

parties to the hold up of modern machinery for use at the docks. I wish to inform the members of the Board and the citizens that the hired carmen are prepared to work half-ton tubs or cranes, as an agreement to this effect was made at a conference held at the Chamber of Commerce between representatives of the carmen and the coal merchant groups of the Employers' Federation on August 5th, 1948.—
Yours faithfully,

HENRY DALY, Chairman,
Hired Carmen's Society, 59, Keane St., Pennywell, Limerick, February 3rd, 1950.

FOUND DEAD IN BED

WIFE'S SAD DISCOVERY

Daniel Considine, a farmer aged 54, who lived with his wife and family at Newgrove, Tulla, Co. Clare, was found dead in bed yesterday (Thursday) morning (writes our Ennis correspondent). The tragic discovery was made by his wife. He got up as usual to go to work, and when told by his wife that it was too early, returned to bed for some further sleep. A short time later she heard an unusual noise, resembling heavy snoring, coming from his bedroom. She called her husband by his Christian name and, on receiving no response, entered the bedroom, and to her great grief and dismay discovered that he was dead. Death was due to natural causes.

GUARD PROMOTED

Guard James Heaphy, who was stationed in Lisdoonvarna for a number of years, has been promoted to the rank of Sergeant and transferred to Feakle, where he replaces Sergeant O'Reilly, who has retired after 27 years service.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul acknowledge receipt of £20 from Mrs. Ryan, Winterbourne Hotel, 21 Pembridge Gardens, London, per Mrs. Dr. O'Sullivan, to be used for purpose specified in memory of the late T. St. John Gaffney.

EARLY POTATOES SOWN

Messrs. Christopher McKenna, Thomas Ryan and Denis McKenna natives of Ogonnoloe (writes our Killaloe correspondent), are the first in the Killaloe area to have sown an instalment of early potatoes.

music played by Johnny McMahon and his brilliant band.

ADARE Y.F.C.

ADDRESS ON RURAL ELECTRIFICATION

At a meeting under the auspices of the Adare Young Farmers' Club, held in the Monastery, Adare, Dr. D. Costello presided, and there was a large attendance of the public present.

The Secretary, Mr. Patrick Dunworth, introduced Mr. Nix, Area Officer of the E.S.B., who outlined the object of the meeting and went fully into details of rural electrification and showed what a valuable asset it would be to the farming community to have electricity installed.

He answered a large number of questions and all present were pleased with the conditions outlined and it was decided to hold another meeting in the near future to appoint members to canvass their respective areas.

Dr. Costello proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. Nix. This was seconded and adopted and the meeting adjourned.

DEATH OF OCTOGENARIAN

The death occurred recently of Mrs. A. O'Sullivan, of Pallatine Road, Bruff, at the age of 81 years. A very popular lady in the district, she was a member of very old stock in Bruff and her death occasioned deep regret.

There was a large attendance at the interment, which took place at Teampulleen Cemetery, from SS. Peter and Paul's Church, Bruff.

Very Rev. D. Canon O'Riordan, P.P., V.F., Bruff, assisted by Rev. J. Browne, C.C., do., and Rev. E. Houlihan, C.C., do., officiated at the graveside.

Chief mourners were: Mr. Michael O'Sullivan (son), Mrs. O'Shea (daughter).

THANKS RETURNED

Mr. Edward Madden and his wife, 13 Broad Street, Limerick, in a letter to the Editor, thank all those who rendered assistance to them and their family following the collapse of the tenement in which they lived. In a special way they thank the following: Mr. Patrick and Mrs. Sheehan, Mr. G. E. Russell, B.C.; Mr. Frank and Mrs. Bourke, Mr. M. Connery and Mrs. Connery, Mr. T. Cosgrove and Mr. J. O'Connell.

CHARGES IN LIMERICK

COURT

Joseph English (19), 5 Davis St., Limerick, was formally remanded in custody for a week by Justice Gleeson in the District Court today on charges of the theft of two motor cars, valued at £500 each.

English, who was a porter in the Royal George Hotel, Limerick, is alleged to have taken cars belonging to two commercial travellers, Cornelius Ryan and James Ganning, staying in the hotel. Both cars were found wrecked, one at Mungret and the other near Drogheda, after they had disappeared from the garage of the hotel.

Sergt. J. Hanrahan, in the District Court to-day, said he took English from Dublin, where he had been arrested in the first instance, down to Limerick yesterday. When charged by him, English said he had nothing further to add to a statement already made by him.

Supt. P. Colleran, who is prosecuting, said he wanted a remand in custody for a week, when the Guards might have additional charges to lay against English.

The Justice, as stated, granted the required remand.

Mr. E. Treacy, solr., is defending.

TO LIGHTEN FINANCIAL BURDEN

In order that the erection of the proposed new school at Kilcornan might not prove too heavy a financial burden on the parishioners (writes our Pa'naskenry correspondent) the plot assigned for the building will be cultivated this year and sown with beet. The proceeds of the sale of the crop will be added to the building fund.

COLLAPSED IN STREET

While walking along William St., Limerick, this evening an aged man named Christopher King, St. Munchin St., Island Field, collapsed and died. The body was removed to the morgue at Barrington's Hospital. The deceased was a shoe repairer.

BOYS CLUB BUILDING FUND

The project for the erection of a Boys Club in St. Michael's Parish, Limerick, is making very satisfactory progress. Many subscriptions to the Building Fund have already been received, as will be seen from the list published on page eight of this issue.

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