

INVESTMENT OF IRISH MONEY

The Editor, "Limerick Leader.")
Dear Sir—The present war has put the Irish people the danger of investing their money in foreign countries, and the great need that there is of having an institution in Ireland and where they could invest their money safely and get reasonable dividends at the same time. Many people were induced, by the rate that was offered, to invest their money in Belgium and other foreign countries, only to find out when these countries were invaded their investments went up in smoke. Now, if we had in Ireland an institution such as a Co-Operative Banking Co., the people would have a chance of investing their money safely and building up the country at the same time by encouraging industry.

Some people will say that they do not like investing their money in Ireland because we have so many strikes here. Well, Australia has shown how to overcome this difficulty by establishing Arbitration Courts, where employer and employee get a fair hearing. Why not the same system be established in Ireland?—Yours truly,
D. McGANN,
Darragh, Ennis.

A PAPAL COUNT

The conferring of a Papal nobility, which carries with it the title of Count, on Right Rev. James Troy, a native of Listowel, has given the greatest pleasure to the people of Glin (writes our Glin correspondent). Five of seven members of the Troy family have been blessed with religious vocations and many near relatives, including two first cousins—Mrs. Margaret McCoy and Mr. T. Cosgrove—live in the Glin district.

MILK CONTRACT

The Dublin Board of Assistance on Wednesday accepted a tender of Ballyclough Co-Operative Creamery, Ltd., Mallow, Co. Cork, for 100,000 gallons of new milk delivered weekly at St. Kevin's Hospital, Dublin, for the period November to April at 1/9½ per gallon.

The Chairman, Mr. P. J. Feely, paid a very deserving tribute to Dr. Feely for the interest he took in the club.

Mr. J. Wixted also spoke in glowing terms of the doctor's activities in looking after the club's interests, and on behalf of the club wished him and Mrs. Feely every happiness.

Dr. Feely very suitably replied.

AWARDED FIRST PRIZE

For the fourth successive year Killonan, County Limerick, Railway Station has been awarded 1st prize for the most tastefully laid-out railway station in the country. The stationmaster, Mr. Matthew Prior, who is putting into effect the company's policy of brighter stations, has displayed considerable artistry and patience in the arrangements of shrubs and flowers along the platform.

LATE MRS. E. O'SHAUGHNESSY

The death of Mrs. Elizabeth O'Shaughnessy, widow of the late Mr. Michael O'Shaughnessy, Curragh, Loughill, which took place during the week, is deeply regretted. She was a member of a highly esteemed West Limerick family, and throughout her life she endeared herself to her neighbours and hosts of friends by her goodness and kindness of heart.

BUILDING ACCIDENT

While engaged in the erection of a kiln for the Mitchelstown Co-Operative Society on Saturday last, a young man named Jeremiah Carey, of Coolenave, slipped off the scaffolding and fell a distance of about 25 feet, sustaining a broken hand and leg. He was immediately conveyed to Fermoy Co. Hospital, where he is progressing as well as can be expected.

AFRICAN MISSIONS

During the week-end, Father J. Lee, African Missions, Cork, visited the parish of Shanagolden in an effort to enrol promoters. At first Mass at Foynes last Sunday he made an eloquent appeal for support for the Missions. His visit to the parish proved very successful.

The following were elected members of the Committee—Messrs. T. J. Frost, J. Deegan, U.C.; F. E. Dowling, P. C. McManus, T. Healy and J. G. O'Donnell. Mrs. T. D. Cooper, Provincial Bank, Limerick, were elected honorary members of the club in view of their interest in its progress while stationed in Ennis. Congratulations were tendered to Dr. P. Moylan on his election as president of the Contract Branch Association of Ireland.

BRILLIANT SUCCESSES

At the autumn examinations in University College, Galway, the B.A. (Honours—Principal Subjects) Degree Examination, Timothy Ryan was successful in securing first-class honours. Ryan, who obtained honours in his University examinations, was also successful last June when he secured the degree of B.Com. again with first-class honours. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ryan, Caherline House, Lisnacrogha, Co. Limerick.

FOYNES CINEMA

Foynes has made its nearest approach yet to possessing a cinema of its own, as the result of an agreement between the Foynes Improvements Association and the Ennis Gazette. Modern sound equipment has been installed in the hall, and it is intended to show first-class pictures, thrice weekly on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. First film, "Thou Shalt Kill," was shown on last Monday night, and proved very successful.

RED CROSS SUPPLIES FOR FOYNES

A large quantity of material for the use of the new casualty hospital at Foynes has been delivered by the Irish Red Cross Society to the branch. The material, which includes six beds, tube of oxygen, about one hundred blankets, large quantities of dressings and bandages, were handed over to Miss G. Moroney, Assistant Co-ordinator, by Miss M. Morris, Secretary, to Miss M. Morris, Secretary of Foynes Branch, at Dr. Hill, M.O.