

home in Sussex, England, on her 106th birthday. She saw ten wars. She kept house for her grandson, a farmer, until she was 101. She could recall her father taking her by stage coach from Portsmouth to London for the 1851 Exhibition.

### SPEED OF 780 MILES AN HOUR.

The U.S. Air Force claim from Tokyo that a P.80 jet fighter plane flew 175 miles from Misawa to Sendal at an average ground speed of 780 m.p.h. This is 164 m.p.h. faster than the official world record set up by Britain under international conditions in 1946.

### BRIDGES SWEEP AWAY BY FLOODS.

Floods have carried away 33 bridges in the Vosges district of France and damaged nine others. Bailey bridges are being used to replace some of the wrecked structures.

### NEW ABBEY PRODUCER

Miss Ria Mooney, who has had a distinguished stage career in this country, England and the U.S.A., has been appointed producer at the Abbey Theatre, Dublin. It was there she made her debut in 1924.

### NURSING APPOINTMENT.

Tipperary Co. Council has appointed Sister Mary Annuncita Devane to the post of assistant matron and nursing sister at St. Joseph's Hospital, Nenagh, at a scale salary of £122 per annum to £142 per annum, with perquisites.

### HANDBAGS FOR MEN.

New York tailors claim that their work in making suits for men is spoiled by bulging pockets. They are endeavouring, accordingly, to introduce handbags for men!

### MAIZE CARGO.

A cargo of nearly 10,000 tons of maize arrived in Cork Harbour, last night, in the Canadian steamer, "Triland." It came from the River Plate.

### SALMON 15/6 PER LB.

The first arrival of this season's salmon on the Dublin Market realised 13s. 6d. to 15s. 6d. a lb., the same as last year.

### COKE ARRIVES.

About 4,000 tons of coke arrived in Dublin on Saturday from Baltimore, U.S.A. This will relieve the crisis in the foundry industry.

## CO. LIMERICK PRIEST

### DIES IN AUSTRALIA

The death occurred at the Mercy Hospital, Melbourne, Australia, of Rev. Father Patrick Cremin, who was a native of Effin, Kilmallock, County Limerick. He was Parish Priest of Iona, Melbourne. Father Cremin received his early education at Charleville and later studied at St. Patrick's College, Maynooth, where he was ordained in 1896. Ten years ago Father Cremin was appointed Parish Priest of Iona, where he effected many parochial improvements. There was a large attendance of clergy at the Solemn Requiem Mass celebrated by his brother, Rev. Father James Cremin of Numerkah.

### "CANDY LAND"

(To the Editor, "Limerick Leader.") Dear Sir,

I do not intend to enter into correspondence with "Usher" or anyone else who thus hides his identity. I have given my opinion and my name. The constructive criticism offered was given in the hope that apparent faults would be corrected next time. If, however, honesty has to be sacrificed, and truth must play second to falsehood, then we may remove for all time from our vocabulary the seven letter word—success.

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Organist, Professor of Music,  
Benedictine College, O.S.B.,  
Glenstal.

### DASH TO FARM FIRE.

South Tipperary County Fire Brigade made a 30-mile dash on Saturday night to Emly, where 100 tons of hay in a barn, on the lands of Mr. Denis Kelly, Duncummin, were in flames. The hay was destroyed and the brigade successfully concentrated its efforts on preventing the outbreak from spreading to adjoining buildings.

### TOP MONEYSMAKER

In a poll of motion picture owners conducted by a film trade paper in the United States, Bing Crosby was named leading money-making film "star" of 1947. This is his fourth successive year to be declared top moneymaker in the industry.

### DOG SHOTS A MAN!

A sportsman was accidentally shot by a dog in France while out hunting. During a halt the animal put its paw on the trigger of the weapon, which was resting against a tree, and the gun exploded, killing a man.

that at the last meeting of the Board, he had suggested that a small sub-Committee be appointed to examine the possibility of extending and improving the farmyards attached to the Institution. He had since consulted with the Land Steward, who felt that, in order to get a good idea of what was to be aimed at in the way of up-to-date piggeries, the Committee selected should visit at least two modern farmyards, such as Copsewood College. He considered that this suggestion was a very wise one and should be adopted by the Board.

Mr. Cusack agreed with this suggestion, but said he felt that, because of the coming elections, it might be better if the Board deferred for one month the appointing of the suggested Committee.

When Mr. Ryan proposed, and Mr. McNamara seconded, that the sub-Committee suggested by the Manager be appointed then and there, Mr. Cusack withdrew his suggestion.

Accordingly, the following Committee, with the Chairman and the City Manager, was elected:—

Messrs. Fitzsimons, McNamara, McAuliffe, Ryan, Hayes, and Clohessy. It was decided that this Committee would hold its first meeting after the Board had adjourned that day, and should make arrangements for future assemblies.

### LAND FOR PLOUGHING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

The Manager mentioned that, since the last meeting he had a communication from the County Manager, and from the National Executive of the Ploughing Association, requesting that portion of the Board's farm at Lemonfield should be placed at the Association's disposal for the holding of the 1948 National Ploughing Championships early in February. He had granted the required permission, and he trusted the Board had no objection.

Mr. McNamara—We certainly approve very much of your action.

Mr. McAuliffe—We are delighted.

Chairman—We are all very happy to have the Championships held in Limerick.

The meeting then ended.

### LIMERICK LADY'S WILL

Miss Agnes Christina Egan, of 11 Wesley Road, Rathgar, Dublin, who died on November 10th, 1946, daughter of the late Michael Egan, of Limerick, left £595 in England. She left £200 to her brother, Joseph, £100 each to her brothers John and Michael, specific bequests and the residue to her nephew, Brendan Egan. Probate has been granted to her brother, Michael Egan, of Shelbourne Road, Limerick.

### TOBACCO STOCKS.

Stocks of tobacco in this country should be sufficient to maintain supplies of cigarettes and pipe tobacco at the present level for at least the present year.

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