

him and he kept moving, then he felt a kind of brush on the left hand side of the car, and remarked the fact to his companion. They stopped the car and both himself and his companion went back to the spot where they found Mr. Raleigh. If the glare of the lights on the other car had not come on as they did he would have got away.

PULLED UP IMMEDIATELY.

Replying to Supt. Kelly, defendant said he did not see the man on the road until he came within about 30 yards of him. He was on the grass margin, and he (defendant) was on the road. The man came out of the grass margin a bit on the road sometime before the accident. Witness was going very slow at the time and pulled up immediately about 6 yards away.

The Justice said he did not think it was a case of dangerous driving, and he would dismiss the summons.

DIED ON WAY HOME

When returning on Friday from duty at Clare Mental Hospital, where he was an attendant, Edward Grace collapsed and died on the roadside within a few hundred yards of his home in Francis Street, Ennis. Death was due to heart failure.

Deceased was an old I.R.A. man and a brilliant inter-county hurler. He was left full-back in the team that won the All-Ireland Hurling Championship in 1914. He was a native of O'Callaghan's Mills, East Clare, and leaves a widow to mourn his loss.

DEATHS.

MEEHAN—At her residence, 18 Sand Mall, 26/5/46, Bridget Meehan. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral from St. Mary's Church to-morrow (Tuesday), at 3 o'clock, to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery.

O'CONNOR—May 27th, 1946, at his residence, 8, St. Francis Place, Thomond Dwellings, Limerick, Patrick O'Connor; deeply regretted by his wife, daughters and relatives. R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock this (Monday) evening. Funeral to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery on Wednesday at 3 o'clock.

QUAID—May 27th, 1946, at her residence, 19 Garryowen, Limerick, Maria Quaid (late of Askeaton). Deeply regretted. R.I.P. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday) at 3 o'clock from St. John's Cathedral to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery. (American papers, please copy).

ous young savage who deserved to be kept under restraint.

Accused was sentenced to six months imprisonment with hard labour.

WENT OUT TO SHOP

FOUND NEW TENANTS ON RETURN

A woman in Ennis (writes our correspondent there) went out of her home to do some shopping and on her return found her home in Old Mill Street occupied by an ex-soldier and his wife duly installed as new tenants. It appears that Mr. M. Daffy, the original tenant of the house—which incidentally is a condemned dwelling with a large sized hole in the roof—went to England some months ago. During his absence a relative allowed a woman named Miss Falvey to reside in the house. She remained in undisturbed possession until Mr. Daffy's return. He, it is stated, let the house to the ex-soldier, who took possession some evenings ago, when Miss Falvey was out shopping. On her return there was an interesting exchange of views but those of Miss Falvey prevailed. The ex-soldier and his wife left the house, possession of which is still enjoyed by Miss Falvey.

HAD GOOD RECORD

BUT NUMBER THIRTEEN WAS UNLUCKY!

Summoned at Ennis Court for a breach of the licensing laws, Mrs. Catherine Frawley, Clarecastle, was fined £5. Thirteen men were found on the premises during prohibited hours.

Evidence was given that after arriving in Clarecastle from a hurling match at Newmarket they met the defendant's husband and pleaded with him for a drink. He obliged.

Supt. Flynn attributed the breach to foolishness, and Mr. T. A. Lynch, solicitor, defending, said the house had been licensed for 81 years, and was the oldest licensed premises in Clarecastle. There had been only one previous conviction.

The men found on the premises were fined from 5/- to 7/6—the smaller fine applying to those who appeared.

Supt. J. S. Flynn who prosecuted, said the obvious reason for the crash was excessive speed.

District Justice Gleeson agreed and said he had sympathy with the defendant, who would not be fit to drive a car on the Rineanna road until he took a more serious view of his responsibilities to the public. In all such cases in future the drivers' licences would be suspended for long periods.

Mr. I. M. Houlihan defended.

RIVER CLOGGED

THE FERGUS AT ENNIS

The River Fergus at Ennis, with its accumulation of bones and carcasses (writes our Ennis correspondent), may become as famous as the song, "Old Man River." For the umpteenth time the matter was discussed at a special meeting of the local Urban Council.

Mr. Sean O'Farrell (presiding) complained that £30 voted for cleaning the river, which runs through the centre of the town, was not sufficient to complete the work. In proof of this statement, he appealed to Mr. W. Burke and asked him was his portion of the river cleaned yet.

"Not at all," replied Mr. Burke, "there is the finest collection of bones, carcasses of dead dogs, and other animals near my place that you ever saw."

The Clerk (Mr. M. J. Carmody) said ten or twelve cart-loads of bones had already been removed from the river, and £30 had been sufficient to clean it in other years. "Maybe," said Mr. E. Monahan, "but over at the Club Bridge they have made a bank or dump near a sewer pipe and it effectively clogs the river more than ever. In view of that, it is no wonder 'thirty quid' will not now clean the river."

The matter was referred to the County Manager (Mr. D. O'Keefe), who was authorised to incur additional expenditure, if necessary, to clean the river properly.

NEWCASTLE WEST GOLF CLUB

A team representing Newcastle West Golf Club (gents) travelled to Doneraile, on Sunday, to meet Mitchelstown Club in a league match. After an interesting series of games the Newcastle West team won by five games to two. At the Killeline Links Mrs. M. Leonard, with a nett score of 68 (27) won the O'Shaughnessy Cup. Mrs. O'Brien 69 (28) was second,

man; Ald. D. Bourke, T.D.; Ald. J. Carew, and Messrs. S. J. K. Roycroft, P. O'Malley, J. P. Goodbody, M. McGuire, B.C.; E. Holliday, A. E. Goodwin, P. J. Donnellan, B.C.; P. Whelan, B.C.; G. B. Dillon, B.C.; M. McMahon, Officials—Mr. D. O'Brien, Secretary; Mr. T. F. O'Sullivan, Harbour Engineer, and Captain C. J. Hanrahan, Harbour Master.

RELIGIOUS LIFE

RECEPTIONS IN CLARE

His Lordship, Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, Bishop of Killaloe, presided at the Investiture Ceremony at St. Michael's Convent, Sisters of Charity of the Incarnate Word, Carrigoran, Newmarket-on-Fergus, Co. Clare, when the following were received into the Order:—Miss Bridget Fitzgerald, Doolin, Co. Clare (Sister M. Killian); Miss Ita Hartigan, Ballagh, Charleville, Co. Limerick (Sister M. Hubert); Miss Bridget Stack, Newtownsandes, Co. Kerry (Sister M. Francesca Cabrini); Miss Maureen Hillary, Woodlawn, Co. Galway (Sister M. Frederick).

The Convent at Carrigoran supplies Sisters for nursing and teaching in the Convents of the Order in California, Texas and Louisiana, in the United States.

MADE A DAME OF THE HOLY SEPULCHRE

Before leaving Rome, where her husband was Minister to the Holy See, Mrs. T. J. Kiernan (Delia Murphy) was made a Dame of the Holy Sepulchre. A farewell party for Dr. and Mrs. Kiernan and family was held in the Christian Brothers' House in Rome, and presentations were made to them by the Irish colony in that city.

HIS 111th BIRTHDAY

A farm worker in Russia celebrated his 111th birthday on Friday. His eighty-two grandchildren and great-grandchildren sent him greeting telegrams. Forty-seven of his descendants fought in the war.

CHEAPER CEMENT

Cement Ltd. has further reduced the price of cement by 2/6 a ton as from to-day. This is the fourth reduction made since December, the aggregate cuts since that date being 10/-.

The percussion effects in this piece, with its varying changes of mood and tempo, were most effective.

No. 5—Following this we had a fine rendering of Schubert's immortal song, "The Erl King," sung by Mr. Penny, with full orchestral accompaniment. Conductor, vocalist, and orchestra, were in happy accord, and the result was a revelation. I state this without reserve, having in mind the artistic and technical ability required in this song. No. 5—The last item in the programme, "The Dance of the Hours" (Ponchielli). In this piece the conductor gave an interpretation par excellence. Here he seemed to get the very best out of his orchestra, and the tremendous applause which greeted this final number was richly merited. The whole performance was, indeed, worthy of the proud cultural tradition of the Society of Jesus.—J.M.K.

COLLECTOR COMPLIMENTED

Mr. M. J. Carmody, Clerk, reported to Ennis Urban Council that Mr. Frank Butler, collector, had collected close on £600 of rates that might have been irrecoverable; also all the fifty-one instalments under the Small Dwellings Act; the full 120 ground rents under the same Act and the rents on 175 cottages with the exception of the small sum of £1 13s. 4d., the non-collection of which was due to circumstances over which he had no control. He had done that by quiet and efficient methods and without having recourse to legal proceedings or assistance from bailiffs.

Mr. E. Monahan said Mr. Butler ought to be complimented, and tendered the best thanks of the Council.

The other members concurred.

DEATH OF M.O.

Dr. James C. Murphy, Dispensary Medical Officer of Toomevara, Co. Tipperary, died suddenly at his home on Friday morning. Deceased, who leaves a widow and son, was 16 years in Toomevara. He served in the war of 1914-18.

A FINE TROUT

Fishing on the Southern Hotel water at Caragh Lake, Co. Kerry, Mr. Benjamin, a London visitor, hooked a brown trout of 5 lbs. 7 ozs. The trout was in excellent condition.