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calf heifers, choice, £32 to £37; promising, to £30 10s.; ordinary, £18 to £26; dairy, best, £29 15s. to £40 10s.; ordinary, £20 20.
is interesting to note that the champion in Eire, having the highest milk record in the property of Mrs. Hastings, Friars-House, Limerick, was purchased by her ne Paddocks as a two year-old heifer from Thos. Shanahan, Corcaimore, Clarina.—Wm. Fitt & Co., Auctioneers.

THE PADDOCKS, LIMERICK.

WEEKLY CATTLE AND SHEEP MARKET.

Wednesday, March 1st—Cattle—Average increase on last week. A representative attendance. Shortage of heifer and bullock which sold readily at full current rates. Cows met slower trade; demand not as keen unless for fresh heiferish cows; secondary and strippers easier rates; aged and foreign cattle wanted, and continue to make good customers. In young stores well fed heifers with shapes and quality in active demand; slightly increased rates. Choice dairy cows sold well at top values; plain and thin cows tedious; condition and quality drew best attention. Yearlings, an increased entry. Heifers with quality and nicely bred, both heifers and bullocks, met a good trade; best heifers freely bid for, and a ready sale at top prices; choice roan heifers active and strong. Mr. Corry, Croom Castle, obtained top price at £16 5s. Business all round had a good swing; the better grade of cattle attract sharp competition, with a hardening trend in values for choice lots. Full seasonable turnout with an exceptionally good clearance. Heifers and bullocks, best, £29 10s. to £36; second run, £22 10s. to £26 5s.; cows, best, £10s. to £32; second run, £17 10s. to £24 10s.; old, £13 10s. to £16 5s.; 2 year-old bullocks and heifers, best, £19 6s. to £21; second run, £13 7s. to £17 5s.; yearlings, best, £14 to £15 5s.; second run, £10 13s. to £12 17s. 6d.; lambs, £8 to £9 15s. Sheep—Numbers about the same as last week, including a good many of prime mutton. Trade firm and steady for best sheep; well fed sheep freely bid for; secondary sheep and those short of condition slower trade. Ewes dull. Store hoggets cashed at current rates; best hoggets freely bid for; strong enquiry for fat sheep, more could have been sold. Trade well supported, and market cleared early, with a very early finish. Usual attendance. Fat middle weight, 135/- to 150/-; second run, 110/- to 120/-; small, 97/6 to 105/-; ewes, 90/- to 100/-; hoggets, best, 116/-; small, 69/- to 75/-.—Wm. B. Fitt & Co., Auctioneers.

MESSRS. WM. B. FITT & CO.'S LAND SALES AND GRAZING LETTINGS.

Saturday last, February 26th, Wm. B. Fitt & Co., auctioneers, sold by auction for Mr. C. Casey her interest in part of the lands at Carrig West, containing 5a. 2r. 3p., statute, free of rent (P.L.V., £5 5s.) to Mr. M. J. O'Malley, Corcaimore, Clarina, for the sum of £1000 and fees. Mr. D. J. O'Malley, solicitor, Wentworth Street, had carriage of sale. Grazing lettings—Dooneen Upper, Patrickstown, for Miss Walsh, 20 acres, at £7 2s. per acre. Castle Erkin, Pallasgreen, for Mr. J. O'Dea, 17 acres at £8 16s. per acre.

CATTLE MARKETS, MULGRAVE STREET, LIMERICK.

WEEKLY MARKET, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 26th.

Dairy cows and in-calf heifers; entry seasonable; scarcity of good cows and heifers; fair trade; promising heifers and cows had good buyers; more of these could have been sold. Top price for heifers was obtained

4th, 1940. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered.—Inserted by her loving parents, sisters and brothers. (4p)
SMYTH (First Anniversary)—In loving memory of our dear mother, Ann Smyth, Denmark St., Limerick, who died March 2nd, 1943. Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on her soul. American papers, please copy.
You are always in our thoughts, mother.
'Tis sweet to breathe your name.
In life we loved you very dear,
In death will do the same.
—Inserted by her loving sons and daughters. (14p)

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

BARRY—The brothers and sisters, wife and family of the late James Barry, Portlanna, Kilmallock, wish to return their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; also those who attended the funeral, sent Mass cards, telegrams and messages of sympathy. They trust this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment. (14p)

CURTIN—The brothers and sisters of the late Peter Curtin wish to sincerely thank all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement, especially those who sent Mass cards and attended the funeral. Hoping this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment. (14p)

DILLON—The wife, sons, daughter and relatives of the late Bartholomew Dillon, 52, Lenihan Avenue, Prospect, desire to return their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with them in their sad bereavement. To those who sent Mass cards, telegrams, letters of condolence and other messages of sympathy they feel deeply grateful. Their thanks they wish to extend to those who attended removal of remains and funeral, with a special word to the various members of the Boherbuoy Band and his old comrades. Trusting all will accept this notice in very grateful acknowledgment. (14p)

GOW—Mrs. Gow and children, Glenstal, Co. Limerick, wish to return very sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with them in their very sad loss; trusting this will be accepted in grateful acknowledgment. (14p)

O'SHEA—The family of the late Mrs. Jane O'Shea, Knockananty, Ballysimon, Limerick, wish to return their sincere thanks to the many kind friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; also those who attended the funeral, sent Mass cards and messages of sympathy. They trust all will accept this notice in grateful acknowledgment. (14p)

VOTES OF SYMPATHY.

BOHERBUOY NO. 1 BRASS AND REED BAND—At a special meeting, held in the Boherbuoy Band Room on Monday night, February 28th, a vote of sympathy was passed to the Dillon family on the death of Mr. Batt Dillon, an old and respected member of the band, all members standing as a mark of respect. Mr. Dillon was in the band for a long number of years. He held the positions of President and Secretary at various times, and his advice always listened to, and was always respected by all members. R.I.P. (4c)

BALLYSTEEN FOOTBALL CLUB—At a specially convened meeting of the above, held in the Library, Ballysteen, the following vote of sympathy was passed unanimously:—"That we tender to Patrick and James Fitzgerald, highly esteemed members, our sincere sympathy on the death of their father, the late Mr. Michael Fitzgerald, Askeaton."—W. McDonagh (sec.) (4p)

CALEDONIANS A.F.C.—At a specially convened meeting of the above Club, a vote of sympathy was tendered to Mr. Leo Dillon, hon. secretary, on the death of his father. (4p)

IRISH VEHICLE AND GENERAL WOODWORKERS TRADE UNION—At a special meeting of the members of above Union, a vote of condolence was passed to Mr. E. Heaslip and Mr. W. Heaslip on the death of their mother, who has died at her residence at Tralee.—Christopher Murphy, secretary. (4p)

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