

It's TIME we told you that we are here 100 years . . .



Paddy Hartmann, managing-director.



● Mr. and Mrs. Paddy Hartmann pictured at the door of the new entrance at 2 Patrick Street, Limerick.



Thecla Hartmann, director.

● Hartmanns business hours are 9 to 5.30 (Monday to Saturday). Closed all day Thursday (except in December, when they will remain open for the convenience of their many customers). Closed 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. for lunch.



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● The small town of Trieburg in The Black Forest District of Germany has given Ireland many of its best-known jewellers and watchmakers, including Josef Hartmann and his wife, Emilie, who came to Ireland in the latter part of the last century and commenced business at 2 Patrick Street, Limerick.

● A business founded on traditional German skill, dedication and hard work had to be a success, and in a very short time the Hartmanns were extremely well-known in Limerick and district for their integrity and quality of merchandise.

● Their son, Michael, carried on the tradition—being a highly skilled silversmith and watchmaker. In the 1930s, he qualified as an ophthalmic optician and added an optical department.

● His talent as an artist was widely recognised and his paintings are now greatly treasured by his family.

● He handed over this thriving business to his son, Paddy Hartmann, F.A.O.I. Optometrist, who, with the help of his wife, Thecla, is continuing in this fine tradition.

● Paddy has kept abreast of the technological advances in the jewellery and horological world and is considered to be quite an expert in this field.

● Thecla studied diamond grading at the Sir John Cass College in London and at the C.F.H. Institute in Lausanne, Switzerland.

● The Hartmanns travel abroad frequently to acquaint themselves with modern jewellery trends and fashions in other lands.

● Paddy is a past captain of the Limerick Boat Club, and in his younger days was a noted oarsman.

● Thecla comes from Sixmillebridge (Co. Clare). Her father (the late Jeremiah Deasy) was Chief Emigration Officer at Shannon Airport and her brothers are well-known in hurling circles.

● Thecla is a founder member of Limerick/Shannon Zonta Club and is a past president of the Limerick Flower and Garden Club. They have four children, Gerard, Leone, Thecla and Helga.

● It would be difficult to find a more charming and dedicated couple, and we take this opportunity to wish them continued success and the generations to come.

● The Hartmanns decided to celebrate this centenary year by modernising the premises at Two Patrick Street—the same building where Josef and Emilie commenced business just 100 years ago.

● The result is the beautiful facade in polished granite inlaid with gold leaf. The newly-constructed premises enables them to carry and display more extensive stocks than ever before.

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● Finally, Paddy and Thecla would like to thank their many customers and friends for their support down through the years.

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● Michael Hartmann—year 1930.

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