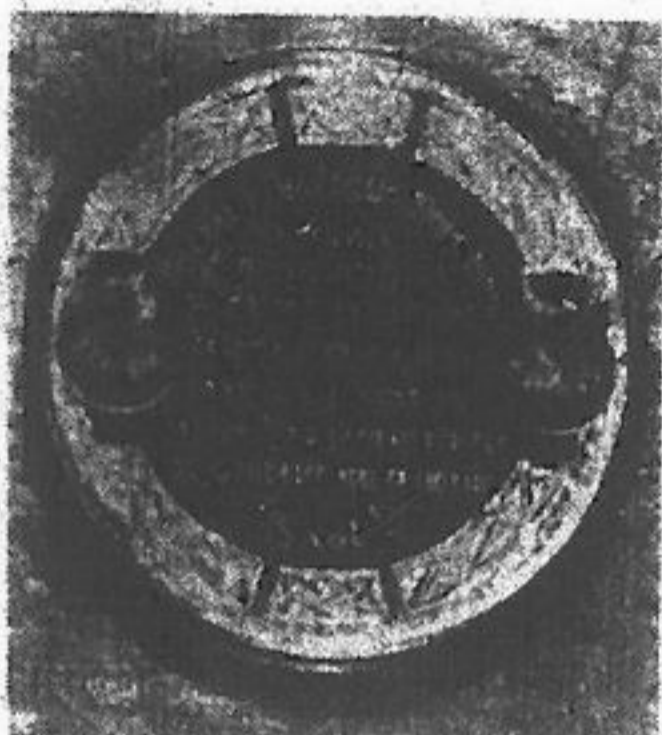


# NEW MEDALLION FOR LIMERICK'S MAYORAL CHAIN

AS was reported in detail in our columns last week, Mrs. Kate O'Callaghan, widow of Michael O'Callaghan, former Mayor of Limerick, who was murdered by British Crown Forces on March 7th, 1921, has presented a new gold medallion for inclusion in the Mayoral chain in memory of her husband.

The following photograph shows the front of the medallion:—



Here is the Irish inscription on the above with the translation into English:—

Micéal Ó Ceallaigáin, Mairé, 1920. 50 ruaná, calma, rúir-  
aig pé gnócaí na caipac pa bliam  
ba tóme comrac agus ba mó  
uafár i gcósaó na Saippe.  
Diam glóimáir a érucaig ro-  
claóiteacé agus co-antacé  
Saet.

Michael O'Callaghan, Mayor, 1920. With dignity and outstanding courage he directed the affairs of Limerick in 1920, that peak year of terror and most bitter fighting in the War of Independence, that year made glorious by the unity and indomitable spirit of the nation.



The above shows the back of the medallion with the following inscription:—

I gcóim na hóice Máirta 7, 1921, ma tuis péim tóimnapáioó é as gallaib i lácair a bannóite. Doró buan-cumne ar a ailm'r ar a oíre i mearc na noime 1879-1921.

On the night of March 7th, 1921, he was murdered by the English in his own home in the presence of his wife. His name and his tragic fate will long be remembered.

1879—1921.