

...er have serious consequences.
"That in view of the foregoing the Minister for Supplies be requested to immediately permit turf to be brought into Limerick City and that it be pointed out that it is necessary that such permission be given immediately and not delayed as weather later in the year will add to the difficulties of transport."

The resolution was signed by the Clyde Shipping Company, R. Despard and Sons, Gabbett and Sons, Limerick Steamship Company, Mullock and Sons, Philip O'Donovan, Ltd., James Reidy, Sutton's, Ltd and Tedcastle, McCormick and Co., Ltd.

TURF BY BOAT FROM KILRUSH.

The Mayor said that the resolution was a most important one and the Council should do more than merely adopt it. He was approached recently by members of one of the parish councils of Muintir na Tire, who informed him that they were prepared to take turf and bring it by boat from Kilrush at the rate of 12,000 tons a month but were unable to get the permission of the Department. When he got in touch with the Department they were most helpful and gave him to understand unofficially that if licences were applied for they would be issued at once.

THE POSITION MOST SERIOUS.

Ald. Reidy, T.D., said the situation was very serious. Imports of coal had practically stopped and since last April 60 per cent. of the poorer population were entirely dependent on turf for fuel. If the Prohibition Order were continued there would be no turf at all because there was not sufficient in County Limerick to meet the needs of the people.

The Mayor suggested that the City Manager should forward the resolution to the Department in his capacity as County Commissioner.

"RIDICULOUS."

Mr. P. Bourke said he could not understand the reason for the prohibition on turf imports, and nobody else appeared to understand it either. The entire situation was ridiculous and should never have been initiated.

The Mayor's suggestion was adopted.

ST. MARY'S PARISH

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AND THE NATIONAL PASTIMES

When the police seized the second man he tried to get his hand into a pocket containing a loaded revolver.

GARDA CHIEF'S DEATH

The death took place at Waterford of Chief Superintendent Eamonn O'Duffy, Garda Siochana. A native of Knappagh, Westport, Co. Mayo, Chief Superintendent O'Duffy joined the force as Inspector in 1922 and became Chief Superintendent in 1923. He was stationed first at Bandon and later at Ennis, Tralee and Wexford. He was aged 44 and is survived by his widow and two children. He was prominently associated with the national movement throughout his life.

DEATH OF MRS. FROST

With much regret we announce the death of Mrs. Rose Frost, who passed away to-day in Limerick County Infirmary. The deceased, who was wife of Mr. Solomon Frost, Sanitary Inspector under Limerick Corporation, was highly and deservedly esteemed for her many admirable qualities and the news of her demise will come as a great shock to her wide circle of friends and acquaintances. To the bereaved husband, family and other relatives we extend our very sincere sympathy on their sorrow.

WATERFORD MYSTERY

Mystery surrounds the disappearance of Timothy Fitzgerald (30), Eire Army Engineer Corps, a native of Kerry, who has been missing since Saturday last. Fitzgerald was on furlough and visiting friends at Dunmore East, Co. Waterford. His civilian clothes were found at a spot close to where he is thought to have gone for a swim. The body had not been recovered up to yesterday evening.

MAYO MILL BLAZE

The saw mills of Messrs. Thomas Archer and Co., at Ballina, were completely destroyed by fire yesterday, the damage being estimated at several thousand pounds. Ballina auxiliary fire service did excellent work in preventing the fire from spreading to adjoining premises or to Messrs. Archer's shop in Knox Street. Castlebar auxiliary fire service arrived after the local force had the fire under control.

per cent. labour content.

HAD BEEN DECIDED ALREADY

The City Manager said he had considered the matter. Mr. Stenson and both a something would have to provide outdoor playground for the parish. The land owned by Father McCarthy was in extent and was acquired by the Corporation for housing purposes. Unusually very good class houses by and it would not be erect uneconomic houses in the vicinity. Even before the decision came before the Council had been decided to erect a public playground on the site it might be necessary to acquire some more land in the vicinity to make the job a good one.

A NEEDED FACILITY

The Mayor said that he had no doubt the Department would sanction this proposal and be satisfied that such a facility was needed in the area.

Mr. M. Tynan, solicitor, advised the need for a public playground.

Before withdrawing, Mr. McMahon, Chairman of Council, thanked the members for their attendance at the hearing.

The other members of Council present were Messrs. J. M. D. Murphy, N.T.

A GREAT LOSS

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LOSES HIGHLY ESTEEMED MEMBER

The Redemptorist Father, Mount St. Alphonsus, Limerick, a widely esteemed and respected member by the death of Edward O'Connor, C.S.R., passed away on Saturday at St. John's Hospital, Limerick. He was a native of Kildare, where he was born being thus 70 years of age. He was professed in England and was ordained there. He worked on the Redemptorist mission in Ireland, Scotland and Britain for over 40 years. He came to Limerick about two years ago. Office and Requiem Mass were offered up in the parish Church, Limerick, at 10 o'clock on Monday.

The Mass was celebrated by Rev. Bernard Gorey, S.J., diocesan, Dublin; deacon, J. Tronson, C.S.S.R.; sub-deacon, J. Scott, C.S.S.R.; Rev. J. J. C.S.S.R., was master of ceremonies.