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**TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS**

Tenders are invited from competent Building Contractors for proposed New School (300 pupils) at Laurel Hill Convent, Limerick, for the Community of the Faithful Companions of Jesus in accordance with plans and specification prepared by their Architect, Patrick J. Sheahan, M.R.I.A.I., M.I.C.E.I., 47, O'Connell St., Limerick, in whose office the plans and specification may be examined during the usual office hours.

Bills of Quantities prepared by Patrick F. Coveney, F.S.I., 50 South Mall, Cork, may be obtained from the Architect on payment of a deposit of £10 (Ten Pounds), which will be returned on receipt of a bona fide tender.

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tender for New School, Laurel Hill Convent, Limerick," are to be posted so as to reach the Architect's office not later than **Friday, 25th February, 1949.**

Tenders to be accompanied by priced Bill of Quantities extended and totalled in ink and in separate sealed envelope endorsed "Bill of Quantities, New School at Laurel Hill Convent" and having the Contractor's name on the outside.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

By Order  
**PATRICK J. SHEAHAN,**  
 M.R.I.A.I., M.I.C.E.I.,  
 47, O'Connell Street, Limerick.  
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**LIMERICK COUNTY COUNCIL.**

**GALBALLY WATER SUPPLY SCHEME.**

**APPOINTMENT OF RESIDENT ENGINEER.**

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Applications are invited for the position of Resident Engineer on the above scheme. The appointment will continue during the progress of the contract only (approximately 9 months) and otherwise will be of a temporary character, terminable by 14 days notice on either side. Whole-time daily attendance during the carrying out of the scheme will be required.

Applicants must possess a University Degree in Engineering or equivalent qualifications, and must have adequate experience in the laying of watermains and in reinforced concrete work.

Remuneration will be at the rate of £8 8s. 0d. (eight guineas) per week inclusive, and the appointment will be subject to the sanction of the Minister for Local Government. Other things being equal, preference will be given to candidates who have had satisfactory service in the Defence Forces

**OBITUARY**

**MR. JOHN BUCKLEY, MAIN ST., NEWPORT.**

It is with feelings of very deep regret we announce the death of Mr. John Buckley, Main Street, Newport, which occurred on Friday, 21st inst., at his residence, after a brief illness.

Deceased was very popular in the town and district and his death is sincerely regretted by his numerous friends and admirers. He was father of Rev. George Buckley, S.A.C., Greenford, London, who had just returned to his parish in London after spending a short holiday with his father in Newport.

On Saturday, the remains were removed to Newport Church, and on Sunday the funeral to the family burial plot at Killnerath, was attended by a large concourse of relatives and the general public.

On Monday, High Mass was offered up for the repose of his soul. The celebrant of the Mass was Rev. Father Nash, C.C., Newport.

The following clergy were present at the obsequies:— Rev. Rather G. Buckley (son of deceased), Very Rev. Father Mulvihill, P.P., Newport; Rev. Father O'Rahilly, C.C., do.; Very Rev. Father Hayes, P.P., Bansa; Rev. Father D. Hayes, S.A.C., Rector, Pallatine College, Thurles; Rev. Father M. Walsh, S.A.C., Hastings; Rev. Father John Hassett, S.A.C., Thurles; Rev. Fr. T. Phe'an, S.A.C., Novice Master, Cabra Novitiate, Thurles; Rev. Fr. Paul Laub, S.A.C., East Africa; Rev. Father V. Cunningham, S.A.C., do.; Brother John Dunne, S.A.C., Thurles.

Chief mourners:— Rev. George Buckley (son); William and Michael Buckley (brothers); Mrs. Margaret Murray (sister); William Cashin and Patrick Gleeson (brothers-in-law); William and Patrick Cashin (nephews); Mrs. Nellie O'Gorman, Mrs. Frances O'Connor and Margaret Cashin (nieces).

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I believe France, whom Irish are meeting at Lansdowne tomorrow afternoon, have the world's most pulverising pack. I am not so sure that even the Triple Crown scrummagers, Mr. J. C. Daly, and plus Tom Clifton Young Munster, strike the blows that blighted the hopes and ambitions of England, Scotland and Wales it will be sufficient to beat the ponderous Frenchmen.

We must not forget that Irish on the French side, playing in their second engagement with Ireland are seven forwards of the Irish combination, which rather less than very fairly scatted eight tough Irishmen to the winds of heaven, as it were; yet the same Irish eight afterwards quite a mess of England, whom they beat by twenty-two clear points.

As a matter of fact, in the engagements since the war— incidentally, it took the 1914 blood bath in Europe to re-establish friendly rugby relationship between our friends from the Continent we have never once come anywhere near taming the French forwards.

Last season we surprised ourselves by winning in Paris, a result by the way, which must have converted many disbelieving people to the fact that the age of miracles is not yet past. I am not saying that

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