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ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTIETH SESSION, 1966-67

DUBLIN MEETINGS

FIRST MEETING

The Society met at Academy House on Friday, November 25th, 1966, Mr. P. Bourke in the Chair.

Dr. E. A. Attwood read a paper entitled 'Agricultural Developments in Ireland, North and South'.

The vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. L. Smyth and seconded by Dr. S. Sheehy. The following also took part in the discussion: Dr. R. O'Connor, Professor J. Johnston, Mr. J. F. Harman, Dr. J. Scully and the Chairman.

SECOND MEETING

The Society met at Academy House on Friday, December 16th, 1966. There was a Symposium on 'Science and Irish Economic Development'. Those contributing were Dr. D. I. D. Howie, Professor T. E. Nevin and Mr. A. V. Vincent. The following also took part in the discussion: Dr. D. Walsh, Messrs. F. Anderson, A. J. Litton, W. J. Hyland, H. Miller, Dr. M. D. McCarthy and the President.

THIRD MEETING

The Society met at Academy House on Friday, January 27th, 1967, Mr. P. Bourke in the Chair.

Mrs. M. Nevin read a paper entitled 'A Study of the Social Background of Students in University College, Dublin'.

The vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. P. Cannon and seconded by Mr. M. O'Donoghue. The following also took part in the discussion: Mr. J. Luce, Fr. Paul Andrews, Mr. P. Lynch, Professor T. Nevin, Dr. M. D. McCarthy and the Chairman.

FOURTH MEETING

The Society met at Academy House on Friday, March 31st, 1967, Mr. P. Bourke in the Chair.
Mr. J. Sexton read a paper entitled ‘Road Freight Transport in Ireland’.

The vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. T. Toner and seconded by Mr. J. Doyle. The following also took part in the discussion: Dr. M. D. McCarthy, Mr. T. P. Linehan, Mr. J. Harte, Mr. C. Gillman, Dr. R. O'Connor, Mr. J. Blackwell, Mr. F. Dixon, Mr. L. Lynch and the Chairman.

FIFTH MEETING

The Society met at Academy House on Friday, April 14th, 1967, Mr. P. Bourke in the Chair.

Mr. D. J. McCauley read a paper entitled ‘Collective Bargaining and Industrial Disputes in Ireland’.

The vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. P. Murphy and seconded by Mr. D. Nevin. The following also took part in the discussion: Dr. R. C. Geary, Mr. A. Marsh, Mr. P. Rice and the Chairman.

SIXTH MEETING

The Society met at Academy House on Friday, May 5th, 1967, Mr. P. Bourke in the Chair.

Mr. J. Charleton read a paper entitled ‘Proposals for an Irish Company Tax’.

The vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. A. Fitzgerald and seconded by Mr. A. G. Stock. The following also took part in the discussion: Mr. L. Casey, Mr. C. Haccius, Mr. L. de Barra and the Chairman.

BELFAST MEETINGS

FIRST MEETING

The Society met at Queen’s University, Belfast, on Monday, November 7th, 1966, Professor R. D. C. Black in the Chair.

Dr. W. Black introduced a discussion on ‘Labour training and economic expansion in Northern Ireland’.

The following also spoke: Dr. W. G. H. Quigley, Mr. G. McMaster, Mr. W. Blease, Dr. P. Froggatt, Mr. J. E. Irwin, Dr. R. J. Lawrence, Mr. J. U. Stewart, Dr. D. Eagleson, Mr. J. Powell, Mr. W. Aiken, Mr. W. Bell, Mr. E. T. Duke.

SECOND MEETING

The Society met at Queen’s University, Belfast, on Monday, January 23rd, 1967, Professor R. D. C. Black in the Chair.

Dr. G. C. R. Carey read a paper entitled ‘Air pollution and bronchitis in Belfast 1961–65’.

The vote of thanks was proposed by Dr. J. McA. Taggart and seconded by Dr. P. Froggatt.
The following also took part in the discussion: Mr. C. D. Kemp, Mr. L. C. Mulligan, Mr. A. Saunders, Professor J. R. Parkinson, Mr. W. P. O'Brien and Professor R. D. C. Black.

THIRD MEETING

The Society met at Queen's University, Belfast, on Monday, March 3rd, 1967, Professor R. D. C. Black in the Chair.
Dr. E. A. Attwood read a paper entitled 'Agricultural Developments in Ireland, North and South'.
The vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. D. J. Alexander and seconded by Professor J. R. Parkinson.
The following also took part in the discussion: H. J. Schemilt, J. V. Simpson, J. U. Stewart and H. D. Traill.

FOURTH MEETING

The Society met at Queen's University, Belfast, on Monday, May 1st, 1967, Professor R. D. C. Black in the Chair.
Mr. C. D. Kemp read a paper entitled '“Stuttering-Poisson” Distributions'.
The vote of thanks was proposed by Mr. H. Harrison and seconded by Mr. J. E. Spencer.
The following also took part in the discussion: Dr. P. Froggatt, Mr. G. Cran and Professor J. R. Parkinson.