

NEW BOOKS FOR CONSIDERATION AT A MEETING TO BE HELD ON

LANGUAGE. SATURDAY, the 19th day of DECEMBER, 1942.  
 Allen, Edward F. ... a modern

RELIGION(including Theology, Bible, Church Institutions and Religious History).

- The Old Testament: Papers read at the Summer School of Catholic Studies, held at Cambridge, 1938.  
 Brown, S.J. From God to God  
 Charles, Pierre. Prayer for All Men  
 Day, Dorothy. House of Hospitality  
 Devas, Dominic. The Franciscan Order; an essay on its spirit and history  
 Faulhaber, Michael, Cardinal. The Women of the Bible; edited by Brendan Keogh.  
 Goodier, Alban, Archbishop. St. Ignatius Loyola and Prayer.  
 Hollis, Christopher. Noble Castle: the teaching of religious needs throughout the ages  
 Kearney, John. "As I Have Loved You": materials for meditation on the greatest Commandment of all  
 Leen, Edward, Archbishop. In the Likeness of Christ  
 Progress through Mental Prayer  
 Roche, Aloysius. Talks for Young Women  
 Sharpe, Samuel. Historic Notes on the Books of the Old and New Testaments  
 Thorold, Anthony. The Mass and the Life of Prayer  
 Toth, Tihamer. The Catholic Church: a course of sermons  
 Watkin, E.J. Catholic Art and Culture: an essay on Catholic Culture  
 Zimmerman, Benedict, editor. Minor Works of St. Thersa: conceptions of the Love of God, Exclamations, Maxims and Poems.

SOCIOLOGY(including Political Science, Law, Military Science, Education Commerce, Customs and Popular Life)

- Cobb, Stanwood. Discovering the Genius within you  
 Devane, Richard S. Challenge from Youth: a documented study of youth in modern youth movements.  
 Elton, Lord. St. George or the Dragon: towards a Christian Democracy  
 Fairbairn, W.E. All-in-fighting  
 Haskin, Frederick J. The Quiz and Answer Book  
 Kingston-McCloughry, E.J. Winged Warfare: air problems of peace and war  
 Leeming, Joseph. From Barter to Banking: the story of the world's coinage and money  
 Lockhart, J.G. Curses, Lucks and Talismans  
 Lucas, F.L. The Delights of Dictatorship  
 Meade, J.E. The Economic Basis of a Durable Peace  
 Meade, Marianne. Charm and Personality: a modern guide to good form  
 O'Rahilly, Alfred. Money (new edition revised).  
 Seabury and Uhler. How to get things done  
 Williams, L.N. and M. Philately: an outline of its elements

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COUNTY LIBRARY HEADQUARTERS,  
 GALWAY.

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF A MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE HELD ON SATURDAY, the 19th day of DECEMBER, 1942.

PRESENT:-

- Alderman J. Brennan, Co. C.,  
 Councillor W. Carrick,  
 County Councillor E. Corbett, H.C.,  
 County Councillor J.J. Cunningham, B.A., N.T.,  
 the Reverend M. Garahy, M.A., B.D. (Chairman),  
 the Reverend F. Glynn, B.A., Adm.,  
 Councillor M. Keane, and  
 County Councillor T.C. Lydon.

APOLOGY:-

Intimation of her inability to attend was received from Alderman Miss M. Alashe, Co. C., H.C.

IN ATTENDANCE:-

C. I. O'Flynn, Esq., County Manager.

CHAIRMAN OF THE MEETING:-

The Reverend M. Garahy, M.A., B.D.

8. MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:-

RESOLVED - That the Minutes of the last meeting circulated each member be taken as read; and that they be signed.

9. ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 1943/44:-

RESOLVED - That the Estimates as amended by the County Manager be passed:-

	ESTIMATED INCOME		1943/44		1942/43	
From County Council	£2,422.	0 0			£2,454.	0 0
From other sources	150	0 0			141	0 0
Total Estimated Income	£2,572	0 0			£2,595	0 0

	ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE		1943/44		1942/43	
Books (New and Replacements)	£1,200	0 0			£1,100	0 0
Salaries and Wages	878	0 0			850	0 0
Administration	430	0 0			400	0 0
Other charges	64	0 0			245	0 0
Total Estimated Expenditure	£2,572	0 0			£2,595	0 0

Under the heading ADMINISTRATION are: repairs to boxes, printing, stationery, transport, travelling, binding and heating; under OTHER CHARGES are sundries and contingencies; and under the heading BOOKS (new and replacements) the allocation is: New Books £500 and Replacements £700.



LANGUAGE.

- Allen, Edward F. How to write and speak effective English: a modern guide.
- Hart, Archibald. Twelve ways to build a vocabulary
- Hayes and Collins. Matriculation Latin Course
- Joad, C. E. M., editor. How to write, think and speak correctly.

NATURAL SCIENCE.

- Bull, P. G. Chemistry of to-day
- Duncan, F. M. and L. T. The Story of plants
- Gibson, Charles R. Scientific amusements and experiments
- Poincare, Henri. Science and Method
- Thomson, Sir J. A. Riddles of Science.

USEFUL ARTS ( including Health, Agriculture, Engineering, Mechanic Trades, Domestic Economy and Building ).

- Binnie and Boxall. Housecraft principles and practice
- Brackenbury, Sir Henry B. Patient and doctor
- Brown, E. T. Home-made Poultry Appliances: what to make and how to make it.
- Bruce, Henry J. Twenty years under the ocean
- Bruce, Maye E. From vegetable waste to fertile soil: quick return compost
- Camm, F. J. Short-wave manual; a complete treatise on the design, construction, ... of short and ultra-short wave receivers
- Collins, A. F. The metals; their alloys, amalgams and compounds
- Deardon, John. Iron and steel to-day
- Ednie, John, editor. Carpentry and Joinery
- Geeson, Alfred G., editor. General building repairs, dilapidations and alterations. 3 vols.
- Graham, Michael. Soil and sense
- Hay, William H. Building better bodies
- Heath, Ambrose. Good food without meat
- Johnson, A. T. The garden to-day
- Jordanoff, Assen. Flying and how to do it
- Marshall, A. C., editor. Housewife's handy book: a complete library of information for every practical home-lover
- Mattingly, Lillian, editor. Complete cookery
- Monk and Winter. How the airman finds his way
- Myers, Janet D. 2002 household hints
- Olivier, Edith. Country moods and tenses: a non-grammarian's chapbook
- Smith, C. B. The new home owner's handbook
- Spender and Pesel. Iris culture for amateurs
- Vallance, A. Hire-purchase
- Warren, C. Henry. Corn country
- Wells, John and Enid. You can fix it: encyclopaedia of home repairs.



USEFUL ARTS(continued).

Weymouth, Anthony. Through the Leper-squint: a study of Leprosy from the Pre-Christian times to the present day.

FINE ARTS(including Art, Music, Amusements).

Anderson, W.R. The musical companion: a compendium for all lovers of music  
 Chamberlain, Victor. Ideas for press pictures  
 Gask, Lilian. True stories of big game and jungle  
 Hart, Norman de V. The bridge players' bedside book  
 Maine, Basil. New paths in music  
 Newman, Ernest. Fact and fiction about Wagner  
 Rackham, Bernard. A key to pottery and glass  
 Smith, Eleanor. Life's a circus  
 Smith, H.P. Drawing and tracing  
 Southern, Richard. Proscenium and sight-lines: a complete system of scenery planning  
 Thomas, Howard. Brighter Blackout Book  
 Weston, Joy. The Beginners' book of contract bridge

LITERATURE.

Bourget, Paul. Nouveaux Pastels  
 Buchan, John. Comments and characters  
 Burrows, W.F. Obstinate Artist  
 Guinan, John. The Cuckoo's nest: a comedy in three acts  
 Harvey, Sir Paul, editor. The Oxford Companion to classical literature  
 Marriott, J.W., editor. The best one-act plays of 1931  
 The best one-act plays of 1941  
 Morton, J.B. ("Beachcomber"). A bonfire of weeds  
 Rowley, Richard. Ballads of Mourne  
 Sitwell, Edith. Poems new and old  
 Ward, A.C. Landmarks in western literature

HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY, TRAVEL AND BIOGRAPHY.

Adamnan, Saint. The life of St. Columba (Columb-Kille), A.D. 521-597;  
 translated by Wentworth House  
 Adams, James T. The epic of America  
 Anonymous. The bells go down: the diary of a London A.F.S. Man  
 Beach, Rex. Flowing gold: the story of the Texas oil fields  
 Bowen, Elizabeth. Bowen's Court  
 Brower, Harriett. Story-lives of master musicians  
 Burns, Walter N. The Robin Hood of El Dorado: the saga of Joaquin  
 Murrieta, famous outlaw of California's age of gold  
 Carnegie, Dale. Five minute biographies  
 Carr, John. St. Clement, C.S.S.R., Patron of Vienna (1751-1820)  
 Chiang Kai-Shek, Madame. China in Peace and war



HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY, TRAVEL and BIOGRAPHY(continued).

- Churchill, Winston S. Great contemporaries  
 Citrine, Sir Walter. My American diary  
 Craig, John D. Danger is my business  
 Desai, Mahadev. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad, the President of the  
 Indian National Congress: a biographical memoir  
 Dobie, J. Frank. Coronado's children: tales of lost mines and buried  
 treasures of the Southwest(U.S.A.).  
 Fisher, H.A.L., and others. The background and issues of the war  
 Fuller, J.F.C. Memoirs of an unconventional soldier  
 Gibbons, Stella. My American  
 Gibbs, Sir Philip. America speaks .  
 Gray, Ernest, editor. Surgeon's Mate: the diary of John Knyveton,  
 surgeon in the British Fleet during the  
 Seven Years War, 1756-1762  
 Gregory, T. S. The unfinished universe  
 Guedalla, Philip. Palmerston  
 Halliburton, Richard. The glorious adventure  
 Harrison, Henry. The neutrality of Ireland: why it was inevitable  
 Higgins, E.L., editor. The French Revolution as told by contemporaries  
 Hynek, R.W. Konnersreuth: a medical and psychological study of the  
 case of Teresa Neumann; translated by L.C. Sheppard  
 Ilin, M. Moscow has a plan  
 Kaahnert, M.E. Jagdstaffel 356; translated from the German by  
 C.W. Sykes  
 Langford, Nathaniel P. Vigilante Days and Ways: the pioneers of the  
 Rockies  
 Lewis, W. Blasting and Bombardiering  
 Lindsay, G.M. The war on the civil and military fronts  
 Lord, Daniel A. My mother: the story of an uneventful life  
 Lunn, Arnold. And the floods came: a chapter of war-time autobiography  
 MacDonell, Ranald. "...And Nothing Long".  
 McGrath, Fergal. Father John Sullivan, S.J.  
 Maurois, Andre. Why France fell  
 Mayo, Katherine. General Washington's dilemma  
 Minton and Bruce. Men who lead labour(U.S.A.)  
 Moloney, Roger. Anthony of Padua, saint, apostle and wonderworker  
 Murphy, Michael J. At Slieve Gullion's foot.  
 Nash, Eveleigh. I liked the life I lived: some reminiscences  
 O'Sullivan, M.D. Old Galway: the history of a Norman Colony in Ireland  
 Phelan, Jim. Ireland - Atlantic gateway  
 Philip, Sister Mary. Life of Saint Margaret Mary Alacoque  
 Reed, Douglas. All out to-morrows  
 Rinehart, Mary R. The out trail  
 Robb, Nesca A. An Ulsterwoman in England, 1924-1941  
 Robinson, H. Rowan-. Wavell in the Middle East  
 St. John, Robert. From the Land of Silent People  
 Schuman, Frederick L. Night over Europe: the diplomacy of Nemesis,  
 1939-1940  
 Sencourt, Robert. Winston Churchill  
 Shirer, William L. Berlin Diary: the journal of a foreign correspond-  
 ent.







## ADULT FICTION(continued).

Ewer, Monica.	Fingers crossed
Fairlie, Gerald.	Copper at sea
Farnol, Jeffery.	A Jade of destiny
Ferguson, John.	Murder on the marsh
Field, Peter.	Doctor Two-guns
Footner, Hulbert.	Sinfully rich
Gill, Tom.	The gay bandit of the Border
Glyder, John.	Jull-in-the-box
Goyne, Richard.	Danger in Suburbia
Goodchild, George.	Clay-face
Graham, Winston.	The giant's chair
Graves, Robert.	Proceed, Sergeant Lamb!
Gunn, Neil M.	The silver darlings
Hanny, J. F. W.	Gin and Ginger
Harding, Bertita.	Royal Purple
Harris, Edwin.	John Jasper's gatehouse
Hawk, John.	Murder of a mystery writer
Hilton, James.	The dawn of reckonong
	To you, Mr. Chips!
Hobart, Alice T.	River Supreme
Holt, Gavin.	Drums beat at night
Horler, Sydney.	The man who died twice
Hull, Richard.	Murder isn't easy
	The murder of my aunt
Larrimore, Lida.	No lovier Spring
	Two keys to a cabin
Laverty, Maura.	Never no more X
Loring, Emilie.	Swift water
MacManus, Francis.	Watergate
Mapple, Nelson.	Bye-bye, Blackbeard!
Mare, Colin de la.	The ghost book
Melville, Alan.	The Vicar in Hell
Meredith, Anne.	There's always to-morrow
Marland, Nigel.	The clue of the bricklayer's aunt
	The clue of the careless hangman
Morley, F. V.	War paint
Mowbray, John.	The radio mystery
Muir, Augustus.	The sands of fear
Norris, Kathleen.	Red silence
Oppenheim, E. P.	Ask Miss Mott
	Harvey Garrad's crime
	The man who changed his plea
Pedler, Margaret.	To-morrow's tangle
Pickering, Edith.	Murder of a Headmistress
Poultney, C. B., ed.	Best dog stories
Price, Marjorie M.	Second summer
Purcell, Patrick.	Hanrahan's daughter
Reid, Forrest.	Peter Waring
Rhode, John.	Murder at Lilac Cottage
Rinehart, Mary R.	The case of Eleanor Norton
	The circular staircase



ADULT FICTION(continued).

Roberts, Cecil.	Bargain basement
Robertson, Colin.	The Temple of Dawn
	White Menace
Robertson, O. A.	Rags of Reef Range
Rowlands, Effie A.	The Heart line
	The top of the tree
Ruyon, Damon.	Furthermore
S. M. C.	The spark in the reeds
Sabatini, R.	Columbus
Seifert, Shirley.	The wayfarer
Seton, Graham.	Blood money
Seymour, Beatrice K.	Return journey
Shann, Renee.	Pound foolish
Shaw, Nora G.	Vermillion
Sheean, Vincent.	Bird of the wilderness
	The little Duchess
Smithson, A. M. P.	By shadowed ways
Smythe, Tom.	Atlantic tramp
Soutar, Andrew.	Some fell among thorns
Stout, Rex.	The League of Frightened Men
Stuart, Frank S.	Elephant in Jet
Swan, A. S.	A vexed inheritance
Tilton, Alice.	Cold steal
Undset, Sigrid.	The Longest years
Waugh, Evelyn.	Put out more flags
Werfel, Francz.	The Song of Bernadette
Wharton, Edith.	Hudson River Bracketed
Williamson, Henry.	As the sun shines
Winslowe, John R.	Rattlesnake Ranch
Wright, Harold B.	The shepherd of the hills
Yates, Dornford.	Adele and Co.
	Fire below
Yates, George W.	The body that wasn't uncle
Young, Francis B.	The crescent moon

JUVENILE WORKS.

Baker, Willard F.	Bob Dexter and the Red Auto Mystery
	Bob Dexter and the seaplane mystery
"Bartimeus".	Under sealed orders
Blyton, Enid.	Tales of Betsy-May
Burtis, Thomson.	Daredevils of the air
Carr, Mary J.	Peggy and Paul and Laddy
Carter, Dorothy.	Sword of the air
Chaundler, Christine.	Jan of the Fourth
Colum, Padraic.	The big tree of Bunlahy
Conde, Philip.	Skyway vampire
Copp, L.	Joyous Peggy
Darling, H. Fraser.	The seasons and the farmer: a book for children



JUVENILE WORKS(continued).

- Eaton, Mary. Our Birthright: a text book of Catholic Doctrine  
for Junior Forms
- Edwin, Maribel. Round the year stories(Summer book)
- Flynn, Brian. Tragedy at Trinket
- Forman, J. The Pony express
- Gardner, Elsie B. Maxie at Brinksome Hall  
Maxie abd the golden bird.  
Maxie in Venezuela  
Maxie searching for her parents
- Garis, Howard R. Buddy on Mystery Mountain
- George, S.C. The Secret six
- Ginther, Pemberton. The Secret Stair  
The 13th spoon
- Hall, Grace. Stories of the saints for children young and old
- Judd, Frances K. The double disguise  
The Green Cameo Mystery  
The Lone footprint  
The message in the sand dunes  
The murmuring portrait  
The mystery of the swaying curtains  
The sacred feather  
The secret of the red scarf  
The strange echo  
When the key turned
- Lawrence, Josephine. Next door neighbours  
Rainbow Hill  
Rosemary and the princes
- Milne, A. A. A gallery of children
- O'Faolain, Eileen. The little black hen
- Paine, Albert B. How Mr. Rabbit lost his tail
- Polkinghorne, P.K. Round the world in stories
- Potter, F.F. The adventures of Kwaku
- Price, Evada. Jane the popular
- Roberts, C. G. D. The house in the water: a book of animal life
- Robinson, Hubert. The impossible prefect
- Rockwood, Roy. Bomba, the Jungle Boy, in the swamp of death  
Bomba, the Jungle Boy, on Terror Trail  
Bomba, the Jungle Boy, and the lost explorers
- Sainsbury, Noel. Gridiron grit
- Schermerhorn, J. The phantom ship
- Street, A. G. Round the year on the farm
- Striker, Fran. The Lone Ranger and the outlaw stronghold
- Swan, A. S. Climbing the hill
- Westerman, Percy F. Submarine hunters
- Wirt, Mildred A. The clue at Crooked House  
Ghost Gables  
The Painted shield  
The phantom trailer  
Timbered treasure



A D D E N D A.

- Graves, Charles. Londoner's life: a personal diary giving a graphic picture of war-time London. Hutchinson. 10/6
- Morrison, Margaret. The Mavis Hut: a novel of family life in war-time recommended to children and grown-ups. Hutchinson. 7/6
- Morison, S.E. Admiral of the ocean: a life of Christopher Columbus. O.U.P. 21/-
- Jeans, Sir James. Physics and philosophy. Cambridge Univ.P. 8/6
- Iswolsky, Helen. Light before dusk: a Russian Catholic in France, 1923-1941. Longmans. 15/-
- D'Arcy, M.C., Father. Death and life: criticisms covering the altitudes and despairs of the modern world. Longmans. 5/-
- Creasey, John. Traitor's doom: a Secret Service story. S.Paul. 9/-
- Ashe, Gordon. Death in high places: a detective story. J.Long. 8/6
- Duner, Paul. A year and a day: experiences of a Belgian doctor after leaving Belgium in October, 1940, through Germany, Sweden, Finland, Russia, Turkey, Irak and Iran, before reaching England in October, 1941. L.Drummond. 10/6
- Various, and edited by "Beachcomber". I couldn't help laughing: an anthology of war-time humour. L.Drummond. 8/6
- Farnol, Jeffery. Murder by nail. S.Low. 8/6
- Spry, Constance. Come into the garden, cook: the way to a food revolution in kitchen and garden. Dent. 12/6
- Ingersoll, Ralph. Covering all Fronts. J.Lane. 12/6  
Report on England " 2/6
- Meynell, Ester. Country Ways. Chapman and Hall. 12/6
- Thirkell, Angela. Marling Hall: a humorous novel. H.Hamilton. 8/6
- Le Verrier, Madeleine. France in Torment. H.Hamilton. 6/-
- Demuth, Averil. The Sea Gypsies: a story for children. H.Hamilton. 7/6
- Barne, Kitty. We'll meet in England: a story for children. " 7/6
- Seuss, Dr. The King's stilts: a story for children. " 5/-
- Pink, M. Alderton. Social reconstruction. Nelson. 2/6
- Mottram, Professor. Food and the family  
Sound catering for hard times
- Lindsay and Trees. What every cook should know. Nisbet. 4/- each
- Massingham and Meynell. Field fellowship. Chapman and H. 8/6
- Zweig, Stefan. Brazil: Land of the future. Cassell. 10/6
- Baerlein, Henry. Travels without a passport. Muller 8/6
- Farson, Negley. Going fishing: a record of angling experiences in many parts of the world. (Country Life) 10/6
- Front Line, 1940-41: the official story of the Civil Defence of Britain: a narrative of action. H.M.S.O. 2/-
- Leech, Margaret. Reveille in Washington: a general surbey of the four-and-a-half years of the Civil War and the many figures who moved in it, Eyre and S. 18/-
- Harding, Bertita. Amazon Throne: a study of the Braganza dynasty in Brazil. Harrap. 12/6



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## 10. APPOINTMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL ASSISTANT:-

In reply to a question by Alderman Brennan the County Manager stated that he realised the necessity for the employment of an additional assistant in the County Library Headquarters, but that he would not agree to the opening of the Headquarters beyond the hours 11 a.m. until 2 p.m., and 3.30 p.m. until 5.30 p.m. daily.

It was proposed by Councillor Carrick and seconded by Alderman Brennan, and

RESOLVED - That the County Manager be requested to appoint an additional assistant in the County Library Headquarters.

## 11. NEW BOOKS:-

RESOLVED - That the new books as set out on the list supplied by the County Librarian be approved and that the County Librarian be authorised to purchase them.

On the suggestion of the County Manager that a sub-committee appointed to meet frequently for the purpose of discussing new books with the County Librarian, it was proposed by Councillor Carrick, seconded by Alderman Brennan, and

RESOLVED - That the following members form a sub-committee for the purpose of discussing the purchase of new books that may be required urgently: the Reverend M. Garahy, M.A., B.D., the Reverend P. Glynn, B.A., Adm., County Councillor E. Corbett, H.C., Councillor W. Carrick and Alderman J. Brennan, Co. C.

## 12. Local Committee:-

RESOLVED - That the following constitute the Local Library Committee at Ballinasloe:

Father Hughes, Adm., Father Egan, Councillor M. Keane, Councillor A. Staunton, County Councillor W. Dunne, Patrick Molloy, N.T., William Parker, N.T., the Rector of the local Church, and Patrick O'Donnell, journalist.

(Minutes Nos. 8 to 12 inclusive).

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A meeting of the County Libraries Committee will be held on Saturday next, the 22nd. day of May, 1943, in the County Library Headquarters, the County Court-house, Galway, at the hour of twelve-thirty o'clock in the afternoon, when the following business will be dealt with :-

1. Minutes of the last meeting;
2. Consideration of the purchase of new books;  
(copy of the list enclosed)
3. Statistics;
4. Donations;
5. General.

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To each member of the Committee.

To the County Manager.

To the Secretary,  
Department of Local Government & Public Health.



LEABHARLANNA CHONNDAE  
NA GAILLIMHE  
(County Galway Libraries) Galway County Council.

GENERAL WORKS - NON-FICTION

A.R.P.

Reynolds, and others. 250 A.R.P. questions answered

AGRICULTURE.

Adams, R.L. Farm management  
Balfour, E.B. The living soil  
Boulton and Jay. British timbers  
Donaldson, F. Approach to farming  
Elliot, Robert H. The Clifton Park System of farming  
Forman, C. Pig breeding and feeding  
Kitchen, Fred. The farming front  
Moore, H.E. Grassland husbandry  
Crops and cropping  
Rice, Victor A. Breeding and improvement of farm animals

Thompson, Alan. Feeding poultry for eggs  
Uttley, Alison. Country hound

AMUSEMENTS - Sports and Pastimes.

Butler, J. Kings of the ring  
Williamson, J.A. A beginner in sail

BIOGRAPHY

Beattie, E.W. Passport to war  
Bentley, E.C. Baseless biography  
Bradley, Kenneth. Diary of a District Officer  
Layton, T.A. Table for two: reminiscences of a well-known London restaurant keeper  
Leslie, Mrs. Shane. Girlhood in the Pacific  
Mackenzie, Faith Compton. Always afternoon: memories  
Maurois, Andre. Call no man happy  
I remember, I remember  
Piotrowski, Marian. Adventures of a Polish prisoner: a record of a year's captivity in Germany  
Reitz, Deneys. No outspan  
Walker, David. Death at my heels

BIRDS

Pickwell, G. Birds

BUILDING

Carpentry and joinery  
Domestic hot water supplies  
Floors and flooring  
Roofs and roofing  
Hargrave, T.H. Estimating  
Manning, G.P. Construction in reinforced concrete  
Willis, A.J. Elements of quantity surveying

BUSINESS

Newport, C.A. The conduct of meetings  
Ryall, R.J.W. Primer of costing

CIVIL DEFENCE.

Edon, F.A.M. Civil defence: a basic training manual

COMMERCE

Bucknall, G.K. Questions and answers on secretarial practice

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GALWAY.

19th May, 1943.

A Chara,

I enclose a copy of the EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT of the County Libraries for the year ended 31st March, 1943.

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To the County Manager.  
To each member of the Committee.  
To the Secretary, Department of Local Government and Public Health.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE

INCOME

Income from grants	2,454	0	0
Income from other sources	100	5	5
Total income	2,554	5	5



- COSTUME McClintock, Major. Old Irish and Highland dress
- DOMESTIC SCIENCE Blandford, P.W. Handicraft in scrap materials  
 Horner, E. Teach yourself dressmaking  
 Jeffery, G.G. Rugs and quilts  
 Morrivale, Margaret. Furnishing the small home  
 Rankin, W.M. Domestic science- theoretical and practical
- Stieri, E. Housecraftsmanship  
 Witting, G., editor. The home workshop
- DRAMA D'Alton, Louis. Money doesn't matter: a play in three acts
- EDUCATION Dent, H.C. Education in transition  
 Livingstone, Sir R. Education for a world adrift
- ENGINEERING Chapman, W.A.G. An introduction to workshop technology  
 Clinton and Freeman. Electric wiring  
 Das, M.M. Experimental electricity  
 De Ville, E. Electricity simplified  
 Grisbrook and Phillipson. Pictorial guide to engineering workshop practice  
 Marshall, A.W. Gear wheels and gearcutting  
 Potts, J.E. Fire pumps and hydraulics  
 Pull, E. Engineering workshop manual  
 Scott Hall, H. Portable gas producer plants  
 Westbury, E.T. Lathe accessories: how to make and use them
- ESSAYS Lewic, C.S. Problem of pain
- GARDENING Boff, C. How to grow and produce your own food  
 Hardy, Jack. Gardening for schools and students  
 Hellyer, A.G. The alphabet of gardening  
 Henslow, T.G. Garden instructions  
 Macself, A.J. Simple rock gardening  
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SECRETARY AND COUNTY LIBRARIAN

COUNTY LIBRARY HEADQUARTERS,

GALWAY.

19th May, 1943.

A Chara,

I enclose a copy of the EIGHTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT of the County Libraries for the year ended 31st March, 1943.

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- To the County Manager.
- To each member of the Committee.
- To the Secretary, Department of Local Government and Public Health.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE.

INCOME

	£	s	d
Income from rates.....	2,404	0	0
Income from other sources.....	100	5	3
Total income.....	2,604	5	3



EXPENDITURE

	<u>Percentage</u>	£	s	d
Salaries and Wages.....	32.7	774	4	4
Books, Binding, etc.....	46.5	1,099	19	4
Transport and Travelling expenses.....	3.2	77	7	2
Rent, maintenance, repair of premises at Headquarters and Branches.....	7.3	173	3	10
Other expenditure.....	10.3	243	5	6
<b>Total expenditure.....</b>	<b>100.0</b>	<b>2,368</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>

The total expenditure is equivalent to a rate of one penny in the (approximately), or 3.3 pence per head of the population.

CHOICE OF READING MATTER.

Every facility for obtaining books is given readers. Applications for books to be supplied by post, or to be forwarded with fresh stock to branches and centres on the regular exchange dates, are encouraged. More use is made, year by year, of facilities for obtaining books, and the content of the stock at very many centres is definitely influenced by the local readers. Each branch or village centre receives individual attention, which ensures, as far as practicable, the carrying out of the Committee's policy: to give the reader the books he actually wants. This aspect of the work is particularly appreciated in the small communities where book stocks are necessarily limited in quality and content.

OTHER LIBRARIES.

The service of books through the Irish Central Library for Students has again been very efficient. Owing to additional reference works at the County headquarters, the number of books for which recourse to the Central Library for Students was necessary was rather less than formerly, the number so supplied being 427 as compared with 486 last year.

32 volumes were by request lent to the University College Library, Galway, during the year.

STUDY AND READING CIRCLES.

The number of study and reading circles show a decline: 7 as against 12 last year. The service of books was mainly in respect of works on Catholic Action, Apologetics, and Catholic Social Studies.



TEACHERS' REFERENCE BOOKS.

Increased use has been made of works on Agriculture, Art, Commerce, Workshop Practice, Carpentry and Joinery, Rural Science and History. Apart from the usual demands from teachers in the elementary schools, the increase has been due largely to a selected course of reading prepared by the Department of Education for the guidance of teachers in Vocational Schools.

SPECIAL SERVICES TO READERS, STUDENTS AND GROUPS.

In addition to the book service at local centres in the county, a POSTAL SERVICE direct from headquarters to readers is available. Students and readers of non-fiction will find it well worth while to become postal borrowers. Books as soon as they are available are sent by post or bus, the reader being responsible for the cost of postage at the end of the month which is allowed for reading. Four books may be borrowed at a time.

The County Libraries supply BOOKS FOR CLASSES to any organisation in the county needing them.

A special collection of non-fiction suitable for use as a school reference library is available to any school applying for it, and every aid is given in making selection likely to be useful in conjunction with the school syllabus.

There is in stock a large collection of PLAYS, and books on play-production, stage-management, scenery, costume, and make-up. A number of copies of a single play may be borrowed for PLAY READING OR PRODUCTION. This applies to dramatic groups of all kinds including schools.

DISCARDED BOOKS.

All discarded books which still have serviceable qualities have been transferred to the various Public Health institutions to the Ballinacloe Mental Hospital, to military garrisons and outposts, and to the Army Construction Corps units.

STATISTICAL ABSTRACT.

The following brief explanation is necessary for the proper understanding of the information supplied by the ABSTRACT:-

First of all, the figures represent the number of books issued for home reading only. They do not include the encyclopaedias,



guide books, dictionaries, directories, almanacs, etc., consulted in the headquarters and branches. Again, the figures shown are those compiled from the issues-records kept at the centres, branches and headquarters, and do not include the issues at the centres where the records are not properly kept, or not kept at all. And lastly, since the inception of the scheme the abstract has been compiled on exactly the same lines, so that it provides the only satisfactory basis available for comparing one year with another.

HEADQUARTERS.

	Days open	Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays	Other days
ADULTS - Average issues per day	240	981	526
JUVENILES - " " "	104		342

BOOK STOCK.

	volumes
Total Adult Fiction .....	32,425
" " Non-fiction.....	27,779
" Juvenile Works.....	12,956
Total Stock.....	73,160

Number of books available per 100 of the population 44.1

BOOK ISSUES.

	Adult	Juvenile	Total
Issues from headquarters direct to readers	126017	35,528	161,545
" " Centres " " "	348396	38,009	386,405
Total Issues.....	474413	73,537	547,950

Estimated cost of transport per volumes..... 0.9d.

BORROWERS.

Total number of registered borrowers..... 80,325  
 Estimated total number actually borrowing  
 per 100 of the population..... 47.8