

Row; then in the Philosophical house in Glentworth-street, and in the Music Hall, Henry-street, the Theatre of Arts, Henry-street, and for years in the old Theatre Royal. All these places have either ceased to exist or have changed their characters entirely, but the Orphan Society has continued on true to the original purpose of its

accounts show that there has been a marked improvement in the state of our

At the beginning of the year 1925 with a debit of £1,275 9s 9d, and after payment of accounts due to date, we closed the year with a debit of £1,089 7s 1d.

Our expenses for 1925, excluding the interest on the loan for 1924, amounted to £922 12s 2d, and receipts amounted to £1,108 14s 10d. The interest from endowments was larger than last year owing to the fact that we received one quarter's dividend on Consols and a Stock before the sale of these, and the full year's dividend on the same was purchased.

At the last annual meeting it was decided to hold a bazaar in 1925, and it was proposed that a special effort should be made to secure increased subscriptions in all parishes in the county. This effort was very successful, and the sum of £202

was received from the branch meetings during 1925, as against £66 for the previous year. While some meetings did splendidly it is to be regretted that others did little or nothing. It is not possible to separate the special subscriptions from the ordinary, but the list of subscribers are in most cases given in full.

As stated in the last report, considerable progress has been made in the investments, and the capital reconciliation account will be made clear.

It is very satisfactory to be able to state that the amount of interest received from the investments is exactly the same as was received formerly from the stocks held or transferred.

Reports from the various locations are to be satisfactory on the whole, and occasionally there have been a few troublesome cases.

We desire to tender our best thanks to

The death, which we announce with sincere regret, of Mr Jack McDonogh, took place yesterday at 17 Barrington-street, after an illness of some duration. He was the fifth son of the late Mr Patrick McDonogh, proprietor of the Henry street Posting Establishment, and he himself took part in the motor section of the business. He was a keen follower of hounds, and his amiable and courteous disposition made him most popular with all who knew him. Cut off in the bloom of youth at the age of 21 years, his demise is deeply mourned, and deep sympathy is extended to his mother and relatives in their keen sorrow. The funeral arrangements appear in the obituary notice elsewhere in our columns.

### Captain R. S. Connolly.

We regret to record the death, which occurred rather unexpectedly yesterday at Newbridge, where he had been on a visit to his sisters, of Captain R. S. Connolly, Commander R.N.R., of the merchant service. He had been home from Rangoon. He was a son of the Rev. R. J. C. Connolly, for many years Rector of Shanagolden and Loughill, and with whom and the other relatives the sympathy of many friends will be extended. The interment, it is stated, will take place at Shanagolden to-morrow.

### Mrs. A. F. Stoney.

The death, which we announce with regret, occurred at Stradbally House, Castleconnell, on Tuesday, of Mrs Adelaide Frances Stoney, wife of Mr Thomas J. Stoney. The deceased lady was well known and greatly respected in the district, where she resided for a number of years. Her demise has been learned with sorrow by a large number of friends, who extend sincere condolence to her husband in his bereavement.

### MILLIONAIRE MARRIES 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL.

Mr Edward Browning, the millionaire, who is 57, has, says an Exchange New York message, married the 15-year-old girl, Francis Heenan, at Coldsprings, New York.

Merry Lad (Speck)  
Herod Philip (J. Hogan)  
Beyrob (W. Parvin)  
Also ran—Ilderton, Fut  
Master of Arts, Lord C  
Anniversary.

Winner trained by  
Betting—7 to 2 Lord C  
Philip, 9 to 2 Merry Lad,  
6 to 1 Bebrob and Verne  
Won by 2 lengths.

### SWINDON 'C

Coxhill (J. Maher)  
Pride of Manister (Ray)  
Ellaton (F. Gurney)  
Also ran—Glass Island  
Prudhomme, Charlwash, S

Winner trained by  
Betting—7 to 4 Prud  
Charlwash, 5 to 1 Glass Is  
7 to 1 Coxhill, 10 to 1 oth  
Won by ten lengths.

### GLOUCESTERSHIRE

Tamasha (J. Hogan)  
Mizzen Mast (Burford)  
Sea Scout (T. Leader)  
Also ran—Soulector, Le

Winner trained by  
Betting—6 to 4 Tamas  
Scout, 4 to 1 Mizzen Mast  
100 to 8 Le Vertige.  
Won by 6 lengths.

### CIRENCESTER

Cylvida (F. Rees)  
General Advance (Stott)  
Hackdene (Burford)  
Also ran—Elson, Kwang  
Winner trained by I  
Betting—9 to 4 Cylvida,  
Advance, 4 to 1 Hackdene  
10 to 1 others.

### AMATEUR RIDERS

Garryowen (Mr R. Benn  
Bed Rock (Mr W. J. Pa  
Winner trained by  
Betting—11 to 10 on Gar  
Finished alone.

### PRESTBURY 'CHASE

2; Overdraft, 3. Also  
Lass, Teme Land, Ridgewa  
Haven, Red Legs.  
Betting—100 to 8 agst