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Turkeys—2/1 to 2/3 per lb.
Geese—10/- to 14/- each.
Eating Apples—4/- to 7/- per basket.
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Potatoes—8d. to 1/- per stone.
Turnips—60/- to 82/6 per ton.
Upland Hay—120/- to 165/- per ton.
Weekly Cattle Market—There were 35 calves in market; they sold at from 10/- to 75/- each.

THE PADDOCKS, LIMERICK.

WEEKLY CATTLE AND SHEEP MARKET.

Wednesday, December 11th—Cattle—Much heavier market than last week in both departments; substantial entries and a better class, with more fat and strong cattle, and many useful drafts of nice quality stores. Strong and representative attendance of buyers, home and shipping interests fully represented. Beef met a steady selling trade, especially prime fat heifers and bullocks, handy weights being in brisk demand, and touched top current rates. Fresh young beef cows steadily placed at full values, secondary sorts and those suitable for canning in large numbers and met brisk trade at previous rates; aged and forward bullocks in fair enquiry, and sold reasonably well, with prices slightly easier. In young store cattle section business was quiet, severe weather conditions affecting trade. However, there was steady enquiry for top lots, particularly choice one-and-a-half-year old bullocks and heifers, previous full terms being paid; quality and condition had buyers, but thin and secondary lots met a much slower trade, and difficult to cash unless at reduced rates. No calves on offer. Particularly good clearance effected in beef and cow department, and fair clearance in store section. Fat heifers, £24 5s. to £28 10s.; second run, £21 to £24. Fat cows, best, £24 to £26 15s.; second run, £19 10s. to £22 15s.; old, £6 to £16 15s. 2½ year old bullocks and heifers, £22 to £26 10s. 1½ year old bullocks and heifers, best, £14 to £21; second run, £8 to £13 10s.

Sheep—Substantial increase in entries, all pens being filled, and a very useful selection to draw from, including many pens of prime quality. Strong attendance. Trade wore a brisk aspect throughout the day, starting firm and kept going to the end; prime sheep in strong demand and quickly placed; also well fed wethers and hoggets with quality wanted and readily cashed. Sheep short of condition, demand not quite as active, all round last week's rates easily obtainable, prime sheep are wanted. Young fresh ewes good selling trade. Trade steady around previous level for store sheep, but enquiry for feeding sheep is easing with the advancing season. Small supply of fat and store lambs, which were in good demand. Business finished up strong, with a good sell up, and the highest turnover for some time. Annual Xmas market next Wednesday, December 18th, at 11 o'clock. Hoggets, best, 140/- to 155/-; second run, 125/- to 137/-; small, 110/- to 123/-. Ewes, best, 105/- to 136/-; second run, 75/- to 100/-. Lambs, 50/- to 90/-.—Wm. B. Fitt & Co., Auctioneers.

THE PADDOCKS, LIMERICK.

WEEKLY DAIRY MARKET.

Tuesday, December 10th—The entry for to-day's market showed an increase on last week. The attendance was representative, and buyers had quite a number of choice cows and heifers to select from, trade for which was well sustained and active throughout the day, with purchasers ready and willing to invest; biddings came freely, and exchange was ready at full rates for the right stamp of cow or heifer. Choice cows drew sharp competition, quality and colour, with shapes commanded attention, prices again favouring vendors; useful dairy cows wanted and sold well. Choice and promising incalf heifers were in keen demand, and met a sharp and quick sale at slightly advanced rates. Increased volume of business transacted, with satisfactory wind up and practical clearance. Miss Coffey, Morenane, Kilcornan, obtained top price for calved dairy cow at £41, there being two runners-up, Mr. John Alfred, Cummeens, Adare, and Mr. Thomas O'Dea, Waverley, Newmarket-on-Fergus, at £37 each. Top price for incalf heifers went to Mr. P. Conlon, Clonlara, at £37. Dairy cows, best, £30 to £41; promising, £26 10s. to £28; ordinary, £17 to £23. Incalf heifers, choice, £32 10s. to £37; ordinary, £20 10s. to £24 10s.—Wm. B. Fitt & Co., Auctioneers.

LIMERICK CATTLE MARKET.

WEEKLY FAT STOCK MARKET, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10th.

Substantial increase in entries in both departments, and in point of quality the best sale of the season. Buyers in strong and representative attendance and bidding for the good cattle and sheep was keen. Practically all the cattle on offer were sold under the hammer. Some very good pens of hoggets were freely bid for and prices in this department showed an advance. Several pens of good sheep with reserves of up to 155/- failed to clear. Fat sheep, best, 140/- to 142/-; seconds, 120/- to 133/6; small, 103/- to 118/-. Fat cattle, best, £26 10s. to £28 5s.; seconds, £22 5s. to £24 15s.; small, £20 to £22; cows, £7 5s. to £18.—Louis de Courcy, Auctioneer.

LIMERICK CATTLE MARKET

WEEKLY MARKET, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7th.

A severe rain-storm interfered with to-day's market, the numbers on offer showing a decrease as compared with last week. Full attendance of buyers and a good clearance was effected. Top price for dairy cows went to Mr. John Tyrrell, Ballykeeffe, Mungret, at £39. In-calf and calved cows, best, £29 10s. to £39; seconds, £26 10s. to £28; others, £22 10s. to £25; in-calf and calved heifers, £21 to £25; seconds, £16 15s. to £19 10s. A small number of one and a half year old store cattle sold at from £14 to £15. Licensed bull, £15.—Louis de Courcy, Auctioneer.

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DEATHS.

KIRWAN—December 12th, 1946, at his residence, 131 Queensdrive, West Derby, Liverpool, James Kirwan, Customs and Excise (retired), formerly of Limerick. Funeral on Wednesday, December 18th, at 11 o'clock, from St. Michael's Church, Limerick, to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery.

O'BRIEN—December 12th, at her residence, 20 Edward Street, Limerick, Mrs. J. F. (nee Ward). Remains will be removed to St. Michael's Church at 8 o'clock this evening (Friday 13th). Funeral to Mount St. Lawrence Cemetery to-morrow (Saturday), at 3 p.m.

IN MEMORIAM.

BRADSHAW (Third Anniversary)—In loving memory of James Bradshaw, 3 Rutland Street, Limerick, who passed away December 18th, 1943. Mass will be offered in St. Michael's Church on next Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.—Inserted by his loving wife and family.

BYRNES (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of Amelia Byrnes, 2 Emmet Place, who died on 14th December, 1945.—Jesus, have mercy on her. Masses offered.—Sadly missed by her loving sisters.

CROSS (12th Anniversary)—In loving memory of Joseph Cross, Funeral Undertaker, who died at his residence, Lower Gerald Griffin Street, on the 17th December, 1934. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered.
—Inserted by his wife and family.

DAVIS (Third Anniversary)—In loving memory of Bridget Davis, who passed away in England on 13th December, 1943. Masses offered.

Jesus mercy, Jesus Blest,
Grant her soul, eternal rest.

—Sadly missed by her parents, sisters, brothers and aunts.

KENNEDY (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of a dutiful father, Michael Kennedy, 22 Broad Street, City, who died on 24th December, 1945.

You did your best, God grant you eternal rest.

—Inserted by his son, Anthony (in India), daughter-in-law, and grand-children (Weybridge).

McNAMARA (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of Thomas McNamara (late of Doonass, Co. Clare), who died on December 10th, 1945. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on his soul. Masses offered.—Inserted by his loving sister.

McKEON (15th Anniversary)—In fond and loving memory of my dear wife, Lily McKeon (nee Doherty), who died on December 10th, 1931. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. St. Rita of Cascia, intercede for her.

We think of you, but never weep
For all that might have been;
It is the unshed tears that keep
Love's memory fresh and green.
Stars may forget to shine out in the blue.
Seas may forget the shore,
But we shall remember your love and you,
For ever and evermore.

—Inserted by her fond husband, daughter and sons, Greenhill, Garryowen.

O'NEILL (Fifth Anniversary)—In loving memory of Mrs. Annie O'Neill (nee Irwin), 1 Mount Vincent Cottages, Rosbrien, who died on 11th December, 1941. Masses offered.

Often a lonely heartache,
Many a silent tear,
But always a beautiful memory
Of one we loved so dear.

—Inserted by May and Charlie.

O'SULLIVAN (9th Anniversary)—In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Daniel O'Sullivan, 25 O'Curry Street, who died on 11th December, 1937. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Our Lady of Perpetual Succour, pray for her. Masses offered.

QUIN (Fifth Anniversary)—In loving memory of Mrs. Elizabeth Quin, 33 Henry Street, Limerick, who died on 11th December, 1941. Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on her soul.

SCANLAN (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of Dermot Scanlan, late of Ahawilk, Newcastle West, who died on the 16th December, 1945. On his soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy.

In a near and silent graveyard,
Where the trees their branches wave,
Sleeps a kind and loving son
In his cold and silent grave.
Though times have changed in many ways,
There is one thing changes never—
The memory of those happy days
When we were all together.

—Inserted by his loving parents, brothers and sister.

TOBIN—Ninth Anniversary of James Tobin, who died on December 10th, 1937. On his soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Immaculate Conception pray for him. Masses offered.

Gone but not forgotten,
Nor never will you be;
As long as life and memory lasts,
We will remember thee.

—Inserted by his loving wife.

TOBIN—Ninth Anniversary of James Tobin, who died December, 1937. On his soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Immaculate Conception, pray for him.

WATLING (Third Anniversary)—In loving memory of our Dad, who died December 13th, 1943, at his home, "Anton," Corbally.

Just a memory, fond and true,
To show, dear Daddy, we think of you.

—Inserted by his loving wife, daughter and grand-children.

WILLIAMS (First Anniversary)—To the unfading memory of my dearest mother, Bridget Williams, 39 Bengal Terrace. Departed this life 18th December, 1945. R.I.P.

To-day I am thinking of someone
Who was loving, kind and true;
Whose smile was as dear as the sunshine,
Dear mother, that someone is you.
Heart of Jesus, and Mary hear,
The prayer of one who loved her dear;
Grant to her soul, O Heart Divine,
A portion of that love of Thine.

—Always remembered by her son, Maurice (England).

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

BARRY—The widow and family of the late Michael J. Barry, 1 Verona Esplanade, O'Connell Ave., Limerick, wish to return their sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; to those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy; to the Firm and Staff of Wm. Lloyd, Ltd. for their floral tributes. They trust all will accept this notice as an expression of their deep gratitude.

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BENNIS—The wife and family of the late Michael Bennis, 10 Grattan Street, Limerick, desire to thank sincerely the many kind friends who sent Mass cards, and messages of sympathy in their recent very sad bereavement; also those who sympathised personally with them and attended the funeral. They trust that all will accept this as a very grateful acknowledgment.

BENSON—The family, brothers and sister of the late Mr. John Benson (late of Messrs. O'Mara, Ltd., Limerick) wish to return sincere thanks to the many friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; to those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy and to those who attended the funeral. They trust this will be accepted by all as a sincere appreciation.

CASSADY—Richard Keane and family, all relatives and friends of the late James Cassady (Jimmie Cass), Brendan Street, St. Mary's Park, wish to return their very sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who attended the funeral and sent offerings of Mass cards; to his former employers, Messrs. Richard and Joseph McCarthy, Michael Street, and his fellow workers for the beautiful wreath; to all his pals of the Old School and to members of the Club Room, Michael Street, for Novena of Masses. Also special thanks to all who visited the Hospital during his illness. Trusting this will be accepted by all in very grateful acknowledgment.

CROWE—Mrs. James Crowe and family sincerely thank those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement. All those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy, and those who attended the funeral, personally. Trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

DONNELLY—The family of the late Dan Donnelly, 14 Lower Gerald Griffin Street, Limerick, wish to return their sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, telegrams, letters of sympathy, and attended the funeral. Trusting this announcement will be accepted in grateful acknowledgment.

FENNELL—The brothers and sister of the late Frank Fennell, Rathbane, wish to return sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement, sent Mass cards, telegrams, letters of sympathy, and who attended the funeral. Trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

HASSETT—The family of the late James Hassett, Hassett's Cross, Thomondgate, Limerick, desire to thank sincerely the many kind friends who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement; also those who sympathised personally with them and attended the funeral. They trust that all will accept this acknowledgment as a sincere token of their gratitude.

HICKEY—The wife and family of the late John Hickey, Newtown, Ballybrood, wish to return their sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; to all those who sent Mass cards, letters and telegrams. Trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

MOLONEY—The husband, mother, brothers and sisters of the late Bridie Moloney (nee Nealon), of 48 Edward Street, wish to thank all who sympathised with them in their recent loss; also all who sent telegrams and letters of sympathy and those who attended the funeral and to the Matron and Staff of Bedford Row Hospital for their kind attention. Hoping this will be received by all in grateful acknowledgment.

MURPHY—The wife, family and relatives of the late Daniel Murphy, Garda Sergeant, Kilfinane, wish to return sincere thanks to all who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; to those who sent telegrams, letters of sympathy and Mass cards, and to those who attended the funeral. They trust this will be accepted by all as an expression of their deep gratitude.

NOONAN—The widow and family of the late Patrick Noonan, Shanpallas, Pallaskenry, wish to return their very sincere thanks to all the kind friends who forwarded Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy and who attended the funeral. Trusting that this will be accepted as a very grateful acknowledgment.

VOTES OF SYMPATHY.

Caledonian A.F.C.—At a specially convened meeting of above Club, a vote of deep sympathy was passed to Mr. John Nealon, Chairman, on the death of his sister.

C.I.E. Garage Staff—At a special meeting of the C.I.E. Garage Staff, Limerick, a vote of sympathy was passed to Mr. E. Nunan, Pallaskenry, ex-member of our staff, on the death of his father.

Kildimo P.F.A.A.—At a Council meeting of the above, held in the Library on Monday night, Dec. 2nd, a vote of sympathy was passed to the following members—Miss Mary Monckton, on the death of her mother, and Miss Kitty Nash, on the death of her aunt, and Miss Mary Nash, on the death of her aunt.

Limerick Shoes Social Committee.—At a special meeting of Limerick Shoes Social Committee held at the National Hotel last night, a vote of sympathy was passed to the relatives of Margaret O'Connor and Joseph Kirwin. All members observed silence for five minutes as a mark of respect. (c)

Limerick Operative House Painters' Society.—At a special Committee meeting of the above a sincere vote of sympathy was passed to John Nealon on the recent death of his sister.—P. Neville, Secretary.

Patrickswell Lawn Tennis Club.—At a specially convened meeting of above Club, held 6-11-'46, Mrs. D. Murphy (Chairman) presiding, it was proposed by Mr. Kevin McSweeney, seconded by Miss Nellie Costelloe: "That we, the members of this Committee, tender to the relatives of our former Secretary, Mr. Frank Tighe (R.I.P.), our most profound sympathy in their recent tragic loss." Signed: Gerard Hayes, Hon. Secretary. (c)

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Mr. Thomas P. J. Twomey, who at present is Technical Adviser to a group of over 40 Dairy and Creamery Companies in the North of England, is shortly leaving to take up an important post under the Department of Agriculture in New Zealand. A native of Cork, he is son of the General Manager and Secretary of the wholesale firm of Messrs. J. McCarthy and Sons, Ltd., Cork, and is married to a daughter of the late William Russell, of Ballinatona, Kilbehenny, Mitchelstown. His new position involves responsibility for the design, erection, equipping, staffing and control of all Pasteurized Milk and Bottling Dairies throughout New Zealand. These are to be established in all the cities and large towns in the Dominion, and will be operated by the Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Twomey graduated from U.C.C. in Dairy Science in 1932, and after a few years in various creameries at home joined the English Milk Marketing Board in 1937 as Assistant Manager in their Creamery at Camborne, Cornwall. After two years there he was appointed Manager of their largest Creamery in England at Norwich, Norfolk, which position he relinquished to become Technical Adviser to a group of over 40 Dairy and Creamery Companies in the North of England, controlled by Southwick's Wholesale Dairies, Ltd., Hull.

DUBLIN SOPRANO AT THE SAVOY

A warm, enthusiastic reception was accorded Maura Dolan, soprano, at the Savoy concert on last Sunday night. This charming lady (wife of Jack Nordell, present Savoy manager and himself a concert and radio singer of renown), had a choice repertoire arranged for her first appearance before a Limerick audience.

Fate stepped in at the last moment, however, and the elements were not too kind to Mrs. Nordell, as she arrived here suffering from a heavy cold. Despite this awful handicap (from a singer's point of view) she bravely decided that "the show must go on," and delighted her listeners with "The Hills Of Donegal," "My Hero" and "One Fine Day."

This talented performer, with some theatrical records to her credit (five months in the Theatre Royal and extended engagements in the Queen's) will surely be heard again in the near future, and we take this opportunity of welcoming to our midst such a distinguished and acomplished artiste.

CHARLEVILLE FAIR.

A large fair; business was slow but nearly all cattle on offer were sold. 3 year old bullocks, £26 to £30; 2 year olds, £16 to £22; yearling heifers for export, £15 to £20; some roan heifers calves for home use, £6 to £8 10s.; bullock calves, £3 to £6; good fat young cows, £20 to £28; old cows for canning, £8 to £17; About 150 in-calf heifers, spring calves, made from £19 to £26 and were practically all sold; fat lambs from £5 10s. to £6 10s.

MITCHELSTOWN FOWL MARKET

Turkeys (rather scarce) fetched, best quality, 2/2 per lb.; young geese, 1/4 per lb.; guinea fowl, 3/6 each; chickens, 1/8 per lb.; old fowl, 1/- per lb.; pheasants, 8/9 each; rabbits, 2/6 each; eggs, 3/6 per doz.

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