

Third Year As Mayor For Aderman Russe... Draw The Attendance

BY a majority of two—one member not voting—the City Council, at the annual meeting on Saturday, gave a third year of office to the Mayor (Alderman G. E. Russell).

The other candidate proposed was Mr. J. P. Liddy (Fianna Fail). On a division, the outgoing Mayor received 9 votes and Mr. Liddy (Sinn Féin) did not vote.

The members divided as follows—For Ald. Russell—Ald. J. Carr, P. Kelly, P. J. O'Malley, Mr. P. J. Donnellan and Mr. F. Wallace (Ratepayers). Mr. C. Keyes (Lab.) and Ald. Russell (S.F.) For Mr. Liddy—Ald. D. O'Malley, Mr. T. D. and Councilors W. Brazier, J. Carr, G. B. Dillon, O'Connell, F. Glasgow and J. P. Liddy (7).

Mr. P. Mulcahy (S.F.) did not vote. The Council Chamber, though admission was restricted to ticket holders, was packed to capacity. At 10 o'clock the outgoing Mayor (Ald. Russell), wearing his great chain of office, entered the Chamber. He was accompanied by the City Manager (Mr. M. Macken, B.).

When the roll was called all seventeen members answered to their names. The Manager then announced that the business of the agenda was the election of Mayor and the fixing of a salary for the office.

Before nominations were received, the outgoing Mayor (who presided) said that he wished to pay a generous word of thanks to his colleagues on cooperation they had given him. Though there may be certain difficulties and incompleteness, they got on very well together.

The Mayor went on to pay a tribute to the City Manager, who was, he said, a man of outstanding ability. And he hoped the Manager would be with the Council for many years to come. He (Mayor) also wished to pay tribute to Mr. McHugh, Assistant Town Clerk; Mr. C. Stenson, City Engineer; Mr. H. Haver, and Mr. F. Colony, City Accountant, for their unflinching help and courtesy.

and the other members who have been a great help to me and I can assure them that I appreciate these things. I do not want at this juncture to be hurtful, but I would like to clear up a few points raised here to-day. I know every member is entitled to express his opinions and I do not intend to do so with regard to my fourteen years in public life that criticism is a thing you have to put up with. However, Deputy O'Malley has a few things which I would like to clear up. I want to say that last year when I sought re-election I did not ask a single member of this Council to support me. With regard to the question of rotation, I can say here that I still subscribe to the idea. This year again I did not ask any one and was instead quite free to vote for any member they wished. I was, I can say, asked to go forward by people who are members of Deputy O'Malley's party. In the circumstances I thought that it would not be right for me to refuse to accept another term of office if the people wanted me to go forward.

Referring to the Mayorally, he said that the office was far from being a sinecure. It was an office that required a lot of time and hard work. He was very happy, however, to give his service to the people of Limerick. He mentioned the fact that he had held his office for four years and that he had been very busy during that time.

Senator Reilly also extended his congratulations to the Mayor, and added that it was the overwhelming wish of the majority of the citizens of Limerick that he should continue for another term of twelve months. He felt that the Council had carried out the wishes of the people. Although a certain amount of lobbying had taken place, he could honestly say it had been a clean election.

Mr. M. Macken, City Manager, in the course of a warm tribute to the Mayor on his own behalf and on behalf of the staff, said that his re-election was an honour well deserved. What he admired in the Mayor was the effort he had made to understand the public administration and this understanding and undoubted knowledge of such affairs were reflected in the working of the Council.

Mr. P. Kelly said that the people wished the outgoing Mayor to be returned for another term. The reason for this wish was due to the high standard attained by the Mayor, who was a credit to the city.

Mr. J. Carr paid high tribute to the Mayor for the outstanding work he had done for the city in his term of office. He had wished to every function, he said, when many another Mayor would have been glad to share his responsibility with a Deputy Mayor.

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ALL the traditional glamour and grandeur, associated with the clash of Cork and Tipperary in a Munster senior and minor hurling championship was fully in evidence in the city yesterday, as exuberant crowds thronged the streets from an early hour. Almost every mode of transport was used by the visitors to make the journey, the most common, of course, being the car.

FOUND DEAD IN HIS CAR

Mr. Lawrence Hogan (64), Chairman, Manager at Tullybrackery, was found dead in his motor car at 8 o'clock this morning. The car had struck against the pier of a gateway near Grange, on the main Bruff-Grange road. It is believed that Mr. Hogan had a heart seizure.

FASTEST PRE-TELEGRAPH SYSTEM

Business in city restaurants and licensed premises was brisk with-out, however, reaching anything like record proportions. In some cases catering establishments found the day disappointing in comparison to other Cork and Tipperary matches.

Mayor Taking A Well-Earned Holiday

The Mayor (Ald. G. E. Russell) is taking a well-earned holiday. He and his family are leaving town for a couple of weeks. He will not be available for any Mayoral or public activities until Monday, July 23rd.

Minister Wins Raffle Prize At Convention Dance

The Minister for Finance, Mr. G. Sweetman, was the "hucky man" at the annual Fine Gael Convention Dance in Ennis when ticket No. 8, which was held by him, won the raffle prize of £1,000.

Prevention Of Cruelty To Children

A meeting of members and supporters of the Limerick Branch of the Irish Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children will be held on Thursday evening next, in the Town Hall at 8 o'clock.

LICENCES GRANTED AT KILMALLOCK

A number of licences were granted at Kilmallock Court on Thursday of last week by District Justice H. L. Conner, B.L. Martin Quinn and Denis Quinn, trading as Quinn and Co., Auctioneers, Kilmallock, were granted their application for an auctioneer's licence.

DECREE FOR INCOME TAX

At Kilmallock Court on Thursday of last week, before Mr. H. L. Conner, B.L., Patrick Moran, Collector of Income Tax, Limerick, sued Michael Vincent Leahy, Garrettsborough, Charleville, winning, for the sum of £45 16s. 10d., stated to be income tax due by defendant to the Minister for Finance.

RECORD HIGH JUMP Charles Dumas, a 19-year-old student, became the first man to clear seven feet in his jump.

HUSBAND AND WIFE SUED FOR £47

BEFORE Justice P. O'Grady, B.L., at the Civil Bill Court today, Thomas Masterson trading as Messrs. Mitchell (wholesale), 34 O'Connell St., claimed £47 7s. 6d. from Thomas Nix and Bridget Nix, 2 Westfields, on foot of drapery goods delivered to them within the past six years.

PLAINTIFF'S EVIDENCE

Thomas Masterson, plaintiff, said that Thomas Nix ordered the goods personally from him and took them away in his own van. Mr. Nix had always paid for other goods with a cheque signed with his own name.

DEFENDANT'S EVIDENCE

Thomas Nix said his wife formerly carried on a drapery business. Some difficulties arose as regards the business and the business was closed and she was at present paying off a number of debts due since then.

WOULD HAVE NO OBJECTION

Cross-examined by Mr. Gaffney, defendant said that he was employed by the plaintiff as a drapery salesman. He would have no objection to his business. The goods, which were the subject of the Civil Bill, were ordered by him from the plaintiff's shop.

PLANE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

Lightning struck the nose of an Aer Lingus Viscount off Wicklow Head shortly after 3 p.m. yesterday while the plane was on a flight from Dublin to London.

HOLY GHOST BROTHERS, C.S.S.P.

Young men desiring to consecrate their lives to God as Religious and Missionary Brothers in the Congregation of the Holy Ghost should apply to: The Reverend Director, Holy Ghost Brothers, Kilmagee Manor, DUBLIN.

Do you suffer from Exhaustipation?

It sure does at times. We wake up in the morning feeling tired, sour, and headachy. That's Exhaustipation, the tiredness caused by constipation!

CASH'S NAMES... Order now from TODDS, Limerick, as delivery takes 6 weeks.