

**SHOW PROPOSAL**

**Newcastle Revival Project**

**DECISION OF TRADERS**

**NEWCASTLE** West Town Traders' and Development Association had under consideration at the monthly meeting on Tuesday night an important and interesting report from the Committee appointed to examine the possibility of reviving the annual show in the town.

Emphasising that the organisation of the fixture would entail a great deal of work, the Committee recommended that consideration should be given to the holding of a two-day show, with jumping competitions.

The Committee pointed out that a successful show would benefit the town automatically but added that it would be impossible to organise a show without the wholehearted co-operation of all the traders. Unless the traders were prepared to run the show as a show, distinct altogether from business viewpoints, it would not be a success.

**GENERAL CONSENSUS OF OPINION**

The general consensus of opinion amongst the members of the Association, a "Leader" reporter adds, appears to be that in view of the magnitude of the preparatory organisation work involved, it would not be possible to run a really successful show on the lines indicated before the autumn of next year.

The Committee, in their report, emphasised particularly at the outset that the successful organisation of a show would entail a great deal of work. It would be impossible to organise a show without the wholehearted co-operation of all the traders. In this respect they felt that unless the traders were prepared to run the show as a show, distinct altogether from business viewpoints, it would not be a success. A successful show would automatically benefit the town.

The Committee also submitted a list of various activities, all or some of which could be included in the show programme, with the names of persons best qualified to advise on organisation.

**SUB-COMMITTEES**

The traders should decide which activities should be included. With a view to spreading out the necessary organisation work, the Committee suggested the following arrangement of sub-Committees:—

1.—A Co-Ordinating Committee should be appointed to handle the finance, advertising and general organisation. This Committee should consist preferably of the officers of the Traders' Association and one or two others.

2.—Sub-Committees should be appointed to deal with each activity connected with the show, each sub-Committee to consist of four members, with one of these members acting as secretary of that Committee. Each sub-Committee should get in touch with and work with an advisor as suggested. Each sub-Committee should take responsibility for the running of their section, with as much help as possible from the Co-Ordinating Committee. The secretaries should meet with the Co-Ordinating Committee once a week, if possible, to discuss progress, etc. So much for organisation.

"Now," the report continued, "this Committee feel that if the necessary sub-Committees cannot be found immediately it would be far better to drop the idea of a show altogether, as it would be a practical impossibility for any one body to cope with the complete organisation. We feel that a jumping competition of fairly decent dimensions is an absolute necessity.

**SUITABLE DATES**

The most suitable arrangement for a date would be the second Wednesday and Thursday in September, with the half-holiday for that week transferred to the Thursday, with the jumping on the Thursday afternoon. This arrangement would enable the locals to attend the jumping, and, as Thursday is half-holiday in Limerick City and Rathkeale, the attendance should benefit. A show dance should be run on the Thursday night.

The Committee also recommended that as Mr. P. O'C. Nash had very kindly offered the use of his premises free of charge, the trade shows, exhibitions, etc., should be held there, with the jumping competitions in the Demesne. Small admission charges both to the general show premises and to the particular halls were desirable. A grant, it was added, would be forthcoming from the Co. Committee of Agriculture.

"We would like to emphasise again," the report concluded, "that there is a considerable amount of work attached to the idea of a show and there must be a general willingness to work for the success of the show, as such, before there can be any hope of success."

**TOO LATE FOR THIS YEAR**

The Chairman (Mr. J. J. Phelan) said he thought it would be generally agreed that it was now too late to start organising even a smaller show for the present year, as a considerable amount of preparatory work would be involved. In the circumstances, he suggested that the report of the sub-Committee be left over for consideration later in the year so that timely and adequate preparations could be made for the

**OBITUARY**

**MR. PATRICK HOURIGAN, BALLINGARRY**

The funeral of the late Mr. Patrick Hourigan, cattle dealer, Ballingarry, whose death, in a Dublin hospital, was reported in our columns last week, was of huge dimensions. An immense cortege conveyed the remains from Dublin on Wednesday evening, 24th ult., to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Ballingarry. On Thursday morning, Solemn High Mass was celebrated by the Rev. J. Hourigan, C.S.Sp. (brother), of the Holy Ghost Missionary College, Dublin; deacon, Rev. D. O'Keefe, C.C., Ballingarry; sub-deacon, Rev. J. Barry, C.C., Ballybunion; master of ceremonies, Rev. J. Sheridan, C.S.Sp., Kimmage.

Clergy present:—Very Rev. T. Canon Wall, P.P., Ballingarry; Very Rev. W. J. Canon Carroll, P.P., V.F., Rathkeale; Very Rev. A. Egan, C.S.Sp., President Rockwell College; Very Rev. D. Walsh, C.S.Sp., Superior, Kilshane Novitiate; Very Rev. P. O'Connor, C.S.Sp., Owerri, Nigeria; Rev. P. O'Shea, C.S.Sp., Rockwell College; Rev. P. White, C.S.Sp., Zanzibar; Rev. S. Nealon, C.S.Sp., Mauritius; Rev. T. Brady, C.S.Sp., Kilshane; Rev. J. Neville, C.S.Sp., Kilmanjaro; Rev. M. Madigan, C.S.Sp., Zanzibar; Rev. M. Dillon, C.S.Sp., Owerri, Nigeria; Very Rev. M. O'Brien, P.P., Castle-mahon; Rev. M. Connolly, C.C., Granagh; Rev. P. Hanly, C.C., Ballybunion; Rev. T. Costelloe, C.C., Rathkeale.

Interment took place in the adjoining cemetery.

Chief mourners:—Mrs. Myra Hourigan (widow); Marie, Nuala, Jackie (children); Rev. J. Hourigan, C.S.Sp.; Dan Hourigan (brothers); Mrs. Hannah O'Connor, Mrs. P. Hogan, Mrs. P. Delaney, Mrs. P. Purcell; Miss Eileen Hourigan (sisters); Miss Gabriella Costello (sister-in-law); Messrs. Daniel and Thade Hourigan (uncles); Mrs. J. McGrath, Misses Hannah and Kathleen Meagher (aunts); Mrs. Dan Hourigan and family; Mr. P. Hogan and family; Mr. P. Delaney and family; Mr. P. Purcell and family; Rick and Michael Harty; Mr. and Mrs. George Nolan and family; Mrs. Daniel Hourigan; Dannie, Jackie, Paddy, Mossie and Hannah; Mr. John O'Grady; Mr. John McGrath; Bernie, Pats, Jack, Michael, Mona and Mary; D. and N. Baggot; D. and B. McCann; P. and D. O'Grady; Mrs. P. Carmody; Mrs. J. Chawke; Mrs. F. Kennedy; Mrs. J. Burke; Mrs. D. Cregan; Mrs. N. Shortt; Mrs. P. Mullane (cousins); M. and R. Kishane; Mr. and Mrs. R. Keane; Michael and N. A. McMahon; Miss E. Hickey; J. and M. Dillane; M. S. Clancy.

The following sent Mass cards:—His heart-broken wife, Myra; his little darlings, Marie, Nuala and Jackie; his sorrowing sister, Hannah; his loving brother, Dan; Dan, Birdie and family; Maysie, Pako and family; his loving sister, Ciss; Paddy and family; his loving sister, Eileen; Aggie, Paddy and family; Gabriella, George and Lily Frances; Bella, Violet and Georgie; Auntie Nan; Aunt Ellie and family; his loving Aunt Katie (Novena); Maureen and Bernie; the Hourigan family, Doonbeirne; the Harty family, Ballybunion; the Baggot family, Clounagh; Dan and Mary Baggot; Dan and Mrs. Cregan; Ned and Kate Shortt; John and Mrs. Chawke; Richard and Mrs. Kennedy; Joe, Maria and family; Esther Kennedy; Dan and Kitty O'Grady; Paddy and May O'Grady; Michael; the Sheehy family, Post Office, Ballingarry; his pals of the Hurling Club, 1 and 2; Mrs. K. Walshe and V. Davey (Novena); John O'Connor and family; the Dalton family; May and family; Madigan family, Morenane, Croom; Mrs. Wicks; Mrs. Delaney; Frank and Enagh Delaney; Mrs. McKeogh, Collinstown; Mary Purcell; Bridget Gaffney; the O'Brien family, Ballinaha; Michael Murphy; Tom and Peg Power; McCarthy family; the Byrnes family; Mick and Mrs. Quaid; Casey family, Ballyhea; the O'Callaghan family; Ciss Burke; Annie McDonogh, Chino; Cahill family; Tom Treacy; Eddie Sheehy; Mrs. Sheehy and family, Bridge House; Nellie Power; Essie O'Grady; Michael O'Kelly; Christy Ahern and family; Mick Daffy; Catherine Benson; Ryan family, Cork; Paddy and H. Condon; Tom, Alice and all the family (Roches); Riordan family, Coolrus; Pat and Mrs. Moloney and family, Abbeyfeale; May and Denis Ward, Rathkeale; Mrs. Kennedy; Mrs. M. O'Mahony; Clancys, Ballybunion; Jack and Kathleen Lynch; Con and Kathleen Ta-kaherry; Mary, Ann and Nell Hickey; Margaret Burns; Breda Hawney; Winnie O'Sullivan; Kathleen Moriarty; Kitty and Nancy Foley; Peter and Teresa O'Doherty; Tom and Mrs. Cregan; Nellie and Michael O'Connor; Bob, May, Nora and family (Stacks); Diggan family; Garda and Mrs. Nagle; the O'Keeffes; Mrs. McMahon; M. and V. Blake; Con Lee; Leo Gooden; Mrs. Sateley; Tommy Ryan, Rathkeale Secondary School Leaving Class; Maisie and Chris Power, Duxtown N.S.; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Egan, Moate; Heffernan's Tour-

ist Agency; Rev. Father Dargan, S.J.; the Ahern family; R. and L. Harty; Mrs. M. Brosnan; Mrs. J. Allen; Nora McGrath; Nell Stack; Hanna Moran; M. A. McMahon; T. Jones; Ballybunion Girl Guides, Peg Murphy, Mooncoin; Doyle family, Mooncoin; Tom and Delia Liddane; Maureen and Tom O'Brien; Mr. and Mrs. Mulcahy and family; Redmond Dinneen; O'Kelly family, Croagh; O'Callaghan family; Mrs. McAuliffe and family; Jack and Nancy Short; Paddy and Nell O'Dwyer; Mrs. Bride Walsh and family; Rev. J. O'Shea, Pastor, Our Lady of Grace Parish, Sacramento, California.

Telegrams and messages of sympathy were received from the following:—Rev. Fr. M. Moloney, C.S.Sp.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roche, Clara; Sr. M. Ita, Monaghan; Tommy Ryan, Thurles; Sr. M. Philomena, Carrickmacross; Fr. Mac, Ardfer; Michael Griffey, Ennis; Martin Egan, Moate; D. J. Madden, T.D., Rathkeale; Dan and Sonnie Cottor, Abbeyfeale; cousin Lily, Dublin; Susan and John Hickey, Birdhill; Superintendent B. Poole, Naas; D. O'Brien, T.D.; Irene and Pa Lynch, Ennistymon; Rev. C. P. O'Donoghue, C.S.Sp.; Bill and Maura Chawke, Adare; Central Hotel, Listowel; Babs Pigott, Ennis; Kathleen Dillane, Glin; Paddy Collins, Miltownmalbay; Thomas and John Griffey, Arran View; Jack Webb, Castlereagh; John Roche, Ballymahon; Mrs. P. Roche, Clara; Jack O'Kelly, Loughrea; Noonan family, Ballybunion; R. Purcell, Mooncoin; J. Tubridy, Cooraclare; Esther Kennedy, Dublin; Thade Hourigan, Tipperary; Con Boyle, Quinn; Lucy Costelloe, Newmarket-on-Fergus; Paddy Loughnane, Loughrea; Connie and Nell O'Leary, Tralee; Griffey family, Ennis; the Grey family, Nenagh; Sr. M. Fidelas, Dublin; Mother Bernadette, Newtownforbes; McCarthy family, Ennis; Sr. M. Margaret, Dublin; Jack O'Connor, Dublin; Mother Malachy, Convent of Mercy, Ballingarry; Sr. M. Gertrude, Convent of Mercy, Abbeyfeale; Mrs. O'Brien, Clounagh; Chris. Roche, Wolverhampton; Ned Regan, Limerick; Jack Callaghan, Limerick; Sr. M. Rosalie, Dublin; Michael and Mabel Kishane, Asdee; Leahy family, Camas; Bill Aherne, Abbeyfeale; Josie Egan, Dromcollogher; Lily, Maggie and Bertie, Ennistymon; Mark Kelly, Little Chalfort; Timmy and Noreen Sheehan, Kilrush; J. Normoyle, Glin; Dr. J. O'Brien, Newcastle West; Michael and Thomas Griffey, Miltownmalbay; Emily Roche, Croom; Sr. M. Leonita, Dublin; Maisie and Chris. Power, Duxtown; Mary and Paddy McLoughlin, Castleblayney; Mr. Garrett Barry; Mrs. P. Gateley, Dun Laoghaire; Ryan family, Cork; T. W. and J. Kelly, Dublin; Maggie Madden, Pallaskey; Sonny Delaney and family, Galway; P. O'Caolmh, General Secretary, G.A.A., Dublin; Mrs. McCarthy, Sunday's Well; Finucane family, Foynes; Dr. Dick Stokes, Dublin; Frank and Enagh Delaney, Collinstown; Pat Roche, Carlow; Michael Browne, Cooraclare; Mrs. Michael Byrne and family, Edenderry; Dr. and Mrs. Jno. Drury, Dublin; Tom and Peg Plunkett, Croom; Hannie McDonagh, Limerick; Mick and Hanna Casey, Kill; Brian and Eileen Guiry, Kilmee; Elsie and Dick Bolster, Mallow; Dr. and Mrs. J. Stewart, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fennessy, Dublin; Mrs. Patsy Walsh, Dublin; Mr. and Mrs. J. Casey, Adare; Gerrie and Jack Boland, Cork; Bernie and Maureen McGrath, Dublin; Mr. Pat Costelloe, Dublin; Mary and Paddy Keane, Feenagh; Mrs. Gilmartin, Tulla; Katy Scanlon, Ballybunion; Revd. President and Community, Blackrock College; Revd. President and Community, St. Mary's College, Rathmines; Revd. Dr. Harnett, C.S.Sp.; Rev. M. J. O'Loughlin, C.S.Sp.; Rev. C. Daly, C.S.Sp.; Rev. R. Hudson, C.S.Sp.; Rita O'Connor, Galway; Agnes Quinn, Dromcollogher; Michael, Kerins, Ballingarry; Revd. Superior and Community, Holy Ghost Missionary College, Kimmage; Miss Mary Purcell; Revd. Mother Polycarp, Our Lady's Hospice; Mrs. Angela Sheehan, Cragmore; Sr. Mary Aquin, Sr. Mary Carthage; Mr. and Mrs. P. Galvin; Mrs. Della White; J. Boyce; J. J. Shortt; R. Cronin; Mrs. Concor Curtin; Rev. M. McDonald, P.P., Ardfer; Jack Fennessy, Clounagh; Mr. McCluskey, Ranelagh; Nance and Maud Ahern, England; Sr. Bernadette, Convent of Mercy, Abbeyfeale; Mercy Convent, Ballybunion; C. and N. O'Leary, Tralee; Galvin's, Central Hotel, Listowel; Eddie and Ida, Chicago; Keating family, Chicago; Eddie Harnett, Manchester; W. T. Cosgrave, Dublin; Miss Monahan, Dublin; Rev. Father Walsh, C.S.Sp., Dun-arvan; Misses Smart; Rev. Fathers T. O'Brien, C.S.Sp. and J. Nolan, C.S.Sp., Rockwell College; Sr. M. Sebastian; Kattie Micks, Adare; Sister M. Borromeo Brosnan, Holy Faith Convent, Glasnevin; Miss K. Moran, Ballylongford; Miss J. Hartnett, Minister of Works, London; Colonel and Mrs. J. P. G. Worledge, Glenwilliam Castle, Ballingarry.

**FOR THE HOME**

**Practical Hints**

(BY MARY HARDING)

**WORN CARPETS.**

A GOOD carpet, if only worn in one place, is certainly worth a little mending. This can usually be done quite easily and will be found to give quite satisfactory wear, if holes and threadbare patches are darned with strong, coloured wools to match the pattern or design. It is advisable to go over the hole as often as possible to ensure ample strength.

If it is a cord carpet, then buy a carpet needle and mend it with coloured string instead of wool. String is also an excellent means of re-binding any frayed edges. A worn-looking carpet can be made much brighter by brushing the surface with a soft clothes brush dipped in warm water.

**BEDSTEADS.**

To clean the frame of an old bedstead, do not go round it painstakingly with the corner of a duster. Get a medium sized paint brush, slightly moistened with paraffin, and rub all round the bedstead with that. You will be surprised how quickly you will get it satisfactorily cleaned.

**HOT WATER MARKS.**

To remove hot water marks from table tops, etc., first cover the marks with salt and olive oil, allowing to remain on for an hour or so, then wipe off and polish in the ordinary way. Another method is first to rub the mark well with linseed oil, and with a soft rag that has been dipped in spirits of camphor go over the mark lightly. Repeat the work until the mark disappears.

**STIMULANTS.**

In cases of illness, wines and spirits should never be given to juveniles, unless specially ordered by the doctor. All preparations of alcohol should be considered in relation to their powers of stimulation. Generally these are suitable as medicines only when advised by experts. Hot water is an excellent and a harmless stimulant, very useful in cases of chills and exhaustion.

**STAINING SHOES.**

When staining shoes to a different colour, first wash them thoroughly in warm water with soft soap to remove all grease and old polish. Dry them by rubbing with a soft cloth, afterwards putting them on trees in a warm place.

Put on the stain with a pad of cotton wool, working it in with a circular movement as quickly as possible, to avoid a streaky appearance. Leave them to dry, and then polish in the ordinary way.

**WASHING HAIR BRUSHES.**

It is little short of a tragedy—and a tragedy which should never happen—if a good and favourite hair brush is spoiled by washing.

Before wetting the bristles protect the polished backs and handles from the water by rubbing with vaseline. When washing, instead of using soap, dissolve a dessertspoonful of borax in a quart of hot water and pour the solution into a shallow bowl, so that it is deep enough to cover the bristles, but not so deep that the whole brush is covered. Then wash by dipping the bristles in and out of the solution until clean, using a comb or special little brush for any parts that are hard to clean. Rinse in cold water and place the brush sideways on a towel to dry. Do not lay the brush on its back.

**INDELIBLE PENCIL STAINS.**

Dry indelible pencil stains which are on the surface can generally be removed with warm methylated spirit and blotting paper, the latter placed above and below the stained part.

**CLOSE OF CASTLEMAHON MISSION**

Addressing a crowded congregation at the close of a week's Mission at Castlemahon on Sunday evening, Rev. Father Bourke, C.S.R., congratulated the clergy and parishioners on the state of the parish and on their splendid attendance at the morning Masses and evening devotions throughout the week. He writes our Newcastle West Staff Reporter: There was also a record attendance at the General Communion on Sunday morning. The closing ceremonies in the evening were of the usual impressive and edifying nature and included the renewal of Baptismal Vows and the imparting of the Papal Blessing.

In his closing sermon, Father Bourke, who was assisted by Rev. Father Fitzsimons, C.S.R., warmly complimented all concerned on the success of the Mission and paid a special tribute to the good work of the local clergy, Rev. M. O'Brien, P.P., and Rev. T. Culhane, C.C. On Sunday evening Father Fitzsimons opened a week's Mission at Feohanagh Parish Church, where the ceremonies will be brought to a close on next Sunday evening.

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