

Joseph O'Sullivan, Clogough, who pleaded guilty to obtaining £1 13/4 unemployment benefit, by making false statements, was fined 10/-.

## AN APPRECIATION

The late Mr. Michael J. Casey, 105 Upper Dorset Street and 124 Upper Drumcondra Road, Dublin, who died on July 30th last, was a member of a very highly respected family of the farming community in the parish of Glenroe, County Limerick. He carried on a very successful business in Dublin, and by his outstanding qualities had gained for himself from the various manufacturers and general public the highest esteem and very widespread popularity. An exemplary Catholic and a very charitable gentleman, he gave generously and quietly. He was always one of the first to contribute to every worthy cause. His word was his bond.

## THE "WET TIME" ACT.

Since April, 1943, about £38,000 has been contributed to the benefit funds under the Intermittent Employment Act—the Wet Time Act—for workers in the building trade, who lose time through inclement weather, says a statement from the Congress of Irish Unions. Since then £13,000 has been paid out to workers. A deputation from the Congress has asked the Department of Industry and Commerce for higher benefits under the Act.

## NUNS AT HOME.

The following Sisters of the Mercy Order have availed of a month's holiday to visit their friends in the Kilmallock district—Sister Clare Joseph and Sister M. Benedict, both of Brentwood, Essex; Sister Alphonsus and Sister Brigid, both of Greenhight, Kent, and Sister M. Kevin of Gravesend, Kent.

## IRISH DELEGATE FOR PARIS

Mr. Gilbert Lynch, President of the Irish Trade Union Congress, will attend the World Trade Union Con-

he would impose only a suspensory sentence of two months' imprisonment.

## DEATH TRAP DISAPPEARS

Recommendations made by a jury, following the recent tragedy at Windmill Street, when a member of the Gardai was killed, have had their effect. The low wall running along the end of the street, over which the deceased Guard was thrown when his bicycle struck it, has been raised to a safe height, while a concrete wall guards the approach to the steps leading down to the Dock Road.

## FARM LABOURER INJURED.

When William Ahern, of Effin, was standing on a load of sheaves of corn, built on a hay-float, the horse attached moved suddenly a step or two. The driver lost his balance and was thrown violently to the ground. He suffered from head injuries, necessitating his removal to hospital, where he is progressing.

## BROTHER-PRIESTS AT HOME

Rev. Father Jarlath, O.F.M., Liverpool, and Rev. Father Patrick Dwane, East Ludworth, Dorset, are at present spending their annual holidays with their brother, Mr. John Dwane, merchant, Main Street, Hospital. Both priests, when possible, find great pleasure in again visiting their native country, and meeting friends of their youthful days.

## LOSS TO GLENSTAL PRIORY.

Very Rev. Dom Idesbald Rye-landt, D.Phil., Prior of St. Columba's Benedictine Priory, Glenstal, County Limerick, has left Ireland to become Prior of the Benedictine House, Maredous, Belgium. He succeeds the late Dom L. Harmel, a victim of the Buchenwald Camp.

## TANNERY NOTICE WITHDRAWN

It is learned that as the result of a slight easement of the position with regard to the shortage of hides, the notice of suspension of service served by Messrs. O'Callaghan and Son, Ltd., City Tannery