

BUSY SEASON

Limerick Musical Club

The seventh annual general meeting of the Limerick Musical Club was held in the George Hotel Tuesday, Mr. M. H. Franklin, B., presiding.

The following report on the season 1945 was presented to the members by Miss Mary Duggan on behalf of the Committee:

The Committee have pleasure in presenting to the members their report on the activities of the Limerick Musical Club for its seventh season. They wish to thank all members whose continued support during the difficult past years made it possible to keep the going in spite of the many restrictions necessarily imposed as a result of the war. They trust that membership will now increase and the club may be able to continue to function for many years to come. The membership now stands at 111.

During the past season six recitals were given from October to April, 1945, and the string orchestra under the baton of Mr. M. H. Franklin, with Mr. Granville Malfe as leader, again gave an account of itself, appearing at five of the six recitals. The Committee once more would ask members to endeavour to get string players to join the orchestra.

During the season thirty members of the club appeared at the six recitals, exclusive of the members of the orchestra, and of taking part in the vocal ensemble. The latter appeared in the March and April, 1945, programmes, and were much appreciated. In each case an item was provided with accompaniment by the orchestra. It is interesting to note that music by 48 different composers, ranging from early classical to modern, was heard at the six recitals given.

The officers and committee for 1946 to be elected to-night will be very glad if suggestions will be sent to them in connection with the management of the club in the future, and in particular they ask members to come forward at any time and volunteer items for performance at any of the recitals during the coming season.

The report was adopted unanimously. A statement of accounts, which showed the club to be sound financially, was explained by Mr. D. R.

The following officers and committee were elected for 1946:

SCALE OF CHARGES.

Birth, Marriage, Death, in Memoriam, Acknowledgment and Engagement Announcements—Rate—4/6 for 50 words. Additional words, 1d.; minimum, 4/6.
Votes of Sympathy—Rate, 2/- (prepaid) for 50 words. Additional words, 3d. per line; minimum charge, 2/-.
Funeral Reports—3/6 per inch space occupied (nine lines).
Marriage Reports, Personal and Business Paragraphs, Public Announcements in news columns, 6d. per line. Charges for all such items and announcements must be prepaid.

DEATH.

NOLAN—On September 9th, 1945, at St. John's Hospital, Charlotte Nolan, R.G.N., of 56, O'Connell Street. Deeply regretted. Funeral took place on Tuesday to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery after 10.30 Mass. (15p)

IN MEMORIAM.

AHERN (Seventeenth Anniversary)—In loving memory of Edward (Ned) Ahern, High Road, Thomondgate, Limerick, who died on 1st September, 1928. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered. (15)

BOURKE (Eighteenth Anniversary)—In sad and loving memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Bourke, who died on the 11th of September, 1927. Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her soul.—Inserted by Nan. (15p)

BRAZIER (Third Anniversary)—In loving memory of Walter Brazier, 22, Lord Edward St., Limerick, who died on September 15th, 1942. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Mass offered.—Inserted by his loving family. (15c)

BYRNES (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of my dear husband, Frank, 13, St. Patrick's Road, Limerick, who died on September 16th, 1944. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered.

Long days and nights he bore great pain,
 Tried for cure, but all in vain;
 But God above had thought it best
 To take him home with him to rest.
 —Inserted by his loving wife and family. (15p)

CLANCY (Sixth Anniversary)—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Annie Clancy, 24, Edward Street, who died on 9th September, 1939. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. R.I.P. Masses offered.

How hard it is to part with those
 We hold on earth so dear.
 The heart no greater trial knows,
 No sorrow more severe.
 You left behind some aching hearts
 That never did, nor never can
 Forget you, mother dear.

Inserted by her loving husband, daughters, son-in-law and grand-children. (15p)

COUGHLAN (Fifth Anniversary) In loving memory of Peter Coughlan, 1, Duggan's Court, Davis Street, Limerick, who died on September 15th, 1940. R.I.P. And on whose soul, may God have mercy.—Fondly remembered and sadly missed by his loving family. (15p)

GLYNN (Ninth Anniversary)—In fond and loving memory of Sean Glynn, 69, Pennywell, who died in Arbour Hill Detention Barracks, Dublin, on September 13th, 1936. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Masses offered.—Inserted by his loving parents, sisters and brother. (15p)

GRAY (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Annie Gray, who died on September 13th, 1944. On her soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered.

To those who have a mother—
 Treasure her with care.
 For you'll never know her value
 Till you see her vacant chair.

—Inserted by her loving daughter, Kit; husband and grand-children. (15p)

GRAY (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of my dear mother, Annie Gray, who died September 13th, 1944. Sacred Heart of

MARKET PRICE

Breadstuffs—Flour (bakers), per sack; retail, 64/6 per sack; wholemeal, 62/- per sack; oatmeal, 5/- per stone; flake oatmeal, per stone.

LIMERICK MARKETS—Saturday

Butter—2/4 per lb.
Hen Eggs—3/- to 3/6 per doz.
Duck Eggs—3/- to 3/6 per doz.
Chickens—9/- to 13/- per pair.
Ducks—5/- to 7/- per pair.
Old Fowl—8/- to 10/- per pair.
Apples—5/- to 8/- per basket cooking apples, 3/- to 5/- per basket.
Potatoes—1/- to 1/4 per stone.
Rye Hay—150/- to 160/- per ton.
Upland Hay—120/- to 140/- per ton.

Corcass Hay—85/- to 100/- per ton.

Weekly Cattle Market—There were 32 calves in market; they sold at from 7/6 to 90/- each.

THE PADDOCKS, LIMERICK

WEEKLY DAIRY MARKET.

Tuesday, September 11th—Considerably increased numbers. The proportion of cows more than heifers. A strong and most representative attendance, and purchasers had a number of choice cows and heifers to select from; the entry being the best seen at the Paddocks for some time. Business optimistic; a steady and even trade ruled for the right stamp of cow or heifer, which were quickly. Choice cows attracting ready attention and evoked spirited competition; buyers being willing to give top rates for top quality. Active demand for choice and promising cows and more of this class could have been secured. There were a number of buyers present who were buying such. Choice heifers also drew keen competition at the higher rates; and nicely priced promising soft heifers with colour were wanted and bid for. Choice lots were keenly competed for; purchasers willing to give best prices and full values. More of this class looked for. Mr. John McDonnell, Killeen, Kilmoran, opened the market for dairy cows at £42 10s., runner-up being Mr. A. Griffin, Clorane, Climo, at £38 10s. In the in-calf heifer section Major and Mrs. Hastings, Friarstown, Limerick, gained premier honours at £43, and for two particularly choice in-calf heifers which attracted marked attention. Competitively on the points of value and merit prices were the highest touched this season. A substantial volume of business transacted, and very good clearance effected. The turnover showing 50 per cent. increase on the corresponding sale last year. Dairy cows, choice, £35 to £42 10s.; promising, £28 to £34 10s. ordinary, £18 10s. to £27; in-calf heifer choice, £34 10s. to £43; promising, £27 to £34 ordinary, £18 10s. to £25 10s.; small, £14 to £18.—Wm. B. Fitt & Co., Auctioneers.

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WEEKLY CATTLE AND SHEEP MARKET.

Wednesday, September 12th—Cattle—Substantially increased supplies, and a fairly good show; which included some nice handy weight beef heifers and bullocks. Representative attendance of buyers. Beef met a steady and