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15.3.39

Assistant Secretary,

Anti-Partition of Ireland League,

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Dear Barry Walsh,

Clif Murphy has written to say

that the Gaelic League of Hammersmith would

be willing to let us have their hall on any

Monday, Wednesday or Friday for our first

meeting. I enclosed his letter. Our enquiry

was only verbal the possibly an official request

should go in from you.

I am enclosing a list of

people who could be invited to the meeting

with a note of those who have already

been sounded on the subject and are

willing to co-operate in some way.

In the meantime I shall try

and interview, or get Barry or Murphy to

interview, the remainder, so that we shall

have a fair knowledge of their capabilities by

the time of the meeting.

I do not know what

arrangements you will make about "chairmen";

whether the Secretary will take it or whether we

should ask one of the local people say

Callanan or Lundon. Anyway we await

your instructions.

I think that Wednesday - week 22nd

would be the best day.

Of that list of people you sent

me I interviewed Egerton and found that

he knew nothing of APL, not even that his

name had been sent! I am not sure

that Fr. Ryan should be invited to the first

meeting. I haven't spoken to the remainder

but will.

With best wishes,

Desmond Hennessy.

P.S. I hope to supplement this list in a day

or two.