

been in the motor trade to use the insurance cover mentioned.

FINED AND DISQUALIFIED.

The defendant was fined 10/- for driving without due care, 40/- on each charge of having no insurance and no proper brakes. He was also disqualified from driving for three months, and the P.O.A. was applied in the summons for having no driving licence.

TRAGIC AFFAIR

FOUND SHOT DEAD

The dead body of Michael Basil Barry, aged 24 years, second son of Mr. Joseph Barry, victualler, South Hill, Limerick, was found yesterday afternoon in a garden attached to his father's residence.

There was a bullet wound through the heart and a few feet from the body lay the deceased's .22 shot rifle. It is presumed that the deceased was out shooting when he met his tragic end.

A very popular young man, the deceased was a universal favourite and deep and heartfelt sympathy is felt for the parents in their poignant sorrow.

An inquest on the remains will be opened in the Co. Infirmery at 5 o'clock this evening by Dr. P. J. Cleary, Coroner for East Limerick.

WHERE NOBODY OWNS DOGS!

A big number of defendants from the Island Field were summoned at the City District Court to-day for having unlicensed dogs in their possession.

District Justice D. F. Gleeson imposed the usual fines in most cases, and dealing with them generally, he said: "Nobody in St. Ita's Park owns dogs. There is a lot of humbug told about these cases, and it is impossible to know where the truth lies."

NEW POTATOES

Mr. Tommy Ryan (senr.), Carragar, O'Gonnoloe, put the first new potatoes on the market at Killaloe on Saturday last (writes our Killaloe correspondent). The tubers, of the Epicure variety, were fairly large and were readily disposed of at 6/- per stone.

TRIBUTE FROM HIS FELLOW GAELS.

At the funeral of Mr. John Conway, 31 Ballinruan, Kilmeedy, on Sunday last, the members of the Feenagh Hurling Club, of which deceased was a prominent member, marched in procession to the graveside.

O'Hegarty, covers the period from 1871 to 1880. The second one, to be published later, will include the letters bearing on later men and events down to Devoy's death in 1928.

The opening book runs to 568 well printed pages and is a mine of useful new enlightenment on a most interesting period in Irish history.

South America—Justice—Did he leave any money? Sergeant O'Mahony—He left it for your Worship.

Justice—The captain left in the f4?

Sergt. O'Mahony—That's right. Justice—What is the cost of the damage to the cell door?—f2.

The Justice said he would exhaust the f4 by imposing a fine of 1/- with 40/- compensation in the summons dealing with the defendant's behaviour in the Garda Station, and with being disorderly at the Dock Road the fine would be f2.

FRAUD CHARGES

OLD CRIMINAL CAUGHT IN LIMERICK

An elderly man, attired in the uniform of the British Merchant Navy, was charged at the Limerick District Court this evening with obtaining, by false pretences, medical treatment from the Limerick Co. Infirmery.

The accused man, John William Hand, a native of Yorkshire, was also charged with falsely representing himself as being mate of the s.s. "Annie Johnson," which was recently in port.

A long list of convictions against the accused was read by Supt. Colleran, who said that Hand began his career of crime in 1922. Convictions against him had been recorded in different parts of the world, including the Far East.

District Justice Gleeson sentenced Hand to six months imprisonment.

MISSIONARY SISTERS NEEDED

Two Sisters of the Incarnate Word and Blessed Sacrament, of Houston, Texas, are in Eire in quest of vocations. These Sisters devote their lives to the teaching of youth in grade and high schools.

Young ladies who may be interested in this missionary work, should apply at once to Sister M. Sebastian (Texas), Convent of Mercy, Newport, Co. Mayo, Eire, or to Sister M. Rita, Convent of Mercy, Naas, Co. Kildare, Eire.

P.S.—We have the permission for this work from his Lordship the Bishop of Limerick—Sister M. Rita.

CONFERENCE OF CLERGY.

Most Rev. Dr. O'Neill, Bishop of Limerick, presided at a conference of clergy from the Newcastle West deanery on Monday. His Lordship was received at the Church by Rt. Rev. Mgr. Hannan, P.P., V.G.

BOHERBUOY BAND.

Above Band will play a choice selection of music in the People's Park on Sunday, 6th June, from 4 o'clock p.m. to 6 o'clock p.m., weather permitting—John O'Halloran, hon. sec.

ingly failed. He would not allow costs.

ANOTHER EJECTMENT ACTION.

Bernard McBride, 6, Sarsfield St., Limerick, sued Anne McGrath, for possession of the upper holding of the house occupied by him at the above address.

Mr. James McMahan, B.L. (instructed by Mr. Roger O'Sullivan, solr.), appeared for plaintiff, and Mr. J. Kenny, B.L. (instructed by Messrs. M. Sellors & Co., solrs.), was for defendant.

Mr. McMahan said that Mrs. McGrath held the upper portion of 6, Sarsfield Street under a weekly tenancy at a rent of 15/-. The present proceedings were brought on the issue of greater hardship. Mrs. McGrath occupied the seven rooms in question, with her two married nephews and their wives, and one child. The plaintiff was the successor in title of the landlord, Thomas Crowe. The plaintiff carried on a drapery business, and was residing in three rooms at the back on the ground floor which, evidence would prove, were unsuitable for habitation.

DECREE FOR POSSESSION.

Having heard the evidence of both sides, the Judge said that he had no hesitation at all in deciding that Mr. McBride had the greater hardship and, having to decide one way or another, he had to give a decree for possession with costs.

On the application of Mr. Kenny, he put a stay in execution pending possible appeal.

THE POOR CLARES

AN URGENT APPEAL

We have received for publication the following urgent appeal, which certainly deserves a prompt and generous response:—

"The Poor Clares Colettines in a very non-Catholic part of Wales beg for a little help to replace their enclosure wall, which has partly collapsed and is beyond repair. All donations gratefully acknowledged and the nuns will pray for all your intentions. For the love of the Sacred Heart, please send an offering to the Reverend Mother Abbess, Convent of Poor Clares Colettines, Hawarden, near Chester, England."

DEATH OF OCTOGENARIAN

The death took place, after a comparatively short illness, of Mr. James Bovenizer, Kilbreedy, Adare (writes our Adare correspondent). Deceased, an octogenarian, was an extensive farmer and a really good neighbour, especially to the poorer classes, to whom he gave help generously, and his loss will be felt by many. He was of an unassuming and retiring disposition. The funeral to the family burial ground was very large and representative. Rev. Mr. Harte officiated at the graveside.

GLIN PIER

An Inspector from the Department of Industry and Commerce visited Glin during the week for the purpose of having steps taken to put the Glin Pier into proper repair.