

to twine, as the fishermen were unable to get it to make nets.

The proposition was passed un-animously.

### ANGLERS' COMPLAINT.

Maigue Anglers' Association wrote asking for an inquiry into allegations of poisoning of the Mahore by creamery affluent. They added that last year casual anglers on the Maigue and Camogue made wholesale slaughter of salmon smolts and they asked that this variety of poaching should be stopped.

The Secretary said that he had been informed by the Department that small streams were not regarded as important in comparison with the importance of the creameries, and the view of the Department was that during the emergency they were not going to allow anything to interfere with the creameries. The Department did not intend to make any trouble with a creamery over small matters.

### GOOD SEASON AHEAD.

Inspector Breen, in his monthly report, stated that the salmon catches in the lower Shannon were very good, and there was every prospect of a good season. Some of the Limerick anglers had done well, and one man had landed 14 salmon near Ardnacrusha.

### FIRM FINED.

Messrs. George Wimpey & Co., Ltd., contractors, of Denhain, Bucks. were fined £110 at Beaconsfield for employing three men other than through an employment exchange. A departmental mistake was responsible, it was stated.

### A LUCKY FIND

Workmen at Clonsast peatworks unearthed an old box containing 300 sovereigns. The box was found beneath what had been the floor of an old farmstead, the last occupant of which died about 50 years ago.

turf sold and revenue from the sale of turf banks realised £24,202, while the estimated value of turf in bogs was £23,086. Expenditure on bog roads, turbary fees, etc., amounted to £15,988. The debit balance on the turf account stood at £6,690.

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## OFFERTORY BOX

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### STOLEN FROM CITY CHURCH

Sometime during the night an offertory box was stolen from the Augustinian Church. It is not known how much money the box contained, but it is possible that the sum was not less than £2 in coppers. The offertory box was placed in the temporary passage leading from O'Connell Street into the finished part of the church and all the thief or thieves had to do was to scale the hoarding.

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### GARDENING TALKS AND DEMONSTRATIONS

Mr. J. J. O'Carroll, horticultural instructor under the Co. Limerick Vocational Education Committee, will give a talk and demonstration on gardening in the garden attached to the City Technical Institute on Friday evening next, from 7.30 to 8.30. The talks and demonstrations will be continued at the same hours on every second Friday. They afford the amateur gardener a fine opportunity of acquiring very useful knowledge.

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### DEATH.

Conlan—On March 18th, at Barrington's Hospital, Mary Anne Conlan, relict of the late Patrick Conlan, 6 Garryowen Villas. Remains will be removed this (Wednesday) evening to St. John's Cathedral at 8.15 p.m. Funeral to-morrow (Thursday) at 3 p.m. to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery, R.I.P.