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Poultry Scheme, 1920-21.

LIST OF EGG DISTRIBUTING STATIONS (HENS AND DUCKS).

THE following persons have been approved of by the above Committee to keep Station for the distribution of eggs of pure-bred fowl to persons living in the County of Limerick.

T A HARTIGAN, Secretary.

Name and Address— Mrs D Cotter, Ballyteigue Bruree; Breed of Birds kept—Rhode Island Reds and Indian Runner Ducks.
Miss Scanlan, Ballyduhig House, Ballagh—Do.
Mrs Mulcahy, Ballinahown, Ardagh—Do.
Mrs Carroll, Grove, Hospital—Do.
Mrs P Creed, Ballyeagogue, Kilfinane—Do
Miss P Sheehy, Bridge House, Ballingarry—Rhode Island Reds.
Mrs O'Brien, Kyle, Dromcolloher—Do.
Mrs P Moloney, Bohard, Feenagh—White Wyandottes and Indian Runner Ducks
Mrs Dandon, Aughamah, Borrigone—Do.
Mrs Roche, Castle View, Newcastle West—Do.
Mrs Harris, Adamstown, Knocklong—Do.
Miss Dalton, The Hill, Kilmallock—Do.
Mrs D'Arcy, Lower House, Doon—Do.
Mrs Harrington, Kilderry, Fedamore—White Wyandottes.
Miss Hartnett, Glenduff, Broadford—White Leghorn and Indian Runner Ducks.
Mrs Normile, River View, Glin—Do.
Mrs McNamara, Ballygoughlin, Glin—Do.
Miss Hunt, Garbally, Bruff—Do.
Mrs Kelly, Garryarthur, Darragh, Kilfinane—White Leghorn.
Mrs W O'Callaghan, Skule, Fedamore—Do
Mrs O'Brien, Churchfield, Clarina—Do.
Mrs J Murray, Pound House, Loughill—Brown Leghorns and Indian Runner Ducks.
Miss Ryan, Corkamore, Clarina—Do.

N B—See separate list for Geese and Turkey Stations.

Limerick County Committee of Agriculture and Technical Instruction.

POULTRY SCHEME, 1920 21.

List of Egg Distribution Stations (Geese).

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Mrs Mulcahy, Ballinahown, Ardagh
Miss Scanlan, Ballyduhig House, Ballagh, Charleville
Mrs Roche, Ballymackessy, Newcastle West.
Mrs J Murray, Pound House, Loughill
Mrs Harris, Adametown, Knocklong
Mrs Bailey, Gortboy, Kilmallock
Mrs Kelly, Garryarthur, Darragh, Kilfinane
Mrs P Creed, Ballyeagogue, Kilfinane.

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Mrs Hanly, Mondelihy, Adare
Mrs Mulcahy, Ballinahown, Ardagh
Miss Hartnett, Glenduff, Broadford, Charleville
Miss M Murphy, Ballycommane, Tournafulla
Mrs O'Shaughnessy, Fealebridge, Abbeyfeale
Mrs J Murray, Pound House, Loughill
Mrs T M Cubbane, Ballguitenane, Glin
Miss Cussen, Fanlehane, Newcastle West
Mrs O'Connor, Corgrigg, Foynes
Mrs A Hunt, Garbally, Bruff
Mrs P Creed, Ballyeagogue, Kilfinane
Mrs Bailey, Gortboy, Kilmallock
Mrs Sheehan, Ballingarry, Glenbrohane, Knocklong
Mrs Harrington, Kilderry, Fedamore
Mrs D'Arcy, Lacca House, Doon

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Annual Revision of Valuation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Secretary of the County Council of Limerick has transmitted to me a statement issued by the Commission of Valuation Lists during the past year in so far as they relate to this district.

This Statement received by me on 2nd day of March, 1921, is now [illegible] for inspection at my office, and can be seen any day between the hours of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. for the next 21 days.

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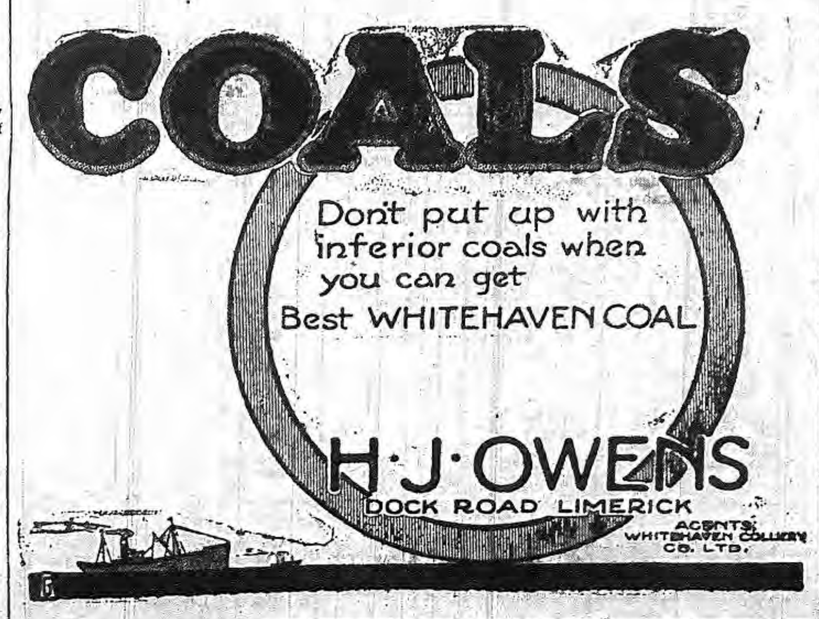

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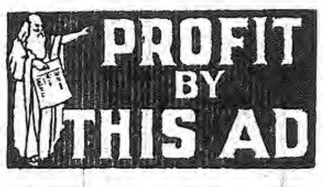

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In consequence of the earlier departure the evening trains from Limerick, and the curtailment of the hour for posting to p.m. at the General Post Office, it has been found necessary to issue the editions of the *Chronicle* at an earlier hour than hitherto. Advertisers will, therefore, please note that the latest hour at which advertisements can be received at this office on issue days is 3.30 p.m. Publication of any notices received after that hour cannot be guaranteed on that evening.

THE LIMERICK CHRONICLE
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IRISH WEEK.

For many years past Irish Week has been a conspicuous feature in connection with the celebration of the National Festival. It was brought into being by the industrial revival movement, and the object of the "Week" was to give a fillip to Irish manufactures, and zest to the extension of our industrial activities. It is, therefore, a matter that appeals to the patriotism and the practical support of all Irishmen. The annual displays of Irish manufactured goods have proved a distinct feature in our National life. They reflect the highest credit on our captains of industry, and the workers in the various branches of Irish trade for which Ireland stands out conspicuously in the industrial world. The spendid qualities of Irish goods, to use a trade phrase, defy competition. The "Irish Week" convinces us of that fact beyond all doubt, and a glance at the windows of our city establishments at once brings to mind the wide range of Irish manufactures. The annual Irish week is now being observed in Dublin, and various northern centres, and it is for the public to show in a practical manner its appreciation of the Industrial movement, and thus give a stimulus to Ireland's prosperity in which the whole community is bound to share. No sacrifice is required of those who are expected to perform an elementary, in fact the most ordinary patriotic duty; indeed, purchasers of necessaries of various kinds stand to benefit by doing what is asked of them. At no period in the country's history has the support by Irishmen and women of home produce been so necessary as now. In many branches of trade just now slump and depression prevail with consequent unemployment, and Irish manufacturers have not escaped the ordeal or the experience. The call for full support of Irish industries—to give them preference wherever possible—comes therefore with special emphasis this year, and the personal interests of all concerned will be best served by supporting the products of our own people, not only during this week but with redoubled efforts in that respect in the days that lie ahead of us. No such thing as self-denial is needed, it simply means that by supporting native industry we help to extend employment at home and on the other hand to stem the tide of emigration from our shores. Limerick has ever been in the van of the Industrial movement, and we feel assured that in this annual Irish week our city will prove no exception to the rule.

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

To facilitate the closing of accounts, subscribers of the "Chronicle," who have not already done so, are requested to remit forthwith subscriptions for the past year.

SACRED CONCERT AT CENTRAL HALL

A sacred concert was held in the Central Hall, Bedford Row, last evening, in aid of the Supernumerary Ministers' Fund, and was from every standpoint an unqualified success. The special feature of the concert was the rendering of Stainer's beautiful composition, "The Crucifixion," a soul-stirring and inspiring work which has made the author's reputation. It was given with fine tonal effect by the choir of fifty voices, and was greatly appreciated by the large audience present. Mr J A Higgins, Waterford, one of the tenor soloists engaged, was unable at the last moment to attend, and the music assigned to him was sung by Mrs Baker and Mr G R Layng, who gave a very artistic and impressive rendition of the numbers. The other soloists, Mr W Trousdell and Corporal Stephenson, were decidedly effective. They sang their music with a taste, expression, and grace that elicited the unanimous approbation of the audience. Mr Trousdell was particularly fine in "Is it nothing to you," while Corporal Stephenson's resonant voice was heard to great advantage in the item, "And as Moses lifted up." The duet, "So Thou Liftest Thy Divine Petition," was very finely rendered by Mr Layng and Corporal Stephenson, while the quartette, "God so loved the world," which was unaccompanied, was a splendid vocal effort for Mrs Baker, Miss Vokes, Mr Layng, and Mr Jackson-Harris. The choruses were particularly gratifying, the two that appeared to produce the best effect being "Fling wide the gates" and "The appeal to the Crucified." The orchestration was full and well balanced, and exercised a great influence in contributing to the success of the concert. Mr Frank Biddle filled the role of conductor with his customary skill. He left nothing undone to conduce towards a production worthy of the occasion, and the success that attended his endeavours was the best criterion of the merits of the production.

"The Crucifixion" will be repeated by special request in the same building on the 24th instant at 7.30 o'clock.

SEIZURE OF AMMUNITION IN LIMERICK.

The authorities in Limerick last night arrested two men, Patrick O'Neill and John Butler, in connection with a charge of being in unlawful possession of eight rounds of ammunition, a sparking plug, and two military blankets, which were found by a military search party at O'Neill's hair-cutting place of business in Newenham-street. It is stated there was an appointment made with a soldier in regard to the purchase of a revolver, and by arrangement the police were in waiting, and arrested Butler, who unexpectedly attended in place of O'Neill, who was to do so. The soldier had communicated with his commanding officer on the overtures respecting the purchase having been made to him.

RESULT OF CUTTING ROADS.

A military Order, prohibiting fairs and markets in Tullamore and outlying places has been issued, owing to the destruction of roads and bridges. The roads throughout the whole district are cut up, and barred with felled trees.

KNOCKLONG TRAGEDY.

Three Civilians Tried.

Dublin, Tuesday.

At the City Hall, Dublin, to-day, before a Field General Courtmartial, three young men named Patrick Maher, Edmond Foley, and Michael Murphy, all residing in the Knocklong district of Co Limerick, were charged with having, at Knocklong, on May 14th, 1919, wilfully, maliciously, and with malice aforethought, killed Sergt Peter Wallace, of the Royal Irish Constabulary. There was an alternative charge of manslaughter.

When arraigned the accused emphatically declared themselves not guilty. They were represented by Mr Patrick Lynch, K.C; Mr Richard Best, K C and Mr Joseph O'Connor (instructed by Mr J J Power, solr, Kilmallock).

An application was made by Mr Lynch to have the prisoner (Murphy) tried separately. He was a man who could tell the Court a good deal about what happened in Knocklong on the night in question. Murphy, he added, was a man who had a distinguished service with the Irish Guards in France. He was wounded and invalided home. His commanding officer and others spoke very highly of him. He could be produced as a witness, and in the interests of justice it was essential that his trial should be postponed.

Counsel for the prosecution was agreeable, so long as Murphy would be produced as a witness.

The Court acceded to Mr Lynch's request, and the trial of the prisoner (Murphy) was accordingly postponed.

The prosecuting Counsel opened the case against Foley and Maher, after which evidence was gone into and the Court adjourned to this morning.

MR LLOYD GEORGE AND IRISH TRUCE,

Mr Lloyd George, answering a question asking him to call an Irish truce, said in the House of Commons yesterday that the Government would be willing to meet any persons authorised to speak on behalf of the majority of the people of Ireland to discuss this matter.

The Prime Minister shook his head when asked by Mr Hogge whether there are any negotiations in progress.

CROSS-CHANNEL MAILS DELAY.

Case of Limerick and Cork.

In the House of Commons,

Lieut-Col Walter Guinness asked the Postmaster-General whether he was aware that mails, though leaving London at the same time as in 1914, are later in reaching places in Ireland by periods ranging from one hour in the case of Cork, to one hour and twenty minutes in the case of Limerick; that afternoon trains connecting with the night mail to England now leave these places at least three-quarters of an hour earlier, thus making it impossible to reply by return of post to English letters on the day they are received; and whether he can explain this decrease of efficiency and say when the Post Office will again be able to give the public arrangements as convenient as those enjoyed before the war.

Mr Pike Pease, replying, said that as regarded the night mail for Cork and Limerick via Holyhead, the apparent deceleration was in part due to the substitution of Greenwich for Irish time, which resulted in Irish time being 25 minutes later than in 1914. He was communicating with the railway companies for them to retime some of the trains concerned.

Col Guinness—Is not the right hon gentleman aware that if one loses 25 minutes going to Ireland through the synchronising of Irish and Greenwich time, one equally gains 25 minutes coming back.

Mr Pike Pease—It seems a very reasonable proposition (laughter), but I must have time to think it over.

Sir Maurice Dockrell asked if the right hon gentleman had received complaints as to the delivery of letters once they had reached Dublin, and would he not accelerate the delivery?

Mr Pike Pease replied that he had received complaints, and he thought he had received more letters from the hon gentleman than anybody else.

TROOPS FOR THE RHINE.

In the House of Commons,

Sir A Williamson stated, in reply to Commander Kenworthy, that no extra troops had been sent to reinforce the Army of Occupation in Germany, but it was impossible to forecast whether more troops would be required.

In reply to another question, it was said that the only additional cost incurred by the Government in connection with the advance into Germany was that involved by the transport through Dusseldorf of a squadron of cavalry and a section of tanks.

LATE CANON O'GRADY.

The remains of Rev Canon O'Grady, Rector, Bantry, were interred on Monday in the New Cemetery at The Abbey, Bantry. The funeral cortege was large and representative.

THE POPE AND PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

His Holiness the Pope has lately sent a contribution of £40 through Cardinal Gasparri to the Roman Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Cardinal Gasparri, writing with reference to an appeal to the clergy in charge of souls enjoining upon them the education of the young in kindness to all God's creatures, especially the birds of the air and their nests, makes the following statement:—"The Holy Pontiff finds worthy of praise these objects, and the certainty that it will with faithful and officacious collaboration by the priests of God, educate minds in sentiments of enlightened kindness."

When forwarding the gift the hope was expressed that it might encourage others throughout the world to help on all such beneficent work.

CONSTABLE WOUNDED IN CLARE.

A Dublin Castle official report says:—

"An R.I.C. constable when cycling along Ennis road, one mile from Corofin, Co Clare, on Sunday evening, was attacked by an armed man on a bicycle. There was a struggle and shots were fired, by one of which the constable was badly wounded by a revolver bullet. He fired upon his assailant, and, it is believed, wounded him about the head. The assailant escaped."

IRISH PEACE MOVE

In Business Interests

"A number of influential persons interested in the practical and administrative aspects of the Irish question and convinced of the urgent importance in the business interests of the United Kingdom and the Empire of arriving at a settlement of the present difficulties are," says "The Times," "taking steps to work out an arrangement which will give Ireland her full weight in the economic councils of the Empire."

PREMIER TO MEET BUSINESS MEN.

The "Daily Mail" is informed that the Prime Minister has acceded to a request made by leaders of industry to discuss with them the whole question of industrial and national taxation. It is probable that 170 business organisations will be represented at the conference.

ST PATRICK'S DAY PEACE.

English Archbishops' Appeal

The Archbishops of Canterbury and York have issued the following:—

"We thankfully see that all sections of Christians in Ireland are resolved that on Thursday next, St Patrick's Day, they will unite in prayer that, by the blessing of God, some way may be found of restoring peace to their distracted land. For us in England to be listless or silent at such a time would contradict the desire of every Christian among us. Never were thoughts about Ireland and her needs more vividly, more tragically, awake than they are this week. Let St. Patrick's Day see us all, publicly or privately, upon our knees in humble prayer that, under the good hand of the Lord God, the feet of those who are now in darkness and in the shadow of death may be guided into the way of peace."

SALMON FISHERIES.

Under an Order by the Food Controller, the use of any net, except a landing net, for the capture of salmon or trout in the freshwater portion of any river, is prohibited between the hours of 9.25 p.m and 7.25 a.m, instead of between 8 p.m and 5 a.m. The alteration is consequent on the Summer Time Act, and will remain in force during that period only.

A VESSEL IN DISTRESS.

Heroism of Quilty Fishermen.

Our Kilrush correspondent writes:—The "Alma Hein," a German three masted schooner left Hamburg some time ago, bound for Galway with a cargo of salt, and was driven in at Quilty on Thursday, 3rd March, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Distress signals were sent up all night from the ship, as the ship was in a perilous position, and nothing could be done until three fishermen—Thomas Boyle, Austin Boyle, and Pat Kelliher—volunteered to go out in the raging sea in a frail canoe at 8 o'clock in the morning. They made several attempts to reach the vessel, the weather being so rough, and only one of them, Thomas Boyle, was with great risk hauled on board, without boots, and only trousers and jersey on, by means of a rope which was thrown from the ship. The other two men had to return to the shore, as the canoe was in great danger of capsizing or being dashed to pieces against the ship. When Boyle got on board he found most of the crew of seven were unwell after their trying experience, and the vessel was drifting on to the rocks, as she lost one anchor during the night which weighed 6 cwts and 90 fathoms of chain. Boyle advised the captain to put his vessel to sea, but the captain thought she would not stand the weather, and did not know the dangerous coast as well as Boyle, so the captain decided to put to sea and Boyle was taken to pilot the vessel to Galway. They arrived at Inisheer Island about half-past six o'clock on Friday evening, and the vessel was brought to anchor in Galway Bay. The captain on arrival at Galway thanked Boyle for piloting his vessel under extraordinary circumstances from Seafield Point to Inisheer Island. These men, with others, distinguished themselves at the time of the wreck of "Leon XIII," in October, 1907. Boyle served in the Navy during the war, and was torpedoed four times. The Coastguards were on the scene at the time the ship was in distress but could render no assistance. A tug was wired for and came in search of the vessel, which had by that time arrived safely at her destination. These three fishermen deserve the greatest credit in saving the crew and ship, and it is hoped that their gallant and heroic action will be brought under the notice of the Royal Humane Society.

Lloyd's agents at Kilrush were in constant communication with Quilty, and wired to Queenstown for a tug, and did all in their power for the safety of the ship and crew.

COUNCIL OF AGRICULTURE.

Important Matters Discussed

Bishop of Ross and Irish Peace.

The annual meeting of the Council of Agriculture was held in Dublin yesterday. The President (Mr Barrie, M.P.) in his address, covered a wide field. In regard to the new Parliaments, the Government had asked the Department to segregate the work as between the North and South. He said the County Committees had co-operated admirably with the Department, and on the dairying question, said the Department, so far as lay in their power, would give attention to the recommendations of the findings of the Committee which had made a report on the subject. He said as regarded the flax, the demand had declined, but farmers should continue to sow flax seed, because the spinning industry was interested, and the Department would be willing at any time to call a conference of the interests involved. He also dealt with technical education, dairying, and other matters.

The question of the importation of Canadian stores was discussed, and a resolution was passed stating the removal of the embargo "would be a most calamitous injury to the cattle-raising industry of the country." The resolution was passed, and an amendment that the Council should press all points on the Government against the removal of the embargo.

In a letter from the Bishop of Ross, he stated the whole system of Irish life is going to pieces and the essential condition required for the better is peace. The unity of Ireland, and of all classes, is essential to Ireland, and Ulster holds the key to the situation. Peace is essential, and unity is essential to peace. In the Irish Convention a settlement was reached if Belfast had agreed.

KILKEE TOWN COMMISSIONERS.

Mr George Collins, J.P, chairman, presided. Other Commissioners present were—Messrs W O Doherty, J P, M Marrinan, J J Keane, M McCarthy, M Hayes.

THANKS FOR SYMPATHY.

Letters were read from Mrs Leonon, Bancha N.S, and Mrs Purtell, O'Curry street, thanking the Commissioners for resolutions of sympathy adopted at last meeting.

PETROLEUM ACTS

A letter was read from Captain W May, D I, R I C, Kilrush, confirming and approving the appointment of sergeant M Monaghan as Inspector for Kilkee in accordance with above Acts.

CO OPTION.

Mr Doherty proposed, Mr Marrinan seconded, and it was agreed to unanimously, that Messrs John O'Gorman and Martin Carmody be elected Commissioners for the North Electoral Area, in room of two members disqualified through absence.

Mr M McCarthy proposed, Mr J J Keane seconded, and it was carried unanimously, that Mrs Susan M Bradley be elected a Commissioner for the South Electoral Area, to fill a vacancy in similar circumstances.

Mr Doherty returned thanks on behalf of his sister, Mrs Bradley, who was absent, for her election.

FURTHER DISQUALIFICATIONS.

The Clerk reported that two other Commissioners had now been absent from meetings of the Commissioners for a period of six months consecutively.

The Clerk was directed to notify each of these Commissioners of his disqualification.

THE LATE MRS CURTIN.

Mr W C Doherty proposed, the Chairman seconded, and it was passed unanimously—"That we have heard with the greatest regret of the death of Mrs Curtin, Ocean View, Kilkee, and at this the first opportunity afforded us beg to tender to her daughters the expression of our sincere sympathy with them in their great loss."

COAL DECONTROL.

Miners' Strike Foreshadowed.

In the House of Commons yesterday, the Standing Committee further considered the Coal Mines Decontrol Bill.

The discussion was resumed by Mr Adamson, who complained that miners were being attacked in this bill, while a number of other industries were still in receipt of Government subsidies. He denies that the miners' strike had caused loss of trade, as had been asserted, and contended that the shameless "profiteering" that had gone on was mostly responsible. If this bill passed, and the Government got its way, he was sure that there would be a further strike. Miners had already surrendered three-and-sixpence per shift—roughly, a pound a week—and he believed that owners anticipated that with decontrol, wages would stand a further cut.

The bill was recommended to the House.

PORTION OF RAILWAY LINE TORN UP.

Three hundred feet of the tracks on the Londonderry and Burtonport Railway were torn up on Monday night and flung into a bog.

THE ARMY ESTIMATES.

Sir L Worthington-Evans, in introducing the Army Estimates in the House of Commons yesterday, said that they showed a saving of £25,000,000 as compared with last year.

THE FIGHTING IN DUBLIN.

Section Leader Beard, Auxiliary Police, died last night, this being the fifth death, including those of three civilians, as a result of the fighting in Dublin on Monday night. Section Leader O'Farrell, as already reported, succumbed to his wounds.

RAID ON COASTGUARD STATION.

According to a statement issued on behalf of the authorities, a party of men broke into the coastguard station at Tramore, Co Waterford, recently, and took away a quantity of signalling instruments and other articles.

METHODIST CHURCH

(GEORGE STREET).

St. Patrick's Day—Special Prayer Service at 7.30.

Lady Barrington has returned to Glenstal, Limerick, from the Riviera.

STOP PRESS NEWS

BOLSHEVIKS CAPTURE BLACK SEA TOWN.

Reuter's Agency learns that according to a British telegram from Batoum the Bolsheviks have taken the Georgian town of Poti, on the Black Sea. The Georgian army is continuing the struggle.

SPORTING.

LINCOLN MEETING.

GAUTBY PLATE.

Recruiter (Whalley)	... ...	1
Couplet (Evans)	... ...	2
I.O.U (Piper)	... ...	3

Also ran—Blot and Arctic

Betting—5 to 4 on Couplet, 7 to 2 agst Recruiter 6 to 1 others.

ELSHAM HANDICAP

Orange William (Piper)	...	1
The Jester (Donoghue)	...	2
Chrysopolis (Carslake)	...	3

Also ran—Mushpor, Chaitok, Mintleaf, Service Kit, Loppy, All Clear, Perfect Joy, Arlington, Park Avenue, Landowner, Be Sure, South Irish, Broken Faith, and Sandrail.

Betting—2 to 1 agst Chrysopolis, 4 to 1 Orange William, 8 to 1 The Jester, 10 to 1 All Clear, 100 to 8 Service Kit and Mintleaf, 20 to 1 others.

Lincoln Handicap

SORANUS (Carslake)	... ...	1
SENHORA (Weston)	... ...	2
QUEEN'S GUILD (Jones)	...	3

Also ran—Elfterion, Planet, Corn Sack, Lys II, Dynamo, Illuminator, Clarion, Arck Gift, Voxol, Ardcoull, Ardavon, Piraeus, Adoptod, Quip, Gloneskaki, Farna, Ardfern, Win the War, The Lossett, Valentine Vox, Control, Victory Speech, Ugly Duckling, Poltava, Messina, Thoughtless, and Blarney Stone.

Betting—100 to 15 agst Ugly Duckling, 7 to 1 Corn Sack, 8 to 1 Poltava, 10 to 1 Farna and Dynamo, 100 to 8 Clarion, 100 to 6 Valentine Vox 20 to 1 Senhora, 25 to 1 Elfterion and Arck Gift, 33 to 1 Soranus, Ardfern, and Piraeus, 40 to 1 Control, Thoughtless, and Ardavon, 50 to 1 Win the War, 66 to 1 Gloneskaki and Lys II, 1[illegible] to 1 Queen's Guild and others. Place Betting—[illegible] to 2 agst Ugly Duckling, Corn Sack, and Poltava, 4 to 1 Farna; others proportionate.

Won by two lengths; half a length between second and third. Clarion came fourth.

LINCOLN PLATE.

Chinese White (—)	... ...	1
Lona (—)	... ...	2
Artemesia [—]	... ...	3

Seventeen ran

Betting—5 to 4 agst Chinese White, 5 to 1 Brenxholme, 8 to 1 Artemesia 100 to 8 Ampelite f, and Airy Fairy, 20 to 1 others.

DODDINGTON HANDICAP—Canny Lady, 1; Dinie, 2; Neil Girl, 3. Sixteen ran. Betting—11 to 8 agst Canny Lady.

Keateven Plate—Perion, 1; Regent's Park, 2; Savile Row, 3. Nine ran.

BALDOYLE MEETING

Maiden Hurdle—Benediction (Hogan, jun), 1; Fairray (Joe Doyle), 2; Merry Minor (Aylin), 3. Also ran—Viola, Scotch Ben, Garrymore, Village Gossip, Tommy Lad, Stole Away, Asiatic Apple, Solus, Token, Herald, Silver Fleece. Fireside, Jalden, Santons, Roses Sweet, Golden Hero. Betting 3 to 1 agst Merry Minor 4 to 1 Benediction, 7 to 1 Jalden, 8 to 1 Garrymore, Fairray, Tommy Lad, 100 to 8 others.

March Plate—Waterbill (Dines), 1; Louvois Lass (Oates), 2; Ellen Gibby (Colbert), 3. Also ran—Marengo, Triviality, Precious Stone, Wee Betty, Bree, Carra Lass, Sunny Bird, St Phelim, The Orlock, Ringskiddy, Maxtoi, Rapscallion and Saintly Gemma. Betting—5 to 4 on Waterbill, 6 to 1 Sunny Bird, 8 to 1 Louvois Lass, Maxtoi, and Marengo, 100 to 8 others.

Seaside Plate—Ben View (Dines), 1; Tilstock (Oates), 2; Sharp Caroline (Winter), 3. Also ran—Rafter, Prudent Lad, Grand Lad, Most Noble, Symoon, Whitenza, White Heather, Saintly Maid, Shirley, Melborough, Bright Hope. Betting—Evens Bright Hope, 7 to 1 Tilstock, Whitenza, and Ben View, 8 to 1 Rafter, 10 to 1 Symoon and Prudent Lad, 20 to 1 Sharp Caroline and others.

Malahide Plate—Martin Fitz (Joe Canty), 1; Wild Boy (Barrett), 2; Courcelette (Colbert), 3. Also ran—Old Chap, Edgar's Fame, King's Garb, Thady, Garuda, Charabanc, Holy Looks, Hugh O'Neill, Lovely Boy, and Hawthorne Hill. Betting—5 to 2 agst Courcelette, 4 to 1 Wild Boy and Garuda, 5 to 1 Martin Fitz, 10 to 1 others.

Metropolitan Steeplechase—Sir Huon (Aylin), 1; Catchim (Houlihan), 2; Pam Nut (Dillon), 3. Also ran—Pacifist, Fleecy Wave, Deerfoot, Woo Whoop, Shallogans, Yours Only, Tully. Betting—2 to 1 agst Sir Huon, 6 to 1 Pacifist and Catchim, 7 to 1 Deerfoot, 8 to 1 Fleecy Wave, Shallogans, Pam Nut, and Woo Whoop, 20 to 1 others. Won easily.

Killaster Chase—Snipes Bridge (Hogan, junr) 1; Windfield (Robinson), 2; Beggar's End (T Malone), 3. Also ran—Shannon Vale, Bearna Baogil, Lady Gray, Patricia, Tomfoolery, Time Enough. Betting—Evens Snipe's Bridge, 2 to 1 agst Beggar's End, 10 to 1 others.

THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

A London evening paper writer suggests that Sir Hamar Greenwood may succeed Mr Shortt at the Home Office.

MILITARY DESPATCH RIDERS.

Two Shot in Dublin,

Dublin, Tuesday.—The Press Association Special Correspondent writes—Two military motor cyclists despatch riders were fired at to-day, and both were wounded—one seriously. The affair took place near Rialto Bridge, Dublin. The attackers appeared to have numbered two. They waited round the corner, and when the leading motor cyclist appeared ordered him to stop. He did not do so, and the men fired. Though wounded in the arm the cyclist opened out and disappeared, going at great speed.

The second rider evidently realised what happened. He was travelling a short distance behind and increased speed. The attackers fired, and he was hit in the stomach, and fell heavily off the machine.

The attackers took his revolver and ammunition, together with the despatches he was carrying.

LATEST NEWS.

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

(Special to the "Chronicle.")

DUBLIN STREET AFFRAY.

Ex-Lord Mayor's Brother Killed.

Our Dublin correspondent wires:—

The unknown man killed in the Great Brunswick street fight was to-day identified as Mr David Kelly, brother of Alderman Tom Kelly, ex-Lord Mayor of Dublin. He lived near the scene of attack, and had not been heard of since leaving his house shortly before the firing began.

GERMANY'S OBLIGATIONS

To be Carried Out by May.

Paris, Wednesday—The Reparations Commission has decided upon a Note demanding that Germany shall carry out the reparations obligations by May 1st, and inquiring how she proposes to pay the twelve milliards gold marks now due.

CARDINAL BOURNE.

Rome, Tuesday—Cardinal Bourne and Archbishop Mostyn left to-day for London.

INTERNATIONAL CHESS CHAMPIONSHIP.

Havana, Wednesday—The first game in the International Chess Championship between Lasker and Capablanca was adjourned after 32 moves.

FATAL RESULT OF BOXING CONTEST.

Joe Macfarland, of Chesterfield, knocked out in the last round of a boxing bout at Hull on Monday night, died to-day without having recovered consciousness.

At Hull to-day, Thomas Henry Moody, professional boxer, was remanded on bail, charged with the manslaughter of Joe Macfarland, who died to-day as the result of a blow and fall received during a boxing match with Moody on Monday.

CHARGE OF MURDER.

Douglas Barrington, of Fulham, a cinema actor, was remanded at Westminster to-day charged with the murder of Edward Payne by shooting, and attempting to kill a detective. It is stated the accused, when arrested said the man should not have tried to stop him.

ANGLO-RUSSIAN TRADE.

Agreement Signed.

It was officially announced this afternoon that the Anglo-Russian trade agreement, negotiated between the Board of Trade and M. Krassin, was signed to-day.

CANADIAN STORE CATTLE.

Royal Commission to Inquire.

The Prime Minister announced in the Commons this afternoon that the Government proposed to set up a Royal Commission to enquire into the embargo on the importation of Canadian store cattle.

HUNTING.

COUNTY LIMERICK HOUNDS

Will Meet on

MARCH

Friday, 18th ..... Carass Cross
Monday, 21st ..... The Four Elms
Wednesday, 23rd ..... Adare
Friday, 25th ..... Ballinalona

Hour—11 o'clock.

LIMERICK MARKETS.

BUTTER—3s 2d per lb.

MANGOLDS—10 loads; 55s to 65s per ton.

TURNIPS—10 loads; 60s to 80s per ton.

FOWL—Chickens, 9s to 13s 0d per pair; young ducks, 6s to 8s per pair.

PLANTS—Early York, 1s 9d to 2s 0d per 100; common cabbage, 1s 0d to 1s 3d per 100.

POTATOES—There were 20 loads in market to-day. Price—1s 4d to 2s 5d per stone.

EGGS—Hen eggs, 1s 6d to 1s 10d per dozen; duck eggs, 1s 10d to 2s 0d per dozen.

FISH—Cod, 1s 4d per lb; haddock, 1s 2d per lb; whiting, 1s 2d per lb; salmon, whole 3s per lb, cut 3s 6d per lb; plaice, 1s 6d per lb. Herrings and mackerel scarce.

BREADSTUFFS—Wholesale Prices at Mill Door—Bakers' Flour, 68s 0d per sack; G. R Flour, 68 0d per sack; Oatmeal, 80s 0d per sack; Flake Meal, 32s 6d per cwt.

MEAT—All roasting joints, beef and mutton, 2s 6d per lb; boiling beef, 1s 8d per lb; boiling mutton, 1s 10d per lb; steak and chop, 2s 0d per lb.

CORN—A small supply in market to-day. White oats, 2s 3d to 2s 4d per stone; black oats, 1s 11d.

HAY AND STRAW—There were 20 loads of hay and 6 loads of oaten straw in market to-day. Rye hay sold at from £5 5s to £5 10s per ton; upland hay, £4 5s to £5 0s 0d; coarse, £3 0s to £4 0s; oaten straw, £4 5s to £5 0s.

PIGS.

The following are to-day's prices:—

	stone	lb	per cwt
	cwt qr lb	cwt qr lb	
Suitable pigs	(1 1 0	to 1 2 7)	... 165s 0d
Stout ...	(1 2 8	to 1 3 0)	... 165s 0d
Overweight	(1 3 1	to 1 3 14)	... 165s 0d
Heavy ditto		(over 1 3 14)	... 165s 0d
Ditto ...		(over 2 0 0)	... 155s 0d
Ditto ...		(over 2 1 7)	Special
Unfinished ...	Special price.		
Berwick ...	(about 8 stone)		... 165s 0d
"Sixes" ...	(bacon pigs under 10st)		... 165s 0d

CORK BUTTER MARKET.

THIS DAY.

(BY TELEGRAPH.)

No official quotations.

Supply small; demand quiet. Weather fine. Centrifugal Creamery, 290s to 280s; Factory, 270s to 260s.

COUNTY OF LIMERICK.

ATHLACCA SOUTH,

KILMALLOCK

(Bruree, 2 miles; Bruff, 3; Kilmallock, 4).

Preliminary Notice of Sale by Public Auction of an EXCEPTIONALLY DESIRABLE

Fattening & Dairy Farm

with SLATED RESIDENCE, OUT-OFFICES, etc, thereon, containing 128 acres 0 roods 27 perches, S.M, or thereabouts, held in fee simple and subject to a terminable annuity of £73 10s; P.L.V. £84,

To be held at the SALESROOMS, 7 DAVIS STREET, LIMERICK

On Saturday, 2nd April, 1921

At 12.30 o'Clock p.m.

For A. Hogan, Esq. Full particulars later.
P. E. O'DONNELL, Solicitor,
8 Glentworth-street, Limerick.

J P & M G HARTIGAN
AUCTIONEERS.

MESSRS. HARTIGAN'S AUCTIONS.

At the Salesrooms, 7 Davis Street, LIMERICK,

On Saturday Next, 19th March

At Twelve o'Clock.

BROOK LODGE, KILMEEDY

GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, together with 160 acres 1 rood 6 perches, S.M, or thereabouts, of Prime Fattening and Dairy Land; annuity, £56 8s 6d; P.L.V, £89 5s. For Dr J. E. Hannigan.
P. J. O'SULLIVAN, Esq, Solicitor,
88 O'Connell-street, Limerick.

GARROUSE, BRUREE

DAIRY AND FATTENING FARM, containing 121 acres 1 rood 20 perches, S.M, or thereabouts, with Residence, Out-offices, etc, thereon; annuity, £43 18s 2d; P.L.V, £83. For Richard O'Regan, Esq, J T LISTON, Esq, Solicitor, Charleville.

J P & M G HARTIGAN
AUCTIONEERS.

NEXT CATTLE SALE

WILL BE HELD

On Thursday, 24th March

At 12 o'Clock noon,

AT THE PADDOCKS,

Corn Market, Mulgrave-street,

LIMERICK.

Entries invited.

J P & M G HARTIGAN
AUCTIONEERS.

COUNTY OF LIMERICK.

Court, Kildimo.

(Patrickswell, 2 miles; Adare, 3 miles; Limerick, 7 miles).

ATTRACTIVE AND IMPORTANT SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION OF A

Prime Fattening Farm

Containing 135 acres 3 roods 22 perches (Statute Measure), or thereabouts, with Buildings thereon, held from the Irish Land Commission for the terminable annuity of £125 6s 6d, payable half-yearly. Board of Works charge, £5 4s 0d per annum, on hay barn (which will shortly expire). Poor Law Valuation, £178 10s 0d.

To be held at the Salesrooms, 7 Davis Street, Limerick,

On Saturday, 26th March, 1921

At 12 o'clock noon,

By instructions of Christopher Sheahan, Esq.

THIS Land is noted for its prime fattening qualities, is all in grass, good shelter, laid out in nice sized fields, no waste, and a plentiful water supply.

The buildings comprise—Cow house, stable, hay barn (80 tons), implement shed, etc, all in good order and repair.

Particular attention is directed to this sale, as it presents a most favourable opportunity of acquiring a fattening farm of an exceptionally desirable character, within easy reach of Limerick fairs and markets, and convenient to Patrickswell and Adare Railway Sations.

Usual commission of 5 per cent.

Full particulars and conditions of sale from
JOHN J DUNDON, Esq, Solicitor,
101 O'Connell street, Limerick.

J P & M G HARTIGAN
AUCTIONEERS,
7 Davis Street, Limerick.

COUNTY OF LIMERICK.

SINGLAND

(Limerick ½ mile).

Sale by Public Auction of a

Valuable Plot of Land

Area about 1 acre (Irish). Annuity, £2 1s 4d, P L V, £1 15s 0d.

On Saturday, 26th March, 1921,

At 12.30 o'clock, p.m.

At the Salesrooms, 7 Davis Street, Limerick.

(By instructions of the Owner).

This piece of land adjoins the main road, opposite public pump. Most suitable for a Cattle Paddock, tillage or building purposes, being so convenient to Limerick City. There is a valuable quarry on it.

Usual commission of 5 per cent.

Full particulars and conditions of sale from:—
JAMES DOYLE, Esq, Solicitor,
O'Connell Street, Limerick.

J P & M G HARTIGAN
Auctioneers.

COUNTY OF LIMERICK

TOWN OF BRUREE.

Railway Hotel, Bruree.

(Adjoining Railway Station).

HIGHLY IMPORTANT SALE by Auction (as a going concern) this DESIRABLE HOTEL & LICENSED PREMISES, together with GROCERY & PROVISION STORES, YARD, GARDEN, STABLING, &c, where a most extensive and lucrative trade has been established for years. These Premises are held free of rent; P L V, £13. To be Held at

THE SALESROOMS, 7 DAVIS ST, LIMERICK

On SATURDAY, 2nd APRIL, 1921

At 12 o'clock noon.

For the Executors of Mrs D Carroll, deceased.

Full particulars in due course.

P E O'DONNELL, Solicitor, 8 Glentworth Street, Limerick.

J P & M G HARTIGAN,
Auctioneers, 7 Davis-street, Limerick.

Hartigan's Cattle Paddocks

CORN MARKET,

MULGRAVE STREET, LIMERICK.

CATTLE SALES

Will be Held during the Spring Season Fortnightly, as follows:—

THURSDAY ..... 24TH MARCH
FRIDAY ..... 8TH APRIL
FRIDAY ..... 22ND APRIL
FRIDAY ..... 6TH MAY
FRIDAY ..... 20TH MAY

At 12 o'Clock, Noon.

Annual Bull Sale

Will be held on

Friday, 27th May

Entries invited.

J P & M G HARTIGAN
AUCTIONEERS.

CITY OF LIMERICK.

Preliminary Notice of Sale by Auction of Superior MODERN & ANTIQUE HOUSEHOLD

Furniture and Effects

(Removed from a Country Residence)

To be Held at

THE REPOSITORY, 7 DAVIS ST, LIMERICK

On WEDNESDAY, 6th APRIL, 1921

At 12 o'clock noon.

Full particulars later.

N.B.—No outside lots taken in for this Sale.

J P & M G HARTIGAN
AUCTIONEERS.

The Gaiety

KINEMA DE LUXE.

6.15——TO-NIGHT——8 o'clock

A SPECIAL PRODUCTION—

"DON'T EVER MARRY"

Starring Marion Daw.

2-REEL COMIC—

FATTY ARBUCKLE IN LOVE.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday

MAT NEXT TO-MORROW & SATURDAY AT 3 30.

"The Man Who Forgot"

A Stirring Tale of the Sea.

STARRING BERNARD DUDLEY.

BY SPECIAL REQUEST.

"The Crucifixion"

(STAINER)

will be repeated at

The Central Hall,

— ON —

THURSDAY, MARCH 24th

AT 7.30 P.M.

ADMISSION FREE.

Dr Frank Brislane, Conductor.

Grand Fancy Dress Afternoon Dance,

TO BE HELD ON

St. Patrick's Day,

MARCH 17th, 1921,

AT THOMOND HALL,

ROYAL GEORGE HOTEL.

TICKETS

ADULTS 7s 6d

CHILDREN 5s 0d

DANCING:

7.30—5 p.m. ..... CHILDREN

8.30—9 p.m. ..... ADULTS

Fancy Dress Optional

Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals—Limerick Branch.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Dunraven, K.P., President.

A SALE OF FLOWERS AND COUNTRY PRODUCE, under the Presidency of Mrs Croker, will be held on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23rd. The Depot will be at Messrs. Todd & Co., George Street, where contributions of Flowers, Butter, Eggs, Home-made Bread and Cakes will be gratefully received by Mrs Croker on Tuesday, 22nd, or morning of the Sale, Wednesday, 23rd inst.

Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.—Limerick Branch.

The Right Hon. the Earl of Dunraven, K.P., President.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will be held on SATURDAY, 19th INST., at the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, at 3.30 o'clock.

The Committee hope for a large gathering of their supporters, and will welcome anyone interested in the humane work done by this Society.

GERALD GOODBODY, Esq, High Sheriff of the County will preside.

WINES.

CLARET:

	Per Bottle	Per Dozen
"Vin Ordinaire"	2/- large.	1/- small
Chateau Le Bourdieu or St. Julien	3/- "	1/6 "
BURGUNDY:	3/- "	1/6 "
Invalid Port	4/6	
Finest Tawney Port	5/-	
Very Finest Dry White Port	5/-	

SHERRY:

"Vino de Pasto"	4/-
"Oloroso"	5/-

Messrs Michael Egan,

Patrick Street, Limerick.

FURNISHED Apartments to Let near Limerick; good residential locality; near railway station, post office, and churches; good train service. For further particulars apply Box No 466 this office. (s3m19)

WANTED—A Junior Clerk, with some experience. Apply, 468 this office. (a3m19)

FEEDING BARLEY for Sale, only £12 per ton; free on rails Mountmellick.—WM. MCEVOY, LTD., Mountmellick. (z12f19)

OUR Superior Teas are only to be had at 30 George street, and are best value at the valued prices.—Baunis and Son. (s6m16)

OVER TWENTY TITLES IN STOCK by GARVICE, the Prince of Storytellers, at GALBRAITH'S Bookshop, 33 Upper Cecil-street, Limerick.

DOUBLE Pram, two hoods, in very good condition; maker, Baby Carriage Co, Dublin. Can be seen by applying by letter to Box No 659 this office. (z3m16)

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AT CAPPAMORE

On Thursday, March 24th

At 12 o'clock, noon.

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COUNTY OF LIMERICK.

Farnane, Cappamore,

SALE BY AUCTION OF

Small Residential Holding

AT CAPPAMORE,

On Thursday, March 17th, 1921.

At One o'Clock, p.m.

For Mr Thomas O'Sullivan.

Area, 3 acres 3 roods 24 perches, statute; Annuity, £3 18s 0d per annum; P L V, £6 10s 0d. Or may be sold in three divisions. Free of rent for ever.

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WITH SPLENDID RESIDENCE AND OUTOFFICES.

SUBSRIBERS have been instructed by William Coffey, Esq, to sell by Public Auction on the lands at Killeen, Newport,

On Wednesday, March 23rd '21

At One o'Clock.

LOT 1—Part of the lands of Killeen, containing about 85a 3r 21p, Statute Measure, with Dwelling-house and Out-offices thereon, held in fee simple, subject to the apportioned annuity of £40 payable to the Irish Land Commission, and part of the lands of Gortnavurnoge, containing about 31a 0r 24p, Statute, to be sold and conveyed in fee simple subject to a rent of £16 per annum, to be reserved and payable to vendor.

LOT 2—Another part of the lands of Killeen, containing about 97a 1r 9p, Statute Measure, to be sold in fee simple subject to the apportioned annuity of £58, payable to the Irish Land Commission.

LOT 3—Another part of the lands of Killeen, containing about 24a 1r 0p, Statute Measure, to be sold subject to a rent of £15 per annum, to be reserved and payable to vendor. Vendor has redeemed that portion of the annuity payable to Irish Land Commission out of this let.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS.

LOT 1. Standing on an elevation in the centre of the Holding. The Residence, which is two storeyed and slated, is most compact, containing 2 reception rooms, 4 bed rooms, tiled hall, kitchen, pantry and servants apartments. At the immediate rere there is an enclosed yard, in which are large dairy, coach house, stabling for 4 horses, bales for 50 cow, corn loft, piggeries, calf boiler, and other houses, hay shed to hold 175 tons, fruit and vegetable garden. The lands which are all under grass with the exception of about 5 acres, are well known for their superior qualities, being some of the finest lands in North Tipperary. They are securely fenced, well sheltered and watered and laid out in convenient divisions. There are two employes houses on this farm. This lot is subject to a Board of Works charge of £9 8s 6d per annum, which is payable half-yearly, the final instalment which is payable on April 5th 1925.

LOT 2—This superior fattening farm which is securely fenced, well sheltered, and abundantly watered adjoins Lot 1.

LOT 3—The Lands are of prime quality, consisting of luxuriant pasture and meadow land, well fenced and watered. On this division there is a quantity of young larch timber which will become a valuable asset in a few years, and includes most valuable turbary (all the lots are approached by a good sound avenue).

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Scheme for Scholarships From Primary to Secondary Schools in County Limerick.

I—NUMBER OF SCHOLARSHIPS.

Six of the annual value of £40. The Committee shall be at liberty to reduce the value of the Scholarship where the pupils' parents or guardians are in a position to bear part of the expense of his or her education. The Committee shall, likewise, have power to make a supplementary grant not exceeding £10 per annum towards the maintenance of any scholar whose parents are unable to meet the expenses incidental to residence in a Secondary School.

II—CONDITIONS OF TENURE.

(A) The Primary School from which the pupil comes must have adopted the Gaelic League Education Programme as modified by Dail Eireann, viz., (a) Irish to be the official School-Language, i.e. Irish to be used for Roll Call, orders, prayers, &c. (b) Irish to be taught for vernacular use to each child for at least one hour per day. (c) Irish History to be taught to all pupils.

(B) The Secondary School which the pupil, or his parent or guardians, chooses for the holding of a Scholarship shall have adopted (a) the Gaelic League Programme for Secondary Schools, viz. Irish to be taught to all pupils for vernacular use. (b) Irish history to be taught to all pupils. (c) All Examination Papers to be set in both English and Irish, each pupil examined to have permission to answer in whichever of the two languages he may think fit. In examinations in a foreign language the use of that foreign language to be permitted in setting and answering questions. The pupil to be taught at the Secondary School with a view to Matriculation at the N.U.I.

III—TENURE OF SCHOLARSHIPS.

The tenure of these Scholarships shall be four years provided the pupil shows satisfactory progress as tested by (a) the periodical school examination, (b) the annual school examination at the end of the academic year, (c) the special test in Irish and Irish History applied by the Committee's Examiner at the end of each year, (d) a satisfactory report from the Examining Board of a Gaelic College, where the pupil will spend a session in the summer of each year at the expense of the Committee, until certified as able to be taught through the medium of Irish. The courses for the Special History Examinations are:—At the end of First Year—Story of Ireland (tested Bilingually) of Beata Naom Padraig—Bilingual. At the end of Second Year—Mitchel's History of Ireland and Stair na hEireann-Part I (Rogan o Neactain). At the end of Third Year—Last Conquest and Sean A'Daimais, "Eire" (Conan Maol). At the end of Fourth Year—The Irish Wars, by J J O'Connell, M.A, and Seothas ar Sean i gcein. By Sean O'Ceallaig, T.D.

IV.—RESIDENTIAL QULIFICATIONS.

Scholarships shall be restricted to pupils who are of Irish birth and whose parents or guardians have been resident in the County for five years.

V.—OTHER QUALIFICATIONS.

Children of labourers or farmers whose valuation does not exceed £20 shall be entitled to a full Scholarship. Children of farmers whose valuation exceeds £20 but does not exceed £50 may, at the discretion of the Committee, receive a reduced Scholarship, the value of which shall be determined by the Committee with a view to the parents' circumstances. Children of others than farmers or labourers may be awarded a Scholarship (full or reduced), as the Committee shall decide, according to the circumstances of the parents.

VI.—AGE LIMIT.

Pupils shall be eligible for Scholarships up to but not exceeding 16 years on the first of June.

VII.—REFERENCES.

Every candidate for a Scholarship shall, before being admitted for examination, produce a satisfactory reference from the Teacher or School Manager of his School, together with a medical certificate as to fitness, and a recommendation from a Clergyman of his parish as to character.

VIII.—AWARDS.

Scholarships shall be awarded strictly in order of merit, &c.

IX.—EXAMINATION.

Candidates for Scholarships shall be subjected to a competitive examination—oral and written—to be held by Examiners appointed by the Committee.

X.—GENERAL POWERS.

The Committee reserve to themselves the right to exclude any candidate from competing for a Scholarship without assigning a reason. The Committee also reserve the right to revise this Scheme or any part of it at any time, subject to the sanction of the Limerick County Council.

SYLLABUS.

The following is the list of subjects for examination (written and oral) as may be necessary:—

IRISH, IRISH HISTORY, LATIN, FRENCH, ARITHMETIC, ALGEBRA, GEOGRAPHY, BOTANY, DOMESTIC SCIENCE, RURAL SCIENCE, GEOMETRY, and ENGLISH. Irish and Irish History are essential; any other three subjects from the foregoing list. 100 marks will be assigned to each subject. No award will be made to any candidate who has not passed in each of the five subjects (30%) and secured at least 250 marks out of the aggregate 500

AN GAEDILGE—Seadna 50 pp., Part 1. (Reading and Dictation). Aids to Irish Composition by the Christian Brother. (The whole Book).

IRISH HISTORY—"Catechism of the History of Ireland," by W J. O'Neill Daunt—Chapters i-xviii inclusive. Christian Brothers' Irish History Reader.

ARITHMETIC—Four Primary Rules. Decimals and Fractions with simple problems thereon. Simple percentages (profit and loss). The Unitary System.

GEOGRAPHY—General—The Map of the World and Ireland; Special—Ireland, her ancient and modern Divisions, Great Rivers, Harbours, Mountains Towns, Bogs, Mines, Agricultural and other products. More particular knowledge of the County of Limerick.

GEOMETRY—Euclid—Books I and II.

BOTANY—(a) Terms—Root, Stem, Leaf, Stipules, Bracts, Flower, Calyx, Corolla, Stamens, Pistils, Fruit, Seed Receptacle and Nectory; (b) To recognise fifty plants; to know their names in Irish and English; (c) To be able to give a brief account of the locality and uses of twenty plants; (d) Four Nat. orders, twelve specimens from each with Irish and local names.

RURAL SCIENCE—(1) Examination of a simple plant and its parts; (2) Flowers—their structure and uses; (3) Fruits—disposal of seeds and uses of fruits; (4) Winter twigs and buds; (5) Seeds and germination; (6) Work of roots, stems and leaves; (7) Plant propagation; (8) Climate and weather—weather charts; (9) Construction and uses of barometer and thermometer—hygrometer and rain gauge; (10) Study of the soil, how formed, erosion and denudation, sedementary rocks and rocks of vegetable origin; (11) Recognition of common wild flowers, shrubs and trees with their Irish names. With special reference to the soil and geological formation of Co Limerick.

DOMESTIC ECONOMY—(1) General—Elements of sanitation in the dwelling-house; principles of personal cleanliness; disposal of refuse and dangers of dust and dirt; principles of care of, and cleaning of, articles of household use; homely weights and measures; arrangement of daily and weekly work in small houses; buying of supplies and apportionment of expenditure; elementary principles and practice of First Aid treatment of cuts, bruises and burns, and care of sick persons in the home. (2) Cookery—Principles and practice of simple home cookery as taught to sixth and seventh classes in Primary Schools; (3) Laundry—Principles and practice of simple home laundry work as taught to sixth and seventh classes in Primary Schools; (4) Needlework—Plain Needlework, cutting out and knitting as taught to sixth and seventh classes in Primary Schools.

ENGLISH—Poetry—"The Four Winds of Eilo," E Carbery; Literature in Ireland. Irish Verse—Selected, by Yeats. Prose—The Letters of Wolfe Tone; a written Letter or Essay; Reading and Dictation.

ALGEBRA—Up to and including Simple Equations with simple problems thereon; Elementary and Easy Fractions.

All Papers will be set in Irish and English.

LATIN—(1) Itinerarium de Bello Gallico. Book iv, chaps 20 38, and Book v, chaps 1 23, both inclusive; (2) Short Sentences for translation from English into Latin, the Latin for the more difficult words being supplied; (3) A passage or passages from some other Latin work or works for translation at sight; (4) Roman History from the foundation of Rome to B C. 264.

FRENCH—(1) Malot: Remi (Sans Famille, pt 1, chaps 19-21). Questions in French to be answered in French. (2) A passage or passages from some other French work or works for translation at sight. (3) Short sentences, colloquial phrases, and a passage for translation from English into French.

MAURICE FITZGERALD,

Secretary to Committee.

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PEEPS INTO THE PAST

The following are extracts from the LIMERICK CHRONICLE of June and July, 1821:

Saturday, June 9.

INTEREST ON IRISH MONEY BILL

In the House of Lords, the Earl of Limerick yesterday brought in a bill to diminish the rate of interest on money in Ireland. The Bill was read a first time.

CORK HARBOUR.

The idea of improving the harbour of Cork by forming a canal from Blackpoint, between Lakelands and Blackrock Castle, to the marsh opposite to the Custom House in that city, has been abandoned by the Harbour Commissioners in consequence of the heavy expenditure.

THE MARKETS.

Market prices this day—Wheat, 1s 3d to 1s 4d per stone; oats, 7d to 8d; barley, 7d; flour, 32s to 34s per bag; oatmeal, 18s 6d per cwt; potatoes, 2d per st; pork, 18s to 20s cwt; beef, 4d per lb; mutton, 4d do; butter, 86s, 82s 70s, 60s, 54s, 48s per cwt.; flaxseed, £3 per hogshead.

Saturday, June 16.

QUATRE BRAS

This being the anniversary of the battle of Quatre-bras, previous to the engagement of Waterloo, the 79th Highlanders, quartered in this city, who bore a distinguished part on that memorable day, were decorated with laurels.

DEATHS.

At Spring Lodge, in this County, on Wednesday night, much lamented, the wife of Mr John Moloney.

Wednesday, June 20.

THE ASSIZES.

The Assizes of Limerick will commence about the 2nd August. Mr Baron Pennefather will be one of the Judges.

PROPOSED CANAL.

Application is intended to be made to the Government to order a canal to be formed from the City of Kilkenny to the river Suir.

WATERLOO ANNIVERSARY.

Monday being the anniversary of the battle of Waterloo, the ships in the harbour had their colours hoisted, and the Cathedral bells rang several merry chimes in the fore and afternoon.

DEATHS.

Mrs Fitz-Gibbon, wife of Thomas Fitz Gibbon, Esq, and daughter of the late Gibbon Fitz Gibbon, Esq, of Ballysadoe, near this city.

In Clare-street, on Saturday, Mrs Cripps, widow of the late Robert Cripps, Esq.

Wednesday, June 27.

CITY OFFICIALS ELECTED.

Monday last, at a meeting of the Common Council of this City, Thomas Ormsby, Esq, Alderman, was elected Mayor; William Taylor Esq (one of the present Sheriffs), and Andrew James Watson, Esq, Sheriffs; Carew Smyth, Esq, Recorder; and Edward Parker, Esq, Town Clerk of this City, for the ensuing year, commencing Monday after Michaelmas Day. The Council also elected Denis Fitz-Gerald Molony, Esq, Alderman and Charter Justice in room of Alderman Russell, deceased; and Ralph Westropp, jun, and Ralph Evans, Esqrs, were elected Burgesses of the Corporation.

MAYOR OF CORK'S SALARY.

The salary of the Mayor of Cork for the ensuing year is fixed at £800.

STREET WATERING.

We are requested to suggest to the Commissioners of St Michael's Parish the propriety of having the streets watered occasionally during the present hot weather—the great dust, occasioned by the new powder-pavement, can scarcely be endured—a trifling expense would accomplish it.

DEATHS.

On Sunday, at his house, on Sir Harry's Mall, Alderman Philip Russell, one of the Charter Justices of the city.

Last night, in the North Strand, Mrs Mary Morgan, relict of the late John Morgan, of Dunmoylan, in this county, Esq.

Yesterday morning, in Palmerstown, Jane, daughter of the late Thomas Lloyd, Esq, of Cloverville, in this county.

Yesterday, in Mengrat-street, Miss Wilson, sister of Major Wilson, of Cahirconlish House.

In Mary-street, at an advanced age, Mr Benjamin Baynham, clock maker.

Saturday, June 30.

HIGH PROVOST OF ENNIS.

Donat O'Brien, Esq, of Cratloe, has been appointed High Provost of Ennis for the ensuing year; and John O'Donnell, Esq, Town Clerk.

Wednesday, July 4.

CORPORATION OF SMITHS.

Monday being election day for Master and Wardens of the Corporation of Smiths, Thomas Prentice was elected Master; Thomas Ellis, M.P, and Henry Grattan, Esqrs, were chosen Wardens for the ensuing year.

SMUGGLING.

The Revenue Wherry sailed on Saturday from Kilrush with all possible speed to the westward, taking with her a considerable number of men over her complement, supposed to be on some private information relative to smuggling.

NIGHT WATCH FOR CLONMEL

A Nightly Watch is about to be established in the town of Clonmel for its preservation.

GAS FOR WATERFORD.

It is intended that the City of Waterford shall be lighted with gas.

DEATHS.

Yesterday, at the house of Lady Clarina (her afflicted and much beloved parent), the Hon Catherine Jane Stratton, wife of Lieut Colonel Stratton, 40th Regiment of Infantry, and daughter of the late General the Right Hon Lord Clarina, of Elm Park, in this county.

In Tralee, on Thursday, Wm J Crumpe, Esq, surgeon.

(To be Continued).

Dickory-dock—7 o'clock—the bairns trip up to bed.

Milk Soup is an ideal supper for the youngsters and one which promotes quiet, refreshing sleep.

One dessert-spoonful of Corn Flour to a breakfast-cupful of milk is the correct proportion.

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makes the children eagerly anticipate supper and even tolerate bedtime.

For an old-fashioned gruel—double the quantity of Corn Flour and flavour with cinnamon or bay leaf.

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SOCIETY FOR PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN.

The seventeenth annual meeting of the Limerick Branch of the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children was held in the Chamber of Commerce, Sir Charles Barrington, Bart, D L, presiding.

There was a large attendance of members, which included Mrs and Mrs Gerald Goodbody, Sir Vincent and Lady Nash, Mrs F C Cleeve, Mrs C H Fitt, Miss Banbury, Mrs W Barrington, Mrs Welshe, Miss Longbottom, Mrs M D Shaw, Mrs Marshall, Mrs Lucas, Miss Shine, Mrs Green-Barry, Mrs O'Brien, Mrs Abbott, Mrs Duffey, Sir A W Shaw, J P; Mr and Mrs M P Riordan, Mr and Mrs J Dodds, Mr A Hall, etc, etc.

The Hon Secretary, Mr M P Riordan, J.P, read the annual report, and the Hon Treasurer, Sir Vincent Nash, read the statement of accounts, and both documents, on the proposition of Sir A W Shaw, seconded by Mrs Green-Barry, were adopted.

Mr Joseph Dodds, LL.D, proposed, and Mrs Abbott seconded, and it was passed unanimously, that the present committee be re-elected.

Miss Tucker, Organiser for Ireland, delivered an interesting and instructive address on the scope and workings of the Society, her remarks being listened to with marked attention.

The Chairman reviewed the working of the Society locally during the past year, drawing special attention to the urgent necessity of increasing their income. In order to attain that object it was decided to hold a "Pansy Day" on the third Saturday of May.

Mr Ambrose Hall was moved to the second chair, and the meeting terminated with votes of thanks, proposed by Sir A W Shaw, and seconded by Sir Vincent Nash, to the Chairman and Mrs Gerald Goodbody, Hon. Sec. of the Ladies' Committee.

AGRICULTURAL WAGES BOARD FOR IRELAND.

A meeting of the Agricultural Wages Board for Ireland was held at 14 St Stephen's Green, Dublin, on the 10th and 11th instant. There were present—Mr J V Coyle (Chairman), Mr R A Butler, J P; Mr J Clarke, J.P, Mr M Gallagher, J.P; Mr T Linehan, Mr J McLoughlin, Mr T B Counsilby, D L; Mr W Clarke, Mr J Crangle, Mr J Dowling, Mr J Everett, Mr Thomas Foran, Mr E Lynch, Miss E M Cunningham, M.A, Mr J C Nolan Ferrall, J.P; Lady Russell, and Mr W M Bowers (Secretary).

The Board had under consideration a communication received from the Ministry of Labour (Irish Department) relative to the Notice of Proposal, dated 9th February, 1921, issued by the Milk Distributive Trade Board (Ireland). They also considered the question of fixing new minimum rates of wages for agricultural workers, and authorised the issue of a proposal to vary the existing minimum rates for a week of 54 working hours, for male workers over 20 years of age as follows:—Group I 34s; Group II 32; the inclusive minimum weekly rates for ploughmen, cattlemen, yardman, male milkers, and herds, to be 37s 6d in Group I, and 35s 6d in Group II; the maximum value to be placed on board and lodging (7 days) given to such workers to be 16s, and board and separate meals to be valued proportionately. It was further ordered that the several District Wages Committees throughout Ireland be afforded an opportunity of reporting on the proposal. No variation was proposed to be made in the minimum rates of wages applicable to other classes of agricultural workers, or in the present system of grouping for the purposes of the minimum wage scheme.

After dealing with other business of a routine nature the Board adjourned.

FARMER SHOT DEAD IN WEST CLARE.

A report has reached Ennis from West Clare that a respectable farmer named John Shannon, of Moyasta, was shot dead by unknown men last night. A knock came to the door of his house, and when Shannon opened it he was instantly shot dead. He was about 35 years of age, and was recently married.

RAINFALL FOR FEBRUARY 1921.

At Derravoher, Limerick

DATE.	IN. RAIN	DATE.	IN RAIN
1st	—	16th	—
2nd	·08	17th	—
3rd	·11	18th	—
4th	1·03	19th	—
5th	·01	20th	—
6th	—	21st	—
7th	·56	22nd	·01
8th	—	23rd	—
9th	—	24th	·13
10th	—	25th	—
11th	·02	26th	—
12th	—	27th	—
13th	—	28th	—
14th	—	29th	—
15th	—	30th	—

Total ... ... 1·95

No. of rainy days—8.

Maximum—1·03 on the 4th.

Minimum—·01 on the 5th and 22nd.

Total rainfall this year so far—5·24.

" " last year so far—7·79.

LIGHT WANTED.

Strong complaints have reached us as to the absence of public lighting in some of the principal thoroughfares in the city after 9.30 p.m. These streets are in darkness after that hour, causing risk, to say nothing of inconvenience, to pedestrians on their way homewards. It is hoped that arrangements may be made by which the electric lighting may be continued up to the beginning of Curfew hours.

The annual meeting of the Limerick Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will be held at the Chamber of Commerce next Saturday, at 3.30 p.m.

SCIENCE NOTES & NEWS.

THE TRANSMUTATION OF ELEMENTS.

When lecturing on radioactivity and isotopes before the Chemical Society, Professor F. Soddy remarked that if a chemist were given some lead, perfectly free from silver, and found silver in it after a time, and if after removing that silver, silver reappeared in the lead in the course of time, such a credited observation would ruin the theory of the invariability of the elements. We do not know whether or not Professor Soddy chose this example purposely, says *Engineering*, but it is curious that Laurent Naudin speaks in the *Moniteur Scientific* of actual observations to this effect having been made by the late distinguished chemist Schützenberger in 1880, at the Collège de France. Schützenberger had some pure lead; he dissolved it in gaseous chlorine, and reduced the lead chloride produced by hydrogen at high temperature; he then found traces of silver in the lead. This was repeated several times, always with the same result.

SIGNALLING TO MARS.

At a meeting of the Kentucky Academy Science, Professor Henry Meier, of Centre College, set forth certain factors of the problem of signalling to Mars. In the first place, he said, the probably low temperature and rare atmosphere, and the absence of water vapour (not, we would remark, universally admitted) are against the existence on the planet of beings endowed similarly to ourselves. Ability to signal by light is negatived by the fact that the earth's atmosphere would absorb about 40 per cent. of the light sent out, and by the great distance. The author estimates that an area of light ten miles square on earth, seen from Mars through a telescope magnifying 500 times, would appear like an area one inch square viewed at a distance of 500ft. The possibility of signalling by radio is negatived by the distance, it being computed that it would require a current of 1,000,000 amperes at the sending station to obtain one of one ampere at a receiving station on Mars, when the planet is nearest the earth. Besides, the powerful currents radiated from the sun would probably overwhelm the weak waves sent out from the earth. While these objections are valid as far as they go, we would suggest that the real crux of the problem is the extreme improbability that a race of beings sufficiently "human" to hold any sort of intercourse with us exists on another planet. Once assume their existence, and it is easy to conceive them so far advanced in scientific attainments as to be in nowise dependent upon "a telescope magnifying 500 times" to catch our signals.

TREE RINGS AND CLIMATIC HISTORY.

For nearly twenty years Professor E. A. Douglass has been studying the annual rings of trees, as found in various parts of the world, in quest of information concerning the history of climates. A complete account of his studies and their results is set forth in Publication 289 of the Carnegie Institution of Washington, "Climatic Cycles and Tree-Growth." Professor Douglass began with investigations on yellow pine in Arizona. By comparison with meteorological records he established the fact that the thickness of the annual rings seen in cross sections of the trees varied with the yearly rainfall. Having determined this relation for the comparatively brief period for which weather records were available he argued that the relation held good for earlier periods, and that sections of old trees would therefore furnish a record of fluctuations of rainfall for hundreds of years. His plan has been to study a group of trees of various species, appropriately located, for each region embraced in his investigations, and he has worked out some ingenious methods and mechanical devices for making his analyses and determining periodicities, &c. Sections were obtained from many parts of the United States and Europe, and, in the case of the Sequoias of California, the record has been extended back more than 3,000 years. Among the interesting discoveries announced by Professor Douglass is the fact that practically all the groups of trees investigated show the sunspot cycle or its multiples. There is also found a complex combination of other cycles, including a prominent cycle of about two years.

PUTTING PAINT TO THE ACID TEST.

The United States Bureau of Standards undertakes to test paints on a scientific basis; or, in other words, to take the guess work out of paints. For paints are used as much or even more for preservative purposes than for decorative purposes, and something definite should be known in advance regarding the wearing qualities of any paint. A series of racks has been erected on the roof of the Chemistry Building of the Bureau of Standards. On these racks are placed slabs or panels of wood and metal, coated with the paints and varnishes to be tested. The slabs or panels are exposed at an angle of 45deg. to the vertical facing south, so as to get the most severe exposure. In this manner the paints and varnishes are subjected to the most extreme conditions that would be encountered in normal use, and the experts of the Bureau are enabled to gauge with considerable accuracy the wearing qualities of various paints and varnishes.

DURATION OF THUNDER.

It is impossible to assign any theoretical limit to the duration of continuous thunder since the sounds of many successive lightning discharges may rumble so long as to merge into one another. In some cases the noise of wind and rain, accompanying the thunderstorm, may be so mingled with the thunder as to help produce the effect of a continuous rumble. The chief factor in the prolongation of a peal of thunder, says the *Scientific American*, is the difference of time required for the sound to travel to the observer from different points along the path of discharge, which may be a mile, or perhaps several miles, in length. Under some conditions reflection of the sound from clouds, hills, &c., further prolongs the peal. But the Indian thunderstorms are notoriously violent, though comparatively harmless. According to Mountstuart Elphinstone, the setting in of the monsoon in India is accompanied by such an electric convulsion "as can scarcely be imagined by those who have only seen that phenomenon in a temperate climate. It generally begins with violent blasts of wind, which are succeeded by floods of rain. For some hours lightning is seen almost without intermission; sometimes it only illuminates the sky and shows the clouds near the horizon; at others it discovers the distant hills, and again leaves all in darkness, when in an instant it reappears in vivid and successive flashes, and exhibits the nearest objects in all the brightness of day. During all this time the distant thunder never ceases to roll, and is only silenced by some nearer peal, which bursts on the ear with such a sudden and tremendous crash as can scarcely fail to strike the most insensible heart with awe."

NICKEL BABBITT.

Foundry, in answer to a question, states that many so-called nickel babbitts contain no nickel, but that a nickel babbitt can be made containing 4 per cent. of copper, ½ per cent. nickel, 10 per cent. antimony, and 85½ per cent. tin. The copper and nickel are charged together and covered with charcoal. Antimony is added gradually, and then the tin

Skin Troubles

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WISE AND OTHERWISE.

"Some sneak ran off with my umbrella to-day." "With your umbrella?" "Well, with the umbrella I've been carrying all the week."

"You're a very careful driver." "Yes, ma'am. When I learnt to drive there were always three women in the back seat tellin' me what to do."

Brown: "Is Madame Spaghetti a really first-rate singer?" Jones: "I don't think she can be. I never saw her name among the soap testimonials."

"Hello! Pat. Where did you get that black eye?" "Michael O'Shea's just got back from his honeymoon, and 't was me who advised him to get married."

He: "Good-day! Where are you going?" She: "Though it's no business of yours, I am following my nose." He: "Oh, I see! You are going up in the lift?"

Wise: "Haven't you got a job yet?" Potter: "No; I'm still waiting for something to turn up." Wise: "Huh! Your sleeves are what you need to turn up."

Little Effie: "Do you love me very much, mamma?" Mamma (a widow): "Yes, my darling." Little Effie: "Then why don't you marry the man at the sweet shop?"

"Who can tell me the meaning of leisure?" asked the teacher. "Please, miss, it's a place where married people respect," replied the boy who kept his ears open.

Optician, to clerk, who is addressing advertising circulars: "Be sure and write the addresses as small as you can, so that people will be reminded that they need glasses."

Critic (to neighbour at concert): "That woman has a wonderful voice." Neighbour (coldly): "Yes. She's my wife. She can do anything with her voice—except stop it."

Teacher: "What is the principal use of a knife? For instance, why does your father carry a knife in his pocket?" Young Hopeful: "Please, sir, because of the corkscrew."

Daisy (earnestly): "No, she isn't exactly pretty, but she has that indefinable something——" Harold (impatiently): "Yes, I know. My girl's old man has piles of it too."

"It's awful the way he wasted his time and his father's money at college." "How do you know he did?" "He sat by me at a game of football, and didn't know anything about it."

Tramp: "Would you give a poor man wot is starvin' somethin' to eat?" Doctor: "Certainly. Food is the proper thing to give him in the circumstances. Seven and sixpence, please."

"The minister preached a scathing discourse on the extravagance of women." "Yes; and there his wife sat with a three-guinea hat on." "That was probably the cause of the sermon!"

"Yes," remarked Billy, "baby can say nine words quite well." "How nice!" exclaimed his aunt. "And what words are they?" "I don't know," confessed Billy. "I never heard any of them before!"

Edgar: "Well, Ethel, what did you find at that wonderful fire sale?" Ethel: "Oh, Edgar, I got some lovely silk stockings at sixpence a pair!" "There is not a thing the matter with them except the feet are burnt off!"

Mamma: "Here is the baby's picture. Doesn't he look sweet?" Papa: "Yes, indeed! I must go to see the photographer at once." Mamma: "What for?" Papa: "I want to find out how he got baby to look that way."

Mrs. Nexdoor: "I have found out one thing about that Mrs. Newcomer. Whoever she is, she has never moved in good society." Mr. Nexdoor: "How do you know that?" Mrs. Nexdoor: "She shakes hands as if she meant it."

"You waste too much paper," said the editor. "But how can I economise?" "By writing on both sides." "But you won't accept stories written on both sides of the sheet." "I know, but you'd save paper just the same."

"This," said the school friend who had not seen her for a year—"this is the girl who vowed to me that she never would belong to any man." "I don't," said she who had been married some few months. "He belongs to me."

Nervous Old Individual: "Well, Mrs. Nipper, I think it's quite time the passage walls were rompered." Landlady: "Pardoning me, sir, but I am awaiting to see how your 'ealth goes on. Coffins is such things to knock the paper off."

"I grovel here before you in the dust," observed the impassioned youth, as he sank to the drawing-room floor. "I don't know what you mean by dust," replied she, coldly. "I look after this room most carefully myself every morning."

Irish Passenger (who has managed to land a motor-bus that didn't stop): "Suppose I'd slipped and lost a leg, what then?" Conductor (kindly): "You wouldn't have to do any more jumpin' then. We always stop for a man with a crutch."

"I don't like your milk," said the mistress of the house. "What's wrong with it, mum?" "It's dreadfully thin, and there's no cream on it." "Arter you've lived in the city awhile, mum," said the milkman, encouragingly, "you'll get over them rooral ideas of yourn."

A parson was going quietly home one dark night when a footpad pulled him up. "Hand over," said the man, roughly. "Give me a quid or you go in the ditch." "Ah," responded the parson, wistfully, "if only I had an energetic fellow like you to pass the plate on Sundays I might be able to oblige you."

A Scotchman named M'Lean was boasting of his family, and said that the clan had lived before the flood. "Well," said his opponent, "I never heard of the name of M'Lean going into the ark." "Noah's Ark," returned M'Lean, in contempt, "who ever heard of a M'Lean that had not a boat of his own?"

"Ah," said Mr. Oldbove, thoughtfully, "no one can say that my brother Tom has not advanced. He began at the foot, but he has worked up to the head in a very short time." "How's that?" asked his friend. "Well, he was a chiropodist at first; but he gave it up in a few months and became a barber. I get off here. Good-morning."

"Look here," said Brown, indignantly, to the hosier from whom he had bought his bathing-suit, "you said this goes in fast colours!" "Certainly, sir, so I said, and so I'm sure you'll find it." "Well, what I have found is that every wretched stripe on the thing has come off on my back," retorted Brown. "Ah, sir, that may be," suavely admitted the salesman, "but just you wait till you try to get 'em off your back, sir, then you will see that I was right."

As the motorist turned a corner in the quiet country road he saw a brother of the wheel just ahead, evidently in trouble. Immediately he slowed down. "Want any help?" he asked, jovially. The other motorist looked gratefully at him as he wiped the perspiration off his brow. "I do," he whispered. "See that lady in the car? She's my wife, and I'd be much obliged if you'd answer her questions and keep her amused while I am seeing to this burst tyre!"

"Now, my good woman," said the learned judge, "you must give an answer in the fewest possible words of which you are capable to the plain and simple question whether, when you were crossing the street with the baby on your arm, and the omnibus was coming down on the right side and the cab on the left and the brougham was trying to pass the omnibus, you saw the plaintiff between the brougham and the cab, or whether and when you saw him at all, and whether or not near the brougham, cab, and omnibus, or either, or any two and which of them respectively, or how it was."

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LIMERICK COUNTY COUNCIL.

Scheme for University Scholarships In County Limerick.

I.—DATE OF OPERATION.

For the present holders of Scholarships the regulations heretofore in force shall continue to apply. These new regulations shall come into operation in the Session (1921-22) for entrance Scholarships (to be awarded in July, 1921).

II.—NATURE AND VALUE OF THE SCHOLARSHIPS.

a.—There shall be awarded four Scholarships in each year, tenable at any constituent College of the N.U.I which has adopted the Gaelic League Programme. b.—The value of a Scholarship shall be £90. The value of a Bursary or reduced Scholarship shall be at least £50. c.—The Council offers for competition the following Scholarships—faculty specified:—One for Agriculture, one for Commerce, one for Celtic Studies, and one for Science or Engineering. d.—The Council reserves to itself the right of increasing any Scholarships if special circumstances be considered necessary to justify such increase. Should the standard attained or the competition for such Scholarships in Faculty be considered insufficient, the Council may decide to make no award, and may transfer the sum thus saved to another faculty.

III.—RESIDENTIAL QUALIFICATIONS.

Scholarships shall be restricted to students of Irish birth whose parents shall have resided in County Limerick for at least 5 years previous to the student presenting himself for examination.

IV.—OTHER QUALIFICATIONS.

Children of labourers or farmers whose valuation does not exceed £30 shall be entitled to a full Scholarship. Children of farmers whose valuation exceeds £30, but does not exceed £50 may, at the discretion of the Committee, receive a reduced Scholarship, the value of which shall be determined with a view to the parents' circumstances. Children of others than farmers or labourers may receive a full or reduced Scholarship as the Committee shall deem fit.

V.—PARTICULAR CONDITIONS FOR ELIGIBILITY TO FIRST YEAR'S SCHOLARSHIP.

a.—Age limit. Students shall be eligible for Scholarships up to, but not exceeding, 20 years of age on 1st June in each year, except in the case of Scholarships in Agriculture and to teachers engaged in primary education in which case the age limit is 25. Facilities will be afforded to those teachers to avail of the Scholarships in Celtic studies. b.—The Candidate must have matriculated in either the summer or autumn of the year of examination in which the Scholarship is awarded. c.—Candidates other than those who have enjoyed the Secondary School scholarships must give proof that the schools they have attended during the year previous to the examination have adopted the Gaelic League Educational Programme.

VI.—ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

a.—References. Every candidate for a Scholarship, shall, before being admitted for competition, produce a satisfactory reference from his teacher or School Manager, also the clergyman of his parish. He shall also produce a medical certificate as to fitness, and a birth certificate giving his name and address in their correct Irish form. All these references to be sent to the Secretary of the Committee on or before the 1st June. b.—There shall be a competitive examination for the Scholarship in each group, (subjects and Syllabus herewith). c.—Awards. The examination will be conducted by the Committee's Board of Examiners. Scholarships shall be awarded strictly in the order of merit, by the County Limerick Scholarships Committee; but the Committee reserve the right to withhold a Scholarship from any student whom they consider unsuitable.

VII.—SUBJECTS FOR ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

The subjects of the examination shall be:—Irish, Irish History, Latin, French, German, Italian, Spanish, English, Arithmetic and Algebra, Geometry, Trigonometry, Applied Mathematics, Domestic Science, Experimental Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Geography, Commerce. A three-hours' paper will be set in each subject. To each subject will be assigned 100 marks. There will be an oral examination in all modern languages, and a practical test in Physics, Chemistry and Botany. Each candidate must take Irish and Irish History and any other three subjects. No award will be made to any candidate who has not passed in each of the selected five subjects (35% for a pass) and secured at least 250 marks out of the aggregate 500.

P.S.—All examination Papers to be set in both Irish and English, each student examined having permission to answer in whichever of the two languages he may think fit; but due credit will be given for the use of Irish, even to a limited extent, as the medium of answering questions. In all language examinations, however, the use of the particular language with which the paper deals to be permitted to replace English in setting and answering questions.

SYLLABUS.

An Gaedilge:—"Seadna (Antioinfan)"; An Cleasaide; "Filidh na Maige; Focla Gnoa, T Corcoran; "Irish Composition," by Fr Nolan.

IRISH HISTORY—"The Making of Ireland, or its Undoing," by Mrs Green; "The Historic Case for Irish Independence," by D Figgis; "The Life of Robert Emmet," by Dr Madden; "Sgeul Seanduis."

FRENCH.

The Examination Papers will include—1. Translation into Irish or English of one passage (prose) of a general character (to be attempted by all candidates). 2. Translation into Irish or English of (a) a passage in verse for literary candidates), or (b) a commercial passage (commercial candidates). 3. (a) Translation into French of an Irish or English passage (in prose) of a general character (for literary candidates), or (b) translation into French of a short commercial letter, and of certain commercial expressions or phrases from and into French (for Commercial candidates). 4. (a) A short essay (about 200 words) on one of three given subjects, or (b) a commercial letter on given data. 5. Viva Voce Examination—This will include conversation, reading and dictation.

GERMAN.

1. Translation from German into Irish or English—any two of four passages (two prose, one verse, one scientific. 2. Translation from Irish or English into German prose—one passage. 3. Free composition—either an essay on one of three subjects, or a commercial letter on given data. 4. Alternative questions to show knowledge of either commercial terms or German Literature and History. 5. A few short sentences to show knowledge of idioms and special constructions. 6. Viva Voce Examination—This will include conversation, reading and dictation.

ITALIAN.

1. Translation into Irish or English two prose passages of a general character (to be attempted by all candidates). 2. Translation into Irish or English of one of three passages respectively of a literary (prose or verse), commercial or scientific character—(The scientific passage will be of a general character). 3. (a) Translation into Italian of two Irish or English passages (prose and poetry) of a general character (for literary candidates); or (b) translation into Italian of a short commercial letter, and of certain commercial expressions or phrases from and into Italian (for commercial candidates). 4. Translation from and into Italian of certain idiomatic expressions (to be attempted by all candidates). 5. (a) A short essay (about 200 words) on one of three given subjects; or (b) a commercial letter on given data. 6. Viva Voce Examination—This will include conversation, reading and dictation.

SPANISH.

1. Translation into Irish or English of two passages (prose and poetry) of a general character (to be attempted by all candidates). 2. Translation into Irish or English of one of three passages respectively of a literary, commercial, or scientific character. 3. (a) Translation into Spanish of two Irish or English passages (prose and poetry) of a general character (for literary candidates), or (b) translation into Spanish of a short commercial letter and of certain commercial expressions or phrases from, and into, that language (for commercial candidates). 4. Translation from, and into, Spanish of certain idiomatic expressions (to be attempted by all candidates). 5. (a) A short essay (about 200 words) on one of three given subjects, or (b) a commercial letter on given data. 6. Viva Voce Examination—This will include conversation, reading and dictation.

COMMERCE.

BOOK-KEEPING—Candidates must be prepared to answer questions as to the meaning of mercantile forms used in connection with Book-keeping, and as to the nature and use of the books of account usually kept by mercantile and manufacturing enterprises, including "Limited Companies"; and to work an exercise or exercises upon the principles of "double entry," involving the use of Subsidiary Books and the preparation of Trading and Profit and Loss Accounts, and a Balance Sheet.

SHORTHAND—In this subject the syllabus is practically the same as in the Advanced Stage, the only difference being that the two passages (each occupying seven minutes) will be dictated at speeds of 100 and 80 words per minute, and for good transcripts Certificates in those speeds will be granted.

PRECIS-WRITING.—The pages set for both Stages will be similar in respect of character, but different in respect of difficulty. 1. Candidates will be furnished with printed material, and will be required to draw up a Precis—i.e., a brief and clear statement in the form of a narrative. 2. The object of the Precis is to convey to the reader, in narrative form, the circumstances and events to which the subject matter relates in such a manner as to put him readily in possession of the essential facts, while omitting those that are unessential. 3. Clear and neat handwriting, and clearness and conciseness of expression, are essential to success. 4. The material will vary from year to year; it may consist—e.g., of a series of letters, the report of a meeting, a narrative passage, or other similar matter. 5. The length of the Precis should not exceed 300 words.

COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENCE AND BUSINESS KNOWLEDGE—Questions may be set on the subject matter of the Stage II Syllabus, but a higher standard of knowledge is expected from Stage III than from Stage II Candidates. The questions will cover the following additional matters:—1. The mechanism of general foreign trade, both import and export, in all its aspects; the documents used in this connection; correspondence relating thereto. 2. Methods of ensuring payments for goods imported or exported; documents used in this connection; correspondence relating thereto. 3. The general principles and practice of banking; banking methods of financing foreign trade. 4. The general principles of foreign exchange.

Candidates will be expected to show acquaintance with the chief commercial documents, e.g., a bill of lading, a policy of marine insurance, etc., and an essay will be required on one of two official jobs connected with Commerce. Bad handwriting, spelling, or composition will entail loss of marks.

TYPEWRITING—1. Questions covering (a) Mechanical construction of machine and accessories, adjustments and remedies for slight accidents, use of characters, combination signs, and arrangement of keyboard for special requirements, tabulating devices; (b) correspondence—efficient and commercial, correct forms of address, composition and typing of letters on given material; (c) methods of duplicating—press copying, carbonisation, stencil, lithographic, or other processes; (d) arrangements of authors' manuscripts, i.e., display and centring of headlines and sub-titles, setting out of marginal notes, verse, including rules controlling indentation of rhyming lines, extracts, tabular tables, footnotes, signs used in correcting, etc. 2. Typing from badly-spelt, unpunctuated, abbreviated and contracted manuscripts selected from commercial, literary, technical, legal, dramatic, or other matter; alternative tests may be given. 3. Typing an invoice or account salesman from unarranged details in manuscript, or other abbreviated statement from printed or manuscript copy. 4. Time test—typing for ten minutes from printed copy—a minimum speed of 30 words per minute is expected.

ENGLISH.

1. COMPOSITION—The writing of an essay and of a precis or a passage or other matter supplied. Other questions will be set to test understanding and use of the language. 2. LITERATURE—Questions will be set to test (a) intelligent reading (but not detailed study) of two books prescribed from time to time; (b) general knowledge of other well-known works in prose and verse. For the Examinations of 1921 the books prescribed are "Hamlet," McDonagh's "Literature in Ireland," and a Book of Irish Verse, selected by W B Yeats, and Mitchel's "Jail Journal." 3. GRAMMAR—The functions of words and the structure of sentences. N.B. Bad hand-writing and defective spelling will entail loss of marks. Special importance is attached to English composition.

LATIN.

1. Passages from Latin Authors for translation into Irish or English; 2. A passage or passages of Irish or English prose to be translated into Latin; 3. Roman History, from 91 B.C to 70 A.D, and authors of Roman literature and air within that period; a passage of Irish or English for translation into Latin.

MATHEMATICS.

ARITHMETIC.—1. Compound Interest; Profit and Loss; the use of Logarithms. Books of tables (to four places) will be supplied at the examination. 2. Graphical solutions of problems and interpretation of given graphs may be required. 3. Present worth; Bankers' Discount; Stocks and Shares.

ALGEBRA.—1. Simple equations involving two or more unknown quantities and problems thereon; quadratic equations in a single unknown quantity and easy problems solable by such equations; elementary theory of indices and logarithms. 2. Simultaneous equations in two variables involving solution of simple or quadratic equations; theory of quadratic equations; imaginary quantities; arithmetical and geometrical progressions; logarithms; partial functions. 3. Arithmetical and geometrical progression; Remainder Theorem and easy applications. 4. Permutations and combinations; binomial theorem and applications (proofs of the binomial expansion will not be required except for the case of positive integral exponents); elimination; simultaneous quadratic equations, and equations reducible to such and quadratic leading to them; elementary summation of series harmonic mean of two quantities; elementary theory of scales of notation; annuities certain; problems of maxima and minima whose solution depends on the theory of quadratic equations.

GEOMETRY.—1. An amount of geometrical knowledge will be expected approximately equivalent to that contained in Euclid, Books I, II, III, IV, and VI, and the definitions of Books V. Deductions. Students may be required to give algebraical proofs of the properties of proportional magnitudes on which the establishment of the propositions of Euclid, Book VI, depends. 2. Questions may be set involving an elementary knowledge of: Centre of Mean Position, Conical Curves, Inversion, Poles, and Polars, Harmonic Ranges and other elementary applications of pure geometry. 3. The analytical geometry of the straight line and circle, treated with reference to rectangular axes.

TRIGONOMETRY.—1. Trigonometry up to and including the solution of plain triangles; simple cases of inverse functions; properties of circumscribed, inscribed and escribed circles of a triangle. Use of Logarithmic and trigonometrical tables. Books of tables (to four places) will be supplied at the examination. 2. De Moivre's Theorem and easy applications to the expansion of trigonometrical functions; easy summation of trigonometrical series. Questions may be set involving knowledge in the other pure mathematical subjects.

MAURICE FITZGERALD,
Secretary to Committee.

9th November, 1920.

MEATH COUNTY COUNCIL.

Annual Revision of Valuation.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioner of Valuation has, on the 1st day of March, 1921, transmitted to me lists of the several tenements and hereditaments contained in each townland in the County of Limerick, with their respective valuations, and has shown in these lists the revisions of the valuations which have been made by him during the past year.

These lists are now open for inspection at my office, and can be seen any day between the hours of 10 a.m and 4 p.m.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1921.

JOHN J. QUAID,
Secretary of County Council.

CROOM UNION

Contract for Medicines and Medical and Surgical Appliances, 1921-1922.

THE Board of Guardians of the above Union will, at their meeting to be