

## INCREASE IN WAGES

Threatened stoppage of work in the important co-operative societies in Co. Limerick—Kilbruree and Effin—has been removed as a result of the decision of the Labour Court. The workers had demanded an increase of £1 per week and when negotiations failed to effect a settlement strike notices were issued. The Labour Court then intervened and on Tuesday the Con- sidering Officer, Mr. C. Smith, held a public sitting to hear representations from both sides and, finally, a settlement was reached on the basis of an increase of £1 per week for all workers.

Mr. J. Browne, Limerick Branch Officer, represented the I.T. and the Union.

## COY. OLD I.R.A.

The solemn sacrifice of the Mass will be celebrated at 12 noon on Sunday October 2nd, in St. Munchin's Church for Capt. Michael Danford and other deceased members of the Coy. All members of D Coy. are requested to be present. Mr. J. P. MacMahon; secretary.

## HOUSING FINANCE

The first instalment of £20,000 from the Transition Development Fund has been received by the Ennis District Council towards their 96 house scheme at Hermitage. This scheme is rapidly nearing completion. Twenty of the houses have already been occupied.

## JUDICIAL LICENSING COURT

Today was the annual licensing court of the Limerick District. The hearing of applications for renewals occupied an hour of the court's time. Justice Gleeson considered all licences before him and granted a number of applications for transfers.

## CIRCUIT COURT SITTINGS

The Michaelmas sittings of the Circuit Court will open on Tuesday morning with Judge Barra O Briain in the Courtroom at 11 o'clock. His Lordship will first try the two criminal cases listed and will then deal with the very heavy civil business.

APPLICATION FOR MILK

of all grades employed by C.I.E. in the Limerick area, expresses strong condemnation at the recommendation made by the Labour Court and the unwarranted attack on the General Officers of the Union, and the workers involved in the C.I.E. Road Freight dispute, now happily settled.

"In marking their emphatic disapproval of the recommendation, the meeting calls on the Congress of Irish Unions to press for a change in the personnel of the Court's constitution."

"We also desire to mark our high appreciation of the able manner in which the General President and Vice-President of the Union conducted the case of our members, and assure them of our unswerving loyalty and confidence in the future."

## DEATH OF MR. FRANK CLEEVE

The death occurred yesterday at his residence, Sunville House, North Circular Road, Limerick, of Mr. Frank Cleeve, elder son of the late Sir Thomas Cleeve.

The late Mr. Cleeve, who had reached an advanced age, took a prominent part for many years in the industrial life of the city. He was Managing-Director of Lansdowne Condensed Milk Factory for a period before this concern was purchased by the Dairy Disposals Board. He was, too, a past President of the Limerick Chamber of Commerce. As a member of the Harbour Board he took an active interest in the welfare of the port.

The late Mr. Cleeve was held in very high regard and esteem and his passing will occasion deep regret and sorrow. He is survived by his widow, son and two sisters.

## PROPOSED CIDER FACTORY

Messrs. Magner, the Clonmel cider and mineral water manufacturers, have purchased a site at Ballynanty, alongside the Long-pavement Station, for their proposed Limerick factory. During the week borings for foundations were carried out on the site. It is understood that Mr. W. F. Ryan, architect, has been instructed to prepare the necessary plans and specifications for the factory, but it is not possible to say when building operations will be started.

## SIGHT-SEEING FLIGHT

Limerick people who have not seen the sight will have a rare opportunity

The question of the making of such an appointment was initiated by the Minister for Health, Dr. Noel Browne, who, in a circular letter to the local authorities, recommended the appointment of a surgeon qualified in specialised work.

At a preliminary conference a proposal was under discussion to appoint two surgeons—one for South Munster and a second for the Northern districts of the province, but a final decision was not reached on this point.

At to-day's conference this proposal was further considered and it is understood that the delegates present undertook to report back to their respective Councils.

The salaries and administrative expenses of the scheme, should one be framed by their respective Councils acting together, will be borne by each on a pro rata basis.

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We have much pleasure in announcing the recent success of Miss Tess Hannan, Ballymack, who has been called to Carysfort Park Training College, Dublin, as a result of her brilliant successes both at the "Easter Orals" and Leaving Certificate Examinations (writes our Kilmallock correspondent).

Miss Hannan is daughter of Mrs. Aileen Hannan and the late Mr. Timothy Hannan ("Rambling Thady") who had been Principal of Effin Boys School for over forty years. She received her early education at Effin Girls School under the tutorship of her aunt, Mrs. Annie Fitzgerald, ex N.T., and later Mr. Paddy Ryan, N.T. Miss Hannan subsequently went to Kilfinane Convent, where she spent five years with the Sisters of St. Paul. She has come from a great teaching family and her innumerable friends are delighted that she has followed the family tradition. Her grandparents were graduates of Dublin Training Colleges. Five aunts, three uncles and several cousins are teachers. Two of her aunts were trained in Carysfort Park.

## CROOM PIONEERS

The annual general meeting of the Croom Branch of the Pioneer Total Abstinence Association was held at the Vocational School, Croom, on Friday 23rd September.