

Other Polycarp Lenihan filled positions of Superior and Headmaster for 31 years during his long career, and, as such, had charge of the De La Salle Schools in Clontarf, Leix; St. Stephen's, Clontarf; St. Patrick's, Killybegs; St. John's, Ballaghaderreen, Roscommon, and the Monastery of Downpatrick, Co. Down. He received the Apostolic Blessing from His Holiness the Pope on the occasion of his jubilee.

LIMERICK WEDDING

The wedding took place at St. Stephen's Church, Limerick, on Wednesday morning of Mr. Hilary O'Brien, son of Mrs. O'Brien and the late Mr. Paul O'Brien, B.C., Mayor, and Miss Eithne Fitzgibbon, younger daughter of Edward Fitzgibbon, painter and decorator, and the late Mrs. Fitzgibbon. The ceremony, with Nuptial Mass, was performed by Rev. Dr. O'Sullivan, per. Adm. St. Michael's. Miss Eithne Fitzgibbon, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, and Mr. W. J. O'Sullivan, M.P.S.I., Dublin, was best

man. Both the bride and bridegroom are well known in amateur theatrical circles in Limerick, having been prominently identified with the activities of the College Play-acting society for several years.

After the ceremony a reception was held at Ardhu House Hotel, Limerick, during which Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien left for County Cork.

MOTOR CAR OVER CLIFF.

A Hackney motor car, driven by James Irwin, Adare, Co. Sligo, was accompanied by his wife and Miss Currid, of Tourlestrane, which rolled over the cliff at Inniscrone, and crashed about 15 feet below. The car was wrecked, but the occupants escaped with only minor injuries.

AFTER TEN YEARS

Sister Dymphna, Convent of Mercy, Clontarf, eldest daughter of Mr. Robert Howard, Killeen, Ballybeg, is at present enjoying a holiday at home after an absence of ten years. Rev. James Howard, brother of Sister Dymphna, has just returned to his mission in the States.

FIANNA FAIL.

At a meeting of the Joseph Bonoghue Cumann, Dominic St., Limerick, a resolution was passed, urging on the Government to increase Old Age Pensions, to better conditions for the unemployed, a bonus scheme for all workers, and a fortnight's holiday with pay. O'Brien, Sec.

The proceedings terminated with the singing of the National Anthem.

BRILLIANT LIMERICK MEN

(To the Editor, "Limerick Leader.")

Dear Sir—Some time ago the Old Limerick Society decided to erect a memorial over the grave of Maurice Lenihan in Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. Through the columns of your journal, I would suggest that a tablet be placed in the facade of the house in Catherine St. where the historian died. Apart from his History of Limerick, Lenihan deserves to be remembered by the people of this city and county.

Another Limerick man who should not be forgotten is Gerald Griffin. It would be a good idea to let the present generation know where he was born in Church St. by placing a tablet in the wall where the house stood.

The Irish Historical Society (of which Michael MacDonagh was a member) placed a tablet in Gerald Griffin St. to commemorate the memory of John Francis O'Donnell, another gifted poet and journalist.

Yours truly,

J. GLEESON.

DEATH OF MR. E. LUDLOW

The death has occurred of Mr. Edmond Ludlow, shipping broker, Limerick. Nearly half a century ago Mr. Ludlow, an Englishman, took up residence in Limerick and quickly established a reputation for himself as a businessman of acumen and ability. For many years he was Limerick agent for the Arnold Bratt (Swedish) Shipping Company and had, besides, many other connections in the maritime world. Deep sympathy will be extended to the widow in her bereavement.

MARTIN THORNTON FINED.

Martin Thornton, the Irish heavy-weight boxer, was at Clifden, Co. Galway, Court on Wednesday fined £50, mitigated to £12 10s. by Deputy Justice Ryan for failing to affix entertainment tax stamps on a number of admission tickets for an entertainment sponsored by him in Clifden on March 16th last.

SOME COLLECTOR!

The rate collector to Ceanannus Mor (Meath) Urban Council collected and lodged 98.5 per cent. of the total rates due. The balance—1.5 per cent.—represented irrecoverable rates.

FEWER UNEMPLOYED.

Unemployment figures for 1st September, 1945, 42,817 (against 43,497 last year); 25th August, 1945, 43,064 (against 43,557); 18th August 1945, 44,240 (against 45,250).

CROP OF BLACKBERRIES

now becomes the absolute property of Mr. Anthony Scannell, Clontarf, than whom there is no more popular sportsman in the province. The Gelston Cup, for the best turned out pony and rider, went to Miss Lavender Berry. The Bismackeogh Cup for the most points in flower classes, was won by F. J. Cleeve, while Lord A. Scannell secured the prize for most points in vegetable classes. Copsewood College carried off first prize for Worcester Permain apples and the heaviest vegetable market was Miss T. O'Carroll, Hillcrest, Ballysheedy, was an easy first.

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SPLENDID WORK.

The specimens of the works of arts and crafts on display at the Show, and which were executed by pupils attending Vocational schools in the county, were much admired. The various articles in their construction reached a very high standard of excellence reflecting the highest credit on pupils and their teachers. It is a pity that prizes could not be given to all, but as this was not possible the judges were obliged to name the winners on their own. The following were successful—Miss M. Madigan, Miss Treacy, Miss M. O'Donovan, Miss M. McMahon, Miss K. Ferris from Shanagolden; Miss L. O'Connell, Foynes; Terence Nunan, Clontarf, and L. Bowen, Croom.

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DID WELL.

Two Limerickmen, Messrs. Moran and M. J. F. Moroney, were successful at the Intermediate Examination held under the aegis of the Association of Certified Corporate Accountants. Mr. P. Clery, Ennis, took first place for prize in the final examination (section one). Their many friends in Limerick will extend their congratulations to Messrs. Moran and Moroney on their meritorious success. In passing, it might be observed that the class in