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## PENSMAN takes you Behind the Spotlight

### A HEAVY BURDEN

There can be no denying the fact that the County ratepayers had an additional very heavy burden placed on them at last Friday's annual estimates meeting of Waterford County Council in Dungarvan. It happened so fast that several Councillors, used to the usual pull and drag method of previous years, found it difficult to realise that it was all over in something like one and a half hours.

A number of records were established, I think, on the occasion: the first of course was the record high rate of 66.6 in the £ an increase of 5 6d. over last year the second was the brevity of the meeting — a mere couple of hours compared to the marathon sessions of previous years and the third was the manner in which the Manager and his officials co-operated with the Councillors in finding the necessary reductions to make the rate proposed by the Council acceptable.

Although the meeting wound up so quickly and while bouquets were showered on the officials for their very positive and constructive approach the reality is that the rate increase stands at 5 6. On top of this we also have to face the fact that the budget was not balanced and that the Council had to go into debt to cushion the blow from being even more severe.

This is the age of the affluent society and it is the fashionable thing apparently, if not actually, to live in debt, to live from hand to mouth and several members of the Council felt there was nothing wrong in doing what now seems to be the accepted thing at most levels.

I will return to this topic again next week.

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### CIVIC CENTRE

There is a crying need for a civic centre in Dungarvan as at the moment there is no adequate accommodation available beyond the Courthouse, for the holding even of meetings. The Town Hall is in a near ruinous condition and the walls of the Urban Council Chamber are threatening to fall down. It is but a poor place for the holding of any civic functions and does less than justice to a town, the size and importance of Dungarvan.

A few weeks ago Rev. T. C. Butler O.S.A., Rector, St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan, speaking at a Gaelic League dinner, stressed the need for a youth centre in the town, a place where young people could come together for recreation, debates, lectures and indoor games.

"What we need in Dungarvan," Fr. Butler said, "is someone with initiative to inspire a spirit of co-operation and give a lead."

This is undoubtedly true and my reason for referring to the matter here now is to suggest that our very progressive Junior Chamber of Commerce might take the matter in hand and give the lead which Fr. Butler spoke about. I feel quite sure that if this lead were given there would be full co-operation from all societies, organisations and clubs in the town.

It is a great pity and a reflection on our community spirit that our youth are so poorly serviced in this respect. Not long ago my attention was drawn to the fact that even the C.Y.M.S. Club in the town had ceased to function as a centre of recreation for the youths and young men of the town. My inquiries in this regard revealed that this Club has in fact been closed, except for a few card drives each week for the past two years; that it is in need of major repairs and that there are no funds available to have these necessary repairs carried out. Whether there is any possibility of having this premises put into proper repair I do not know and whether the establishment of a civic centre is feasible I do not know either but I do feel that here we have a problem which requires active and immediate consideration.

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### URBAN TENANTS ORGANISE

A non-political, non-sectarian tenants' protective association has been established in Dungarvan by a number of tenants of Urban Council houses. The move follows proposals put forward by the County Manager to revise the rents of 453 of the Council houses built prior to 1953.

I understand that the meeting at which the Association was formed, held at the Town Hall, last Saturday night, was not very representative, as hardly one in four of the tenants turned up. However the hundred odd present decided to go ahead and officers and a committee were elected. It is hoped, now that the initiative has been taken, that the majority of the Council tenants will join the Association in the firm belief that there can be no heart until there is some cur le chéile.

A spokesman for the Association said no Councillor had blankly turned down the Manager's proposals and would refuse to accept them even if they were approved by the Urban Council — an approach which I greatly doubt will be forthcoming. The proposals, he pointed out, could mean reductions for about 100 tenants but there would be increases for the remaining 350 and while the reductions could be counted in shillings, the increases might well run into pounds!

The Association spokesman went on to point out what the tenants of the older housing schemes especially felt as particular grievances. They had no bathrooms, had no conveniences, the lavatories were outside, in plain terminology they were living in old houses and they felt it was most unreasonable that they should have to pay comparable rents with those living in more modern and better serviced schemes.

At the same time I understood from him that the Association realise that a problem exists about the growing cost of repairs to all the houses in the Council's estate but they are not prepared to accept that the increase in rent income which the Manager's proposals would mean is absolutely needed to meet the cost of the repairs. They also feel that much of the money at present available for repairs is wasted and that more value could be obtained with better supervision.

One of the criticisms voiced was the time lag in shifting equipment and material from the Council yard to the site of operations—a job which must be done by handtruck. Time consuming especially when the work gang is switched, as it very often is, from Cathal Brugha Place to Murphy Place.

The tenants also had criticisms of the repairs which resulted from carelessness and sometimes from sheer wanton destruction. A case was cited for me of one house which had been allowed to fall into such a ruinous condition that it took a considerable sum of money to put it back into a habitable state, while the work gang was tied up for a long period repairing it to the exclusion of all other houses.

I cannot understand why tenants should be allowed to let their houses fall into such a condition and there should be some method of supervision to prevent houses reaching such a stage.

I am glad that the Council tenants have come together in an organised fashion and I hope that their association will prove an active one as it can do a great deal of good, not only where the present rent problem is concerned but in several other similar problems which can rise from time to time. They can affiliate with a National Council which has been established with headquarters at 131, Clonmacnoise Road, Crumlin, Dublin 12, through which they can exchange views with other kindred associations from other parts of the country and in time they should prove their worth as a valuable organisation which can contribute much not only where their own good is concerned but for the benefit of the community as a whole.

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### FENIAN CENTENARY

This year we commemorate the centenary of the Fenian Rising and I feel it is only right that we should publish as many as possible of the great old Fenian ballads in this corner to mark the occasion during the coming year.

I was amused while listening to the B.B.C. Light Programme last Saturday evening to hear a ballad group of three sisters from Co. Monaghan singing "Come To The Bower" in a programme broadcast from Liverpool. What a change, I thought! Here we had on the British radio one of the best-known of the Fenian songs which was supposed to be an invitation to the Fenians in America to come home and fight for the freedom of Ireland at that time! What a change indeed, in one hundred years!

As a contrast, my choice of ballad this week is "The Fenian Redcoat" which tells how, on October 12, 1866, Private Curry of the 27th Royal Irish Fusiliers—of the British Army in which were thousands of Fenians—was publicly degraded and flogged in the presence of all his comrades at the Royal Barracks, Dublin, for being a member of the Fenian Brotherhood. He could have secured his liberty by turning informer, but he refused and took his punishment without murmur, after which he was sent to prison for two years. T. D. Sullivan wrote this song about him at the time

They read his sentence in the square,
Before a thousand men;
They told him that his back should bear
Twice twenty strokes and ten.
Then past the lines they marched him by,
His stripes to undergo
And sent two strong-armed men to ply
The scourges, blow for blow.

But never once he quailed
with fear,
And never once sighed he;
For 'twas all he knew for
his country dear,
And 'twas all for liberty.

They stripped him to his skin so white,
They tied him to the frame,
And striking down with all their might
The gripping lashes came.
The red whips whistled, sharp and clear,
And struck with splashing sound
His flesh went spattering through the air,
His blood ran to the ground.

But never once the soldier spake,
Nor moan nor sigh gave he,
For 'twas all he knew for
his country's sake,
And 'twas all for liberty.

Then from the frame they loosed his hands,
And standing on the ground,
He drew his garments with his hands
Upon the reeking wounds.
And marching to the prison gates
They noticed with surprise
His step was firm, his port was straight
And bold and bright his eyes!

But never a word the
soldier spake,
And never once sighed he
For he'd freely die for his
country's sake,
And he'd die for liberty.

## ADJOURNMENT OF CO. COUNCIL MEETINGS INVOLVES RATEPAYERS IN NO LOSS

### Objecting Councillors Could Forego Expenses

If Councillor Kieran O'Ryan was sincere in his objection to the adjournment of County Council meetings on the bereavement of a member the one way he could show it was to refuse to claim his expenses for such meetings.

This was stated by **Mr. C. Curran**, Chairman, at last Friday's meeting of Waterford County Council in Dungarvan when he replied to criticisms made by Mr. O'Ryan at the previous Monday's meeting of the Council which was adjourned as a mark of respect to Councillor H. R. Dowd, on the death of his brother.

Mr. Curran said that Mr. O'Ryan alleged that the adjourning of a meeting cost the ratepayers £160, but he wanted to inform the public that the cost of holding a meeting was not in that region at all. The cost of a meeting ranged from £50 to £60. "But," he said, "when this Council decides to adjourn, it involves the ratepayers in no extra expense as the business is adjourned to the next ordinary meeting of the Council and no special meetings are held. I would also like the public to know that and as a matter of fact when a meeting is to be adjourned there is often a saving as several members will not travel when they get prior notice of an adjournment.

**ADEQUATE**

**Mr. H. R. Dowd**—Councillor O'Ryan was perfectly right in stating at the last meeting that I would be adequately honoured by a five minutes adjournment, but I want to say that the experience of a full scale adjournment of the meeting was a heart-warming and comforting one, not only for me and my brothers, but also for my late brother's widow and family and I want to say now how deeply I appreciate the Council's action. I would like to thank you all for your expression of sympathy and also the County Manager and Staff and the Press and all the many others who sympathised with me on the occasion.

**Mr. Curran** said that he was sorry that Mr. O'Ryan had seen fit to raise the matter of expense on the occasion and he was very upset because of the association of money with sympathy. He reiterated that the adjournment did not cost the ratepayers one penny.

**Mr. O'Ryan** replied that he had been advocating for years that a short adjournment would meet these situations and he felt it was completely farcical to adjourn meetings entirely. He wondered why the matter was again bothering the Chairman's conscience now.

**Mr. Curran**—There's nothing troubling my conscience at all and I make no apology in being associated with the adjournment. One way Mr. O'Ryan can show his sincerity in this matter is to refuse to claim his expenses for any such adjournments.

**Mr. O'Ryan**—I'll do that if you do it, too, Mr. Chairman!

**Mr. Curran**—I certainly will not.

At this stage Mr. Dowd intervened and asked the Chairman to call the next business.

## "MOST FORMIDABLE RATE INCREASE" PASSED IN RECORD TIME

### Council Decides To Go Into Debt

It took Waterford County Council little more than one-and-a-half hours to strike the rate for the coming year at their Estimates meeting in Dungarvan last Friday evening. The new rate of 66 6d. is an increase of 5 6d. over last year's figure and a reduction of 2 9d. in the rate of 69 3d. submitted to the meeting by the Estimates Sub-committee. An additional 2½d. will be added to the rate to cover malicious injury claims totalling £2,924.

**MANAGER'S REPORT**

In his report to the Council, the County Manager, **Mr. C. A. O'Connor** said that the Estimates as prepared by the Estimates Committee (69 3d.) provided for an expenditure from revenue of £1,605,207. It gave the following comparative tables showing the rate required for each service: Roads—18 10.16d. (up 3 7.47d.); Health —25 11.64d. (up 1 10.7d.); Public Assistance—2 4.59d. (down 0.82d.); Education—5 3.76d. (up 6.42d.); Housing—5 2.14d. (up 6.29d.). General Purposes — 11 6.73d. (up 1 9.0td.).

The increase in Roads Services was accounted for by an increase of £9,440 to £91,283 for the maintenance and surface dressing of main roads. An increase of £32,152 to £150,646 in the estimate for the maintenance of county roads and an increase of £3,510 to finance the cost of repairing 12.81 miles of new public roads (spread over a 2 year plan).

The increase in the General Purposes rate included a rate of 9d. approximately in respect of the Health Authority, while the balance of 1/- was accounted for by the following increases:—Vocational Committee £1,223; Co. Libraries Committee £700; Fire Brigade £653; Tourist Development £700; Salaries £4,100; Retiring Allowances £1,340; Cost of Rate Collection £1,550 and Excess Expenditure during last year £5,009.

**MOST FORMIDABLE**

**Mr. C. Curran, Chairman**, said that the increase of 8/3d. was a figure that the ratepayers could not afford this year as far as he could see the only way to make a reduction was to curtail the public services. The officials might not be aware of the situation of people living in small towns and rural areas who were not able to meet their commitments and who would have to go without the necessities of life in many cases to pay their rates.

"This," he said, "is the most formidable increase in the rates for many years and the factors contributing to it are outside the control of the Council."

**Mr. N. Walsh** then asked the County Manager whether he had received any undertaking that a grant of 100 per cent. would be received from the Department of Health as promised to meet the increases for Health Services.

**Mr. O'Connor** replied that they had been notified of a grant which was £18,000 less than that required.

**Mr. Walsh** pointed out that the Health Authority had passed their estimates on the assumption that this 100 per cent. grant would be forthcoming. Had they known about this reduction he was sure a different figure would have been adopted.

**Mr. O'Connor** said that the Health Authority estimate had been passed and he did not propose to alter it now. He wished to have the position further clarified and he intended to discuss it with officials of the Department.

**Mr. Walsh** said that it meant that the Department had dishonoured the promise made to the Health Authority.

**Mr. Mile Galgey** said that this was not so but was due to the change of Ministers in the Department. They had a Minister who boosted the Department by promising everything but when he was transferred to another Department where he was making similar promises, "the poor sucker" who took over from him could do nothing but cut down on everything. He said the Council should not strike a penny more for Health Charges.

**Mr. Curran** said that this would only mean that the Health Authority would have to face an additional £18,000 debit next year.

**Mr. T. Kyne, T.D.**—Unless the Department pays the full grant.

**Mr. P. Cahill** then asked: "Who's the sucker Mr. Galgey is referring to? I think that remark should be withdrawn!"

**Mr. Galgey**—The man who's there now and anyone who wants to can look up the definition of it.

**Mr. Curran** said that he did not like the word "sucker" although some ratepayers might use a stronger word. Salaries and wages which were the main reason for the increase in the Health Estimate had all been granted by the Minister. "It looks as if the members here are only rubber stamps," he said, "and we are only wasting our time coming to meetings here."

**Mr. K. O'Ryan** said that members who had been bringing deputations into the Council over the last twelve months had added to the rate.

**Mr. D. Ahearne** commented that the time had come when ratepayers could not pay their taxes and he was afraid that they would not pay them.

**Mr. Curran**—The rates have gone out of hand. Small shopkeepers and small business people throughout the county and the agricultural community especially are in a bad way.

**Mr. N. Walsh** thought it was high time for the Government to set up a Commission to enquire into the present rating system. No ratepayer could stand up to an increase of 8 6d. which was a staggering increase. He thought the whole system needed urgent revision.

**Mr. Curran**—Seventy-five per cent. of the increase is mandatory so the Council has not much say. We are only rubber stamps!

**SENSIBLE SUGGESTION**

At this point **Mr. T. Kyne** said that it would be well if the Council decided how much it was prepared to strike as the rate and they could then prune down the services to that figure. They could keep discussing the matter the entire evening and eventually they would have to do this.

**Mr. Walsh** — The officials won't accept that!

**Mr. Kyne**—They will if we can show them where to make the cuts.

In reply to questions by **Mr. O'Ryan**, the County Accountant **Mr. F. J. O'Leary**, said that 3/3d. of the rate increase was accounted for by wage and salary increases: £17,000 for the Road Services with a further £17,000 to be met from last year and £5,000 for salaries.

**Mr. Walsh**—All our trouble is coming from these salary and wage increases.

**Mr. Walsh** then asked whether special road grants would be made to cover the extra traffic caused by the closure of the Mallow-Waterford line.

**Mr. J. D. Haly**, County Engineer replied: "I don't know. We may but I have not been notified!"

**Mr. Walsh**—Then we're working in the dark as we don't know what grants we are to get.

**Mr. H. Dowd** said that the most sensible suggestion had been made by Deputy Kyne. There was no doubt but the most important thing uppermost in the minds of all the members was how much the rate should be. Having arrived at that figure they could prune the various services to bring them within the figure agreed.

Mr. Dowd then proposed that they adopt the rate of 69/3 as submitted by the Estimates Committee, and this was seconded by Mr. Kyne. The proposal, however, was defeated by 13 votes to 2, Mr. Dowd and Mr. Kyne being the only members in favour.

**Mr. Mi. Morrissey** then asked the County Manager if he would accept a rate of 67/2d. and the Manager replied that to conform with the Act suggestions would first have to come from the Council.

**Mr. Walsh**—The real criterion in striking the rate is the ability of the ratepayer to pay.

**Mr. O'Ryan**—And that's last year's rate!

**Mr. Curran** said that he would have no hesitation in allowing the Council to go into debt to keep the rate down. The young generation could face the matter. They were at present facing a crisis of the first magnitude in the country.

**Mr. O'Leary**, Co. Accountant, said the Council, without affecting the services, could reduce the rate by 1/3 by cutting out the debit balances in the Roads and General Purposes Accounts to meet the wage increases.

**Mr. Dowd** disagreed that the country was going through a crisis. It was, he said, utter and complete rubbish for anyone to say so. Anyone who said this must have shut his eyes to the car lined streets in every town where 20 years ago there were only ass and carts; or to the crowds of well-dressed, well-fed people in the bars with plenty to jingle in their front pockets and when this was gone they could go to the crackle in the back pockets and they still had plenty left over. The people of the country, he added, never had it so good!

**Mr. O'Ryan**—I wonder are all those cars Mr. Dowd refers to paid for!

**Mr. Curran**—Mr. Dowd refers to the affluent society but that applies to only 30% of the population.

Mr. Curran then asked Mr. Morrissey if he would amend the rate suggested by him to 68/6. Mr. Morrissey agreed and formally proposed this figure. **Mr. Michael Shalloe** seconded and the resolution was declared carried after a 10 to 10 tie vote, by the casting vote of the Chairman.

The voting was as follows—**For:** Messrs. Curran, Kyne, Brohan, Roche, Dowd, Heskin, Cahill, Shalloe, Morrissey, R. Walsh—10. **Against:** Messrs. Harty, Whelan, Fahey, Foran, O'Ryan, Ahearne, Quirke, N. Walsh, Galgey, Kennelly—10.

The Chairman then gave his casting vote in favour and declared the resolution carried.

**ADJOURNMENT**

The Co. Manager, **Mr. O'Connor** at this stage asked the Council to adjourn for half an hour to allow him to re-examine the estimate with the senior officials to see if they could make reductions to bring it within the rate approved.

The Council agreed to the Manager's suggestion.

**NOT IN THE CLOUDS**

When the meeting reconvened **Mr. O'Connor** said he was very conscious of the difficult tasks which face any County Council on the day of an Estimate meeting. "I don't live in the clouds," he told the Council and I know the problems of trying to keep the rate within the capacity of the people to pay and at the same time maintain the services at a proper standard."

Mr. O'Connor then said that they had gone into the figures and he had decided to accept the rate passed. They endeavoured to make economies so that the standard of services would be impaired as little as possible and the level of employment was maintained.

The Co. Accountant, **Mr. O'Leary** then gave the cuts they had made as follows: £17,000 for wages on Roads Services; £1,000 from Sanitary and Water; £1,500 from Housing; £1,100 off Miscellaneous items; £6,500 off main Road Maintenance and £10,500 off County Roads.

**Mr. Curran**, Chairman thanked the Co. Manager for his realistic approach to the problem and said that the fact that the Manager and officials co-operated with the Council was a good augury for the future. He thought a reduction equal to one-third of the proposed increase which had been made was a tremendous achievement.

The meeting then ended.

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## DUNGARVAN BADMINTON NOTES

Dungarvan A played another league match last week but were defeated by Waterford D five matches to three. The games were very close and Dungarvan were unlucky not to have at least drawn as the final score in games was ten to eight games. Playing were Misses A. Browne, T. O'Brien, I. Phibbs and Mrs. O'Brien. Also Messrs. D. Verling, J. Power, Moe. Cliffe and P. Burke. Dungarvan B travelled to Tramore but were beaten by a very strong B team there, seven matches to one.

Haughey Cup, kindly presented by Mr. N. C. Haughey, former President of the club. This competition will be held in Lady Lane, Waterford, on Sunday, 12th March, commencing at 2.30 p.m. sharp. This event is open to all players of Junior standard (second and third division). Mixed handicap, entry fee 5/- per player. All entries with fees should be with the Secretary on or before March 4th.

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We are instructed by the owner to receive offers for the Grazing of 13 acres approx. at Gowlaun and 8½ acres at Mweelahorna of which 4 acres is mountain, for period ending 31/12/'67.

**QUEALY & HARTY, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers & Valuers, Dungarvan. 'Phone 122.**

**KNOCKNAGAPPAL AND REENACLOGHEEN, OLD PARISH**

We have been instructed by the Irish Land Commission to sell by Public Auction on the Lands, on Wednesday, 1st March, 1967, at 3 p.m. 51 acres of Grazing and Tillage, in suitable lots. (Barron Estate).

Conditions at Sale.

**QUEALY & HARTY, M.I.A.A. Auctioneers & Valuers Dungarvan. 'Phone 122**

## Sales By Dick Barry, M.I.A.A., Fermoy

**TILLAGE TO LET AT LISMORE BY PRIVATE TREATY**

24 Acres of red ground to let for tillage at Ballynelligan, Lismore. Offers to:—

**DICK BARRY, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer & Valuer, Fermoy. 'Phone 138.**

## Sales By Wm. B. Fitt & Co., Ltd., M.I.A.A.

**POWER'S YARD, BEAU STREET, WATERFORD**

Sale by Auction of 40 choice Dairy Cows and Heifers (Friesian and Shorthorn) in calf and on the points of calving.

**On Saturday next, February 25th at 1 o'clock.**

For Messrs. Wm. O'Callaghan & Sons.

A choice selection. Fully engaged.

NOTE: Some extra high-class cows and heifers will be shown at this Sale.

**A Transport available and stock held over for purchasers.**

Agents for the Agricultural Credit Corporation, Dublin.

**WM. B. FITT & CO., LTD., M.I.A.A., 48, O'Connell St., Limerick.**

**ALD. SEAN TREACY, T.D. will visit the following:—**

**MILLSTREET**
**4 p.m. (Walsh's Bar)**
**CAPPOQUIN**
**5 p.m.**
**LISMORE**
**6 p.m.**
**BALLYSAGGART HALL**
**7 p.m.**
**BALLYDUFF**
**8 p.m. (Mr. D. Tobin's)**
**TALLOW**
**9 p.m.**
**This Saturday, 25th AT YOUR SERVICE**

**VALUATION LISTS**

The Valuation Lists have been received today from the Commissioner of Valuation by the rating authorities indicated below and may be inspected during office hours, up to and including the 21st March at the respective addresses given. The owner or occupier of any tenement or hereditament can obtain any relevant extract from the lists if he applies by the 21st March to the Commissioner of Valuation, 6 Ely Place, Dublin, or to the undersigned officer of the rating authority concerned.

(1) Waterford County Council, Courthouse, Dungarvan.
**S. G. UA DUNLAING,** Runai.

(2) Dungarvan Urban District Council, Town Hall, Dungarvan.
**P. DOYLE,** Town Clerk.

## Sales By Edmond Spratt & Son, M.I.A.A.

**NO. 1 COOLAGH ROAD, ABBEYSIDE.**

**Superior, Compact and Desirable Town Residence with Garage and Rere Gardens. FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, (Unless previously sold).**

Edmond Spratt & Son are instructed by Mr. John Moloney to offer for sale by Auction this attractive property, held forever free of all rent. Rateable Valuation £6.15.0.

Accommodation comprises - Entrance Hall, Sitting room, Dining room, Large Kitchen and Larder. Upstairs are—3 bright Bedrooms and Bathroom with Toilet.

The property will be sold with vacant possession and the sale offers an excellent opportunity to secure a Superior Residence, occupying a very pleasant situation, adjacent to Churches, Schools and on trunk route into Town. It should attract the attention of persons desiring a compact house with a Garage and suitable gardens to rere and in particular, with low outgoings. The house is ready for immediate occupation.

Inspection invited.

**J. F. WILLIAMS & CO.,** Solicitors, having carriage of sale

Further particulars from

**EDMOND SPRATT & SON, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers & Valuers, Dungarvan & Youghal.**

**KNOCKAUN HOUSE, GRANGE, YOUGHAL.**

**Preliminary Notice of Auction WEDNESDAY, 8th MARCH, 1967, at 2 p.m. Important draft sale of 17 Friesian Heifers (On the instructions of Mrs. M. Flynn)**

Full particulars next issue.

**EDMOND SPRATT & SON, M.I.A.A., Auctioneers & Valuers, Dungarvan & Youghal**

**TALLOW HURLING AND FOOTBALL CLUBS**
will hold their
**ANNUAL CHURCH GATE COLLECTION**
**On Sunday Next February 26th before 8 a.m. and 11 a.m. Masses.**
Please subscribe as generously as possible.

## ORMONDE CINEMA DUNGARVAN

**Performance Each Night At 8.30 p.m.**

**Sunday Feb. 26.**
Erroll Flynn, Miriam Hopkins, in **VIRGINIA CITY.** Western. Edgar Lustgarten, in **MURDER ANONYMOUS.** Crime.

**Mon. 27th Feb. 2 Nights**
Sidney Poitier, Shelly Winters, in **A PATCH OF BLUE.** A Romantic Drama.

**Wed. March 1st. 2 Nights**
Robert Vaughan, David McCallum, in **ONE OF OUR SPIES IS MISSING.** Technicolour Thriller (U.N.C.L.E.)

**Friday, March 3rd. 1 Night**
Christopher Lee, Barbara Shelley in **DRACULA PRINCE OF DARKNESS.** Technicolour Chiller. Also Diane Clare, Brook Williams, in **PLAGUE OF THE ZOMBIES.** Thriller.

**Sat. March 4th. 1 Night**
Glenn Ford, Ed. G. Robertson, in **ROUGH COMPANY.** Technicolour Western. Also Gary Crosby, Joey Dee, in **TWO TICKETS TO PARIS.** Musical.

**The Management reserves the right to refuse admission and to alter the Programme.**

## REGAL CINEMA, TALLOW

**Sun. Feb. 26. At 8 p.m.**
**KING AND COUNTRY**
With Dirk Bogarde, Tom Courtenay. An outstanding Drama.
Also **THE DOUBLE.**
**Wed., Thurs., March 1 & 2. At 8 p.m.**
**SKY WEST AND CROOKED.** With Hayley Mills.

## CLONMEL PIG MARKET

**(MUNSTER'S LEADING MARKET)**
**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28th, 1967.**
**Note—All Bacon, Pork Pigs and Fat Sows must be delivered before 11 a.m.**
**ENTRIES CLOSE SATURDAY PRECEDING MARKET.**
**Enquiries to STOKES & QUIRKE LTD., M.I.A.A. Telephone 123. Saleyard 593 Sale Days only.**

## BARGAIN OFFERS

**Crosse & Blackwell Mixed Vegetable Soup 1/8, now 1/4 save 4d. Crosse & Blackwell Oxtail Soup 1/8½, now 1/5½ save 3d. Crosse & Blackwell Tomato Soup 1/8½, now 1/5½ save 3d. Golden Shred Marmalade 2/2, now 1/10 save 4d. Oxo "Lucky Dip" 1/6, now 1/3. Summer County Margarine 2/8 per lb., now 2/4 save 4d. Jacobs Marietta Biscuits 11d., now 8d. save 3d. Belands Cream Crackers 1/2, now 11d. save 3d. Irel Coffee 1/9 now 1/6 save 3d. Erin Oxtail Soup 1/7 now 1/3 save 4d. Erin Potato Soup 1/7 now 1/3 save 4d. Erin Thick Vegetable Soup 1/7 now 1/3 save 4d. Andrex Double Pack Tissue save 3d. Pax Pears 2/4 now 1/9 save 7d. 5d. Off Large Surf, 5d. Off Large Omo. 5d. Off Large Tide. Large Daz with Free Mats. 1/- per lb. Off of Capital Gold Tea. 2 lbs. Sugar Free with 1 lb. Tea at 5/6. Smoked Golden Haddock in stock. Smoked Kippers, Frozen Whiting, Large and Small Fish Fingers. Packet Plaice and Sole February 24th and March 10th.**

**V. O'HERLIHY, Chapel Street, Tallow**

**BARGAIN TRAIN TRAVEL** — **return tickets at single fare**

SPECIAL 1st and Standard Class tickets will be issued for travel between most C.I.E. stations on Fri., Sat., Sun. March 3rd, 4th, 5th valid for return up to Monday, March 6th. Week-end tickets will also be available April 7th 10th.

**HERE ARE SOME EXAMPLES OF STANDARD CLASS FARES:**

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**Additional evening trains will be provided from principal provincial stations to Dublin to facilitate week-end ticket holders on Sundays, March 5th and April 9th.**

**1st Class fares 50% extra approx. Children under 12 half-fare approx. Full details of train times and cheap fares at your local station.**

**GO CIE**

## Sales By Norman Walsh, M.I.A.A.

**O'BRIEN ESTATE, TOOR, MOCOLLOP**
**(By instructions of the Irish Land Commission)**
**GRAZING AND TILLAGE TO LET BY AUCTION**

30 acres or thereabouts S.M. of Grazing (watered) from 1st March, '67 to 31st December, '67) and 20 acres for Tillage.

**On Wednesday next, 1st March, '67 at 12 o'clock (noon) on the Lands.**

Excellent Grazing and Tillage Lands.

Conditions at Sale.

**NORMAN WALSH, M.I.A.A., Auctioneer & Valuer, Cappoquin. 'Phone 25.**

**ABBEYSIDE SCOUTS NON-STOP DRAW**
**Monday 26/2/'67**

£10—Mr. F. Templeton, St. Patrick's Terrace, Abbeyside, p. Miss M. McGovern, Murphy Place, Abbeyside.

£1 each—Miss Monica Butler, Sarsfield St., Abbeyside, p. Miss Joan Butler; Mr. Tom Manger, p. Miss M. McGovern, Murphy Place, Abbeyside; Mrs. Dunphy, New Line, Abbeyside, p. Aiden Kennedy and Bernard Dunphy; Mr. Roger Cashin, p. Nicholas Cashin, Home Rule St., Abbeyside; Mr. Michael Mansfield, Burgery, p. Greg Fives; Mr. Ed. Landers, p. Nicholas Casoin.

**Promoters' Prizes** — Mr. Michael Spillane, Mr. P. J. Burke, Mr. Pat McGovern.

**PRESENTATION NON-STOP DRAWS, DUNGARVAN**
**Results of Draws held on 21/2/67 (17th Draw)**

£12—Mrs. Quill, c/o. Promoters E. Flynn & N. Moore.

£6—Antoinette McCarthy, c/o. Promoter N. Kirwan.

£3—Anna M. Quealy c/o. Promoters C. Murphy & Mrs. Foley.

£1 each—Mrs. Dee, Kilrossanty, p. M. Rossiter. Mrs. Nora Duggan, O'Connell Street, p. C. Duggan; Richard Quealy, Durrow, p. N. Kirwan; Jas. Navin, c/o. Promoter M. & B. Duggan; Mr. B. Colgan, c/o. Promoter C. Flynn; Miss A. Clancy, 8 Mitchel Terrace, p. A. Clancy.

Promoters' Prizes - M. Rossiter, E. Dee, D. Tutty & R. Cleary, N. Kirwan, C. White and A. McGrath, M. Sheehan & M. Fitzgerald.

**FIANNA FAIL**
**South Tipperary/West Waterford Dail Cheannas Silver Circle Draws**
**Results of Draws Held on the 14th February.**

£15—Winfield Roche, Ballinaparka, Cappoquin, p. James Landers, do.

£5 — Maurice Ryan, Goolde Cross, p. Willie Ryan, Ballagh.

£1 each—Mrs. Peg Cunningham, Skehenarinky, p. Mrs. E. Fitzgibbon, do.; Chris Power, Glenbane, Lattin, p. Patrick O'Brien, Blaunmeen, Tipperary; Jerry Bell, Woodenstown, New Inn, p. Jerry Ryan, Golden; Michael O'Brien, 14 Sliveamon Rd., Clonmel, p. Ald. John Kennedy, Clonmel. John Moroney, Ballylennan, Mullinahone, p. James Gleeson, Drangan.

Next Draw, Dooley's Hall, Ballymacarby, Sunday at 3 p.m.

**WATERFORD HEALTH AUTHORITY**
**COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF REFUSE FROM ARDKEEN HOSPITAL, WATERFORD**

Tenders are invited for the collection and removal of refuse from Ardkeen Hospital, Waterford, for the year commencing 1st April, 1967.

Tender Forms and Particulars may be obtained from the Secretary, Waterford Health Authority, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford, with whom tenders must be lodged not later than 5 p.m. on Friday, 10th March, 1967.

**J. A. HYNES,** Runai.

**WATERFORD HEALTH AUTHORITY**
**STOCKTAKERS REQUIRED**

Competent Stocktakers are required to take stock of Consumable Materials in the following Institutions on 31st March, 1967.

(1) Ardkeen Hospital, Waterford.
(2) St. Patrick's Hospital, Waterford.
(3) County Home and District Hospital, Dungarvan.
(4) District Hospital, Lismore.
(5) St. Otteran's Hospital, Waterford.

Application in writing, should be made to the Secretary, Waterford Health Authority, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, not later than 5 p.m. on Friday, 10th March, 1967.

**J. A. HYNES,** Runai.

**WATERFORD HEALTH AUTHORITY**
**TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF COFFINS AND HIRE OF HEARSE**

Tenders are invited for the supply of Coffins and hire of Hearses for the year commencing on 1st April, 1967.

Particulars and Tender Forms may be obtained from the Secretary, Waterford Health Authority, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, with whom tenders must be lodged not later than 5 p.m. on Friday, 10th March, 1967. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

**J. A. HYNES,** Runai.

**WATERFORD HEALTH AUTHORITY**
**DRIPPING AND SWILL FOR SALE**

Tenders are invited for such quantities of Dripping and Swill as may be available at the County Home, Dungarvan, during the year commencing on 1st April, 1967.

Tenders endorsed "Tender for Dripping Swill" should reach the Secretary, Waterford Health Authority, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, not later than 5 p.m. on Friday, 10th March, 1967.

A separate tender must be submitted in respect of each item.

The highest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

**J. A. HYNES,** Runai.

**COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE PHORTLAIRGE (WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL)**
**Notice to Persons requiring County Council Houses in Portlaw**

The Waterford County Council propose to erect houses at Portlaw.

Persons in need of rehousing and who wish to be considered for tenancies of these houses should now complete a special application form to be obtained from the undersigned.

Completed application forms, having first been certified by Mr. P. Keating, Marian Villa, Kilmacthomas, must be lodged with the undersigned not later than Friday, 10th March, 1967.

**S. G. UA DUNLAING,** Runai Chonndae. 22nd February, 1967. Housing Section, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE PHORTLAIRGE (WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL)**

The Waterford County Council propose to erect houses at Croke, Passage East.

Persons in need of rehousing and who wish to be considered for tenancies of these houses should now complete a special application form to be obtained from the undersigned.

Completed application forms, having first been certified by Mr. Michael Cullen, 2 Hotel Square, Tramore, must be lodged with the undersigned not later than Friday, 10th March, 1967.

**S. G. UA DUNLAING,** Runai Chonndae. 22nd February, 1967. Housing Section, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE PHORTLAIRGE (WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL)**

The Waterford County Council propose to erect houses at Tramore.

Persons in need of rehousing and who wish to be considered for tenancies of these houses should now complete a special application form to be obtained from the undersigned.

Completed application forms, having first been certified by Mr. P. W. Godfrey, Pond Road, Tramore, must be lodged with the undersigned not later than Friday, 10th March, 1967.

**S. G. UA DUNLAING,** Runai Chonndae. 22nd February, 1967. Housing Section, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE PHORTLAIRGE (WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL)**
**Notice to persons requiring County Council Houses in Cappoquin.**

The Waterford County Council propose to erect houses at Cappoquin.

Persons in need of rehousing and who wish to be considered for tenancies of these houses should now complete a special application form to be obtained from the undersigned.

Completed application forms, having first been certified by Mrs. M. O'Brien, Bewley, Cappoquin, must be lodged with the undersigned not later than Friday, 10th March, 1967.

**S. G. UA DUNLAING,** Runai Chonndae. 22nd February, 1967. Housing Section, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**COMHAIRLE CHONNDAE PHORTLAIRGE (WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL)**
**Notice to Persons requiring County Council Houses in Lismore.**

The Waterford County Council propose to erect houses at Lismore.

Persons in need of rehousing and who wish to be considered for tenancies of these houses should now complete a special application form to be obtained from the undersigned.

Completed application forms, having first been certified by Mrs. M. O'Brien, Bewley, Cappoquin, must be lodged with the undersigned not later than Friday, 10th March, 1967.

**S. G. UA DUNLAING,** Runai Chonndae. 22nd February, 1967. Housing Section, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

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**Notice to Persons requiring County Council Houses in Dungarvan.**

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**S. G. UA DUNLAING,** Runai Chonndae. 22nd February, 1967. Housing Section, Arus Brugha, Dungarvan, Co. Waterford.

**NOTICE TO PLANNING AUTHORITY**

**Ballyduff I,** Daniel Callaghan, intend to apply to Waterford County Council for permission to extend my dwellinghouse at Barnavalla.

**DUNGARVAN MART REPORT**

**Calves**—Hereford heifers £3 to £7; bulls £11 to £19; Friesian heifers £6 to £9; bulls £4 to £10.

**Cattle**—Beef bullocks 140/- to 154/-; store bullocks 145/- to 165/-; heifers 135/- to 147/6; in-calf Friesian heifers £85 to £100; Shorthorns £85 to £70.

## PUB CRITICISMS, ANONYMOUS LETTERS AND VERSE

### Vocational Teachers Disclaim Any Association

A letter from the Waterford Branch of the Vocational Teachers' Association read at the monthly meeting of the County Waterford Vocational Education Committee in Dungarvan last Monday stated there were no grounds for associating any of the Committee's teachers with any remarks, anonymous verse or letters as alleged to have been made and written about them by Mr. C. Curran and Mr. N. Walsh.

The letter stated that the teachers of the Branch were profoundly shocked at discussions which took place at recent meetings of the Vocational Education Committee and the County Council during which certain remarks were made by Mr. Curran and Mr. Walsh. It then went on: "We consider their remarks as most irresponsible, essentially because they are based on no evidence whatever. Mr. Curran has been told by someone that he was criticised in a pub by teachers, and Mr. Walsh stated that he received an anonymous letter from some person who said he was a teacher. There is also some equally anonymous verse published in a newspaper. We as an Organisation know nothing whatever about remarks in pubs and anonymous letters. We deplore that kind of nonsense as much as Mr. Curran and Mr. Walsh. But there are no grounds for associating any of the teachers with it, and certainly there are no grounds for the scandalous remarks which have been made by Mr. Curran and Mr. Walsh as a result.

"It is unfortunate too that these remarks have been accepted by the Vocational Education Committee largely without challenge or comment. We are confident, however, that this does not mean that Mr. Curran and Mr. Walsh were expressing the general view of their colleagues. We request you then as a Committee, in justice to the teachers to make your position absolutely clear on this point.

"We as a Branch brought this matter to the notice of our National Executive. Committees who have urged us, in view of the damage which may be done to education in Co. Waterford, to make this statement to you the Vocational Education Committee. They have assured us as well of the profound concern of the Organisation as a whole that these unfortunate remarks should have been made.

"We are charged by the parents of Co. Waterford with the education of many young people in this area. We gladly accept this charge and we attempt to carry out with prudence and charity. We must look with respect for the guidance and support of our administrators, the Vocational Education Committee. All the members of that Committee, therefore, must in turn behave with the utmost restraint and common sense which we and the community expect of them."

**SCURRILOUS**

**Mr. N. Walsh** pointed to the significant delay by the teachers and asked why they had not disassociated themselves from what he and Mr. Curran had said in the first instance.

**Mr. Curran** said the remarks were made on his character in a public house by a Vocational teacher. He knew who was involved and he would deal with them later. The remarks passed were scurrilous.

**Mr. Walsh** said that he had no intention of withdrawing what he had said and if the teachers wished they could take Mr. Curran and himself to court. "We will defend ourselves there" he said.

**Mr. Curran**—It will be a sorry day for them if they do that. They will lose their jobs overnight.

**Mr. Walsh** said that they were dealing with an undisciplined clique who had not the guts to disassociate themselves from the anonymous letter writing and remarks by writing to the Public Press.

**Mr. M. O Domhnaill** asked if there was any proof that the anonymous letter referred to by Mr. Walsh came from a Vocational teacher.

**Mr. Walsh**—It is very obvious that it did.

**Mr. Milo Galgey** then remarked: "the sending of anonymous letters is a scurrilous act. It's like stabbing a man in the back."

**Mr. T. A. Kyne, T.D.,** said that Mr. Walsh had produced the anonymous letter and had put his cards on the table. But why, he asked, has Mr. Curran not had the courage to name the teacher who he says has spoken about him. How can I honestly condemn a person when I don't even know who that person is.

**Rev. M. O'Meara, C.C.,** expressed the opinion that the teacher should be named in fairness to the other teachers who were not involved.

**VOTE OF CONFIDENCE**

**Mr. C. Griffin** thought that if the Committee passed a vote of confidence in their teachers as a body and called on them as an organisation to disassociate themselves from the anonymous letter and the remarks alleged it would clear up the matter and be fair to both sides.

**Mr. Walsh**—I would tell them to go to hell or to a better place if that was possible!

**Mr. Sean Rushe, C.E.O.,** pointed out that if a division arose in the passing of such a vote it could have serious consequences. The parents of pupils would read about it and draw their own conclusions.

**Fr. O'Meara** thought the teachers should be asked to withdraw their remarks of irresponsibility against Mr. Walsh and Mr. Curran.

Finally, with Mr. Walsh and Mr. Curran dissenting, the Committee passed the vote of confidence in the teachers but requested that the Teachers' Organisation disassociate itself from the anonymous letter and the remarks. They also rejected the charges of being irresponsible made against Mr. Walsh and Mr. Curran by the teachers in their letter.

## Cappoquin News

**Old Resident Dies**—We record with deep regret the passing of an old resident of Cappoquin in the person of Mr. Edward Brady, Tivoli Terrace, which sad event occurred at Dungarvan District Hospital, on Monday, 13th February. He had passed his ninetieth year. He was a native of Newcastle, Co. Wexford, and came to reside in Cappoquin in 1910. In his early years he served in the British Army in the Boer War and in World War I when he was with the Garrisson Artillery. He was subsequently employed by the late Sir John Keane and the Cappoquin Estate Company for over forty years.

He was father of the late Jim Brady, Captain of the Cappoquin Rowing Club who lost his life so tragically twelve months ago.

The remains were received at St. Mary's Church on Tuesday evening, February 14, by Very Rev. J. Canon Kennedy, P.P., and Rev. M. O'Meara, C.C., in the presence of a large gathering. Following Requiem Masses the interment took place in St. Declan's cemetery on Wednesday when the officiating clergy were Very Rev. Canon Kennedy, P.P., Rev. M. O'Meara, C.C., and Rev. J. Walsh, C.C., Newcastle.

He is survived by his sons Frank and Ned, Mrs. J. Lannon (daughter), Mr. J. Lannon (son-in-law), Mrs. C. Brady and Mrs. E. Brady (daughters-in-law), Michael Brady, Frank and Elma Brady, Eamonn, Maura and Patrick Lannon (grandchildren) and other relatives.

(Funeral arrangements were carried out by A. Walsh & Sons, Cappoquin).—

**Cappoquin Club Round-Up**—The ladies of CAPPOQUIN I.C.A. held their February meeting last week and the very good attendance included new members Mrs. Lawlor and Mrs. Massey, who were welcomed by the President Mrs. Olden.

Items arising from the Minutes and Correspondence were dealt with.

The guild will enter for the Jubilee Cup Competition which will take place in April and which this year will be a "Guild Talent Competition." Members were informed that for an Insurance premium of 1.6 per annum each member would be covered in connection with all I.C.A. activities during the year.

The financial report was adopted and the President welcomed Mrs. Mangan and Mrs. McCarthy of the Ballinvella Guild.

Mrs. Mangan gave a very interesting demonstration of rug-making.

The guild extended sympathy to Miss Breda Keating on the death of her mother.

Guest speaker at the March meeting will be Rev. Dr. Olden, who will describe his visit to Padre Pio and will also give an illustrated talk on southern Italy. The date will be announced later and this will be an open meeting to which the public are cordially invited.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Breen, Mrs. Cahill, Mrs. Jefferies, and Mrs. Mason, who served a delicious tea.

Mrs. Olden thanked Mrs. Mangan and Mrs. McCarthy for coming to the meeting.

The CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME team was placed third in the County Question Time at Dungarvan last week. The club will have two members the Misses Noirin and Martina McGrath on the county team to contest the Munster Final. On the same night at Dungarvan, Mr. M. Byrne, Acting C.A.O., presented a Farm Proficiency Certificate to Finbarr Power of the Cappaquin Club. This was one of the first certificates to be presented in the county and the project was for 3 acres sugar beet and the gross return from his crop was £142-16-0 per statute acre. This programme has been organised by Macra' na Feirme in co-operation with the Department of Agriculture and the County Agricultural Advisory Services.

We remind readers not to miss the presentation by the CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. DRAMA GROUP at the Desmond Cinema next Sunday night. Two one acts "Reilly's Daughter" by F. X. O'Leary, and "The Condemned Cell" by Seamus Burke, will be presented and will be supported by a first-class variety programme. Curtain is at 8.30 sharp. The show was presented at Ballyduff last Sunday night and was a big success.

Old Parish meet Geraldines and Clashmore face Ardmore at Cappoquin on Sunday next in two Winter League games. Anything may happen in those games as there is little reliable form at this time of year.

CAPPOQUIN COMHALTAS CEOLTOIRI held their Annual General Meeting last week and we are indebted to Padraig Uas O Fhinnusa for the report on their meeting which appears at the foot of this column.

Further news of the CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. CONCERT on Sunday night. We learn that the hall will be specially heated and in splendid order for the occasion and that nothing will be left undone to ensure the comfort of patrons.

**Comhaltas Ceoltoiri: Craobh Ceapach Dhuibhne**—This is one branch of Comhaltas Ceoltoiri that has kept up the good work since it was founded. Throughout the year there are regular fortnightly sessions, most of the members attend the music class each Monday night conducted by Rev. Fr. Bracken, at An Cheard-Scoil, and one of its members, Mick Lehane, has won Munster honours in Irish music. The other members have been to the fore in all functions in West Waterford and even in County Kerry. It is, therefore, hoped that when they hold their first annual social during the week before La le Padraig, that they will be well supported by all who love our native music.

Last week this craobh held their annual meeting and the following officers were elected:

Cathaoirleach (Chairman) — Padraig O Fiannusa; Leas-Chathaoirlig (Vice-Chairman) — Dick Ryan and Sean O Fionnagain; Runai (Secretary) — Mick Lehane; Cisteoir (Treasurer)—Seamus Ultsendun, better known to all as Jimmy Nugent. Two delegates were appointed to attend the forthcoming Co. Committee meeting.

## G.A.A. NOTES

# Four League Games Down For Decision On Sunday

## County Board Meet Again On Monday Night

*By Commentator*

Because of the uncertainty of the weather and the damage done to the Cappoquin and Abbeyside fields during last Sunday's games, two of next Sunday's winter league fixtures have been postponed leaving four matches down for decision.

Tallow will certainly see the best of next Sunday's programme as at this venue Tourin and Ballyduff meet in the Intermediate hurling league and Ballyssaggart and Lismore will renew championship rivalry when they cross camans in the opening match which is a junior league game.

Both these matches should be exciting enough to give a lively start to our 1967 leagues. Ballyduff fared better than did Tourin in the championship, so they will be favourites to advance in the intermediate game and should win.

With most of their best players unavailable for two months more, Lismore will not find it easy to field a team on Sunday, but they will definitely line out a side and this redounds very much to their credit. I doubt if they have any chance of winning and it will be quite a shock if they beat Ballyssaggart who are the hottest of favourites.

**AT CAPPOQUIN**

Ardmore and Clashmore will provide the entertainment at Cappoquin when they meet in the opening of the Intermediate football league. Clashmore playing their first fifteen will have the advantage and should win.

The Old Parish v. Geraldines game for the same venue stands postponed as does also the Dungarvan v. Kilrossanty football league game scheduled for Abbeyside. The other game arranged for Abbeyside the Brickeys v. Ballinacourty in the intermediate league goes on and here all things point to a close battle, but Ballinacourty with youth on their side and many regraded players to assist them, should advance.

**FIXTURES**

The Munster Council have now named some dates for their inter-county championship matches and I note that the intermediate hurling and junior games against Kerry have both been fixed for Dungarvan on April 9th.

This date unfortunately coincides with the opening of the Western Board's championships. It would now it seems that there may have to be a re-shuffle in the West.

**WESTERN BOARD MEETING**

The Western Board will meet at Ballina next week to hear the recommendations of the Parish Rule Committee in relation to the under 21 championships. The matter is on the agenda for Monday's County Board Meeting. I understand that the new proposals are to be vigorously opposed by delegates who challenge the right of the County Board who must have the final say in allowing this arrangement to operate this year.

**AUSTIN FLYNN HONOURED**

Austin Flynn, who has won practically all honours that the game has to offer, has again been named as one of the all-stars in hurling for 1966. This is the third time on which the Abbeyside man has been named as full back for the year and it is a well deserved tribute to one of our best and most dedicated hurling men.

In the under 14 race the strong running team from St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan, again won the team prize with De La Salle's J. Molloy first home.

**NEXT SUNDAY**

Next Sunday a most attractive programme has been arranged for the Friary Grounds, Dungarvan. Starting at 3 p.m. with an open under-12 race of approximately half mile it graduates to under-16 Championship over a two miles course starting at 3.30 p.m.

**CO. BOARD MEETING**

Because of the abnormal amount of correspondence and routine matters to be disposed of, only about half the business on the agenda for last Monday night's meeting of the county board, was gone through before it was decided to adjourn until next Monday.

For many of the delegates this was an uninteresting meeting with none of the business in which they were particularly interested — the draws for championship and cup competitions, and Parish Rule announcements, being dealt with. A full night can now be devoted to these matters when the meeting is resumed next week.

**TOURNAMENTS**

It was agreed, at the request of the Old I.R.A. National Monements Committee to play Kilkenny in the final of last year's Tournament. This game will be played at Walsh Park, Waterford on April 16th and the winners will receive a Waterford glass trophy—the current market value of which is estimated at £2,000.

An application by Cappoquin for the county team to play Tipperary in their tournament in Cappoquin on April 9th was granted on the understanding that the date would be changed as it clashed with Munster Council fixtures at Dungarvan.

**FIXTURES**

The final of the Sargent Cup 1966 was fixed for Cappoquin on 19th March. The teams taking part are Abbeyside and Ballyduff Portlaw. Agreement could not be reached between Kilrossanty and Mitchels on a date for the Phelan Cup final. This will be decided upon at the next meeting.

**TRANSFERS**

This was the last meeting for transfers and regradings and when they were being dealt with, there was some crossfire between delegates on the question of whether or not a player who was transferred at an Eastern Board meeting last week could now be transferred back to his original club. The application was refused as was an application from another player who was transferred at the same meeting, to have his transfer cancelled.

**UNCONSTITUTIONAL**

The practice of pressurising and even threatening players attending U.C.C. into playing with teams from their College, which was the subject of a heated discussion at last year's Cork county convention, was described by Nicolas Mac Craith at Monday night's meeting as being unconstitutional and he said the matter should be looked into by Central Council. The meeting was discussing a proposal by a club delegate that an application by U.C.C. for the transfer of a player from the club should be refused. All the delegates who spoke agreed that this practice was unconstitutional and illegal as far as the rules of the association were concerned and the Central Council delegate, Charlie Ware was instructed to have the matter discussed at Central Council.

**TEAM TRAINER**

When the adjournment of the meeting had been agreed, Billy Jones, Gaul Oge, said that the matter of a trainer for the county team should have been decided upon at this meeting, and then proposed Mr. Hennessey (Ballygunner) who had all the qualifications needed for such a task. Frank King (Ballygunner) seconded the proposal.

The Chairman, S. O Maoldomhnaigh, said the meeting was adjourned and that matter would be discussed on Monday next.

B. Jones insisted on his proposal being accepted and both Ballygunner delegates gave him vocal support.

At this stage Tom Cunningham, Munster Council asked that the proposition be allowed to stand as he intended to propose an amendment which if accepted would give the senior hurling selection Committee the right to name the trainer for the year.

The Chairman then said that the meeting was closed and the meeting was a closed and that this matter would be decided next week.

**OBJECTION WITHDRAWN**

Newtown who objected to Geraldines being awarded last year's junior football County final informed the Board that they would not proceed with the objection and the Chairman then announced that the result of the County final would stand.

**DELEGATES TO CONGRESS**

The following 14 delegates were appointed to go to Congress. The seven officers of the Board with 2 Munster Council delegates, Pat Fanning, Sean Murphy, Billy Jones, John Fraher and John McKenna.

Nicolas Mac Craith said that we should ensure that the full delegation attend since Pat Fanning was a candidate for the Presidency at this juncture great importance to the Association that a man of Mr. Fanning's qualities was elected to the Presidency at this juncture in the history of the Association.

**DUNGARVAN LOURDES INVALID SOCIETY**—

The above Society will take up a collection in the Parishes of Dungarvan and Abbeyside, commencing on or around March 10th. Please subscribe generously to this worthy cause in order that as many invalids as possible may be sent to Lourdes.

## Another Cross-Country Win For Dungarvan College Team

As expected Dan Cowman, Dunhill, easily won the Youths Cross-Country Championship at Lismore last Sunday, but Butlerstown sprang a major surprise when they took the team prize.

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**STRAYED**—From Abbeyside, 2-year-old Friesian Heifer. Information to Ned Flynn, c/o R. Walsh, New Line, Abbeyside, Dungarvan.

**WANTED**—Man to prepare garden for spring planting; Abbeyside. Apply Box No. MN2 "Leader" Office.

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**A PERMANENT** and responsible position vacant at Janesboro Drying Station, Tallow, for someone prepared to take responsibility; used to machinery; shift work during summer months. Apply in writing to—Manager, Provident Crop Driers, Tourin, Cappoquin.

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**FOR SERVICE**—Department Landrace Young Boar. Apply Dan Fennessy, Ballysaggart, Lismore.

### IN MEMORIAM

**CURRAN** — Eighth Anniversary—In loving memory of our dear mother and my wife, Nance Curran, late of Shandon Street, Dungarvan, who died on 24th February, 1959. On her soul Sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

You suffered with courage, we knew not your pain,
You fought hard to get well
but all in vain,
Tired and weary, you made no
fuss,
Never will you be forgotten
by us.

(Inserted by her ever loving husband, sons and daughters).

**EGAN** — Third Anniversary—In loving memory of our dear father John (Jack) Egan, Liverpool (late of Dungarvan) who died 26th February, 1964.

R.I.P. On his soul Sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

Within a home where all was bright,
God took from there a shining light.
We miss that light and always will,
For his place no one can fill.
Time will never heal our grief,
Our love for him was far too
deep,
Memories of him we will always treasure,
Of happy days we spent together.
Will those who think of him
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Inserted by his loving son John, daughters Mary McGivern, Josephine Salmon, sons-in-law Ted McGivern and Robert Salmon, daughter-in-law Madge Egan, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Liverpool).

**EGAN** — Third Anniversary—In loving memory of our dear brother John (Jack) Egan, Liverpool (late of Dungarvan) who died 26th February, 1964. Mother of Good Counsel pray for him. Masses offered.

A pleasant smile, a heart of
gold,
No better brother this world
could hold.
You closed your eyes without
goodbye,
But the memory of you will
never die.

(Inserted by his loving sisters Kattie and Mollie, Dungarvan).

**FLYNN**—Third Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear aunt, Baba, Lower Main Street, Cappoquin, who died February, 1964.

A life made beautiful by
kindly deeds,
A helping hand for others
needs.
To a beautiful life came a
happy end,
She died as she lived, every-
ones friend.

(Sadly missed by Kay, Richard and the children).

**FLYNN**—Second Anniversary—In sad and loving memory of Patrick (Paddy) Flynn, late of Cappagh, who died on February 21st, 1965. On his soul Sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

Will those who think of him
today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.

(Always remembered by his loving father and mother, brothers and sisters).

**TORIN**—Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on the souls of our dearly loved parents, Nora, died 27th February, 1964, John J. died 20th October, 1957, and late of Cloneety Terrace, Dungarvan. R.I.P. Masses offered.

(Sadly missed by their loving family).

### ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

**FLYNN**—The sons, daughters, grandchildren and relatives of the late Catherine Flynn, Kilcooney, Ballinamult, desire to return very sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; to those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy; those who attended the removal of remains, Office and High Mass and interment. A special word of thanks to the Parochial and visiting Clergy, and to the kind neighbours and friends who helped in any way. Trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

As a token of appreciation the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for their intentions.

**KEATING** — The husband, daughters and other relatives of the late Mrs. Catherine Keating, Green Street, Cappoquin, wish to return their sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; to all who sent Mass cards, letters, telegrams and messages of sympathy and who attended the funeral. Also the Medical and Nursing Staff Dungarvan District Hospital. They trust this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

**WALSH**—The sons, daughters and relatives of the late Augustine (Gus) Walsh, Cook Street, Cappoquin, desire to return very sincere thanks to all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement to those who sent Mass cards, telegrams and letters of sympathy; those who attended the removal of remains, Masses and funeral; also those who sent wreaths and floral tributes. A special word of thanks to the Parochial Clergy, to Dr. Winifred A. White, Cappoquin, and to the kind neighbours and friends who helped in any way. Trusting this will be accepted by all in grateful acknowledgment.

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Our 'Phone No.—Dungarvan 55

## *Dungarvan Leader*

SATURDAY, FEB. 25, 1967

## News of the Town & Round About

**DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C.—SOCIAL**—

Dungarvan United A.F.C. will hold their First Annual Social at the Devonshire Arms Hotel, Dungarvan, on Wednesday, April 5th, at 8 p.m. Admission £1. Tickets which are limited are available from any member of the Committee. (—)

**TENANTS TO OPPOSE RENT REVISIONS**—

At a largely attended meeting of Lisduna Council Tenants of Dungarvan and Abbeyside, held at the Town Hall, Dungarvan, on Saturday, 18th February, it was decided to form a Tenants' Association. It was also decided that the Association would be non-political and non-sectarian and would not affiliate itself to any political party.

It was further unanimously decided that the Tenants would oppose the proposed Rents Scheme put forward by the County Manager to cover all houses in the Urban area.

Officers elected were—Chairman, Mr. T. Wade; Vice-Chairman, Mr. D. O'Connor; Secretary, Mr. Michael O'Riordan; Treasurer, Mr. P. O'Regan.

The following Committee was elected to represent the various Housing Schemes throughout the Urban area—Messrs. P. Byrne, P. Noonan, J. McCarthy, T. Butler, J. McGowan, L. Kelly, M. Byrne.

**GARDA PENSIONERS ORGANISE**—

At a well attended meeting held in the Ormonde Hotel, Dungarvan, on Saturday night, February 18th, it was decided to form a local Branch of the Garda Pensioners Association and the following Officers were elected: Chairman — Mr. E. O'Brien, Abbeyside; Vice-Chairman—Mr. J. Liddane, Park Terrace, Dungarvan; Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. P. J. Kelleher, Church Street, Dungarvan.

The meeting decided to give the fullest possible support to the National Executive of the Association in their fight for justice for the Garda Widows and for the lower paid pensioners, having regard to the present high cost of living in the country.

A resolution of sympathy was passed to the relatives of the late William Hogan, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, and the late Peadar Murphy, Town Parks, Lismore, and a vote of thanks was paid to the Chairman, Mr. E. O'Brien for his generosity in providing the room etc. for the meeting.

**DIED IN CANADA**—

Sincere regret was occasioned by news of the recent death in Toronto, of Mr. John Joe Curran, formerly of 41, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan. The late Mr. Curran, who was in his early fifties was home within the past couple of years. He is survived by his widow and daughter, step-brother Mr. Michael Power, Ballinamintra, and stepsisters Sister M. Imelda, Glencairn Abbey, and Mrs. C. Vanketeil, Limerick, to whom deepest sympathy is extended.

**FOR FEILE NA RINNE**—

The following dramas have been nominated to Feile Na Mumhan which will be held with Feile Dramaioleha na Rinne (March 30-April 2) from the Cork Drama Festival: "Tig Na nBocht" (Aisteoiri na Carraige); "Bas Roinn Maidin" (Sceim na gCeard Cumann); "Corp Eoin Ui Shuilleabhain" (Cuallacht na h-Oiliscoile).

**FORMER BANKER'S DEATH**—

Mr. Gerry Gilligan whose death occurred recently in Dublin, was attached to the staff of the M. & L. Bank here for many years. He was a leading member of the Golf Club during his stay in Dungarvan. His death has been the cause of widespread regret.

**MIRACULOUS ESCAPE**—

Miss Maureen Allridge, Murphy Place, Abbeyside, had a miraculous escape when her car went out of control and was completely wrecked when it wrapped itself round an E.S.B. pole near "Stella Maris," Youghal Road, last Monday evening. Miss Allridge, who is extremely well-known in the hackney business was thrown clear when the crash occurred. She was later treated for shock and minor injuries to her head and feet.

**DUNGARVAN AND DISTRICT TROUT ANGLERS ASSOCIATION**—

A meeting of the above will be held in the C.Y.M.S. Rooms, Dungarvan, on this Saturday night, February 25th, at 8.30 p.m. All members are requested to attend. (—)

**ON T.V.**—

Councillor Paddy Whelan, popular Manager of Dungarvan's RTV Centre made an excellent case for the removal of "the sign" at Tar's Bridge when he appeared on the "Newsbeat" programme from Telefis Eireann on Tuesday night.

**LABOUR PARTY**—

A general meeting of the Dungarvan Branch Labour Party will be held at the Courthouse on Friday, March 3 at 8.30 p.m. Members and intending members are requested to attend. Mr. T. A. Fyne, T.D., will address the meeting. (—)

**KILGOBINET, COLLIGAN AND KILBRIEN 45 DRIVE**—

The finals of the above will definitely take place on Sunday night next February 26th, at Coolnasmear Hall. (—)

**QUIZ EXPERTS**—

Good luck to the St. Augustine's College Quiz Team who travel to Dun Laoire for the All-Ireland semi-final of the Junior Chamber of Commerce National G.T. Contest tomorrow (Friday) night. Team members are Cyril Lynch, Philip O'Brien, Michael Hickey and Kevin Collins.

## DUNGARVAN COURT CASES

Dungarvan District Court was held before Mr. L. B. Skinner, D.J., on Wednesday.

**COLLISION SEQUEL**—There was a sequel to a collision at Garryduff Cross on September 26 last when the drivers of the cars concerned, **John Kiely**, Lanagarran, Cappagh, and **Mrs. Margaret O'Farrell**, same address, were both charged with dangerous driving on the occasion.

Mr. A. R. Farrell, solr., was for Kiely, Mr. E. P. King, solr., for Mrs. O'Farrell, and Superintendent M. English, prosecuted.

Thomas Condon said that he was a passenger in the front seat of Mrs. O'Farrell's car on the occasion. They were on a funeral and left it to short cut to Tourancena. At Garryduff Cross they were doing about 30. He just saw the green light and then there was a crash. The other car came at a reckless speed from the Sleady direction.

John McCarthy said he was a passenger in the back seat of Mrs. O'Farrell's car. "All he saw was a flash of light" as if from heaven" and then they were struck.

Garda Flanagan in evidence said that the road was 20 feet 9 inches wide at the scene of the collision. The point of impact was 6 feet from the right and 8 feet from the left facing Tourancena and 93 feet from the apex of the Cross. Both cars were heavily damaged on the right front side of each.

John Kiely said he was driving into town on the occasion. It was about 8.20 p.m. He was travelling at about 25 and changed to second as he came to the Cross. He switched off his headlamps as he saw the lights of another car about 200-300 yards below the junction. He wanted to judge where the other car was. He then switched his lights back on to dim as he entered the junction. He thought he had plenty time to cross. He took it wide and had turned towards Dungarvan and was as near the fence on his own side as he could go when the crash occurred. He saw the other car come round the bend at its wrong side and came towards him at a fairly fast speed. There was a very severe impact which sent Mrs. O'Farrell's car spinning across the road. He was driven into the back seat of his own car and received severe injuries to his head and hand.

Margaret O'Farrell, the driver of the other car said that she was driving at about 30 on her own side as she approached Garryduff Cross. She saw no lights or anything. The next thing there was a flush and then a crash and she was rendered unconscious.

Edward O'Farrell, husband of the previous witness said that he was in the back of his wife's car. At the Cross all he saw was a flash followed by a bang. He shouted: "Jesus, Mary and Joseph, we're all killed."

Mr. King said that as the Guard's evidence as to the damage to Mrs. O'Farrell's car was in direct conflict with the Insurance Assessor who had examined it he would have to ask for an adjournment to have the Assessor's evidence.

The Justice agreed to adjourn the case against Mrs. O'Farrell as requested and he dismissed the charge against Kiely.

**DANGEROUS DRIVING** — A fine of £2 with £1 expenses was imposed on **Michael Moloney**, Ballymacmague, Dungarvan, who was convicted of dangerous driving at O'Connell Street at 7.45 p.m. on Saturday January 21. The Justice ordered the conviction to be endorsed on defendant's licence.


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## News From Lismore & District

**Whist Results**—Mr. M. Lineen, Ballyin, with a score of 135 was the overall winner of the weekly whist drive held in St. Carthage's Hall on Tuesday night last. Mrs. M. Whelan, Parks Road was 2nd with 134, while Mr. Mt. McGrath, Castle View, was 3rd, with 144. There was a tie for the miniature prize between Mrs. Guye, West St., and Mrs. H. Feeney, Chapel St., with a score of 40.

**Congratulations**—Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Cummins, West Street, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Madden, Main Street, on recent happy events. Also to Mr. and Mrs. P. Lawton, Town Parks.

**Land Acquisition — Deputy Treacy's Question** — Mr. Sean Treacy, T.D., asked the Minister for Lands in the Dail recently if the Minister would expedite the acquisition of mountain commonages known as the Scilm at Ballysaggart, Lismore, and if on the proposed allotment he would have regard to the wishes of the Ballysaggart G.A.A. Club that they be granted facilities for a much needed playing pitch.

The Minister in reply stated: "The Land Commission have no proceedings in the acquisition of this property but the matter is on record for enquiry. The needs of the Ballysaggart G.A.A. Club will be fully considered by the Land Commission in the event of the lands becoming available to them."

**Golf Notes—Ladies Branch**—The lady members of the Lismore Golf Club held their Annual General Meeting in the Lismore Hotel, on Monday night last, February 20th. Mrs. Col. O'Brien, Ballinadee, outgoing Captain, presided. The following officers and committee were elected for the 1967 season: President—Mrs. Mitchell, Fortwilliam; Vice-President, Mrs. Col. O'Brien; Capt.—Mrs. W. Horgan, Lismore; Vice-Capt.—Mrs. D. McCarthy, South Mall; Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. G. O'Connor, Cappoquin; Hon. Secretary—Miss M. Willoughby, Chapel Street; Assistant Secretary—Miss G. McGrath, Castle View; Press Officer—Mrs. T. Hegarty, Main Street.

Committee—Mrs. A. O'Donovan, Ballyduff, Mrs. J. Murphy, Lismore, Mrs. V. Curran, Cappoquin, Miss M. Mounsey, Lismore.

A detailed balance sheet and Secretary's report, were presented to the members. These reports show that the ladies had a most successful season in 1966. We look forward to a happy and progressive one for 1967.

**Athletic Notes**—On Sunday last the local club held three races over the Castle Farm Course. In the under 14 race, Youghal and St. Augustine's, tied for the team prize. The Youth's County Championship, run over a distance of three miles, was won by D. Cowman of Dunhill. The Lismore placings in this race were—Sean O'Sullivan, 2nd; Ritchie Ormonde, 10th; B. Foley, 11th; E. Brackett, 12th, and B. Ormonde, 14th. The Senior Handicap was won by P. Roche of Waterford, who narrowly defeated M. Barry of the local club. This was a great performance by Barry. Competitors from practically every club in the county were present, also from Youghal and Clonmel.

**Late Mrs. J. Scanlon** — It is with deep regret that we record the death of Mrs. J. Scanlon, Chapel Street, which occurred in the District Hospital, on Thursday of last week. Deceased, nee Wilkinson of Kilfarna had reached the nineties, and had spent the greater of her life in and around Lismore.

The remains were removed to St. Carthage's Church on Thursday evening where they were received and blessed by Very Rev. M. Canon Guiry, P.P., V.F. The burial took place in the local cemetery on Saturday.

To her daughter, relatives and friends, we tender our deepest sympathy.

**Late Mr. John Madden**—The death has occurred in Butlevant, Co. Cork, of Mr. John Madden, a member of an old and respected Lismore family. Deceased, who was in his late sixties, was a member of the farming community in that area for many years, having left Lismore at an early age.

The remains were removed on Monday evening to Churchtown Church, where they were received and blessed by Rev. W. Madden, C.C., Fermoy, and Very Rev. Dr. Toomey, D.D., P.P., Churchtown.

The burial took place in the new cemetery, Butlevant, after Requiem Mass on Tuesday morning.

Chief mourners — Mrs. B. Madden (widow); Rev. W. Madden, C.C., Fermoy (son); St. St. Michael, California, and Miss Clara Madden (daughters); Rev. W. Madden, Middleborough, Mt. Madden, Lismore, nephews; Mrs. D. McCarthy, South Mall, Lismore (niece).

**Death Of Mrs. N. Coleman** — We wish to record the death of Mrs. Nora Coleman, Main Street, Lismore, which took place recently in a Dublin Hospital last week-end. Deceased was relict of John Coleman, Main Street, and had been ill for some time, but her passing came as a shock to her family and friends.

The remains were removed to St. Carthage's Church on Sunday evening at 6 p.m. and the burial took place the following day after Requiem High Mass.

Chief mourners—Rev. Fr. Michael Coleman, Hitachi, Japan, and Andrew, Dublin, (sons).

To her family, relatives and friends we tender our deepest sympathy.

**Legion Of Mary Concert**—We note that the annual Legion of Mary Concert for the Lismore Boys Group has been fixed for Sunday, March 5th. As usual a most talented group of artists will appear on the programme.

**Pools Win**—Continued success in the Pools to Mrs. Russell, New Street, who last week "collected" a tidy sum.

## *Obituaries*

### Miss M. Horgan

The death took place following a long illness at St. Josephs Hospital, Dungarvan, on Monday February 20th of Miss Maisie Horgan, Ballintaylor and Cappoquin.

Deceased who had reached an advanced age was a lady endowed with many wonderful characteristics and had a charming personality which won for her a host of friends during her lifetime.

Sincere sympathy is extended to her sorrowing relatives.

Large cortegeus were present when her remains were removed to Ballinameela Church on Tuesday evening and at the burial in the adjoining cemetery on Wednesday, following requiem Masses.

Very Rev. D. Quinlan P.P., Rev. J. F. Morrissey C.C., and Rev. W. Carey C.C., officiated.

(Funeral arrangements were carried out by James Kiely & Sons, Undertakers, Dungarvan). (—)

### Late Thomas F. (Tom) Downey, Woodhouse, Ballinamult

The following names were inadvertently omitted from the list of chief mourners in the obituary published in last week's issue. Mrs. Brigid Downey and Nora (nieces), Carrigaun; Fr. R. Downey, S.D.B., California; Sean, Laurence and Tom Downey, Boston (nephews); Downey family, Dyrick, Hickey family, Beary's Cross (nephews and nieces).


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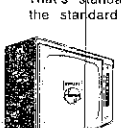

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E.W.—1st, Mrs. P. Barron and Mrs. T. McHugh; 2nd, Mrs. L. Comerford and Mrs. T. Fleming.

## CONDITIONS UNFAVOURABLE FOR LEAGUE FINAL

### Pike And Ballinacourty Finished Level

**The Pike** ..... 1—0.
**Ballinacourty** ..... 0—3

Heavy underfoot conditions and a high wind made conditions very unfavourable for this Winter Football League final in which the Pike and Ballinacourty finished level (1—9 to 0-3) at Abbeyside Sportsfield on Sunday last in a game which was completely void of good football and which gave little value to the spectators who turned up at the venue for the game.

Favourites the Pike were at the receiving end in the first half when Ballinacourty had the only score in the 30 minutes, a point from a free per Michael Power in the 9th minute and were two points down after one minute in the second half when Michael Power again pointed for Ballinacourty from a free. The score which saved the day for the Pike came in the 4th minute of this second moiety when a shot from a free per Tony McCarthy was deflected to the Ballinacourty net by a Ballinacourty defender.

The Pike pressed for the advantage after this but failed to crack open the Ballinacourty defence and in the 11th minute Michael Power made it all square for Ballinacourty with another point from a free.

A dour struggle ensued from that point to the finish with neither side gaining the initiative.

The Pike were well served by Jim Hayes, John Hayes, Ollie Curran and John Murray in defence. Tony McCarthy was good at midfield, while in attack John Landers, Joe Power and Anthony Hayes all played well.

Mikie Hogan, Denis Flynn and Joe Flynn had good games for Ballinacourty in defence. Larry Cliffe impressed at midfield, while in attack Michael Power, Kevin Fleming and John Dwyer all showed well.

Referee — B. McGrath, (Dungarvan).

### Geraldines G.A.A. Clubs Elect Officers For 1967

At the Annual General Meeting of Geraldines G.A.A. Clubs, the following officers were elected for 1967:—President—Rev. J. F. Morrissey, C.C.; Chairman—Tom O'Connell; Vice-Chairman—Jim Hallahan; Hon. Treasurer—Mick Keating; Hon. Secretary—P. Kenneally; Assistant do.—Jim Davis. Committee Messrs. C. Browne, T. Osborne, R. Hayes, T. Cotter, J. Ronayne, C. Coughlan, P. Ronayne, M. Reynolds. Captains—S.F.—Jim Mernin; Vice-Capt.—Mick Toblin; J.F.—B. Mernin; Vice-Capt.—J. Bailey; I.H.—J. O'Grady; Vice-Capt.—J. J. Landers. Selection Committee—M. Murphy, P. Kenneally, T. Connell, J. Hallahan, M. Keating.

## LABOUR MEETING IN RING

"The most important task ahead for the Labour Party is to bring its policy up-to-date in all aspects of national importance," said Tomas Celleachair, Secretary, in his report to the annual general meeting of the Ring branch of the Labour Party, held on Saturday night last. "When this is done," continued Mr. Celleachair, "and all the details for a classless, socialist society presented to the people, it will be only a matter of time before we have a Labour Government in Ireland." Mr. Celleachair concluded by asking all party members to work harder and harder to bring about social justice in this country.

Mr. T. A. Kyne, T.D., in his address to the meeting, deplored the fact that the Ring and Old Parish Gaeltacht was being treated unfairly by the Gaeltacht Department. "It is nothing short of hypocracy," said Mr. Kyne, "for Government spokesmen to talk about the revival of the Irish language, while one of the most faithful of Irish language areas like Ring was left to die, right before their very eyes." Continuing, Mr. Kyne went on to point out that Ring and Old Parish has contributed more to the Irish language and to Irish literature and culture than any other area of its size in the country. "Nothing has been offered to this Gaeltacht in return," concluded Mr. Kyne, "only the one way ticket to England or America."

**Officers for 1967** — Cathaoirleach: Padraig O Drochain; Leas do.: Seamus O Lonain; Runai: Tomas Celleachair; Coiste: Tomas Breathnach, Proinsias O Floinn, Padraig O Culdithe, Sean Coistin, Padraig O Domhnaill, Donnchadh O Maonaigh, Tomas O Currain agus Micheal Breathnach.

Mr. Tomas Celleachair was nominated by the branch to contest the coming County Council election.

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## *Obituaries*

### Mr. Thomas Condon

Sincere sympathy was occasioned at news of the death of Mr. Thomas Condon, Barraunstook, Old Parish, whose death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan, on Wednesday, 15th February, after a long illness and at an advanced age.

He was very popular in the locality where his many estimable qualities won for him a large circle of friends. Sincere sympathy is extended to his relatives on his passing.

His remains were removed to Old Parish Church, on Thursday evening and burial took place in the adjoining cemetery on Friday, following Requiem Masses for the repose of his soul.

Very Rev. P. Flavin, P.P., and Rev. M. Kennedy, C.C., officiated. Large corteges were present on both occasions.

(Funeral arrangements were carried out by James Kiely & Sons, Undertakers, Dungarvan).

### Miss Kathleen Raher

We deeply regret to record the death of Miss Kathleen Raher, late of Clonea, Dungarvan, which occurred at her residence on Thursday, February 16th.

Deceased was daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Raher, well known members of the farming community, and her death is deeply and deservedly regretted in the area where she won the esteem and respect of all who made her acquaintance.

Her remains were removed to St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan, and burial took place in the adjoining family burial plot on Friday following Requiem Mass for the repose of her soul celebrated by Rev. M. Walsh, C.C., Abbeyside.

Rev. J. Murphy, C.C., Dungarvan, and Rev. M. Walsh, C.C., Abbeyside, officiated at the obsequies.

(Funeral arrangements were carried out by James Kiely & Sons, Undertakers, Dungarvan).

### Mr. John Wyse

Mr. John Wyse, Thomas Terrace, Dungarvan, whose death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan, on Thursday night, February 16th, after a protracted illness and at an advanced age, was a well known personality in the town and district.

Member of a very old Dungarvan family, he travelled much in the course of his business as a vendor, and was to be seen at most sporting fixtures in the locality.

He possessed a jovial disposition and gentle manner, and had many friends, all of whom deeply regret his death.

Sincere regret is tendered to his sorrowing sister, Miss Mary Margaret Wyse, Thomas Terrace, and his nephews and nieces at his passing.

Large corteges were present at the removal of his remains to St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan, on Friday evening and at the burial which took place in Kilrush cemetery on Saturday.

Rev. J. Murphy, C.C., officiated.

(Funeral arrangements were carried out by James Kiely & Sons, Undertakers, Dungarvan).

### Mrs. Nan Flynn

Profound regret was occasioned in the Dungarvan district at news of the death of Mrs. Nan Flynn, Wolfe Tone Road, which occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan, on Saturday, February 18th.

Deceased lady who had reached an advanced age, had been in failing health for some time. She was wife of Mr. Jack Flynn, well known and popular local victualler and cattle dealer, and had been attached to the business life of the town from an early age.

She was a native of Scart, Kilbrien, and was member of a highly esteemed family, and had countless friends, all of whom deeply regret her death.

Sincere sympathy is extended to her sorrowing husband, nephew, nieces and relatives, on their sad bereavement.

Her remains were removed to Kilbrien Church on Saturday evening, accompanied by a large cortege, and following Requiem Masses on Monday morning, the funeral took place to Knockbow cemetery where interment took place in the presence of another large concourse.

Very Rev. D. McGrath, P.P., and Rev. Fr. Cooney, C.C., officiated.

(Funeral arrangements were carried out by James Kiely & Sons, Undertakers, Dungarvan).

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## BALLYDUFF NOTES

**Araglen I.C.A.** — The above guild held their monthly meeting on Tuesday, February 14. Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. McGrath, and Miss Kathleen Barry, who attended gave a demonstration on patch-work and embroidery.

The Secretary, Mary Shanahan, apologised for her absence from the previous meeting. She thanked the members for the wonderful work done by them for the children's and old folks Christmas party. She also informed the guild that Miss K. McGrath would conduct a needle-work class at Ballyduff N.S. one night a week until Easter.

Tea was served by the three hostesses appointed at the previous meeting followed by a social half-hour.

The night's competition was won by Miss Lena Barry.

A vote of thanks was proposed by Mrs. Flynn to the three ladies that attended and this was seconded by Mrs. Lynch.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 14th.

## MOUNT MELLERAY NOTES

**Curiae** Old Parish is the venue for this month's Curiae meeting of the West Waterford branch of the Legion of Mary. This will be held on Thursday next and as usual local branches will be represented.

**New Joinery Business** Congratulations to local tradesman John Murphy, who last week announced the opening of a Joinery Workshop at Scrahans. Here Joinery, prefabricated dwellings, etc., will be carried out to order, and we would like to take this opportunity of wishing John every success in the new venture.

**Basketball**—St. Mary's V will be in action again on this Friday night when they take on St Otteran's (Waterford) in a tournament game at 8 p.m. This is again a "home" game so St. Mary's must be favourites to take the points.

## IN CAPPOQUIN TONIGHT

(After the failure of the '48 Rebellion, Doheney and Stephens, toured Waterford in an attempt to rekindle the old fire. Michael Cavanagh of Cappoquin, poet, author, and later to be associated with Fr. Henebry, of Ring in America was the link-man. Cappoquin had struck in '48 after the failure in Ballingarry.

In '67 they again threw a futile but spirited banner to the breeze and joined the Fenian Rising).

The light has gone and the night comes on
With its blessed darkening pall,
And strong mountain men have come forth again
As the wind driven rain drops fall.
Though outlawed and banned they have watched and planned
And now with supressed delight,
They will soon descend and an era end
In Cappoquin tonight.

It was '48 when the last long wait
Burst forth like a cannons blast,
When Young Ireland then rebelled in vain
And the fateful die was cast,
But with leaders jailed and a cause that failed
They've forgotten the anguish plight,
And vow to atone at the Cornerstone
In Cappoquin tonight

Near Crowhill and Lyre they are holding fire
As the blackening night comes on,
And at Knockmealdown they are moving down
To join forces with Moonamen,
In Lismore, Tourin and Kilderthen
All the lowland folk will fight,
And from staunch Knockboy men will strive and die
In Cappoquin tonight.

But brave men and true have but weapons few
And watch for a pledged supply,
Which would never come to avert the doom
That awaits for them bye and byd.
But there's no retreat and a shock defeat
Will darken the hopes now bright,
They'll be tragic flaws and a broken cause
In Cappoquin tonight.

They are gathering still near that wind swept hill
And there's moves in the vale below,
And the flashing storms show those eerie forms
From one hundred years ago,
From each felons grave come those spirits brave
Who will fade with the dawning light,
From Van Diemans land they will make a stand
In Cappoquin tonight.

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## Tallow and Round About Notes

**Recent Pool Winners** — Congratulations to the following on their recent wins in the Pools—Mrs. O'Keefe, Glencairn, Mrs. M. Morrisson, New Line, Tallow; Miss A. Geary, Moscenta, Tallow; Patrick McGrath, Shanbally, Tallow; Mrs. E. Lynch, West Street was promoter in all cases.

**Big Prices At Cork Bull Sale** Mr. William O'Donoghue, Glencairn, Ballydim, sold a twelve-months old Hereford bull at Cork Bull Sales last week for 136 gns. His brother Mr. James O'Donoghue, Silvecloctor, Ballynoe, sold a ten-months old Hereford bull for 110 gns.

**The Late Miss N. Scanlon**—The death took place at St. Patrick's Hospital, Waterford on February 15th of Miss Nora Scanlon, formerly of Cooiydoody, Ballydim. Deceased was member of a highly esteemed family, and is survived by two brothers and a sister to whom sympathy is extended. The remains were removed to the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tallow, on Thursday evening February 16th accompanied by a large cortege. Requiem Mass was celebrated on Friday morning for the repose of her soul and the interment took place at 2 p.m. on the same day in the adjoining cemetery. Very Rev. H. O'Brien P.P., Tallow and Rev. W. Condon C.C., Tallow, officiated.

(Funeral arrangements were carried out by O'Brien Bros., Undertakers, Tallow).

**Left To Reside In England**—Mrs. T. Sheehan, Barrack St., Tallow, accompanied by her daughter left Tallow for England last weekend where she will take up residence with her husband Mr. Thomas Sheehan and other members of the family who have been domiciled across channel for some years. A most popular resident, we wish her the best of luck.

**Garda Transferred** — Garda Maurice Landers, who has been stationed in Tallow for the past few years has been notified of his transfer to Co. Kilkenny. A most courteous and efficient police officer, since his advent to the Brideside town he made many friends who greatly regret his departure from amongst them, and all join in wishing him and his wife and young family the very best of luck and happiness in their new station.

**Stations**—The Lenten Stations are let present in progress in all Parishes in the area.

**Chapel Woman's Collection**—The yearly collection for the chapel-woman at the Church of the Holy Cross, Kilwatermoy, will be taken on Sunday next, February 26th. In recent years this collection has been very small and considering the time spent by the chapel woman in cleaning and looking after the church, is in our opinion very poor recompense for her labour, therefore it behoves those who are well blessed with the world's goods in the parish to subscribe as generously as possible to the collection, as everyone knows or should know by now the day of the couple of shillings is a thing of the past. So dig a little deeper into your pockets on Sunday.

**Killeagh May Sunday Festival Club**—The Killeagh May Sunday Festival Dramatic Group held their annual concert and play in the Parochial Hall recently. Those who contributed to the variety programme were Mr. E. Long and his daughter Marie, playing accordeon and violin duet, Miss J. Barry (Irish songs) on harp accompaniment, Mr. P. Kiersey (songs), Mr. J. Foley songs), Mr. B. McCarthy, (duo), and J. O'Mahony, (do.).

The Kenby Troupe of Dancers, the Blackwater Ballad Group, and the members of the Dungarvan Branch of Combat, as Dogbert Elephan, also contributed to the evening's entertainment.

Mr. A. J. Stanley's "Troubled Bachelors," was produced by Mr. J. J. Cotter, the cast of which was—Carmel Barry, Brenda O'Mahony, Joan Burkeley, Mary Coleman, W. Canty, W. Foley, R. Fitzgerald, M. Lee, T. Barry, J. O'Mahony, K. Barry, P. Foley, acted as M.C.

The group will visit the following halls during the Lenten season — Youghal, Glenville, Inch, Ladysbridge and Shanagarry.

**Kilwatermoy Drama Group At Dungourney**—The Kilwatermoy Dramatic Society travelled to Dungourney Hall on Sunday night where they staged two 1-act comedies to a fairly large and appreciative audience. This very versatile group travel to Piltown, Co. Waterford, on next Sunday night, and we can assure our readers there that they are in for a treat of laughter and song.

**Foot Beagle Clubs Joint Meet**—The annual joint meet of Riverstown, Co. Cork, and Tallow foot beagle clubs was held at Tallow on Sunday last. A large number from both clubs attended and a very enjoyable day's hunting was had by all present. At the conclusion of the day's hunting the visiting clubs were entertained by the Tallow club at the hotel and a very enjoyable social evening followed.

**Road Works In East Cork**—Wonderful progress has been made in the widening of the Kilteagh road between Kilteagh and Castlemartyr. All dangerous bends have been removed, and all quarries have been filled. Mr. O'Regan, A.C.E., is in charge of the work, and Mr. P. McCarthy, and Mr. J. Gleeson are foremen.

**Boxing** At Ballyhooly Boxing Tournament recently, J. Curtin and Vincent O'Rourke, from Clonmult Boxing Club won their bouts.

**Hurling Game Postponed**—Owing to inclement weather conditions the medal tournament final which was billed for Knockanore on Sunday between Tallow and Ardmore was postponed.

**Tallow G.A.A. Clubs Church Gate Collection On Sunday**—Tallow G.A.A. Clubs will hold their church gate collection before both Masses on Sunday next, February 26th. The cost of replacement of hurleys etc. at the present time bear heavily on the resources of the club. Therefore we would appeal to all to subscribe to the collection as generously as possible on Sunday. A meeting of the Club will be held on this Saturday night and all members are requested to attend.

**Glendine Non-Stop Draw**—**Result 12th Week**—£5 Mr. Tom Perkins, Clerihan, Clonmel, p. Mrs. Patrick Maher, Barna, Clonmel; £2—Mrs. Cahill, Parnell Street, Clonmel, p. Mr. Augustine Nugent, Parnell St., Clonmel; each — Miss M. Studdy, Killeagh, p. Mrs. Patrick Aherne, Killeagh, Co. Cork; Mr. Declan Hennessey, Youghal, p. Mr. Michael Hennessey, Youghal.

Promoter's Prize £1 Mr. Patrick Maher, Barna, Clonmel.

**Local Tit-Bits**—Jo—n seems very interested in banking circles of late.

The C——y visits tell their own tale.

The happy hunting ground of T——s from I——h these days is You——! and the quarry is a fair colleen.

If J——s did not find everything to his satisfaction on Sunday night he had the consolation of knowing that he had many comrades.

The F——y colleen seemed enraptured with Sea——s at the play in the village on Sunday night.

**Things We Heard** - That there seems to be quite a few bye roads between Dun——y and Tal——w?

That lectures on road safety seem lost on some people.

That it was Ma—y's good fortune to meet Jo—n at B——f on Sunday night.

And that Mi——l from R——e made all the moves to catch the eye of the You——l lady but it was B— who won in the end.

## MACRA NA FEIRME COUNTY EXECUTIVE NEWS

A hosting of clubs from all over the county gathered at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, on Thursday, 16th February, when the County Final of the National Macra na Feirme Question Time was contested. The following clubs took part—Ballinameen, Ballymacarbry, Cappoquin, Dungarvan, Kilmacthomas, Kinsalebeg, Rathgormac, Touraneena.

Dungarvan with the following team, J. O'Brien, M. Veale, C. Lynch, T. McCarthy, Miss Maire O'Flynn, with an aggregate of 83 marks won. Miss Maire O'Flynn and Mr. McCarthy obtained full marks.

The team selected to represent the County in the Munster Regional Semi-final is composed as follows—Miss Maire O'Flynn, T. McCarthy (Dungarvan), T. Leahy (Kinsalebeg), Miss Noreen McGrath, M. McGrath (Cappoquin).

The question master was Mr. Michael Byrne, B.Agr.Sc., Acting C.A.O., Mr. A. Fenton, B.Agr.Sc., was score-keeper, with Mr. Michael Tobin, chairman.

**PRESENTATION**

On behalf of the County Executive, Mr. T. F. Maher, B.Sc., President, made a presentation to mark the occassion of her recent marriage, to Mrs. L. Radford (the former Miss Mary Noonan), Vice-President and formerly County Executive Secretary.

**NATIONAL FARM PROFICIENCY TESTS**

Certificates were presented, on behalf of the County Committee of Agriculture by Acting C.A.O., Mr. Michael Byrne, to the winners in the National Farm Proficiency Tests Competition—Mr. Finbarr Power, Cappoquin, 1st Certificate for Root Crops; Mr. John Troy, Kinsalebeg, 1st Certificate for Dairy Section.

Change of Drama Final venue from Cappoquin to Kilmacthomas was announced.

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## ITEMS FROM CLASHMORE

**Congratulations** — Congratulations to the Clashmore Dramatic Society on the outstanding success of the Concert they produced in Clashmore on Sunday night. Two plays "The Amadhaun" and "A Burglary Will Take Place" were presented to a delightful audience, who also showed their appreciation of the highly entertaining supporting programme. A special feature of the plays was the youth and enthusiasm of the actors, singers and dancers who were all local boys and girls.

**Fishing Season**—The fishing season continues to be very poor and has caused great disappointment so far.

**Along The Blackwater** — To continue our trip along the Blackwater. Below Dromana the Bride enters the Blackwater and further south stands the ruined ancient castle of Strancally. At this point, the land juts out into the river, to form a sort of nose—hence the name Sron Caill—and on the tip of this nose, the old Strancally Castle was built. It was one of the fortresses of the Earls of Desmond and terrible tales are told of the murders committed within its walls. Wealthy people are said to have been invited to the castle and robbed or deprived of their possessions were allowed to depart. Later bodies were cast into the river through the "Murdering Hole." Anraoi O Liathain in his book "Cois Moire" states that the Geraldines of Strancally surpassed all others at the time for greed and murder.

### WEST WATERFORD HOUNDS

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