

## FOR VISITORS TO KILKEE

At a meeting of Kilkee Town Commissioners, Mr. P. Hassett, P.C., chairman, presiding,

The Town Clerk said that following the discussion at their previous meeting he sent a letter to the Department of Supplies asking that provision be made for tourists visiting Kilkee in the way of bread and flour supplies. When no reply was received he sent a telegram asking for a reply and then a letter arrived stating that an official of the Department was visiting Kilkee and the area for the purpose of investigating the position. On that morning an official called on him and told him he had arrived for the purpose of investigating the whole matter.

This was considered satisfactory.

### RAISED TO DIGNITY OF CANON.

The Rev. Father P. D. Leahy, P.P., of Poole, Dorsetshire, has been elevated to the dignity of Canon of the Cathedral Chapter by the Bishop of the diocese. Father Leahy, who was educated in Carlow, is a brother of the Rev. Father Michael Leahy, P.P., Bulgaden, Kilmallock; of Mr. Denis Leahy, Avondale, Charleville, and of the late Father David Leahy, P.P., Rotherhithe, London, and Mr. John Leahy, Railway Station, Charleville.

### CROOM MERCHANT'S DEATH.

The death occurred with tragic suddenness of Mr. John Carmody, merchant, Bridge Street, Croom. Deceased had been in good health and engaged in his shop when he had a seizure, to which he succumbed a few hours later. A native of Kilfinny, he carried on a cycle and leather and general business for many years at Croom. He was well known in business circles and was held in high regard by all. He is survived by his widow, to whom the sincerest sympathy is extended.

### DEATH OF MR. J. CANTY

The death took place yesterday of Mr. John Canty, a former member of the Limerick Corporation. He was in failing health for some time past and his death did not come unexpectedly. The deceased, who was a popular figure in Labour circles, played a prominent part in the formation and training of the National Volunteers in Limerick. It should also be mentioned that the late Mr. Canty was a member for many years of the old Limerick Board of Guardians.

## UNFIT FOR MAN OR BEAST

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### CONDITION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS

At the Irish Trades Union Congress at Bundoran on Friday, a motion was passed urging that the cost of erecting National Schools should be provided by the State and be maintained by the Public Health authorities.

Mr. M. Coleman, Limerick, President of the I.N.T.O., said that all over the country were schools unfit for either man or beast. He knew one school condemned in 1876 which was still in use. A demolition squad should be sent round the country to demolish these hovels.

### OLD AGE PENSIONS COMMITTEE.

Mr. John T. Culhane presided at a meeting of Glin Old Age Pensions Committee, the others present being Messrs. T. Fitzgerald, P.C.; Maurice O'Shaughnessy, P. Costello, J. Hogan, and William Dillane. The Clerk placed six claims before the meeting and full pension was allowed in respect of each.

### COMING BACK FROM ROME.

Amongst a number of Irish priests coming back from Rome is Rev. James Cronin, D.D., C.S.Sp., a native of Askeaton, Co. Limerick. Before going to Rome Father Cronin taught for two years in Trinidad. He later attended the Pontifical French Seminary and the Gregorian University in Rome. He will be sent to Nigeria in the autumn.

### RAILWAY STATION FIRE.

About 5 o'clock yesterday morning the goods store and a goods train at Nenagh railway station were found to be on fire. Despite the efforts of the Nenagh Fire Brigade the whole store and seven wagons and their contents were completely destroyed.

### ANOTHER PUBLIC BODY GOES.

Following a recent sworn inquiry into the affairs of Kilkenny Corporation, the Minister for Local Government has abolished that body. The municipal business of the city will now be in the hands of Mr. Simon J. Moynihan, who is at present administering the affairs of Kilkenny Co. Council.

training school chosen by Miss Casey.

### SHOULD BE CONSISTENT.

The Mayor said that the Committee should be consistent and accept the findings of the Department.

Dr. Burke said that Miss Casey had not the recognised qualifications.

Father O'Brien—Miss Casey's training school is only technically debarred from recognition.

Chairman—When Miss Casey was trained there was no recognised training school, and, unfortunately, the school Miss Casey attended is not the one now recognised.

Dr. Burke—The whole trouble is that Miss Casey has not the recognised qualifications and the Department will not sanction her.

On the proposition of the Mayor, Miss Barry was unanimously appointed.

## TRIPS BY RIVER

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### LIMERICK TO KILRUSH

Some time ago the Kilkee Town Commissioners made a request to the Shannon Steamship Company to take passengers to and from Limerick by their steamer from Kilrush.

At the last meeting of the Commissioners a letter was received from Mr. Glynn, one of the directors of the Company, stating that he had gone into the matter carefully and had to abandon the idea of doing so on an extensive scale owing to the interruption of their goods carrying services, which must be maintained at full pressure. Under existing conditions they were not allowed to carry more than twelve passengers, and this they were prepared to do when sailing suited.

The letter was marked "approved."

### SUSPENSORY SENTENCE

John Hogan, of Rine, Tulla, who was found guilty by a jury at Clare Circuit Court of receiving three gates and a grind stone, agreed to pay £12 8s. towards the costs incurred by the prosecution. He was given a suspensory sentence of six months by Judge O'Donnell and bound to the peace for 12 months.

### DEATH.

Canty—On Sunday, July 19, 1942, in the City Hospital, John Canty, Watergate, Limerick. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Remains will be removed from City Hospital on this (Monday) evening at 6 o'clock to St. Michael's Church. Funeral tomorrow (Tuesday) at 3 o'clock to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery.