

# THE COALITION And New Industries

## LETTER FROM MR. RUSSELL

(To the Editor, "Limerick Leader.")

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**P**LEASE allow me to correct a misleading reference, in the Leading Article of your week-end edition of June 11th, to the recent successful Clann na Poblachta meeting at the O'Connell Monument, Limerick.

In the course of what is intended to be a general criticism of the present Inter-Party Government, the article in question states that "at a recent meeting in Limerick some figures were given to show that a large number of new industries were set up by the Coalition. The fact is, of course—but the speaker was careful not to mention it—that the plans for all the industries in question had actually been drawn up and made ready for practical adoption before Fianna Fail left office."

As the speaker referred to, I would like to refute most emphatically the innuendo contained in the above paragraph. As you are, no doubt, aware, my reference to the industries sanctioned and established since the present Government came into office, was intended to disprove the statement made by a speaker at Mr. Lemass's meeting a few days previous that "no industries would be established in the country under the present regime."

I do not, of course, know from what source, if any, you obtained the information that all industries sanctioned by the present Minister were drawn up and made ready for practical adoption before the last Government left office. My statement was based on the figures given by the Minister for Industry and Commerce when introducing the estimates for his Department recently in the Dail, together with other information at my disposal.

I will leave your readers to judge the accuracy of another statement in the same article that the present Government "has added to the burden of taxation and the cost of living."

### DEATH.

**ROCHE**—June 17, 1949, at St. Patrick's Nursing Home, Pearse N. Roche, "Bellavista," Laurel Hill Avenue. R.I.P. Remains will be removed this (Friday) evening, at 8 o'clock to St. Michael's Church. Funeral arrangements later.

### IN MEMORIAM.

**BENNIS** (Second Anniversary)—In loving memory of our darling son, Martin Bennis, who died on June 20, 1947.—Sadly missed by his daddy, mammy and family.

**BENNIS** (Second Anniversary)—In loving memory of Baby Martin, who died on June 20, 1947.—Inserted by grandma and granddad O'Driscoll.

**BRISLANE** (Sixth Anniversary)—In remembrance of my dear father, Denis Brislane (late of 6 Dominic Street), who died on June 12, 1948. Also my dear mother, Mary Brislane, who died on July 3, 1943. On whose souls, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. R.I.P.

—Inserted by his son, Jack, and daughter, Bridie and Nora.

**BROWNE** (13th Anniversary)—In sad and loving memory of Mrs. Bridget Browne, who died on June 19, 1936 (Feast of the Sacred Heart). Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her. Masses offered.—Inserted by her loving husband, sons and daughters.

**CARNEY** (Third Anniversary)—In fond and loving memory of Patrick James Carney (Paddy), late 3 Clare View Terrace, Thomondgate, who died on June 15, 1946. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered.—Inserted by his loving brothers and sisters.

**DEEDIGAN** (nee Killeen) (First Anniversary)—In sad and loving memory of my darling wife, Annie, who died on June 18, 1948, at 130 Hyde Road, Prospect.—Inserted by her loving husband and family.

**DEEDIGAN** (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of my darling mammy, who died on June 18, 1948. Masses offered.—Inserted by her loving daughter, Nancy; son-in-law, John, and grandchildren (Killonan).

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