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Gross and 65 Nett.

RESULTS:

Desmond Castle Perpetual Challenge Cup (an 18 Hole Stroke Competition)—Winner, R. L. Kirkpatrick (Tullamore), 65 Nett; runner-up, T. N. O'Shaughnessy (Adare), 65 Nett.

Mr. Kirkpatrick declared winner on last nine holes. Best Gross, D. Kenny (Birr).

Afternoon—Fourball v. Bogey — Winners—Messrs. J. O'Leary and T. O'Shaughnessy (Adare), 9 up; runners-up—Messrs. M. Fitzgibbon and W. Hehir (Adare), 9 up.

Messrs. O'Leary and O'Shaughnessy declared winners on last nine holes.

Mr. J. O'Leary (Captain of the Club) presented the Cup to the winner and thanked all the other competitors for attending the Open Day.

In a short speech the winner expressed his delight at winning the Cup and complimented the Professional (Mr. P. Wallace) for the excellent playing conditions of the Links.

CAMOGUE DRAINAGE SCHEME

A drainage scheme for the camogue River at Elton is now in progress. Working operations were begun at Gormanstown Bridge and the team are working up stream to Elton Bridge, where other gangs of men are operating. Considerable headway is being made cleaning and widening the river and the job appears to be quite a good one and one which will bring considerable benefit to the riparian owners along the Camogue valley.

GARRYOWEN FOOTBALL CLUB

The annual general meeting of the above Club will take place at Cruise's Hotel on Friday, September 9th, 1949, commencing at 8 p.m. All members and intending members are cordially invited to attend. Notices of motion for the annual general meeting should reach the undersigned on or before Monday, September 5th.—P. G. Quilligan, Hon. Sec., St. Therese, Corbally, Limerick.

After very interesting games in the semi-finals, Mr. S. Jones, Croom, and Miss M. Murphy met and defeated Mr. C. Mitchell, Caherconlish, and Mr. D. Fitzgerald, Clarina, in the final which was keenly contested.

At the conclusion of the tournament the cups were presented to the winners and runners-up by Mr. P. F. Ryan, Secretary of the Croom Club in the absence of Rev. T. Kirby, C.C., President, who was at the Rural Week at Mungret College.

The tournament dance held in the Town Hall, Croom, on Sunday night was a most enjoyable function, attended by a large gathering of dancing fans. A choice selection of music was provided by the Cavalier Dance Band, with D. Foley, A.L.C.M., leading.

A LOVER OF HORSES

Twenty-three-year-old racehorse Rosolio II has started "a life of contentment and ease."

Orders for it were given in the will of his owner, Senator James J. Parkinson, one of Ireland's best-known trainers.

He set aside sufficient money to keep the French-bred stallion in his stables at Maddenstown Lodge (Co. Kildare), for seven years.

Senator Parkinson left £75,341. Estate duty was £17,515. He left £100 each to the Tramore (Co. Waterford) and Limerick racecourse executives for challenge cups to be raced for in his name.

LATE MR. B. MCSWEENEY

The funeral of the late Mr. Bernard McSweeney, a native of Glin, who recently met a tragic death while working for the Wicklow U.D.C., from Glin Parish Church to Kilfergus, was one of the largest seen in Glin for a considerable time (writes our Glin correspondent).

The late Mr. McSweeney had been employed as foreman carpenter to the Wicklow U.D.C. He was son of the late John and Mrs. McSweeney, Glin. The deepest sympathy is extended to his widow and two children and to his numerous relatives in the Glin area.

Kilharney. Playing "An Normoyle who will be in Limerick as "Olivia Must Fall." Dan Don opposite her as "Ma" which is another person for this well known, y actor who will not be f Limerick for his brillia of "Danny" in "Night M Production is in th hands of Bob Long who "Old Chris." This is a ter study played with sincerity always attribu acting ability.

Playing opposite him Long as the humorous Owen; others in this Society include Frank Paddy O'Connell, Con Jerry O'Sullivan and Se

RATHKEALE CATTLE

The fair held on Thursday, was average sized inst., was average sized were some choice lots of offer. Trade was slow smaller grades of stores showed a drop in prices last fair in Rathkeale. a steady demand for cat dition and a special ir heavy animals intended to the Continent. Qu Stores, three years and condition), £40 to £49; 2½ to £40; 1½ years, £22 to 12 months, £15 to £20; p 86/- to 90/- per cwt. (l.w dary, 80/- to 85/-; bulls, 60 milch cows, £40 to £50; £7 to £8; bonhams, 90/- t

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The death of Mr. Ower Knockroe, Kiltteely, re heroic days of the Black struggle. He was early with the Volunteers in the District and took an a in the formation of the B rick Flying Column d Black and Tan war in I took part in the many en against British forces. the truce, the late Mr. took the Treaty Side d Civil Strife and became in the Army. His passing by all his associates and with profound regret