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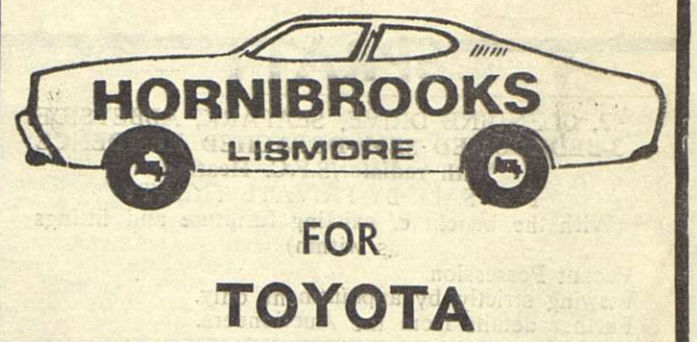
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Over the past couple of months we have made it clear that in these times of cutbacks, closures, redundancies and job losses the cry to tighten belts and to submit to a haircut regime should be one directed to all sections of the community. If there are to be hairshirts worn then they should be worn by everyone and if belts require to be tightened then everyone and we repeat everyone should take part in the exercise.

The Government backed by the main Opposition Party has enthusiastically embraced a policy of financial rectitude which has introduced crippling cutbacks in practically every State Department. Services have been reduced and even in some cases completely eliminated, all in an effort to come to grips with and bring under control the crippling national debt.

Everyone agrees that cutbacks are needed towards this end but there the consensus ends as the manner in which the cutbacks should be implemented has been a bone of much contention. The cutbacks are based on the premise that without general self-sacrifice there can be no solution to our economic problems.

But how can the general public who are being asked to don with acquiescence the 1988 style of haircut be expected to do so when the main political parties in the Dail—Fianna Fail in government and Fine Gael as the main Opposition—want no part in such an exercise.

This was made patently obvious last week when Fianna Fail and Fine Gael formed a coalition to protect their vested interest by combining to defeat a resolution sponsored by the Progressive Democrats which called for the abolition of Ministerial and such pensions held by others in public office. It is the Fianna Fail and Fine Gael Parties which benefit mostly from this pension scheme for which there can be no defence where sitting TD's are concerned.

The deliberate action of Fianna Fail and Fine Gael and their puerile attempts to justify this continued squandering of public funds when so many essential services are being scrapped and sacrificed on the altar of financial rectitude shows how little the principal political groups in the Dail are really committed to the economic reform required.

Their hypocrisy has rightly been shown up by the manner in which they have now rejected the Progressive Democrats' move to abolish these pensions. And it has also put into proper perspective the calls they have been making to the long suffering Irish people to endure further hardships while they themselves are prepared to make no sacrifices whatever.

FINE GAEL WHIP RESIGNS

Councillor Michael Queally has resigned his post of Fine Gael Whip on Waterford County Council in protest against the decision of the Party's National

Executive not to remove the party whip from Cllr. Jim Harty.

This is the latest repercussion to the controversial situation which originated when Cllr. Harty absented himself from the annual meeting of the County Council earlier this year so as to avoid supporting the Labour candidate, Cllr. Billy Kyne, for the chair as had been agreed in the previous year by the Fine Gael and Labour parties.

Following Cllr. Harty's failure to toe the line and honour his party's pact, it was unanimously decided at a meeting of the Dungarvan District Executive to recommend that the whip be withdrawn from Cllr. Harty. Later the matter was discussed at a stormy meeting of the party's County Councillors.

A full report was then submitted to the National Executive by Cllr. Queally as the Party's Whip on the County Council but at this meeting attended by the Party Leader, Mr. Dukes, a decision not to remove the whip from Cllr. Harty was approved.

As a result of this decision, Cllr. Queally, a former member of Seanad Eireann, has now quit his post and has turned down a personal approach by Mr. Dukes to reconsider his position. Approached by senior party members of the County Council last Monday who again asked him to reconsider and withdraw his resignation, Cllr. Queally said that he was not prepared to alter his decision.

He held that there was no point in him retaining the Whip after what had happened. He added, however, that he would continue to be a good party member and would make himself amenable to whoever was now appointed to succeed him as Party Whip.

COUNTY AND CITY CLOSURES

Saturday last October 31 was a sad day not alone for Waterford City but for the County as well as it marked the closure of the County and City Infirmary. The sadness of the occasion was stressed by the Master of the Infirmary, Mr. Niall Kennealy who recalled that it coincided with the bi-centenary of the hospital building which was constructed in 1787.

The Infirmary had its origins in the early 13th century when it was founded as a hospital for lepers by King John of England.

TOWN CRIER VERSUS TRAFFIC WARDEN

According to recent BBC radio and television newscasts shopkeepers in one of the principal trading streets in the city of Edinburgh in Scotland have come up with a novel idea. Plagued by the attentions of over-zealous traffic wardens which have sent would-be shoppers scurrying from the street they have engaged the services of a Town Crier who watches for the approach of the traffic warden and then with loud clanging bell and stentorian voice warns the motorists of the approach of "the enemy."

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County Committee Of Agriculture On Point Of Collapse?

For the second month in succession only half of the sixteen members of the Co. Waterford Committee of Agriculture turned up to attend the "no expenses" monthly meeting of the Committee held at the ACOT Offices in Dungarvan last Monday. At the 2.30 p.m. scheduled starting time for the meeting not one member was present but during the following ten minutes eight members — 5 Fine Gael, 2 Fianna Fail and 1 Voluntary Organisation (IOMSA) — made their appearance and eventually at 2.45 p.m. the meeting got under way.

At the outset Cllr. W. McDonnell, Chairman, expressed his disappointment at the small attendance stating that it would be better for them to hold only four meetings in the year with a good attendance at each than to continue holding 12 monthly meetings "with an attendance as small as this."

Cllr. M. Queally said that the attendance showed that the members of the Committee had become dispondent at the downward turn which had taken place in agriculture.

With a cutback of 43 per cent in the funding of the combined ACOT/AFT organisation for 1988 by the Government the work of the Committee would

be cut out altogether. "I think," he said, "that this is a shame and we're only wasting our time coming in here talking."

Cllr. Queally added that "ACOT and the Agricultural Institute (AFT) will be gone in a year and a half at this rate."

Cllr. G. O'Halloran agreed with Cllr. Queally but said that members should make a point of attending the monthly meetings of the Committee. "It looks as if we are to go by default or by being pushed," he said, "and I think that we should show that if it is to happen that we will have to be pushed."

Cllr. J. A. Walsh said that by their monthly meetings they would at least have the chance to voice their viewpoints. "We should most certainly protest in the strongest possible terms at what is happening now," he said.

Mr. J. Harrington (IOMSA) said that if they failed to hold their monthly meetings they would be putting the Department in a happy position to be able to exterminate all the

Committees of Agriculture over the length and breadth of Ireland. "If we don't hold these meetings we will be failing hopelessly in our duty to the agricultural community," he said.

Cllr. McDonnell, Chairman then commented, "today is the smallest attendance at any meeting of this Committee since I became a member in 1979 and that's why I have commented on the matter."

CUTS OUT OF PROPORTION

Mr. J. Kingston, C.A.O. said that the funding by the Department of the 1988 Estimates for ACOT/AFT showed a cutback of 43 or 44 per cent and this would mean that if this was implemented as many as 1,000 of the 2,300 jobs in the two organisations would go. "This level of reduction," said Mr. Kingston, "is totally out of proportion to the general public service cuts."

He went on to say that if it did happen and the cutback was applied on the basis men-

tioned in County Waterford it would have a devastating effect on the services which would be available here.

Mr. Harrington — That will be disastrous for the agricultural community and all the good work done by these two agricultural institutions — down through the years will be destroyed overnight by a stroke of a pen.

WAIVER SCHEME

Replying to a resolution passed by the Committee at its last meeting calling for the introduction of a waiver scheme for those unable to meet the new ACOT charges, the Department stated that the level of the charges were considered reasonable and in view of this and the present financial position of the Government it was not considered necessary to introduce such a scheme.

Mr. Harrington who proposed the resolution at the previous meeting said that this was a very bad approach coming from a Government who spoke so

much about helping agriculture before they came into power.

The CAO said that ACOT were expected to collect £1 million in these charges by Christmas and it was hoped that this target would be reached. They had been collecting the charges in the County for the past month and he said that the advisors had got a very good response. At the same time he agreed that there had been some reaction by people who could not afford to pay.

Cllr. Queally asked whether with the threatened redundancies which the cutback would cause, the Committee would be able to provide the services during the coming year for which they had been paid. "I think," he said, "that those farmers who paid in during August and September could well have bought a pig in a bag."

The CAO felt that all such undertakings would be honoured.

In reply to a point made by Cllr. T. Cunningham the CAO said that they could not provide advice free even for anyone who called in to the ACOT Office. "We are prohibited from providing any free services," he said.

Cllr. O'Halloran remarked that these cuts, like all the

others, hit the underprivileged rather than the well off. "It's an awful shame that agriculture is being discriminated against in this manner," he said.

The Chairman said that with a 44% cut in their funding they stood to lose half of their staff in the county in the coming year.

Cllr. O. Wilkinson said that it must have been clear for a long time that there would be reconstruction in every aspect of agricultural development and advice and now it was happening. He thought that in circumstances such as they had to face there were no alternatives to these cutbacks.

LEGALITY OF MEETINGS

Replying to a query from their last meeting as to whether the meetings held without the payment of expenses were legal, a letter from the Department stated that it was incumbent on the Committee to restrict meetings so as not to incur any additional expenses. The letter added that the frequency with which meetings might be held was not covered by law.

Finally it was agreed to hold a further monthly meeting in December.

Environment Minister Opens New Dungarvan Bridge

Environment Minister Pádraig Flynn put his hands to his hips last Thursday and pulled the trigger on those who are environmentally despoiling "one of the most beautiful countries in the world."

Mr. Flynn, who was in Dungarvan to perform the official opening of the new Shandon Bridge — the final link in a new £3.6m. by-pass road — said that from the environmental point of view he was extremely impressed by the beauty of Co. Waterford and the way it is being kept.

The Minister, speaking at the subsequent reception to mark the occasion held in Lawlor's Hotel, paid striking tributes to the Cork city born County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley for the situation, but issued the most stern of warnings to those who refuse to respect the environment.

"We have a beautiful country which sadly, we don't make enough of," said Mr. Flynn. "Too many people are hurting our environment, but I am going to see to it that from this day forward those who pollute Ireland are going to pay dearly for it."

The Minister also issued a blunt warning on the economy and on Ireland's inability to continue borrowing excessively. Mr. Flynn said that in 1950 Ireland's borrowings represented 18% of the gross national product. "Today that figure stands at a staggering and totally unacceptable 55% which must be halted. It is all borrowed money that must be repaid," the Minister said.

Mr. Flynn went on to say that the Government could not, and would not, ask for more by way of personal or corporate tax. If they could just get the economy into doing a better job in a more cost-effective way than the greater part of the job would be done.

"The economy cannot be turned around in two years but it can be stabilised in that

time," the Minister said. "If that is done then we are well on the road to economic recovery."

PLEASANT SURPRISE

Mr. Flynn then had a pleasant surprise for Dungarvan Urban Council when he announced an additional grant of £5,000 for improvements to the Abbeyside public park which has been developed near to the new Shandon Bridge and which the Minister visited after the official opening.

The construction cost of the new bridge was about £2m. but a piece of structural engineering brilliance effected a saving in present day costs of about £3.5m.

When it was originally designed in the late 1970s the estimated cost was £22m. which in present-day financial terms would be well in excess of £4m. However instead of a 12-span bridge across the river Colligan estuary former County Engineer, Mr. J. D. Hally planned a 3-span bridge. This necessitated the laying of a rock-fill embankment across the estuary to reduce the span of the bridge to 50 metres.

The revised project was carried through to fruition with last Thursday's official opening which now completes the entire Dungarvan by-pass road extending three kilometres in length and which will eliminate the necessity for all traffic on the Cork-Waterford route to drive through the centre of Dungarvan town.

Other speakers at the official opening included Waterford County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley; Mr. Malachy Walsh of Malachy Walsh and Partners, Cork, Consultant Engineers to the project; and Mr. Patrick Kennealy, Chairman of Waterford County Council, who in the course of his address stated:—

"It gives me great pleasure as Cathaoirleach of Waterford County Council to extend a

Ceard Mile Fáilte to the Minister for the Environment and to thank the Minister for officially opening Shandon Bridge this afternoon.

"The additional facilities now available for traffic especially heavy traffic will relieve the centre of the town from many of the congestion problems experienced."

Today's ceremony sees the final joining of work which physically began in the late 1970's, with a small section of the Relief Road at Shandon—progressing year by year on both sides of the Estuary to the final culmination today.

I wish to pay tribute to all who were associated with the entire project of both Bridge and roads — in particular the staff of the Council both indoor and outdoor for the efficient execution of the road works and the tasteful treatment of the surroundings and the Consultants and Contractors for the design and execution of the Bridge. Likewise, thanks are due to the Minister and his predecessors in office for the necessary monies that made the entire project possible.

I would hope that these new facilities be used with care and that they give many years of trouble free service to the public.

ECUMENICAL BLESSING

Before the official opening there was a joint ecumenical blessing of the new bridge by Very Rev. Dean Thomas Cassidy, P.P. Dungarvan, Very Rev. Michael Canon Farrell, P.P. Abbeyside and Rev. N. Warren, Church of Ireland, Stradbally.

The contractors were Jons Civil Engineering Co. and the attendance also included Mr. Brian McNally, Waterford Co. Secretary; Mr. Paul Clerklin, Financial controller Waterford Co. Council; Chief Supt. A. Sloan; Supt. Matthew English; James Shine, Chief Planning

Officer, Waterford County Council; Mr. Bertie White, Dungarvan Town Clerk; Deputies Jackie Pahey, Brian Swift and Austin Deasy; Mr. Richard A. Walsh, chairman Dungarvan U.D.C. and members of both Waterford County Council and Dungarvan Urban Council.

WEST WATERFORD MOTOR SHOW OPENS NEXT WEEKEND



Mr. Tom Keith, Manager of Dungarvan Sports Complex who is organising the second West Waterford Motor Show which takes place in the Complex on November 13, 14 and 15 and features six garages from the area as well as other exhibitors, catering for the motoring trade. (See feature on Page 3).



Mr. Pádraig Flynn, T.D., Minister for the Environment, photographed after unveiling the plaque to commemorate the official opening of Shandon Bridge, Dungarvan. Group includes (l. to r.) Mr. Dan Hurley, Co. Manager, Mr. Paddy Kennealy, Chairman Waterford County Council, Minister Flynn, Mr. R. Walsh, Chairman Dungarvan U.D.C. and Mr. John O'Flynn, Co. Engineer. (Photo: Rory Wyley)

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Week-End T.V. Viewing

RTE 1

SATURDAY, NOV. 7 9.00 - Pajo's Junkbox. 10.30 - Action Stations Saturday. 12.50 - News Headlines. 12.52 - Sports Stadium. 5.10 - Gaftar and the Golden Lance. 5.30 - Eureka. 6.00 - The Angelus. 6.01 - News. 6.15 - Malibag. 6.35 - Down Here. With A View To Above. 7.05 - Highway To Heaven. 8.00 - Screen Test. 9.00 - News. 9.15 - Dallas. 10.10 - Saturday 'Live'. 11.30 - The Session. 12.30 - Late News.

SUNDAY, NOV. 8

9.55 - A Vous La France. 10.20 - The Computer Programme. 10.45 - Germany: Pass, And Present. 11.15 - Service of Morning Worship. 10.00 - Interlude. 12.05 - News Headlines followed by The Swiss Family Robinson. 12.30 - Yogi's Treasure Hunt. 12.50 - Ludwig van Beethoven. 1.05 - P 1 & 18 g Shakespears. 2.00 - Bookside. 2.30 John Wayne - Most Wanted Westerns. 3.30 - Sunday Matinee: Matilda. Starring Elliott Gould, Robert Mitchum and Harry Guardino. 5.25 - Tune In. 6.00 - The Angelus. 6.01 - News followed by Sports Results. 6.15 - The Cosby Show. 6.45 - Iris '87. 7.15 - Foster & Allen And Friends. 7.40 - Where In The World. 8.30 - Glenroe. 9.00 - News. 9.20 - Encore. 10.20 - Questions And Answers. 11.15 - The Poet's Eye. 11.35 - Late News.

RTE 2

SATURDAY, NOV. 7 3.50 - Six Generations. 4.15 - Saturday Matinee: Lost, Starring Sandra Dee and Don Stewart. 6.00 - Finding Fax Future. 7.00 - Explore. 7.30 - Family Tes. 8.00 - Nuacht. 8.10 - Rumpole of the Bailey. 9.00 - Concert. Hour 10.25 - Screen International: Josephine.

SUNDAY, NOV. 8

4.30 - Romeo And Juliet. 5.05 - Horses. 6.05 - Highlights of the Radio 2 Dublin City Marathon. 7.00 - Newsweek. 7.30 - Marketplace. 8.00 - Nuacht. 8.10 - Struggles For Poland. 9.10 - The Sunday Movie: 1941. Starring Dan Aykroyd, Ned Beatty and John Belushi.

BBC 1

FRIDAY, NOV. 6 6.00 a.m. - Ceefax AM, News, Sport, Weather. 6.35 - Leon Errol

in 'Stage Fright' 6.55 - Weather. 7.00 - Breakfast Time. 8.40 - Open Air. 8.55 - Regional News and Weather. 9.00 - News, Weather; Neighbours. 9.20 - Kilroy. 10.00 - Going For Gold. 10.25 - Children's BBC. 10.50 - King Rollo. 10.55 - Five To Eleven. 11.00 - Open Air. 12.00 - Day-time Live. 12.55 p.m. - Regional News and Weather. 1.00 - One O'Clock News. Weather. 1.30 - Neighbours. 1.50 - Film: Nora Frensis. Ann Sheridan and Kent Smith star in this melodrama directed by Vincent Sherman (1947, black and white). 3.35 - Ask Margo. 3.50 - Children's BBC. 4.10 - Superted. 4.15 - What's All This Then? 4.55 - Newsround. 5.05 - Grange Hill. 5.35 - Wales Today. 6.00 - Six O'Clock News. Weather. 6.35 - Sportfolio. 7.00 - Wogan. 7.40 - Blankety Blank. 8.15 - Twenty-One Years Of The Two Ronnies. 9.00 - Nine O'Clock News. Regional News. Weather. 9.30 - Pulaski. 10.20 - Yesterday. 11.10 - Film: Airport 77. A star-studded disaster movie in which a hijacked plane sinks intact to the sea-bed after hitting an oil rig. Jack Lemmon, Joseph Cotton, Olivia de Havilland, Christopher Lee, and James Stewart head the cast. (1977). 1.00-1.05 a.m. - News of Wales Headlines and Weather.

SATURDAY, NOV. 7

8.20 a.m. - Roobarb. 8.25 - Saturday Starts Here. 8.40 - Chucklevision. 9.00 - The Muppet Babies. 9.30 - Going Live. 12.12 p.m. - Weather. 12.15 - Grandstand. 5.05 - News, Weather. 5.15 - Sports News Wales. 5.20 - Rolf Harris Cartoon Time. 5.45 - Telly Addicts. 6.15 - My Family And Other Animals. 6.45 - Bob's Full House. 7.20 - 'Allo, 'Allo! (new series). 7.50 - Casualty. 8.40 - Just Good Friends. 9.10 - News And Sport. Weather. 9.25 - Royal British Legion Festival Of Remembrance. 10.55 - Monty Python's Flying Circus. 11.25 - Championship Bowls. 11.50 - Film: The Awakening. Charlton Heston and Susanah York star in this 1980 horror story. 1.30-1.35 a.m. - Weather.

BBC 2

FRIDAY, NOV. 6 9.05 - Sign Extra. 9.30 - Day-time On Two. 2.15 p.m. - Sport On Friday. 5.30 - Food And Drink. 6.00 - Film: Tarzan And The Huntress. Starring Johnny Weissmuller (1947, b&w). 7.10 -

Cooperage. 7.30 - The Education Programme. 8.00 - Public Account. 8.30 - Master Team. 9.00 - The Duty Men. 9.50 - A Simple Man. 10.50 - Newsnight. 11.35 - Weatherview. 11.40-1.00 a.m. - Championship Bowls.

SATURDAY, NOV. 7

9.00 a.m. - Pages from Ceefax. 11.25 - Open University. 1.30 p.m. - Network East. 2.10 - The Gentleman Factory. 2.50 - Film: Seance On A Wet Afternoon. Richard Attenborough and Kim Stanley star (1946 b&w). 4.40 - Championship Bowls. 5.10 - International Bridge Club. 5.40 - España Viva. 6.05 - The Week In The Lords. 6.45 - Newsview. 7.25 - Championship Bowls. 7.55 - Shostakovich: A Career. 9.10 - Fortunes Of War. 10.10 - The Film Club. Director Conny Templeman introduces two independent films from American writer-director John Sayles, both being shown on British television for the first time. 10.13 - Film: Baby It's You. Rosanna Arquette and Vincent Spano star (1982). 11.55 - Film: Enormous Changes At The Last Minute. Three short stories by Grace Paley co-dramatised by John Sayles and starring Ellen Barkin, Lynn Miller, and Maria Tucci as three women in New York abandoned by their husbands (1983).

AND FOR THE REST OF THE WEEK

MONDAY

RTE 1 - 2.30 Raw Energy; 3 p.m. 'Live' At Three; 4 p.m. Dempsey's Den with Bosco; 4.25 Happy Birthday; 4.30 Auntie Poppy's Storytime; 4.35 The Smurfs; 5.05 Battlebeag; 5.15 The Littlest Hobo; 5.45 News; 6 p.m. The Angelus; 6.01 News-time; 6.30 Nothing To It? 7 p.m. Evening Extra; 7.30 Zero; 8 p.m. Executive Stress; 8.30 A Taste of Ireland; 9 p.m. News; 9.30 Hill Street Blues; 10.25 Hamlet's People; 10.55 Designing Women; 11.25 Late News.

RTE 2 - 5 p.m. Emmerdale Farm; 5.30 Out Of Town; p.m. Kids Of Decrassi Street; 6.30 A Country Practice; 7 p.m. The Muppet Show; 7.30 Coronation Street; 8 p.m. Nuacht; 8.10 Sull Thart; 8.35 The Spencer Tracy Film Season; Father's Little Dividend. Starring Spencer Tracy, Joan Bennett, and Elizabeth Taylor; 10.05 The Cormorant - Hated And Persecuted;

10.30 Newsnight; 10.50 Future Probe 2 - Business In The Telematic Age; 11.45 Nightlight

TUESDAY

RTE 1 - 2.35 Collecting Now; Know Your Picture; 3 p.m. 'Live' At Three; 4 p.m. Dempsey's Den with Bosco; 4.30 Happy Birthday; 4.35 Dilly O Deamhas; 4.45 Defenders of the Earth; 5.10 How Do You Do? 5.30 Video Time; 5.45 News; 6 p.m. The Angelus; 6.01 News-time; 6.30 Rapid Roulette; 7 p.m. Evening Extra; 7.30 A Growing Obsession; 8 p.m. Murder She Wrote; 9 p.m. News; 9.30 Today Tonight; 10.10 The Tuesday Documentary; 10.40 The Golden Boys of Bandstand; 11.45 Late News.

RTE 2 - 4.55 p.m. Emmerdale Farm; 5.25 Held In Trust; 5.05 Tomorrow's World; 6.30 A Country Practice; 7 p.m. Sledge Hammer; 7.30 Glenroe; 8 p.m. Nuacht; 8.10 Cursai; 8.40

Touchdown; 9.45 The Music of John Field; 10.25 Newsnight; 10.45 Falcon Crest; 11.40 Nightlight.

WEDNESDAY

RTE 1 - 2.30 The Living Body; 3 p.m. 'Live' At Three; 4 p.m. Dempsey's Den with Bosco; 4.25 Happy Birthday; 4.30 Auntie Poppy's Storytime; 4.35 The Flintstone Kids; 5.05 Look Around; 5.15 The Real Ghost-busters; 5.45 News; 6 p.m. The Angelus; 6.01 Newstime; 6.30 Number One; 7 p.m. Evening Extra; 7.30 Synod Report; 8.05 Magnium P.I. 8 p.m. News; 9.30 Today Tonight; 10.30 Hanlon; 11.25 Late News.

RTE 2 - 3.25 International Soccer: Bulgaria v. Scotland; 5.15 Emmerdale Farm; 5.45 Cartoon Time; 6.00 Where The Sky Begins; 6.30 A Country Practice; 7.00 This Is Your Life; 7.30 Coronation Street; 8.00 Nuacht; 8.10 Cursai; 8.40 Cineclub. Tristana. Starring Catherine Deneuve and Fernando Rey; 10.25 Newsnight; 10.45 Soccer Highlights; 11.35 Nightlight.

THURSDAY

RTE 1 - 2.30 The Craftsman; 3.00 'Live' At Three; 4.00 Dempsey Den with Bosco; 4.25 Happy Birthday; 4.30 Dilly O Deamhas; 4.40 Pat's Pals; 5.00 Danger Bay; 5.30 Ten Minute Tales; 5.45 News; 6.00 The Angelus; 6.01 Newstime; 6.30 Garda Patrol; 6.30 Know Your Sport; 7 p.m. Evening Extra; 7.30 The Mountain Lark; 8 p.m. Faces And Places; 9 p.m. News; 9.30 Today Tonight; 10.10 Taggart; 11.10 Bookside; 11.40 Late News.

RTE 2 - 5.00 Emmerdale Farm; 5.30 Streets Of London; 6.00 The Optimists; 6.30 The Sullivans; 7.00 Top Of The Pops; 7.30 Crossbow; 8.00 Nuacht; 8.10 Cursai; 8.40 Malibag; 8.55 Raffles; 9.55 - Tune In; 10.25 Mart And Market; 10.30 Newsnight; 10.50 Finding Fax Future; 11.50 Nightlight

FRIDAY

RTE 1 - 2.05 The Brothers; 3.00 'Live' At Three; 4.00 Dempsey's Den with Bosco; 4.25 Happy Birthday; 4.30 Auntie Poppy's Storytime; 4.00 Cockleshell Bay; 4.55 Newsline; 5.15 International Youth Knockout '87; 5.45 News; 6.00 The Angelus; 6.01 Newstime; 6.30 Play The Game; 7.00 Evening Extra; 7.30 Adventurer; 8.30 On The Town; 9.00 News; 9.30 The Late Late Show; 11.30 Late News; 11.35 The Late Night Friday Movie: Tales Of The Unexpected. Starring Lloyd Bridges and Eve Plumb. RTE 2 - 5.15 Sons And Daughters; 5.45 Wilderness Alive; 6.40 Early Evening Movie: Mon's On Strike. Starring Mary Kay Place; 7.30 The Motor Show; 8 p.m. Nuacht; 8.10 Cursai; 8.40 Greyhound Racing; 9.40 Sports World; 10.35 Newsnight; 10.55 16 Days Of Glory.

BARTON'S THE PIKE DUNGARVAN Thursday, November 5 - MATTIE WELDON No cover charge Friday, November 6 - PROGRESSIVE 45 DRIVE In aid of Tug-O-War. Saturday, November 7 - DUBLIN CITY RAMBLERS Admission £5 Sunday, November 8 - PLANTERS PUNCH No cover charge

Park House MAIN STREET, DUNGARVAN Thursday, November 5 - Dungarvan Folk Group - AUSTIN DURACK Friday, November 6 - STARDUST Saturday, November 7 - GENTS Sunday, November 8 - WILLIE WHITE J.C.B. FOR HIRE. Telephone 058/41538

DUNGARVAN RUGBY FOOTBALL CLUB YOGI'S This Saturday Night NOVEMBER 7 Bar Extension Members and Friends. Free Draw For Return Trip For 2 To London - Free tickets given on admission to all club functions during season. Draw takes place at end of season.



The renowned Dublin City Ramblers who are appearing at Barton's, The Pike on this Saturday night, November 7.

THE 'CATS' BAR MOUNT MELLERAY Thursday, November 5 - CARD DRIVE Sunday, November 8 - SING ALONG WITH PADDY McGRATH

SHAMROCKS HURLING AND FOOTBALL CLUB present a NITE AT THE RACES At Murphy's Lounge Knockanore On Thursday, November 12 at 7.45 p.m.

DUNGARVAN SPORTS CENTRE THE RECITAL BY THE BAND OF THE SOUTHERN COMMAND THIS THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5 has been CANCELLED We regret any inconvenience this may cause.

JR's NITE CLUB - LISMORE HOTEL Telephone 058/54304; 54219 Friday, November 6 - ANGEL & THE CLOWNS As seen on The Late Late Show. - Bar Extension Saturday, November 7 - PARTY NITE DISCO. - Bar * * * In Lounge - PADRAIG PARKER Sunday, November 8 - SING ALONG WITH MAJESTIC SOUND Friday, November 13 - TWEED

RADLEYS LOUNGE ABBEYSIDE WEEK-END ENTERTAINMENT Friday, November 6 - HARPER VALLEY Saturday, November 7 - PARTNERS Sunday, November 8 - TWO OF A KIND

DECKIES LOUNGE MODELIGO Saturday Night, Nov. 7 - PROGRESSIVE 45 DRIVE In aid of Community Sportsfield. Jackpot £200 on 12 games. Sunday Night, Nov. 8 - WELCH TREE

TOURIN HALL COMMITTEE in conjunction with CAPPOQUIN ROWING CLUB presents: NIGHT AT THE RACES On Thursday, November 5 At Boathouse, Cappoquin At 8.30 p.m. - Admission Free



ANGEL . . . who fronts 'The Clowns' at Lismore Hotel on this Friday night, November 6.

REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



Our photo for the "Remembering Other Days" series this week is, like many of the others which have been published here in recent months, a very historic one and one which should generate great interest in Lismore and district.

The group includes: Back row: Tim Doherty, Tom Crofty, Michael Coleman, John Barry (dec'd.), Ned Daly, Chris O'Brien, Jim "Slog" Ahearne (dec'd.), Jack Landers; Middle row: George O'Brien, Bob Creagh (dec'd.), Dan Heaphy, Jimmy Healy (dec'd.); Front row: Harry Brian, Ned Pollard (dec'd.), Mona Ryan, Jack O'Donnell (dec'd.), Tom Hogan and Tom Landers (dec'd.)

Magnificent Win For St. Saviours

St. Saviour's brought off a great football double at Fraher Field, Dungarvan on Sunday last when they added the intermediate football title to the minor title won on the previous Sunday at the same venue.

It was a historical first for the city side in the grade, but what was more significant was the magnificent manner in which the victory was achieved. Saviours looked a very formidable side on Sunday and the trouncing which they meted out to Western standard bearers Shamrocks must mark them as a side capable of going places in the senior grade.

So much was expected of Shamrocks that their display on the day caused bitter disappointment for their supporters. Despite having a tonic start, a Jimmy O'Neill goal after just six minutes, the Western side literally collapsed after this and were subsequently never in the hunt for the title.

Their goal in fact, came from a very acute angle and really deceived Paul O'Keefe in the Saviour's goal. The city side however quickly shrugged off this setback and had drawn level by the 11th minute. They took over completely after this and produced some fine passing movements, one of which culminated in their first goal from Liam Quilty in the 17th minute.

Their dominance throughout the field for the remainder of the first half was so great that Shamrocks failed to raise another flag before the break at which stage Saviours looked home and dried with a 1-7 to 1-0 lead.

NEW AWARDS SCHEME TO ENCOURAGE INTEGRATION OF DISABLED IN THE ACTIVITIES OF SPORTS CLUBS

A new awards scheme designed to encourage integration of disabled persons in the activities of sports clubs was launched on Wednesday, October 28 by Mr. Frank Fahey, T.D.

RELEGATION PLAY-OFF ENDS ALL SQUARE

RATHGORMACK 1-4 BRICKY RANGERS 1-4

This senior football relegation play-off at Fraher Field, Dungarvan on Sunday last proved something of a non-event. A lack of fitness was clearly apparent and motivation was sadly lacking and the absence of a driving force on both sides contributed to making the game a draw.

Brickies led 0-3 to 0-2 at the break. Rathgormack levelled with an early second half point but Davey Cullinane's goal in the 37th minute looked to be a winner for Brickies.

Rathgormack came back for a point for the Henry Skehan goal to put the Eastern side ahead.

Brickies, however got an equalising point through a Davey Cullinane pointed free going into the third quarter. From that to the finish however it proved a comedy of errors as both sides missed several chances of grabbing the elusive winning point.

Ref. — Tom Whelan.

Dungarvan Win Title In Thrilling Final

DUNGARVAN 1-6; LISMORE 0-8

Dungarvan's under 21 hurlers scaled new heights at Cappoquin on Sunday last when they scored a well taken win over champions and favourites Lismore in a memorable Western final.

It was a game which restored credibility to an ailing championship and which thrilled the large attendance from beginning to end. Dungarvan got through by a whisker in a game in which just a puck of the ball separated the sides. And while Dungarvan basked in the glory of their hard earned win Lismore who battled bravely to save their crown could take great pride in a magnificent display which just failed by the narrowest of margins.

It was the champions who showed the way early on with two well taken points but Morrie Ferncombe set Dungarvan on their way with a magnificent goal which set them up for their 1-3 to 0-3 interval lead.

It was a game in which defences were on top and scores were hard earned and when

Lismore drew level in the second half it looked as if they would successfully defend their title.

The Dungarvan defence however well led by Sean McGrath and David Burke stood solid to a man to deny Lismore their match winning scores and keeper John Ferncombe was a revelation as he thwarted some of Lismore's best efforts. The pace was frenetic as Morrie Ferncombe sent over what proved to be Dungarvan's winning point, and blood pressure was high as they held on for a narrow but fully deserved win.

Dungarvan—J. J. Ferncombe; J. Fitzgerald; D. Burke; J. Ormonde; M. Butler; S. McGrath; E. Burke; P. Quailly; D. Lyons; S. Mansfield; D. McSheehan; B. Lee; F. Power; P. M. Ferncombe; F. O'Donnell; Sub.—J. Walsh for Dwyer.

Lismore — D. Landers; E. Crowley; P. Ryan; M. O'Brien; S. Prendergast; R. Rosayne; G. Sheehan; B. Lee; F. Power; P. Prendergast; B. Lawton; B. Gorman; A. Meagher; M. Feeney; D. Geoghegan; Sub.—J. Hickey for O'Brien; S. Daly for O'Gorman. Referee—Jim Joe Landers.

ANOTHER CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE FOR STRADBALLY

STRADBALLY 3-4; ROANMORE 2-6

Stradbally club, still celebrating their senior football title win have reason to continue their festivities. At Walsh Park, Waterville on Sunday last, they took the county junior hurling title in a cliff hanger over Roanmore in what proved to be a close and exciting county final.

Stradbally survived by a point, the winning score coming from a free just seconds before the end in a nailbiting and tension wracked finish.

They had a great start when Paul Mullaney scored after 30 seconds. Liam O'Brien's goal helped them to a 2-3 to 1-3 lead and there was an air of confidence at this stage that they could go on to register a good win.

A brace of Roanmore points early in the second half cut the deficit to a point and Stradbally found themselves under severe pressure as the Eastern champions came storming forward. County keeper Pat Curran saved what looked like a certain equalising point in the 49th minute and his brother Aid cleared off the line in the 53rd minute. A minute later Liam O'Brien had his second goal when he was placed by Noel Costello but within a minute Jim O'Brien pulled a point back for Roanmore to cut Stradbally's lead to a goal (3-3 to 1-6) with five minutes left for play.

The sides were level in the 56th minute when Tom O'Brien scored for Roanmore and there was a hectic finish as both sides struggled for the winner. Stradbally were on the attack with time running out and Sean Dee was fouled as he went through some 25 yards from the Roanmore goal. It was in the final minute as Noel Costello lined up to take the free and his shot sailed between the posts with unerring accuracy for the winner.

Stradbally — P. Curran; P. Fennelly; C. O'Brien; A. Curran; L. Carroll; M. Coffey; M. O'Keefe; F. O'Brien; G. Hogan; S. Dee; N. Costello; S. Ahearne; L. O'Brien; P. Mullaney; E. O'Brien; Sub.—D. Kirwan for M. O'Keefe; T. Gough for S. Ahearne. Ref. — M. Power.

"NO SMOKING" PLEASE

Junior Chamber Dungarvan has as part of the current Smoking Awareness campaign, arranged a one evening seminar in Lawlor's Hotel on this Thursday, November 5 at 8.30 p.m. During the past few months the project committee have arranged for a billboard poster and the display of anti-smoking information in local shops.

It is hoped that these efforts will highlight the dangers of smoking amongst smokers and many non-smokers object to having to inhale smoke-filled air in public places.

The guest speakers for the seminar are Dr. Martin O'Boyle, Director of Community Care South Eastern Health Board and Dr. James Stacey, General Practitioner here in Dungarvan. The seminar will conclude with a panel discussion, where members of the public are asked to direct any questions they may have on smoking to the panel.

A demonstration of items presently available to assist people to stop smoking will also be on display on the night. It is the intention of the project committee that after the seminar the formation of a Group Therapy Unit take place which will organise and implement a programme for those who wish to "kick the habit". Furthermore, the project committee would like to gratefully acknowledge the assistance of the Health Education Bureau in this project.

So if you are interested in the dangers of smoking, in giving up smoking or the impact of smoking on society, please come along to Lawlor's Hotel on the night for what promises to be a very educational and enlightening evening.

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The General Manager of the new company is Ian Cars who was previously responsible for Volvo's car market in Scotland. He started off by inviting all employees and their families to Jurys Hotel for Sunday lunch and a preview of the 1988 model range. On Monday he held a Dealer Conference which was followed by a press briefing. Introducing the latest models, he said: "We aim to ensure that our dealers will be able to offer the motorist an attractive range of cars which are competitively priced. This will include the new 480 ES Coupe which we plan to launch here next Spring."

The new company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Volvo Concessionaires Ltd., responsible since 1959 for Volvo car operations in the UK, which has become Volvo's second largest car market. Although VOCS Ireland Ltd. will operate quite autonomously, the company and its dealer network will be able to benefit from the vast planning, development and training resources established by the parent company.

Main Volvo dealers for this area are Michael Carroll Motors Ltd., Abbeyside, Dungarvan of which Mr. Michael Carroll is the principal.

GERALDINES G.A.A. NOTES

UNDER-21 FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Our club were represented on the Bricekeys/St. Oliver's Under-21 team beaten by Dungarvan recently, by John Logan, Conor O'Riordan, Joe Salmon, Michael Broderick, Brian Conery, Austin Hally and Brian Coughlan.

MASS FOR LEO MEEGAN

The 11 o'clock Mass in Adlish Church last Sunday was offered up for Leo Meegan at the request of the Geraldines Club by Rev. Fr. Dan Fitzgerald, Chaplain, Carriglea. Leo is still in hospital and we all wish him a speedy recovery. Leo played under age hurling with St. Oliver's.

ST. OLIVERS

St. Oliver's under 12 football team are doing well in the championship. They have now qualified for the final of the competition.

MARATHON RUNNER

Congratulations are extended to Royco Ware on winning the St. Anne's Secondary School Annual Marathon held in Cappoquin recently. He also brought home a cup from a sports meeting last week.

ST. SAVIOURS CAPTAIN

Captain of St. Saviours team which beat Shamrocks in the intermediate football final played in Dungarvan last Sunday was a former Geraldines player, Jimmy Foskan, while his brother Larry was a sub. The Foskans owned the Spinning Wheel (now The Village Inn) Aghlish, before they moved to live in Waterville City.

Annual general meeting. Annual general meeting time is just around the corner. The meeting will probably take place on the first Sunday in December.

— P.R.O.

GUILTY PLEA TO POWER SPEAKER THEFT

Two unemployed defendants pleaded guilty at Dungarvan Court when they appeared before District Justice W. F. O'Connell on an indictable charge.

Twenty-one year old Peter Cummins, 28 Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan and Paul Regan (19), 5 Foreenatra, Dungarvan, pleaded guilty to stealing two power speakers at Shandon, Dungarvan, in the early hours of September 3, valued £70, the property of Liam Flynn, Glendine Drive, Abbeyside.

Supt. M. English told the court that the defendants, with a third party, were involved in the larceny. The third party actually used the keys of his own car to open Mr. Flynn's car and the speakers were then removed.

Supt. English said the speakers were subsequently hidden in a ditch but were recovered undamaged. Cummins had previous convictions but Regan had not.

District Justice O'Connell said he was considering imposing a three months custodial sentence. However he adjourned the case to November 11 pending a report from the court welfare officer on the defendants' suitability for a community service order. He also directed each defendant to pay £15 compensatory to the injured party by that date.

Mr. Niall King, Solicitor, defended.



A SECTION OF THE CROWD WHO WERE PRESENT AT THE OPENING OF THE NEW SHANDON BRIDGE IN DUNGARVAN. (Photo: Rory Wyley)

SEN. O'SHEA CONDEMNS GOVERNMENT PROPOSALS ON "CHRISTMAS BONUS" TO SOCIAL WELFARE RECIPIENTS

In a statement issued recently Labour Senator Brian O'Shea says: "I understand that the government is considering the ending of the special Christmas Bonus to long-term social welfare recipients."

"I am horrified that following recent cutbacks which affect the poorest sections of our society, such as reducing the number of weeks from 30 to 26 for which a free fuel voucher was granted, the government is now contemplating doing away with the Christmas bonus for long-term social welfare recipients."

"We can all recall the failure which arose when the last government reduced the Christmas Bonus Payment to 75 per cent of what it had previously been. We in the Labour Party in Waterville publicly criticised the last government for that reduction and we see the proposals of the present government as an unnecessary and unwarranted attack on the poorest sections of the community."

"I have no hesitation in stating then that I unreservedly condemn this proposal. I be-

lieve it to be mean, petty and totally lacking in feeling for long-term social welfare recipients. "I hereby call on all organisations involved in helping the less well-off to write immediately to the Minister for Social Welfare, Dr. Michael Woods, Store Street, Dublin, protesting strongly against this proposal and calling on him to ensure that it does not happen."

LISMORE ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

Our athletes travelled to Ballygunner last Sunday week to compete in the County Cross-Country Championships and they had a marvellous day, winning two county individual championships (Martina Moore, 1st in the girls u-12 and Michael Moliumphy, 1st in the boys u10) and also winning two 1st team prizes and two 3rd team prizes.

Full results are as follows. Boys u-10 — Michael Moliumphy, 1st; Thomas Barry, 2nd; Michael Shanahan 3rd and Dan Shanahan 4th. What a magnificent display by these four young boys to take 1st, team prizes and 2nd and 3rd team prizes. Girls u-12 — Martina Moore, 1st; Claire Moore, 2nd; Ann Barry and Caroline Ormonde, 3rd and 4th. What a magnificent display by these four young boys to take 1st, team prizes and 2nd and 3rd team prizes. Boys u-10 — Michael Moliumphy, Brendan Landers and Bernard Hyde also did their best for Lismore in this age group.

Girls u-10 — The girls u-10 team made up of Claire Moore, Clara Tobin, Mary Cliffe, Ann Barry and Caroline Ormonde, were in hard luck to be beaten for third place by just three points, but with more experience these girls have the makings of a good team in the future.

Girls u-12 — Martina Moore had a magnificent run to finish in 1st place, as did Valerie Barry who finished 4th. These two girls combined with Rena Carey (10th) and Noelle Fennessy (11th) clinched the 1st team medals once again for Lismore. The other under-12 girls who all gave their best for the club were Geraldine Barry, Melanie O'Reilly, Astling Gilligan, Annette Cliffe, Joan Coleman and Sinead Dahill.

Boys u-12 — Patrick Moliumphy and Ryan Flynn were our only representatives in the boys u-12 and both boys put up a good performance. What a pity they did not have a full team to help them out.

Girls u-14 — Maddie Beecher ran a great race to finish in 3rd position, closely followed by Madea Cunningham in 4th place and with the addition of Eileen Fitzgerald and Caroline Fennessy succeeded in taking third team prize.

Boys u-14 — Errol Flynn was our only representative in this race and had a good run. Girls u-16 — Eithne Dahill finished in third position and combined with Kate Cunningham, Carmel Martin and Jackie Fitzgerald to take third team prize.

All our athletes are to be congratulated on such an excellent performance. As are Martin Landers, Eric Flynn and John Cahill who put in so much work training the athletes every week-end and we are all looking forward to some great performances in the Munster Championships in Clare on November 8 and Thurles on November 22, when not only will they be competing for club honours but will also be competing for the county. Long may their success continue. — PRO, Lismore AC

T. J. MAHER SUPPORTS LOCAL RADIO BILL

The reported proposals contained in the Government local Radio Bill indicate a commendable and progressive approach to the regulation of development of Local Radio and Television in this country. T. J. Maher M.E.P. said.

Emphasising the importance for communities throughout provincial Ireland to involve themselves in Local Radio and Local Television, Mr. Maher said that such participation would help redress the imbalance in the over concentration on Dublin by the National Media.

Referring to statements made by R.T.E. Director General, Mr. Finn in Cork, T. J. Maher stated that, existing Local Radio Stations were illegal only because the Law was inadequate to legalise them. That inadequacy was now being corrected under the new Radio Bill.

Continuing Mr. Maher said that, if the National Press were to react as R.T.E. was now reacting to Local Radio, they would have been seeking the closure of the provincial press, through the many years they have managed to work and survive with each other.

Mr. Maher said that R.T.E. had through its Regional Stations the facilities to have provided many of the Broadcasting needs that Local Radio Stations supply. Cork R.T.E. Local Radio was confined to extremely limited Broadcasting hours, despite its capacity to provide extremely popular programmes. R.T.E. must examine now it can best use its existing facilities in the regions now and in the future.

Mr. Maher stated that he was hopeful that the new challenge posed to R.T.E. by the legalisation of Local Radio and Television, would lead to improved standards and greater balance in R.T.E. Programmes on Radio and Television.

ZERO V.A.T. RATE

Concluding Mr. Maher said that the National and Provincial Press should be zero rated for V.A.T. immediately to enable them to compete more vigorously with Radio and Television National and Local, to protect jobs in one of our oldest industries.

ARDMORE AND GRANGE I.C.A.

The annual general meeting of Ardmore and Grange Guld ICA was held on Tuesday, October 13. There was a good attendance in spite of the fact that nine members were unavoidably absent and sent apologies. As an order of business was passed to Mrs. E. O'Sullivan on the death of her uncle.

We had the pleasure of having Miss Eleanor Power, Dungarvan with us on her first visit here as V.C.O. It was nice too to have a new member, Mrs. Eileen McGrath.

The big new was that we had won the county award in the Guld of the Year competition, sponsored by AIB, and that four members would travel to a reception in Dublin at the headquarters in Ballsbridge the following evening.

The Calor/Kosangas demonstration had been a great success. Mrs. M. Colbert gave an account of her pork and Bacon Week at An Grianan. Mrs. A. Haskahill reported on her representative on the hall committee. The President gave an account of the Federation meeting in Leamybrien (hosted by Killrossanty). Six members received a letter of appreciation for their work during her three years of office. Tea was served by Mrs. J. Hurley and Mrs. A. Hallahan.

There were full reports from the President, Secretary and Treasurer on their respective spheres of work for the year, and the President paid tribute to Mrs. M. Flynn, the outgoing secretary, for her devoted work during her three years of office. Tea was served by Mrs. J. Hurley and Mrs. A. Hallahan. — S. Lincoln, Ardmore ICA

ISPCA — APPEAL

CONTROL OF DOGS ACT 1986

* The ISPCA Controlled Dog Warden Service operating within Waterford appeals to dog owners to keep their dogs under control at all times.

P. G. SHIELDS

Director Warden Operations ISPCA.

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NOTICE TO CUSTOMERS

In order to carry out essential improvements and alterations to our networks, we regret that it will be necessary to interrupt the electricity supply as follows:

SHANDON R/A

Wednesday, 11th November '87 — From 09.30 to 4 p.m. — Carty East, Garraunfadha, Coolnanay, Ballylemon, Ballynamntra, Ballinacourty House, Knockcullen, Douglas Bridge, Killeeshal.

SAFETY NOTES

FOR SAFETY SAKE— 1—Please treat all services and installations as live during this period as supply may be resumed at any time for brief periods.

CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT NOTES

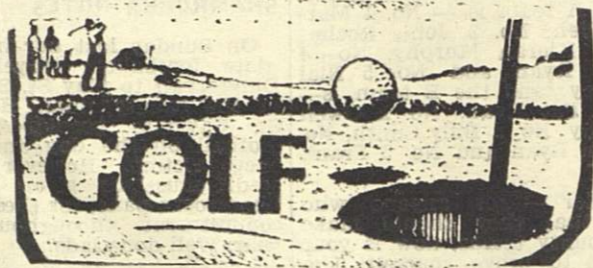
CAPPOQUIN AFFAIRS G.A.A. NOTES

Colleges G.A.A. — St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan, are enjoying notable success in colleges G.A.A. Local players have played important roles in recent victories, namely, Ray Flynn, Donagh Cummins and Tom Flives. Well done lads.

U/16 Representatives — We congratulate the following local lads who were selected on the Waterford U/16 panel — Martin Reddy, Sean Costin and Tom Flives. Unfortunately they suffered defeat in last Saturday's football tournament.

Fund Raising — Our fund raising draw continues to bring good fortune to the lucky winners. We congratulate the following: — 3rd Draw: £100, Darrell Ryan; £10 each — Paul O'Connor, Joe Halley, Jean Fraher, Billy Good, Catherine Healy.

Dungarvan Golf Club Notes



RESULTS Thursday 29th, 1st, P. O'Connell (13) 56 8/9ths; Saturday 1st, B. Whelan (16) 6 up; 2nd, T. Wall (20) 5 up; 3rd, T. Booth (14) 4 up. Sunday—1st, M. Brennan (15) 44 pts.; 2nd, J. O'Keefe (22) 43 pts.; 3rd, P. Phelan (10) 41; 4th, M. Hanrahan (13) 41 pts.; 5th, M. Walsh (5) 40 pts.

FIXTURES Thur. 5th and Sat. 7th — 14 holes v. par; Sun. 8th—18 hole

sey, Tom Hennessey, M. Kiely, Kitty Crotty, Eamonn Murphy. —(Adv.).

Votes Of Sympathy — Sincere sympathy is extended to the bereaved families of the late John O'Driscoll (a former club player) Mrs. Roche, Bro. Blake and Mrs. Bridget Daly, Tallow.

TOURIN BADMINTON NOTES The club only had two matches this week, as our 4th Div. and 6th Div. teams had no matches.

Our 5th Div. team played hosts to Old Parish on Thursday night, last when they were beaten 6-2.

Our 3rd Div. team played hosts to Touraneena on Tuesday night last and had a 5-3 victory. Well done.

We hope to see everyone at our Hall Committee Race-Nite next Thursday which was cancelled from last Friday night, in the Boathouse.

Finally the club would like to extend sympathy to the Flynn family, Tourin, and relatives on their recent bereavement. —(P.R.O.).

TAVERN BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Sun. Nov. 8 at 10.30 a.m. — Michael McGrath, Billy Casey, Lar Dunne, J. McGrath, Pat Dalton, Billy Tobin, John Whelan, James Power, John Foley, Lar Power, Tom Ormonde, Richard Queally.

Sun. Nov. 15 at 10.30 a.m. — Brian Whelan, Davy O'Keefe, John Kett, Ollie Flynn, Noel Fleming, Will Power, Joseph Geary (Knockanore).

FORGIVE NOTES

The following were elected at our recent annual general meeting — Chairperson, Michael Casey; Secretary, Vanessa Dalton; PRO, Olive Casey; Treasurer, Hilda Uniacke; sub-committee Jacinta Uniacke.

We wish to thank all those who gave us support during last year. We also wish to thank James Morrissey for all his help.

Hope to see you all at the club this Thursday night at 8 o'clock. —(PRO).

SCOUT NOTES:

Our summer camp in Yugoslavia this year was an outstanding success. Since our return we have been very busy with other activities. The following is an account of our experiences, abroad — however beated.

In this summer on the 19th of August, the Cappoquin Scout Troop headed for Yugoslavia. This trip took them right across Europe. On the Thursday morning before their departure a Mass was celebrated for a safe journey by Rev. Fr. Phelan, P.P. There was a large turn-out of parents and friends for the Mass. When Mass was over the Chairman of the unit Mr. Sean Moynihan complimented the scout leaders Mr. John Meskill and Mr. John Peppard on the way the scouts were turned out. He then wished them a safe journey and a good time.

West Waterford Notes

DEATH OF MARGARET O'GORMAN

The death has taken place during the past week of Mrs. Margaret O'Gorman, Drumgallane, Grange, after a short illness. A quiet and gentle lady, Maggie will be greatly missed by her husband Timmy and son Patrick.

Her remains were taken to Grange Church and following Requiem Mass burial took place in the adjoining cemetery. Sincere sympathy is expressed to Timmy Patrick and all the family.

WEDDING BELLS

The marriage has taken place of Miss Catherine Hayes, daughter of Mrs. Chris and the late John Hayes, Tinnock to Mr. Seamus Neville of Ballynoe, at St. Cronan's Church, Clashmore. The bride's hand was given in marriage by her brother Noel, Matron of honour was Marie Power and bridesmaid was Suzanne O'Callaghan both sisters of the bride. Bestman was Billy Neville and groomsmen was T. Dineen.

PHEASANT SEASON

On Sunday morning last the annual pheasant shooting season got underway. Members of the local Clashmore-Kinsalebeg Gun Club reported high stocks of pheasants in the area.

SPORT FOR ALL

A free sport for all day is presently being organised by Clashmore Information Centre. It will be held on this Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m. and all are welcome along to join in the fun.

CONCERNED ABOUT ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION IN DUNGARVAN

At a recent meeting of the Dungarvan Environmental Protection Society, grave concern was expressed regarding many aspects of the town itself the harbour and the surrounding countryside.

Members who brought these matters to the notice of those concerned stated that little or nothing had been done to clean up the dirt, pollution and litter in the affected areas. It was decided to continue to draw attention to areas where any environmental damage is being done.

We have in Dungarvan a very nice town, some magnificent scenery in the surrounding areas and a harbour of immense beauty—let us try to improve and protect these for the benefit of all our citizens.

A further meeting of the Dungarvan Environmental Protection Group will be held in the near future, and all interested clubs, organisations, societies and private individuals are invited to attend.

Behind the SPOTLIGHT

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Car owners are then able to get in and be off before a ticket can be delivered!

In view of recent proposals before Dungarvan Urban Council to introduce disc parking in the main shopping streets, perhaps it is time for traders in the town to come up with some original ideas before shoppers decide to by-pass the town altogether.

NO "BROGUE" THERE

Recently during an early morning news broadcast from RTE 1 details of flooding in many parts of Dublin after a heavy night's rain were being given by a male announcer. At one stage in the bulletin the announcer referred to one of the roads as being "impossible," and while we recognised the fact that this accent was very "BBC-ish" we wondered if it was merely a slip of the tongue. But no, in a subsequent news "headline" it came over in the same way.

Later, however, a female announcer came over loud and clear when she related correctly that the same road was "impassable."

Actually when we tuned into the first newscast we thought, momentarily, from the announcer's accent, that it was one of the BBC stations.

Certainly the accent was a strange one for RTE; just as strange as the "Crocodile Dundee" accent we heard lately from the same station giving one of the Saturday evening racing commentaries. Why cannot we be satisfied with typical good Irish accents—be they north, south, east or west.

THE GALWAY RACES

Although most of the major racing festivals for the current season have now been held, our choice for the ballad corner this week is one which lauds

the great August fixture held annually in Galway. The words were first printed on a ballad-sheet sold at the fixture in the last century but the ballad has been adapted for other racing fixtures with the insertion of the name of the relevant venue. Here then (in abridged form) is the ballad of "The Galway Races"

As I roved out to Galway town to seek for recreation On the seventeenth of August My mind was elevated. There were multitudes assembled with their tickets at the station. My eyes began to dazzle and they goin' to see the races, With me whack fo' de do, fo' de-de-de-le-lye idie-ay.

There were passengers from Limerick and passengers from Nenagh. And passengers from Dublin and sportsmen from Tippary. There were passengers from Kerry and all the quarters of the nation. And they were all travelling out for to join the Galway Blazers.

It's there you'd see the gamblers the thimbles and the garters And the sporting wheel of fortune with the four and twenty quarters. There were others without scruple pelting wattles at poor Maggie. And her father well contented and he looking at his daughter.

It's there you'd see the jockeys and they mounted up near the start. The pink and blue, the red and green, the emblem of our nation. When the bell was rung for starting all the horses seemed impatient. I thought they never stood on ground, their speed was so amazing.

There was half a million people there of all dominations. There were Catholics and Protestants, Jews and Presbyterians. There was yet no animosity, no matter what persuasion. But faith and hospitality inducing fresh acquaintance.

RECENT DEATHS

MR. DECLAN O'SULLIVAN

We record with very deep regret the death of Mr. Declan (Dec.) O'Sullivan which took place unexpectedly at his residence St. Mary Street, Dungarvan on Sunday, October 26. He was in his 74th year.

Everyone knew him affectionately as "Dec Sullivan" and he was one of the town's—and indeed the county's—best known personalities. Member of a well known and highly esteemed local family, Dec had been Social Welfare Officer in the area until his retirement. In this capacity Dec proved a more than courteous officer who carried out his duties diligently and cordially and sympathetically.

He was a life-long supporter of the GAA and in this respect his death has severed a link which can never be replaced. He played hurling and football with and was also an officer of the famed Old Boro' club, a club he loved and supported passionately. He also excelled as an administrator and took over in 1949 from the late Tom Kyne as Secretary of the Western Board and filled this office with distinction until 1960.

He was a well known referee for over 20 years and in that time took charge of countless divisional, county and provincial championship games and it was fitting that the Association which he served so well for decades paid due homage when the flag was flown at half mast and the huge crowd stood for a contemplative minute's silence before the commencement of the county senior football final at Fraher Field Dungarvan on Sunday, October 26, the day Dec passed to his eternal reward.

Dec was also a deeply religious man and was to the fore in parish affairs as an organiser and fundraiser at St. Mary's down through the years. He was also a lifelong member of the National & Commercial Club in Mary Street.

Dec was in fact an "institution" in his hometown and beyond and was a highly respected and well loved gentleman whose death has been the cause of much sorrow to all but more especially to his sorrowing wife and family, to whom we extend deep and sincere sympathy.

His remains were removed on Monday evening from the Killy Funnal Home to St. Mary's Parish Church where his coffin draped in the Dungarvan GAA colours was blessed and received by his brother Very Rev. J. O'Sullivan, assisted by Very Rev. Dean T. Cassidy, P.P., Rev. W. Carey, C.C., Rev. J. Griffin, C.C., Mons. P. Lannen, Rev. J. Hickey, O.S.A., Rev. Fr. Prendiville, O.S.A., Rev. P. McCarthy, O.S.A., Rev. S. Treacy, O.S.A.

Very Rev. M. Canon Farrell P.P. and Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C.

An honour guard was provided by Dungarvan G.A.A. Fr. O'Sullivan was chief celebrant of the co-celebrants being Very Rev. Dean Cassidy, P.P., Rev. J. Griffin, C.C., Mons. P. Lannen, Very Rev. M. Canon Farrell, P.P., Very Rev. C. O'Daigh, P.P., Rev. P. Wain, Moonooch, Very Rev. Fr. Queally, P.P., Clonmel, Rev. G. Hickey, O.S.A., Rev. S. Treacy, O.S.A., Rev. P. McCarthy, O.S.A., Rev. W. Carey, C.C., Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C. and Rev. J. Curran, C.C. Also present were Very Rev. D. Canon Byrne, P.P. Rev. W. Callanan, P.P., Rev. P. Fitzgeraid, C.C. and local and visiting clergy.

Fr. O'Sullivan officiated at the burial afterwards in the adjoining cemetery assisted by the full choir of clergy.

Chief mourners—Cait (wife); Joanne (daughter); Fr. J. O'Sullivan (brother); Mary and Eileen O'Sullivan, Mrs. Noreen O'Flaherty (sisters), son-in-law, nephews and a large circle of relatives and friends.

MISS BRED A BURKE

There was an air of shocked sadness when news broke in the Gaeltacht and surrounding areas of the unexpected death of a fourteen year old Breda Burke which sad event occurred at her home at Carrigeen, Ring on Saturday, October 24.

Breda was a pupil at the Mercy Convent in Dungarvan where she was extremely popular with her fellow pupils and teachers alike. A most likeable and friendly girl, Breda's untimely passing has caused much sorrow among her legion of friends but more especially to her heartbroken parents and family to whom we extend deep and sincere sympathy.

A huge cortege was present on Sunday evening at the removal of her remains to Ring Church where her coffin was blessed and received by Very Rev. C. O'Daigh, P.P., assisted by Very Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C., Abbeyside. Requiem Mass was celebrated on arrival and her fellow pupils provided an honour guard.

Very Rev. C. O'Daigh, P.P., was chief celebrant of the co-celebrants being Very Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C. and Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C. Also present was Rev. P. Mac Scaicuis, C.C. Interment took place in the adjoining cemetery immediately afterwards with Fr. O'Daigh officiating at the graveside, assisted by the other clergy present.

Chief mourners—James Kay Burke (parents); Seamus (brother); Joan and Ailish (sisters); Mrs. Alice Murray (grandmother), aunts, uncles, cousins and a large circle of relatives and friends.

MRS. CATHERINE CASEY

The death of Mrs. Catherine (Kitty) Casey Burgery and formerly of Gratton Square, Dungarvan which took place at Arden Hospital on Saturday, October 24, evoked feelings of profound sorrow and regret over a wide area. She had been ill for a short time.

In her early sixties, she had, with her husband Nicky, conducted a well known licensed premises and general grocer, business in the Square for many years and they had only retired from business a short time ago. A quiet and retiring lady, she was held in high esteem by a very large circle of friends. We extend sincere sympathy to her sorrowing husband and family on their very sad loss.

Her remains were removed on Sunday evening from the Killy Funnal Home to Killygobinet Church where they were blessed by Rev. P. Butler, C.C., assisted by Very Rev. R. O'Doherty, P.P., Rev. M. Byrne, C.C., Carrick-on-Suir (relative), Very Rev. W. Phelan, P.P., Cappoquin (cousin), Rev. E. Casey, Very Rev. M. Canon Farrell, P.P., Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C., Rev. B. Crowley, C.C., Rev. J. Griffin, C.C., Rev. C. Kelleher, C.C., Ballyaneen, Rev. Fr. Duggan, Dublin and other visiting clergy.

Rev. M. Byrne, C.C., was chief celebrant of the Requiem Mass on Monday morning and the co-celebrants were Rev. W. Phelan, P.P. and Rev. R. O'Doherty, P.P. Other clergy present were Rev. E. Casey, Rev. P. Butler, C.C., Rev. C. Kelleher, C.C. and other local and visiting clergy.

Rev. Fr. Byrne officiated at the interment afterwards in the adjoining cemetery assisted by the full choir of clergy present.

Chief mourners—Nicholas (Nicky) Casey (husband); Pierce (son); Mrs. Mary Byrne, Mrs. Breda O'Halloran, Mrs. Ann Whelan (daughters); Eamonn, John and Mattie (sons-in-law); Mary Flynn and Philomena Dobyn (sisters); Joe, Billy Ned, Percy, Paddy and Brendan Flynn (brothers); Mrs. Margaret Kelly (aunt), brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, grandchildren, nephews, nieces and relatives.

MR. PATRICK WHELAN

The death took place of Mr. Patrick Whelan, Currahaha, Dungarvan at the District Hospital, Dungarvan on Tuesday



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