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PENSMAN takes you Behind the Spotlight

A FATEFUL YEAR

As the year draws to a close, we will watch the dying embers of one of the most fatal years in the present century and will welcome in its successor on Tuesday night wondering what it has in store for us for the world. Yes, indeed, 1963 has been a sad and fateful year, especially for Catholics and peace-loving people all over the earth. "Time almost stood still as the world waited for the end of the terrible death agony of our great and wonderful Pope John XXIII last June. The saintly servant of God was responsible for the Ecumenical Council that has changed the face of the world and when he breathed his last after four terrible days of pain on June 6th, the world was left wondering how it was to be ruled by his dying wish "Ut Unam Sint"—"that they may be one"—has been the motivating desire of the Bishops and Cardinals in the succeeding sessions of the Council since Pope John died.

And as if this was not enough to make the year memorable we had the terrible tragedy of November 22 when the idol of the free world—that knight in shining armour—and another great disciple of peace, America's President John Fitzgerald Kennedy, and his young son, were snuffed out by an assassin's bullet while he was still enjoying the pleasures of the people in the Texas town of Dallas.

The deaths of these two great men and a nice surprise for God's sake—came at the time when the tree world could ill afford to lose them, but then again they were the best men. Both had achieved wonderful things in their own spheres and had made the cause of world peace before their lives ended, one an old man, the other a young man in the full bloom of manhood.

Surely indeed, 1963 will be a year that will live in the memories of those of the present generation for as long as they live.

What of 1964? Who knows? We can only wait and see what it has in store for us. Readers is that it will bring each one as much happiness and prosperity as possible and no sadness or distress or, at least, again as little as possible.

SA RINN DAD

Donn siad gan, siad ag deantar siad na gaeannas na rual lonnhotha. Nuair a bhíonn gnomhantraí, compáisteachaí agus iománaigh na ruda go bhfuil pobal beo agat agus ní bhíonn ceannairc sa gnomhantraí, nuair a bhíonn na ruda go bhfuil pobal beo agat agus ní bhíonn ceannairc sa gnomhantraí, nuair a bhíonn na ruda go bhfuil pobal beo agat agus ní bhíonn ceannairc sa gnomhantraí.

BOLD JACK DONOGHUE

In Dublin town I was brought up. That city of great fame, my parents reared me tenderly. They could tell the same story for being a bold United Boy, I was sent across the main, for seven long years to New South Wales.

To wear a convict's chain, I had been no longer than six months. Upon the Australian shore, I turned out a Fenian boy. As I always was before. There was Nick Macra from Underwood. And Captain Mackey, too. They were the chief associates of Bold Jack Donoghue.

Jack Donoghue was walking one Sunday afternoon. "Was this notion."

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QUICK WITH THE NEWS

A few weeks ago a Lismore man returning to New York after a holiday at home was able to buy a Lendax at local newsagents, Mrs. Kelly, before leaving to catch his plane at Shannon. This information was given to some other friends from the Lismore district when he met them early the next morning (Friday) on his return to Lismore and saved them the trouble of waiting for the Leader for that week.

ALMOST A MILLION POUNDS

The cost of running the health services for the county and city in the coming year runs into a figure of little less than a million pounds—10 to be exact.

The estimate for the year 1964 is being considered at the annual meeting of the Health Authority in Dungarvan last Friday when a most peculiar set of circumstances arose which will show an increase of roughly 2/6 in the £ on the present rate for health services for 1964. It is 1/3 in the £ by county rate-payers and 1/3 in the £ by county rate-payers was adopted.

WANT MALTING BARLEY QUOTA FOR WATERFORD

Representations are to be made by the County Waterford Committee of Agriculture to Guinness & Co. and to Beamish & Carter Ltd. for a reasonable quota of malting and rolling barley for County Waterford.

The decision was made at the suggestion of Mr. M. Harry, Chairman, at last week's meeting of the Committee in Dungarvan. Mr. Harry pointed out that a similar request was made to Guinness's two years ago but the test then was taken at the time was not favourable. "I have since discovered," said Mr. Harry, "that the tests from all the other counties that year were equally low. We should point this out to Guinness's and ask them to reconsider the matter."

Mr. Harry said that a similar application could be made to Messrs. Beamish-Carter.

Mr. E. Heskinen said that members of the B.G.A. were with the Carling dem. recently asking them to come into the with the price for malting barley paid by Guinness's. They had been received very favourably and were to meet again.

Mr. Heskinen suggested that the Department be asked to fix a minimum of 23 a barrel (excluding the cost of transport and sacks) for malting barley and this was agreed.

HEALTH AUTHORITY EXPENDITURE UP BY NEAR £100,000

Total Bill Tops £900,000

For almost an hour members of the Waterford Health Authority at their annual estimates meeting in Dungarvan on last Friday evening found themselves in an impasse in trying to strike rates and in the end it looked as if no rate at all would be struck. When two amendments and a proposal had been defeated in the committee followed and the members suggested that the meeting stand adjourned to a later date so that members would be very confused by the situation to reconsider the position.

The new rates will mean an approximate increase of 1/3 in the County rate and 2/6 in the city.

The estimated gross expenditure for the year—totalled £996,413 an increase of £93,057 over last year. With estimated receipts at £900,000 the deficit would total £96,413. One of the main issues in deciding the rates was the method of paying back a debt balance of £24,115 which had to be added to the estimate. The Estimates Committee recommended that this be spread in equal parts over two years but some members felt that it was bad business to carry a debt longer than was necessary.

MANAGER'S REPORT

In his report to the meeting Mr. J. Mayhew, Chairman, said he had already received a number of applications for the county rate increase and could not estimate with any reasonable accuracy the impact of the rate increase.

He had included a sum of £33,000 in the estimate to meet the increase but it could be reduced to £22,585 if the rate had not been included to meet the rate increase.

ALTERNATIVES

Members of the Estimates Committee who had gone through the estimates at a special meeting on December 6, then gave their views.

Councillor John Griffin said that the committee recommended the county rate increase as presented and the repayment of the debt balance over two years. He did not think much could be done by discussing the matter further.

Councillor M. Walsh said that the committee had four alternatives to propose. The first was to increase the county rate by 1/3 and the city rate by 2/6. The second was to increase the county rate by 1/3 and the city rate by 1/3. The third was to increase the county rate by 1/3 and the city rate by 1/3. The fourth was to increase the county rate by 1/3 and the city rate by 1/3.

STALEMATE

Stalemate followed at this stage as nothing had been passed. Mr. Lannan, Chairman, said that he had been in error in his procedure and asked that the meeting be adjourned to a later date.

Mr. Curran objected and Mr. Madden said that the issue had become so confusing that it would be better to adjourn further consideration of the estimates to a later date. Another member remarked: "It's a laugh."

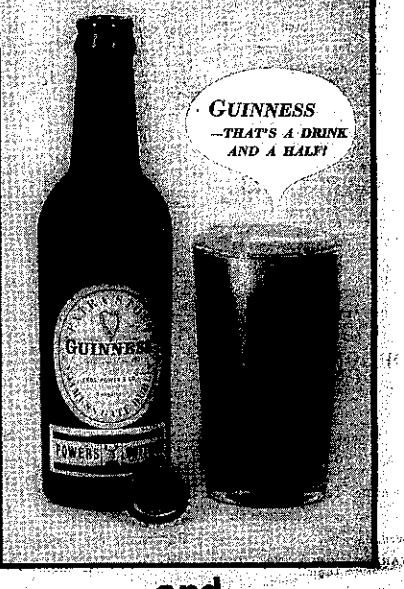
In an effort to circumvent the impasse the Chairman then accepted a further proposal from Councillor Morrissey, seconded by Councillor Griffin, that the estimates as recommended be adopted and that £13,000 be paid off the debt balance.

Mr. Lannan proposed an amendment to this that one-quarter of the debt balance be paid and £60,000 deducted from the £33,000 provided in the estimate for the 1964 year.

Mr. Lannan said that £23,000 would be left in the county fund and a few slaves who will have to work for them. "I don't want people to work for nothing but those with enough to do should be satisfied with it. I don't want people to break the county that's what they'll do," he said.

Mr. Lannan said that they haven't broken already. People will be asked out of existence."

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Question Time Series For Abbeyside

Abbeyside Scouts are planning to run a series of Question Time Competitions to determine the Street Champions of Abbeyside. Starting at 8 pm on Friday, January 4th, next, the contests will run for eight weeks and each night there will be two Question Time Contests with four teams representing different streets in Abbeyside and past and present Scouts. The venue of course is the Scouts Den, Abbeyside, and the whole programme should be very enjoyable. Admission is 2/- each night but season tickets for the whole series with a guaranteed seat each night cost only 10/- and sound like a good bargain.

PEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Annual Christmas Competitions—1st, Miss A. Harrey and Miss P. Curran; 2nd, Mrs. A. R. Farrell and Mr. L. Concorde; 3rd, Mrs. E. O'Brien and Mr. J. Gallen; 4th, Mrs. P. Murphy and Mr. J. Flordan.

VIETNAM

In this country, you can't take money off people who can't afford it.

Mr. Lannan—Sure "Is Christmas every day for some of the officials here."

Mr. Cahill's amendment was then put and defeated 10 votes to 3 but finally a decision was reached when the proposal made by Mr. Collins was put and carried 7 votes to 6 as follows:—

For—Messrs. Curran, Dower, Cahill, Madden, Power, Gallagher, Griffin—7.

Against—Messrs. Lannan, Roche, Kennedy, Curran, Dower, Cahill, Madden, Power, Gallagher, Griffin—6.

Mr. Madden's resolution was next put and it too was beaten 10 votes to 6 as follows:—

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Our "Small's"

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New Year's Greetings

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We wish happiness and prosperity to all our readers throughout the coming year.

St. Stephen's Day was quiet with most people availing of the opportunity of lay-in to rest...

LANDS AT KNOCKALARA—The lands of Knockalara, Cappoquin, containing about 191 acres, the property of Mrs. Mary Morrissey...

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COUNCIL TENANTS PROTEST AGAINST RENT INCREASES

A rent war is brewing in Dungarvan. The sudden decision of County Manager, Mr. S. J. Moylan, to increase the rents of certain houses in Dr. Caseyville, is meeting with strong protest...

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Cappoquin News

Exiles Deaths—This week we have news of the death in Boston of Robert Gallagher. He was a native of Coolidge and emigrated a few years ago...

Mr. Paddy Tuohy said he was only a casual labourer working a week or two in the town. He was not working he would get 25-30, out of which he had to pay 12 rent. He was being asked from his next door neighbour who was unemployed was having his rent increased by 10%...

PUPPY STAKE DIVIDED AT CAPPOQUIN

Results from yesterday's (St. Stephen's Day) coursing at Cappoquin. Dog Puppy Stake—Semifinals: Bright Spence beat Beadman; Sea Coat beat Team Down. Final—Divided between Mr. E. McLaughlin's Bright Six and Mr. W. Mansfield's Sea Coat.

WITCH TRIAL STAKE—Semifinals—Quartermore lady beat Late Venture; Swiss Knorr beat Ashdown Rose. Final—Mrs. T. Goree's Quartermore lady beat Mrs. M. Fennessy's Swiss Knorr.

ALL-AGED STAKES—Semifinals—Blue-Eyed Solar beat Blue-Eyed Solar; Blue-Eyed Solar beat Blue-Eyed Solar. Final—Mr. J. Power's Blue-Eyed Solar beat Mr. J. Power's Blue-Eyed Solar.

KEEP-DEATH OFF THE ROAD—WHEN YOU DRIVE—DRIVE WITH CARE

HOLIDAY DANCING at the C.S.M. Ballroom, Clonea

SUNDAY NIGHT, 29th December THE AIRCHORDS SHOWBAND, DUBLIN

NEW YEAR'S NIGHT (Wednesday, Jan. 1st) THE DIAMONDS SHOWBAND, DUBLIN Fully Licensed Bar

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IN MEMORIAM

CONDON—In loving memory of my dear husband David Condon, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, who died on December 24th, 1962. R.I.P. Infant Jesus Mass every Sunday.

HAYES—Fifteenth Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of my dear husband and our dear father, Dean Hayes, who died on December 14th, 1948.

CUNNINGHAM—Fifty Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Nora Cunningham, Ballymore, who died on the 23rd January, 1913.

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News of the Town & Round About

CHRISTMAS—Christmas rush is over and slowly conditions are returning to normal. Fortunately, and with remained dry and this facilitated shoppers getting round to make last minute purchases.

ONE-COURSE—DUFFERS—Semifinals—Blue-Eyed Solar beat Blue-Eyed Solar; Blue-Eyed Solar beat Blue-Eyed Solar. Final—Mr. J. Power's Blue-Eyed Solar beat Mr. J. Power's Blue-Eyed Solar.

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Dungarvan Man Sets Record New Method Of Hay Saving Demonstrated In Weight Lifting Championships

Guinness Sponsored Event At Clonmel

Three new Irish records, several outstanding performances and a capacity crowd all contributed to the singular success of the National Senior Weightlifting Championships in the Collins, Ballroom, Clonmel, on Sunday.



The championships were sponsored by Messrs. Arthur Guinness & Co. Ltd. on whose behalf the Managing Director, Mr. M. Kilkelly, handed over a cheque to former Olympic Weightlifting Champion Dr. Pat O'Connell, President of the Clonmel Weightlifting Club.

The trophy which Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son & Co. presented for the National Senior Weightlifting Championships which were completed at the Collins Ballroom, Clonmel, on Saturday, December 14.

Dungarvan had a big interest in the event as Sean Norris who hails from Meading Street, Dungarvan, was an easy winner of the middleweight class, setting up a new record of 267 lbs. on the "press" lift, an improvement of 5 lbs. on the existing record.

From the moment they were allotted this "best-time-out-of-Dublin" event, the Clonmel Weightlifting Club had left no stone unturned to ensure its success. They were fortunate in securing Commercial sponsorship from the well-known firm of Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son & Co. Ltd., Dublin and this resulted in the organising committee being able to plan and organise the championships free from the all too frequent financial headaches of amateur sports organisations.

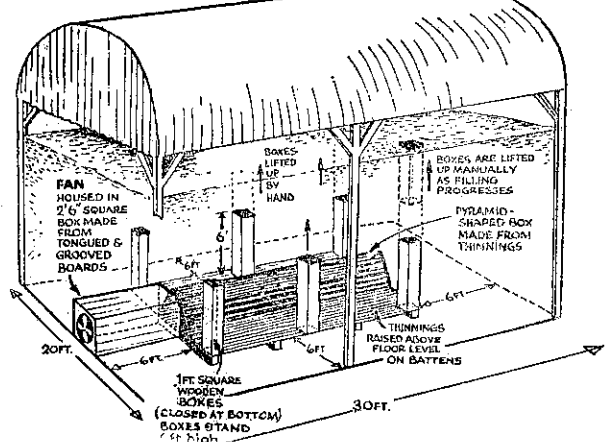
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Clonmel man, Hugh O'Callaghan, 22-year-old son of Doctor Pat, during the feature set up two new Irish records and retained his title with a "press" lift (middle heavy section) of 267 lbs. setting a new Irish record of 267 lbs. while in the overall aggregate he twice beat his own Irish record of 164 lbs. first by lifting 770 lbs., and then 775 lbs.

EMIGRANT'S VICTORY Clonmel emigrant from Yorkshire was another local man to win an Irish title. He was 27-year-old Frank Rothwell, founder member of Clonmel Weightlifting Club. Frank travelled home especially to assist in an old club in the national contest.

RESULTS Bestman Class (8st. 11lbs.) - 1. John O'Brien, Dublin, 595lbs. - 2. James Cahill, Dublin, 485lbs. - 3. Dick Cooke, Cork, 415lbs. Featherweight (8st. 6lbs.) - 1. Mick Flood, Dublin, 575lbs. - 2. Davey Magee, Belfast, 540lbs. - 3. Lightweight (10st. 8lbs.) - 1. Tommy Hayden, Dublin, 690lbs. - 2. Paul Ross, Belfast, 625lbs. - 3. Pat Phelan, Limerick, 525lbs. - 4. Bodyweight (11st. 11lbs.) - 1. Sean Norris, Dungarvan, 770lbs.

Guinness FOR STRENGTH



In Dublin last week more than seventy farmers from many parts of the country saw a demonstration of the results of their hay drying which had been conducted at the C.D. Farm, Glasnevin, Dublin, in co-operation with the E.S.B. Mr. T. Rafferty, Lecturer in Animal Husbandry, gave details of these experiments which had been carried out during the last three years, and the farmers had an opportunity to see hay which had been saved by various methods.

The correct stage of growth could easily be solved, but this would result in hay which is more difficult to save than the present stony mature hay which the farmers cut. This is very desirable that we should develop better methods of saving hay which would be more independent of weather conditions.

The sileage shows the method of barn hay ventilation commonly used in Germany. It is known as the "Aulendorf" method, getting its name from the town where it was developed. The hay is drawn from the field to the barn before it is completely dry - the remaining moisture is removed by ventilating the hay with cold air.

BEST METHOD Research into this problem has been going on at University College Farm, Glasnevin, since 1958. At the present time, barn drying of hay, using unheated air, appears to be the most satisfactory method of saving hay under our conditions.

UNION CHAIRMAN CRITICIZES T.O. TAX

Speaking at the biennial general meeting of the Dungarvan Branch A.T. & G.W. Union, last night, the Chairman, Mr. J. O'Connell, paid tribute to former Chairman, Mr. J. T. O'Connell, who died in 1958. He organized this Union in the year 1924 and helped in a big way, first as Branch Secretary and later as Chairman, to achieve the standard we have today. We may not all agree at all times with Mr. O'Connell, but we must give credit where credit is due, and a large amount of credit is due to him for the part he played in the development of this Union.

Mr. O'Connell's death was a great loss to the Union. He was a man of great energy and initiative. He was always ready to take on a new task and to do it to the best of his ability. He was a true leader and his death is a great loss to the Union.

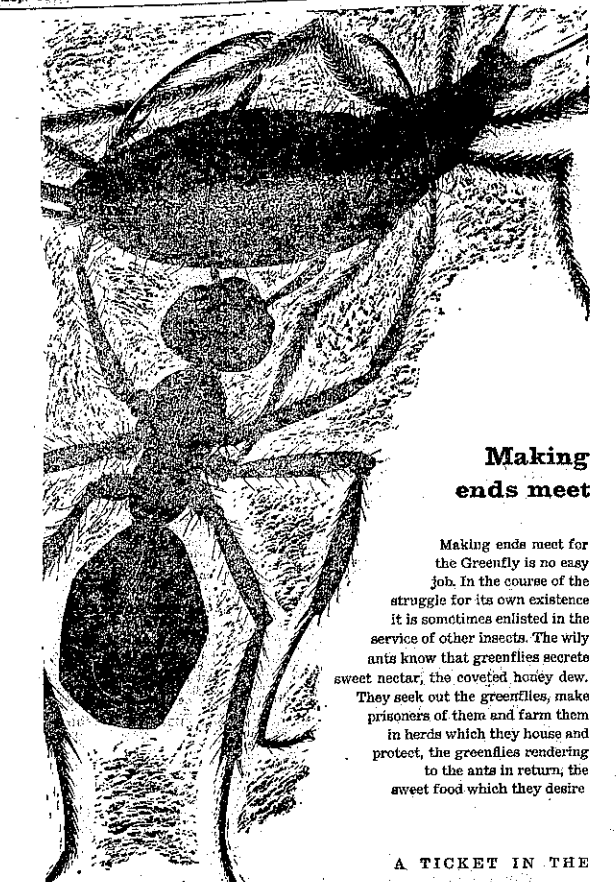
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Tallow and Round About Notes

The New And The Old Years - As this issue of the Leader appears the Old Year 1963 will be in the eve of 1964. Looking back on the Old Year we witness the death of two of the greatest men of our time. The death, though in old age, of Pope John XXIII, and the loss of the great statesman, President John Fitzgerald Kennedy. Both peace workers for the cause of peace among the nations and their deaths can be ill-forded as a sad omen for the future.

Christmas in the Churches - The Holy Mass in the churches of the diocese was celebrated on Christmas Eve, by Rev. Fr. Michael Ryan, who presided at a singing tour of European countries. The choir and numbers approached the Holy Mass at midnight Mass in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tallow, where Mass was celebrated by Very Rev. Fr. M. Power, P.P.

Mr. Ryan started his apprenticeship in Westport, and came back to Tallow as assistant at the Bridge Valley Stores Ltd. Then in partnership with Mr. Tom Savage he opened a grocery store at West Street, which was a great success. After some years he formed a partnership with Mr. J. O'Connell, draper. Here for over 20 years, he along with his wife, the former Miss Quinn, a native of Kilmalee, Co. Cork, built up a successful business in groceries and allied trades. Honesty and integrity were the hall mark of all that he did. The occasion of his retirement, we join in wishing



Making ends meet

Making ends meet for the Greenfly is no easy job. In the course of the struggle for its own existence it is sometimes enlisted in the service of other insects. The wily ants know that greenflies secrete sweet nectar, the coveted honey dew. They seek out the greenflies, make prisoners of them and farm them in herds which they house and protect, the greenflies rendering to the ants in return, the sweet food which they desire.

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FARMERS DISCUSS SNOW CLEARING PROBLEMS. There was no use in the County Council spending £5,000 on machinery to clear snow from roads if all the people were not to benefit from it.