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things that would be of great help to him in the future. He again wished to thank all for their kindly wishes.

ABBEYFEALE MARKETS.

September 2nd—Farmers' butter, 1/2 per lb.; creamery, 1/6 per lb.; eggs, 1/6 per doz.; chickens, 10d. per lb.; old fowl, hens, etc., 7d. per lb.; geese, 2/6 each; ducks, 1/- each; potatoes (cheaper), 9d. and 10d. per stone; turf, 7/- to 8/6 per horse rail; meal, 35/- per sack of 20 stone; large supplies of fruit and vegetables.

FOUR FIRSTS

AT LIMERICK HORSE SHOW

The progeny of that celebrated sire, Quart Pot, the property of Mr. Patrick Lynch, Rathkeale, won four first prizes at the Limerick Horse Show.

Two foals, a two year old and a yearling caught the judge's eye and were awarded premier honours. Mr. Lynch, who is a very popular gentleman, is to be congratulated on his successes.

DEATH OF MISS E. O'DONNELL, ABBEYFEALE

The death of Miss Ellen O'Donnell, licensed trader of Church Street, Abbeyfeale, occurred after a fortnight's illness in a Limerick hospital. Deceased, who was 57, had been in indifferent health for some time past, and had been for a number of years engaged in business at Liselton prior to residing in Abbeyfeale. The attendance of the public and many relatives from Kerry and West Limerick at the conveyance of the remains from Limerick to St. Mary's Church, Abbeyfeale, and at the interment next day, was of large proportions. The prayers at the graveside were read by the Very Rev. T. Canon Hogan, P.P., V.F., and Rev. J. Houlihan, C.C.

Many expressions of sympathy were tendered to the relatives, and a number of Mass cards placed on the bier.

be a thoroughly modern and up-to-date building.

The Threshing Season.

The threshing season is in full swing in the district, and six tractors are now in operation in the Kilmallock area. The grain crop is abundant and of the best quality.

Crops In-General.

All root crops are doing very well in a bounteous harvest. The potato crop is a bumper one and the spray in combination with the dry weather has delayed the blight. It looks as if all previous records in yield will be broken.

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The Council refused to admit the Association's claim and took no part in the matter. The next move was with the Association, which, it is thought, may seek a legal decision on the matter.

FIRE-FIGHTING.

Towns with populations of over 1,000 will be supplied with fire-fighting appliances according to a letter from the Department of Defence read at the meeting.

Mr. McMahon said that only Ennis would be supplied in County Clare as it was the only town possessing over 1,000 requisite population. But a fire in Ennis would be just as tragic in a town of smaller population. In Kilmallock, for instance, which had a population of 3,000, three houses had been burned on Sunday morning. The Board of Health had prepared a scheme under which towns near each other were to be grouped and fire-fighting appliances provided and stationed at a central venue. The Board had ordered that the scheme be referred for approval to the County Council and he was surprised that that had not been done.

The Council adjourned further consideration pending receipt of the Board of Health scheme.

CONGRATULATIONS.

When distributing prizes to the winners at the conclusion of a very successful and enjoyable swimming gala at Lismore North Clare, on Sunday evening, Mr. J. Humphreys, Vice-President of the Lismore Branch of the Irish Swimming Association, warmly congratulated the organisers on the success of their efforts and specially mentioned Messrs. P. Lynch, N.T. (hon. sec.), P. Burke (hon. sec.), and Mr. H. Gillespie, County Swimming Instructor, who was mainly responsible for the high standard of swimming and life-saving instruction in Clare. Mr. Humphreys also congratulated Mr. H. Deeney, of Galway, for his magnificent performance in winning the Island Swim from Mr. P. Philpott, Cork, whom he beat on the post. He said it was one of the most thrilling races he had witnessed for a long time and the winner well deserved victory.

COLONEL'S VISIT.

Colonel Costello, O.C. of the 5th Command, Irish Army, paid a visit to Ennis on Tuesday, and discussed with the Chief Supt. Gilroy and Supt. P. H. matters affecting the Local Security Force, and the measures to be taken in conjunction with the regular forces.

WELL-KNOWN FRANCISCAN.

Among visitors to Lisdoonvarna last week was Rev. Father Edmond Sheehan, O.F.M., a native of Kerry, who ministered in Clare during troubled times, and was an ever loyal friend of the Irish Volunteers.

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