

to let 20 of the 30 newly-
houses to the most needy
at a rent of 7/6 per week,
rates.

The most needy cases were set
th in Dr. McCarthy's report.

CATTLE ON ROAD

HEAT AN EXTENUATING CIRCUMSTANCE

The effect of the heat wave on
cattle was mentioned at Broadford
District Court when Edward Keler,
Drumenagun, Broadford,
was summoned for allowing his
cattle to wander on the public road
and cause obstruction.

Guard Kearney, who prosecuted,
gave evidence of extenuating cir-
cumstances. He said that the heat
wave was driving cattle mad and
rendering them uncontrollable.

Justice Gordon Hurley applied
Probation Act.

CITY GAS WORKS

The output of gas at the City
Works for the month of June
was 55,670.325 therms as against
50,575 therms for June, 1948.
The number of men employed by
City Works on 30th of last month
was 33 internal and 51 external.

CITY LIBRARY

During the month of June 39
books were purchased for the Lime-
rick City Library. This appears
in a departmental report issued
to the City Council. The total
number of books now in stock is
1,774.

THREE FINED £100 EACH

At Dundalk on Friday two men
were fined £100 each "for bringing
a dozen eggs to a place for export,"
and another man was fined £100 on
a similar charge in regard to
the poultry.

COASTING TRADE

One thousand tons of Irish wheat
is being shipped in three cargoes
from Sligo to Milford, Co. Donegal.

HOSPITAL HOLD-UP COMPLAINT

A complaint was made by Mr.
M. J. K. Dore, solicitor, at a meet-
ing of Limerick County Council on
Saturday, that the development of
the Regional Hospital at Dooradoyle
was being held up because of
the non-delivery of English water
pipes.

Mr. C. McDonald, B.E. (of Mr.
P. J. Sheahan's office), said there
was a hold-up in the development
work on the Corporation property,
because there was some delay in
the delivery of certain English
water pipes. There was no diffi-
culty in getting licences for the ex-
port of these pipes from Great Bri-
tain, and he expected they would
arrive within the next few weeks.
Meanwhile, other important work
was going ahead on the site.

The matter was not further dis-
cussed.

DEATH OF MISS M. A. PUNCH

The death took place this morn-
ing of Miss Mary A. Punch,
Punch's Cross, Limerick. The
deceased, who was aunt of Mr.
P. F. Quinlan, ex-Mayor, was a
very estimable and loveable old
lady and her death, despite her
long span of life, is deeply re-
gretted by a very wide circle of
friends and acquaintances.

The remains will be removed to
St. Michael's Church this evening
at 8 o'clock. Requiem Mass will
be celebrated to-morrow morning
at 10 o'clock and the funeral will
leave for Mount St. Lawrence
Cemetery at 3 p.m.

NEW INDUSTRY

A leather processing industry is
to be established in Rathangan, Co.
Kildare, at a former malting stores
of Minch, Norton and Co.

LIGHT WEIGHT

At Clane Court, W. H. Andrew,
trading as J. A. Cunningham and
Co., bakers, Naas, was fined £5 for
selling bread deficient in weight.

purpose.
Even if these ventures are
successful it is the Club's inter-
est to continue in football.

SIX BULBS BLOWN WHY CYCLIST HAD LIGHT

Summoned at Broadford
(Clare) District Court for not
having a light on his auto-cycle, Michael
Boland, Ballynahinch, O'Callaghan
Mills, told Sergeant Lacey that
his machine had blown six bulbs
from him.

Defendant added that as he
did not have a seventh he could not
be cycling without the light.

Justice Gordon Hurley dismissed
the case under the Probation

HEAT WAVE TOLL

In eight days in the East
Middle West of the United States
no fewer than 420 persons
died from heat. Many deaths
from the same cause have occurred
in other parts of the country.

DROUGHT DAMAGE IN U.S.

Farming experts in New Eng-
land, U.S.A., say that the drought
has caused \$18,750,000 worth of damage
in the North-Eastern States.

DISASTROUS GALE

A gale of 60 miles per
hour roared through parts of the
Pineapples with disastrous results,
causing the deaths of at least
100 people and left a trail of wre-
cked houses.

PRAYERS FOR RAIN

Most Rev. Dr. Fogarty, Bishop
of Killaloe, has ordered that pray-
ers for rain be said in all churches
in his diocese.

COTTAGE TENDERS.

Sligo County Council has ac-
cepted tenders for the erection of
cottages at £795 each. The
cost of the scheme will be £390,000.