERARY RUMOUR

A rumour spread in Tipperary that a parachute had been seen descending on the Hill of Crogue, a little over a mile outside the town. Piquancy was added to the story by the fact that a plane had been over the vicinity. Investigation revealed that the "parachute" was a kite flown by children, and the plane was an Aer Lingus machine.

LINK WITH TAN PERIOD

Mr. Pattick Coffey, who was associated with "Coffey's Forge," the Sologhheadbeg (Co. Tipperary) landmark which figured in the Black-and-Tan period, has died at Lisvernane and was buried at Newchurch, Grenane, Tipperary. He was a native of Shanballymore, Donohill, Tipperary.

CHILD DROWNED

Margaret Russell (23 months), Annascaul, Kerry, was drowned when she fell into the river which flows past her home. Mr. John Glen, farmer, Crowhill, cycled to the mouth of the river and recovered her body.

SHOOTING RECALLED

The death was announced in London of Lord Lamington, aged 80, President of the East India Association, he was slightly wounded during the shooting in the Caxton Hall, London, early this year, when Sir Michael O'Dwyer was shot dead.

MANY CANDIDATES

About 300 girl candidates sat at centres in Dublin, Cork and Galway yesterday, in a Civil Service examination for positions as shorthand typists and typists. There are 20 vacancies altogether, 10 for typists and 10 for shorthand typists.

which employers in the Six Counties have voted against Catholic young men. In a report the Association says that with the instruments of propaganda now in the hands of the Northern Government, it was of urgent importance that the refusal by many to employ Catholic boys should be discouraged.

BRITISH STANDARDS

False standards were being imposed on this country, not owing to its proximity to nor its trade with Britain, but owing to "senseless attempts" to follow British codes and standards in every aspect of life, said Senator Liam O'Buachalla, University College, Galway. So long as the youth of Ireland thought in English their attitudes, ideas and outlook would be warped.

DRIVER'S RECORD RUNS

The death has occurred in Dublin of Mr. Mark Foley, Inchicore, Number 1 driver on the G.S.R. In 1934 he set up a record when he drove a special train from Cork to Dublin on a non-stop run, covering the distance in 2 hours 28 mins. He also established a record by driving the Queen Maeve from Dublin to Cork at a speed of 93 miles per hour. He had spent more than twenty years driving express trains.

16,000,000 SOLDIERS

October 16 has been fixed as the date on which the 16,000,000 men between the ages of 21 and 35 will register throughout America under the New Military Service Bill. The War Department has ordered 35,700 officers and men of the National Guard to report for training with the Regular Army.

FIRES CAUSE DAMAGE

Damage estimated at thousands of pounds was caused by a fire which destroyed three premises in Lower Mercer Street, Dublin, yesterday. The premises involved were The Grafton Clothing Manufacturing Co.; The Capital Salt and Distributing Co., and the Biltfirm Furniture Works.

NEW TYPE OF BOMB

A new type of bomb will be used in the attacks on London, according to a Berlin statement. The bomb is said to weigh 1,800 kilos—the heaviest made. These bombs were tried towards the end of the Spanish Civil War when 25,000 people were killed in three days.

600 ULSTER AIRS

Addressing Portadown Rotary Club, Mr. Sam Henry, F.R.S.A.L. Coletaine, stated that he had collected over 600 Ulster airs, 65 of which had been accepted and orchestrated by the B.E.C.

A public meeting was held in the Parochial Hall, Charleville for the purpose of establishing a Parish Council. There was a large attendance and Rev. Father J. Burke, P.P., was unanimously appointed Chairman of the proceedings. The Rev. Chairman read the circular issued by the Department of Local Government re the formation of Parish Councils and their functions. He suggested that six members of the Council should be members of the local St. Vincent de Paul Society.

This was agreed to and the following were appointed, in addition to the members of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, viz: Chairman, Rev. J. Burke, P.P.; Vice-Chairman, Mr. M. J. Morrissey; Secretary, Mr. M. J. Duane; Rev. Father J. O'Keefe, C.C.; Rev. Father Browne, C.C., D.D.; Messrs. M. J. O'Connor, W. Deady, John O'Brien (Charter School), Edmond O'Flaherty, James Leency, Owen Binchy, solicitor; Vincent Landon, Michael Motherway, T. Ryan, D. Quinn.

CASUALTIES IN AIR RAIDS

In the House of Commons yesterday, the Prime Minister (Mr. Churchill), announced that during the first half of September about 2,000 civilians had been killed in Britain by air bombardment and 8,000 wounded. Four-fifths of these casualties had occurred in London. Lord Caldicote, in the House of Lords, said that in one week rescue party services had been called upon 169 times and saved 216 lives.

NORTHERN UNEMPLOYED

In the Northern Parliament, Mr. J. W. Nixon (Independent Unionist) said that 68,000 unemployed people in the Six Counties was a disgrace to a Government which had been in office over 20 years. Mr. T. Henderson (Independent Unionist) said that the Prime Minister, without a doubt, had missed the bus and with him the members of the Government.

RECENT PROMOTION

Inspector John Doody, Store Street, Garda Station, Dublin, has been promoted Superintendent. A native of Abbeyfeale, County Limerick, Supt. Doody joined the D.M.P., in 1907. He began his career in the "D" Division, to which he now returns. He has served in the "A," "B," "C," "D," and "F" districts. He was appointed Inspector of the "C" Division, Store St., in 1933.

CHARLEVILLE RED CROSS BRANCH

There are now over 60 paid-up members in the Charleville Section of the Irish Red Cross Society.

not be held owing to the fact that a quorum of members—seven—did not attend. Some important business will be transacted at next Tuesday's meeting, and in that connection it is learned that members intend to ask pertinent questions on a variety of subjects. In passing it might be observed that it is not unusual for meetings of the Corporation to fall through for want of a quorum.

FIRST MILITARY SHOW

COMING TO LIMERICK

If no other object were achieved than that of bringing in a composite display before the public the various component parts of the National defences of Eire, the promoters of the first military show to be presented in Dublin might have good reason to applaud themselves. But they have gone much further with "The Roll of the Drum," which, after a record-breaking run at the Theatre Royal, comes to the Savoy on October 14th. In fact, with the many exigencies of the present crisis, it was surprising that the authorities were enabled to fit in the additional work of preparing this splendid show. It is spectacular in many senses, and, apart from dealing with various sidelights of the National Army of to-day, culls a series of historical pictures from the past. Its most lavish scene depicts a passage of history extending over two thousand years, and the additional scenes embrace bright musical and vocal contributions. The show is, of course, leavened with a number of dancing and comedy items. The musical items in the production have been arranged by Colonel Fritz Bruse, Director, Army School of Music.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FIGURES

According to the report of the Department of Education for 1938-39, of the 5,127 primary schools in Eire, 704 were teaching all subjects in Irish and 2,411 were teaching partly through Irish. The total number of pupils on the rolls at the 30th June, 1939, was 469,972; the average daily attendance being 384,572. Students attending classes under vocational education schemes totalled 41,144. The pupils in secondary schools numbered 36,676, of whom 12,975 were boarders.

DEATH.

Dowling (nee Walsh), (Limerick) On September 18th, 1940, at her residence, 23 Wolfe Tone Street, Mary (Babe) Dowling, deeply regretted by her husband, children, sisters and brothers. Remains will be removed this (Wednesday) evening at 9 o'clock to St. Michael's Church, Funeral on Friday at 1 p.m. (new time) to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, Askeaton. R.I.P.