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NEWCASTLE WEST, APRIL 9, 1921.

PRICE TWOPENCE.

SPECIAL SALE

NEW GOODS JUST ARRIVED.

Ladies' Golf, Rainproof, Seal and Silk Coats; New Styles, latest pieces Dress Materials and Louvies, Millinery, Blouses, Neckwear, Corsets, Cuffs, Aprons, Pinafores, Underclothing, Umbrellas, Gloves, Stockings, Shawls, Skirts, Blankets, Quilts, Flannels, Flannelettes, Sheetings, Calicoes, Shirtings, Towels, Pillows, Bolsters, Tickens, Druggets, Prints, Table Cloths, Napkins, Gent's Suits, Home Spuns, Whip-Cords, Corduroys, Jerseys, Cardigan Vests, Drawers, Leggings, Readymade Suits and Overcoats, Shirts, Ties, Collars, Hats and Caps.

A BIG STOCK OF BOOTS AND SHOES. BEST CLASS.

JOHN D. CREGAN.
The Quay, Newcastle West.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

FLOUR, MEAL,
TOBACCO & GENERAL STORES.

FRANK DORR

Wishes to announce to his friends and the general public that he has now opened a General Store at

220, VALUE IN ALL ORDERS.

A True Respectably Selected.

NOTE ADDRESS:
UPPER MAIDEN STREET, NEWCASTLE WEST.

MRS. K. LESLIE

General Grocer, China, Glass, and Earthenware Merchant,
Tea and Dinners, Board and Lodgings,
Maiden St., Newcastle West.

EDUCATION

J. D. MURRAY, Senr. (First of First-class National Board, First Honours and Medalist S. and A. Department, Mathematics, all the Physical Sciences, Physiology, etc.), is now ready to receive Private Students preparing for Collegiate or Business Life.
Bridge Street, Newcastle West.

MOTORS for HIRE

REASONABLE FARES.

LAWLOR BROS.,

GARAGE

22 CATHERINE ST., LIMERICK.

FAIR HOUSES

FOR
PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.

Messrs. "Weekly Observer," Newcastle West
G. M'Kara & Sons, Ltd., O'Connell St.
"O'Connor and Co."
"Limerick Leader," Ltd.
"Limerick Chronicle"
"Munster News"
"Limerick Echo"
"Record" Print Co., Cornmarket Row
Phoenix Printing Co., Thomas St.
City Printing Co., Rutland St.

Get your Printing and Advertising done
UNDER TRADE UNION CONDITIONS
By the above.
On behalf of Limerick Typographical Society,
M. HARTNEY, President.
G. S. GANEY, Secretary.

WM. ROCHE

AND SONS

Tinplate Workers.

MAIDEN ST., NEWCASTLE WEST.
Wishes to announce to their numerous customers and the general public that they are prepared to

EXECUTE ALL CLASSES OF DAIRY WORK, ETC.

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

NEW GOODS

AT NEW PRICES.

The following departments will be found fully stocked with the latest fashions:

Millinery, Costumes, Coat-Frocks, Jumpers, Blouses, Dresses, Woollens, Hosiery, Etc.

T. D. Cowper

AND SON,

Watchmakers,
Jewellers and Opticians.

Large Variety of Watches, Clocks and Jewellery always on hand.
Solid Gold Wedding Keeper and Engagement Rings.

REPAIRS PROMPTLY EXECUTED.

Motor and Cycle Agents. Furniture Dealers
Bridge Street, Newcastle West.

MEAL. MEAL!

Where are you going to?

TERESA M. CREMIN,
Upper Maiden Street, Newcastle West.

There is plenty of Meal in Newcastle.
Tons to give away at Cremin's.

SPIRELLA

The Guaranteed Unbreakable

CORSETS

Sold by

MRS. LEGG, Courtmatrix, Rathkeale.

A LARGE AND VARIED SELECTION.

Orders Taken on Saturdays at O'Halloran's,

Lower Main St., Rathkeale.

Or any other day by appointment.

0-25-12-20.

HOPE FOR DEAF PEOPLE.

WHY REMAIN DEAF?

Deafness, Head Noises, Throat and Nasal Catarrh and all troubles due to Loss of Hearing quickly cured by "Mackay's Auricle," a remedy of established reputation in every part of the world. Perfected and invented by Mackay's Ear Specialist. Numerous testimonies prove conclusively the efficacy and superiority of this specific over every known treatment. Sold by Boots Chemists or direct from "THE MACKAY REMEDY CO.," 106 Liverpool Road, Tullaghan, London. Reject substitutes.

Seeds! Seeds! Seeds!

Just arrived, a fresh consignment of imported Farm and Garden Seeds of the highest purity and germination, direct from the most eminent growers, including

Italian & Perennial Rye-Grass, Red & White Clover, Cow-Grass, Trefoil, Alsike, Timothy, Cocksfoot and Meadow Fescue.

Special Mixtures of Grass and Clover Seeds to suit the different soils, a specialty.

Woulfe's famous "Kilmore" Seeds, Turnips, Mangolds, Vegetable and Flower Seeds.

Imported and Home Seed Oats and Potatoes.

Gouldings' Manure, 25/0 per cent. Basic Slag, Sulphate Ammonia, Nitrate of Soda, Potash, Kainit, and Agricultural Salt.

WOULFE'S

GENERAL HARDWARE, TIMBER, IRON AND SEED MERCHANTS,

The Agricultural House,

NEWCASTLE WEST.

Buy and Save Money

New Costume and Dress Materials, Blouses, Corsets, Etc.

Latest in Boots & Shoes.

ALL AT THE NEW PRICES.

NOTE ADDRESS:

McENERY'S,

Upper Maiden Street, Newcastle West.

NEW SEASON'S SEEDS.

RYEGRASS

PERENNIAL AND ITALIAN.

CLOVERS

Red, White, Alsike, Trefoil and Cowgrass
Extra Selected Stocks

IMPORTED AND HOME SEED GRAIN.

Vegetable and Flower Seeds.

ALL OF SUPERIOR QUALITY.

Call or Write for Samples and Prices.

PATRICK DOOLEY

BISHOP ST., NEWCASTLE WEST.

SPIRELLA

CORSEYS AND BRASSIERES

SOLD BY

K. O'SULLIVAN, Churchtown, Newcastle West.

JOHN LENIHAN

AND SONS

BILLPOSTERS AND GENERAL

CARRIERS.

10 St. Ill's Terrace, Newcastle West.

MILLING!

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We are Electrically Equipped and can give you the Best and Cleanest Results in the Grinding of

YOUR WHEAT, OATS, BARLEY, Etc., Etc.

OATS AND BARLEY GROUND AND CRUSHED WHILE YOU WAIT.

OUR SAWS ARE AT YOUR SERVICE.

Bring us your Timber. No Delays. We cut it immediately.

WM. PHELAN,

ST. ILL'S SAW AND CORN MILLS.

NEWCASTLE WEST.

TAILORING.

J. J. LACY

Wishes to announce to his friends and the public that, in addition to his usual business in Making Up from Customers' Own Materials, he now supplies

SUITINGS, OVERCOATINGS AND COSTUME CLOTHS

Of Excellent Qualities, and in the Newest Patterns and Colours.

Whilst the Value is High, his Prices are Low, consistent with the Sound, High-Grade Materials Supplied.

The workmanship put into all the Garments made in the workrooms is of the Very Best, and every order entrusted to him has his personal supervision.

A Visit of Inspection is invited, and will be greatly esteemed.

J. J. LACY.

HIGH-CLASS TAILOR,
NEWCASTLE WEST.

PALMER'S

PURE FISH

BRENNAN BROS.

Desire to announce to their customers that the public generally, who have shown the interest in the late 1920-1921, have large and commodious premises, 100-110, Square, Rathkeale, Dublin.

"THE PICKIT ARMS NOVEL"
Considerable alterations have recently been made in the premises, making them much more comfortable.

All the Latest and Best Agricultural Machinery,
by the leading manufacturers, and also for a

Good, Mature and Tender Lamb, Beef, Poultry, etc.

The Premises will be open
ON SATURDAY, 10th MARCH, '21.

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JOHN LEONARD

Bridge House, Newcastle West.

MOTOR TYRES. TUBES

Sizes, 30 x 3 up to 35 x 135.

Best Puncture Pumps and Nuts, Foot Pumps, Motor Grease, Head Sticks.

Johnson's Radiator Cement, Wax Polishes, Carbon Remover, Lodge Plugs, etc.

J. B. ROCHE AND SONS,
Caroline Street, CORK.

0-25-23.

£10 TO £200—Farmers and others in any part of Ireland wishing to borrow money without security or delay, at low rate of interest, and easy repayments in strict privacy, and wish to be dealt with in a straightforward manner, will do well to apply to us for terms. Personal interview not necessary. Loans arranged through correspondence, and Cash sent by Post.—THE TOWN AND COUNTY ADVANCE CO., LTD., 20 Lower Green, Quay, Dublin. ...12-11-21

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COUNTY OF LIMERICK.

Limerick No. 1, Mitchelstown No. 2, Newcastle, Rathkeale, and Tipperary No. 2.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Poor Rates have been duly made on the property rateable thereto in above-named Districts. The Rates for the Ordinary Expenditure of the said Districts for the service of the year ending the 31st day of March, 1920, chargeable to the above-named Districts are at the following rates in the pound—

	To be levied on Agricultural Land	Sum deducted in respect of the rateable Agricultural Grant	To be levied on Non-Agricultural Land
In respect of County charges	25.649	2.826	27.375
Union charges	15.001	1.680	16.681
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AUCTION OF REGISTERED DAIRY BULLS

At Newcastle West, ON TUESDAY, the 3rd MAY, 1921, (Fair Day), at 10 o'clock, At the Market Square.

MAURICE CURTIN and SON are instructed by D. Maher, Esq., Trillickagh, Dagh, Co. Kerry, to sell as above,

8 REGISTERED DAIRY BULLS, From both sides deep milking strain. Sire, Moon Captain, a Pure-Bred Registered Dairy Bull. Sire and dams all Prize-Winners.

MAURICE CURTIN and SON, Auctioneers, Courthouse Arms Hotel, Newcastle West.

FOR SALE PONY, TRAP AND HARNESS TOGETHER OR SEPARATE.

MAURICE CURTIN and SON, Auctioneers, Newcastle West.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

AUCTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

For Mr. F. McCarthy, National Bank, Newcastle West.

MAURICE CURTIN and SON, Auctioneers, Newcastle West.

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COUNTY OF LIMERICK.

LANDS OF BALLYGEEL.

(Within one and a half miles of Newcastle West).

TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

IN THREE LOTS

AT THE MARKET YARD, NEWCASTLE WEST,

On Tuesday, 12th April Next.

Hour of Sale—1.30 o'clock.

SUBSCRIBER has been favoured with instructions from John J. Cremin, Esq., M.D., to put up for Sale on above date, all that and those the above lands in Three Lots.

LOT 1—All that and those, the Lands of Ballygeel, containing 63d. or 24p., statute measure, or thereabouts, with the Dwellinghouse and Out-offices thereof, which consists of a large valuable Haybarn, on which the charge has been fully paid, agreed to be purchased under Land Purchase Acts, for the sum of £940, and at present subject to interest in lieu of rent pending vesting, and when vested repayable by £30 11s., as by said Act is provided.

LOT 2—All that and those, the Lands of Ballygeel, containing 26a. or 10p., statute measure, or thereabouts, agreed upon to be purchased under Land Purchase Acts for the sum of £388, and at present subject to interest in lieu of rent pending vesting, and when vested repayable by £12 12s. 2d., as by said Act is provided.

LOT 3—All that and those, the Lands of Ballygeel, containing 17a. or 16p., statute measure or thereabouts, agreed upon to be purchased under the Land Purchase Acts for the sum of £270, and at present subject to interest in lieu of rent pending vesting, and when vested repayable by £7 9s. 6d., as by said Act is provided.

The Dwellinghouse on Lot 1 can, with very little expense, be made into a suitable residence.

The Lands of Ballygeel are situated within One and a Half Miles of Newcastle West, and one mile from Castlemahon, and a half mile from Monaghan, each of which has a progressive Creamery, and excellent Schools and Church. The Lands are of rich limestone, with great depth of surface, and are universally acknowledged to be of the best quality, all in good heart and condition, nice-sized fields, well fenced with properly-kept whitethorn hedges, affording good shelter all seasons, and are justly noted for their great thrive and productiveness, and for their excellent feeding and tillage properties, with a never-failing water supply—each lot adjoins the Public Road.

The above presents a rare opportunity to intending purchasers to acquire suitable investments.

The Poor Law Valuation on the entire holding is £66, which will be apportioned in due course.

All annuity and interest in lieu of rent will be paid up to 1st November last, and Poor Rates to 31st March, 1921.

Usual Commission of £5 per cent on Purchase Money, with One Fourth of Purchase Money to be paid as a deposit by each Purchaser on day of Sale.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to—

DANIEL MAGNER, Auctioneer, Newcastle West.

THE "WEEKLY OBSERVER."

IRISH CORN TRADE.

The remarkable decline in the Irish Corn trade, which has become so pronounced a feature of this year's season, is becoming a subject of considerable concern, not alone to agriculturists, but to merchants in the trade. Inquiries made in responsible quarters established the fact that had as last year was, this season, from both the viewpoint of price and supply, promises to be the slackest experienced for many years.

The belief is generally current that the farmers have a supply of oats on hands since last year, but whether it is the case at the present low prices, or that they prefer to utilize them for feeding purposes at home, certain it is practically no corn at all coming into Cork market. Moreover, the sale of seed oats so far this year is represented to be not even half that of the past season. Indeed, except in high dry lands very little preparation seems to be made for sowing in the South of Ireland. The reasons given for the low prices offering, which at present show no signs of improvement, are the scarcity of labour, the high rate of wages paid, and the unsettled conditions of the country.

There was no white oats sold in the Cork market either this year or last year, and the decline in the price of black oats may be gathered from the fact that whilst in 1920 the 16s. 6d. to 17s. 6d per cwt was paid for the seed variety, the current market price so far this year ranges only from 11s to 15s per cwt. There has been a pretty heavy import of foreign corn of all kinds, and this naturally has its influence on the home market. Despite her troubles Russia will, it is estimated, be able to export three million tons of wheat this year. This is equal to two-thirds of her normal pre-war export.

The world's wheat production at the last harvest is estimated to be more than the world's demands, and in August and September, when the new crop will be coming in, there will be a balance left in the exporting countries. Prices are, therefore, expected to still further fall. Should, however, the crop now beginning to appear and that being sown meet with unfavourable weather conditions, the prices may rise again, as a comparatively small failure of the crop might result in a shortage. However, that is a contingency that has to be faced every year, and if the sowings are extensive there may in fact be a surplus crop again. The last harvest of last year gave a great fillip to the import of foreign corn, and a considerable quantity of Scotch oats was disposed of in this country. The increased railway charges and the high cost of cartage were also factors that contributed not a little to the shrinkage in the trade for home grown cereals. It is thought that the announced reduction of 10 per cent in cartage charges, which came into force on April 1st, may have some influence in reviving the markets, but on all hands it is feared that the improvement will not be considerable till better prices obtain.

SHOEMAKER'S FATE.

John O'Mahony, better known as "Boxer" O'Mahony, was found shot dead on Thursday at Rahonane, on the north side of Trillick, He was a shoemaker, living at Moyderville, Trillick, till some years ago, when he went to England. He had returned some months ago. A notice beside the body bore the words, "Boxer, Trillick."

Peace Conference Collapses.

The Prime Minister's conference with the miners' Federation Executive on Thursday failed to make any headway towards a solution of the coal problem, and a very critical situation was thus created.