

her daughter, Pamela, arrived at Dublin Airport from London today for a short holiday. They will stay at Lady Mountbatton's estate, Classibawn Castle, Mullaghmore, Co. Sligo.

Lady Mountbatten said when questioned on her arrival, that some business in connection with the estate required her attention, and they would only stay here for five days. After that, she said, the family would all go to Shannon Airport to take a plane for Canada.

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CLERICAL APPOINTMENTS

His Grace, the Archbishop of Cashel and Emly, Most Rev. Dr. O'Mahoney, has made the following appointments:—

Rev. E. Ryan, C.C., Clonoulty, to be P.P., Ballybricken.

Rev. P. Lynch, C.C., Golden, to be P.P., Clonoulty.

Rev. T. Kennedy, Chaplain, Co. Hospital, Cashel, to be C.C., Golden.

Rev. J. Bacon, recalled to the Archdiocese, to be chaplain, Co. Hospital, Cashel.

PRICES FIFTY YEARS AGO

To the Editor, "Limerick Leader.")

Sir—It may interest the readers of your journal to know that fifty years ago a person could get a pound of bacon in Limerick for 1s. 6d., backbone, 5d.; potatoes, 4d. a stone; an ounce of tobacco, 3½d.; a peck of pease, 1d.; a pint of stout, 2½d.; whiskey, 3½d. a glass; home-made shoes and boots, £1 5s.; excursions on Sunday to Castleconnell, 9d.; and to Foynes, 1/6.

JAMES GLEESON.

at Harry's Mall.

JEWSH BOYCOTT OF BRITISH FILMS.

Zionist Jews in New York have been boycotting British films. They are now spreading the boycott to other cities in the United States.

HUNTING PACK FOR SALE.

Owing to insufficient support, the Enagh Harriers are to be disbanded and the hunting pack is now for sale. The old followers are dropping out and there are no replacements.

CONVENT CEREMONIES

The Bishop of Clogher, Most Rev. Dr. O'Callaghan, officiated at the ceremonies of Profession and Reception at St. Louis Convent, Monaghan, and was assisted by Very Rev. P. V. Mallon, Adm. and Rev. Edward McGahan, C.C., Monaghan.

Of twelve Sisters professed, one was Sister Marie Julie Conole, Killfenora, County Clare. Eighteen postulants were received, among them being Sister M. Conval Hughes, Ballinacurra, Limerick. Ten Sisters made their Perpetual vows.

DOCTOR'S WILL.

Dr. Roderick Joseph Spain, M.D., of 26, Summerhill, Nenagh, County Tipperary, formerly of West Ealing, London, who died on March 12 last, intestate, left £2,337 in England. Letters of administration have been granted to Miss Evelyn Spain and Miss Patricia Spain, both of the above address.

DEATHS.

ETTLES—On August 16th, 1948, at Stella Maris Nursing Home, Barrington Street, Alexander Dick Ettles; very deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife and daughter. Remains will be removed to Presbyterian Church this (Monday) evening, at 7.30 o'clock. Funeral arrangements later.

HEALY (Limerick) — August 15th, 1948, at Barrington's Hospital, Martin Healy (late C.I.E., Limerick). R.I.P. Remains will be removed to St. Michael's Church this (Monday) evening at 8 o'clock. Funeral to-morrow (Tuesday) to Castleconnell, at 2 o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM.

COWHEY (Fourth Anniversary) — In sad and loving memory of our dear father, John Cowhey (late 21 Prospect Villas) who died on the 13th August, 1944. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered.

Will those who think of him to-day.

A little prayed to Jesus say.

Sadly missed, but always remembered by his loving sons.

McNAMARA—In loving memory of my dear brother, John McNamara (late of 19 Lenihan Avenue, Prospect) whose anniversary occurs about now. On his soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy.

Gone from this world so quickly

the completion of the house exceed 75 per cent. of the value of the work done.

CERTAIN LIMITATION

Certain limitations are provided both in regard to the amount of the advances that may be made and the value of the house to which an advance may be made.

The amount of the advance made must not exceed ninety per cent. of the value of the house, in the opinion of the local authority, is the market value of the house at the time of the advance, less the amount of any mortgage or other charge on the house, and an advance may be made in respect of any house the market value of which does not exceed £1,750. This means that the maximum advance which can be made to any single applicant is £1,575. Under the Act, as passed in 1899, the market value of a house might only amount to £1,000. In 1931, this amount was increased to £1,000 and in the Housing Act of 1948, the figure was further increased to £1,750. The local authority, before advancing loans, should also satisfy itself that the house is in good sanitary condition and that the title to the house is one which an ordinary mortgagee would be willing to accept; and that the repayment of the loan is secured by the local authority of the house advanced is secured by an instrument vesting the ownership of the house in the local authority, subject to the right of redemption by the mortgagor.

REPAYMENT OF LOAN

Every advance made under the Act must be repaid by the mortgagor with interest within a period of fifty years from the date of the advance. The loans may be repaid either by equal instalments or by a lump sum.

DRAMA FESTIVAL

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LIMERICK ENTRY HIGHLY COMMENDED

Miss Shelah Richards, adjudicator, has now made the following awards in connection with the Drama Festival at the recent

Drama Festival held at Killiney.

The Frank Hugh O'Connell Trophy, "We Sit Outside"

Michael E. McTiernan, 310

Street, Derry; and "The Cruelty"

by Edward J. Foley, 39

Street, Waterford (tied). Commended: "Margaret Nolan Mitchell, Dublin, and "Back by "Rubber Stamp," Dublin.

Prize for one-act plays: "Joseph" by Mr. G. H. Hughes.