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On top of that we find that thirty to thirty-five thousands of our young people are emigrating each year while well over a quarter of a million now swell the ranks of the unemployed.

When will the government wake up to the fact that emigration and unemployment are at the root of all our other problems and that the real life blood of the country is being drained away?

These grim facts are being smothered over by the government who are more concerned about electoral boundaries and so many other similar red herrings while no real effort at job creation, at providing adequate health and social welfare services for the underprivileged or at introducing an equitable taxation system is being made by them.

It is high time that the government and the opposition in general should cease this game of scoring points off each other; that they realise that people are more important than balancing the national budget with cutbacks which impinge most on the poorer sections and that we get our political and social priorities right.

**THE NEW STYLE**  
**"DUNGARVAN LEADER"**

The updated, new look "Dungarvan Leader" will be published for the first time next week and will be on the newsagents counters as from Wednesday next, November 30 (D.V.) And so also, this is the final issue of the "Leader" in its old format. It is, in fact, a case of 'Ave atque vale' — hello and good-bye.

These are changing times, times of new technology and the printing and publishing industry would seem to be more subject to the changes than many others. We here in the 'Leader' held on to the old systems for as long as we could

but in the end, machines which were becoming obsolete and for which no repair or maintenance services were available, forced us to plan the changes which we have now made.

Hot metal type-setting machines with old-time, printing presses have given way to computer type-setting, processing equipment and giant cameras. The new ultra modern system is almost unbelievable as its range is almost endless. Needless to say its installation has proved very costly but it was a decision which left us with no other option.

The new "Leader" will, indeed, be very different in size and format and may take a little getting used to. But it will contain all the regular favourites such as Pensman's Spotlight, Commentator's GAA Review, District Notes and News from all areas, news from the various sporting clubs here, there and everywhere as well as the usual courts and councils reports. But in addition it will carry more local photographs which will be perfectly reproduced while the new type faces, which have been selected after very careful consideration, will be clear and most readable. Incidentally in regard to local photos, if any club PRO's would like to have any functions covered in this regard they should not hesitate to contact us here at the "Leader" Office and we will arrange accordingly on a first come first served basis.

As an added attraction and to co-incide with our change-over to the new technology we will be offering free, in conjunction with Darrell's (formerly Colum's) Shop, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, a super prize of a valuable Midi Hi-Fi System for a "Place The Ball Competition." The competition will run for the following few weeks with the winner's name being published in our issue for December 23 — so someone is in line to win this super prize just in time for Christmas!

And those are only some of the things that readers will find in the new look "Leader," the price of which will be 35p which still keeps it at the lowest rung of the price ladder where local weekly papers are concerned.

We know you will like it and that you will get used to reading it in a very little while and on this score we ask for the continued support of all our readers.

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Ladies from Dungarvan ICA Guild celebrating Waterford Federation 40th Anniversary with National President Mrs. Kitty Harlin at Lawlor's Hotel. (Claire Cusack)

## School Transport Problems For Aglish-Villierstown Children

Students and parents, alike over a wide area of West Waterford but particularly in the Aglish and Villierstown districts are suffering considerable hardships because of what was described as an outmoded school transport system it was stated at the monthly meeting of the County Waterford Vocational Education Committee held in Dungarvan last Monday.

Cllr. Paddy Kenneally said that the majority of parents in the Aglish and Villierstown areas wanted their children to attend the second level schools in Dungarvan. However, that part of the county was included in the Cappoquin catchment area for the purpose of

school transport and as a result transport was not available for them to Dungarvan. "The position is," said Cllr. Kenneally, "that these children have to travel a distance of four miles if they want to get the school transport to Dungarvan and this is causing considerable hardships to many".

He went on to say that the present school transport arrangements in the county were twenty years old and in the context of present day needs outmoded beyond comparison.

Proposing that the Minister for Education, Mrs. O'Rourke, be requested to receive a dep-

utation from the Vocational Committee, to discuss the problem. Cllr. Kenneally said that it would be a pointless exercise talking to civil servants who would see it as their duty to prop up and justify the existing ludicrous arrangements.

The proposal made by Cllr. Kenneally was passed unanimously.

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**FAS EQUALS FOOLS**  
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Referring to a series of mock interviews being conducted at the Youth Club premises under the auspices of the FAS organisation, Cllr. Mary Dixon at the November monthly meeting of Dungarvan Urban Council asked what it was all about.

The Chairman, Cllr. Austin Hallahan said his understanding of what was taking place was that it was a scheme which enhanced the chances of unemployed young people to get jobs by preparing them for interviews.

Cllr. Dixon said that as far as she was concerned FAS = Fools At School. "All this is a waste of taxpayers money as these people haven't a hope in hell of getting a job in the town," she said.

### FATAL ROAD ACCIDENT NEAR DUNGARVAN

An elderly man received fatal injuries when struck by a motor car while walking on the road at Killosera about two miles outside Dungarvan on the main Youghal Road last Monday evening.

He was Con Mackey, Ring and formerly of Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan. In his early 60's he was walking into Dungarvan at around 6 p.m. to purchase some messages when the accident happened and he was killed instantly.

The body was removed to Ardkeen Regional Hospital, Waterford where a post mortem examination was carried out. An inquest will be held later.

Deceased is survived by his wife, son and daughter.

### SEEKS MONEY FOR HARBOUR IMPROVEMENTS

In the course of a statement issued by him last week, Mr. Brian Swift, T.D., said: "I feel that there are harbours and small ports along the coast in Waterford which could benefit substantially from a relatively small amount of finance, and I have been pressing Mr. Brendan Daly, T.D., Minister for the Marine to inject some cash into them through Waterford Co. Council and I am hoping that donations will be received favourably in the near future.

In particular I am referring to the undermentioned areas: Helvie Harbour — Provide lighting at end of breakwater; provide two 12' ladders. Ballynagout — Provide two 12' ladders. Ardmore — Extend existing slipway. Ballinacash Quay — Provide lighting. Villierstown Quay — Provide lighting. Dungarvan / Ballinacourty — Provide new navigation lighting; provide additional lighting at pier; remove sandbanks at Lookout and Pond, and improve slipway at Lookout.

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## Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

# GOLF

**RESULTS**  
Thursday — J. Quinn (15) 31 pts.  
Saturday — T. Phelan (15) 31 pts. M. Lynch (11) 31 pts. P. J. Murphy (7) 30 pts.  
Sunday Hamper — 1st. P. Hogan (11) 18 netts. 2nd. P. Murray (22) 70 netts. 3rd. C. Power (13) 71 netts. C.S.S. 72 — No counting competition.

**FIXTURES**  
Monday to Friday inclusive  
14 Hole Re-entry — Saturday, 18 Hole Stableford: Sunday, 18 Hole Stableford.

An excellent number of people turned out for the 45 Drives on Friday / Sunday nights which, resulted in the completion of 9 Table Drives on both nights. We look forward to even greater numbers on the coming Friday and Sunday nights commencing at 8.20 p.m. Three Table 45 Drives are being run separately on Sunday mornings.

P.R.O.

## WEST WATERFORD NOTES

### DEATH OF MARY ELLEN CONNORS

The death occurred peacefully at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan, of Mary Ellen Connors, Upper Pittown, Kinsalebeg. Mary Ellen was a kind and gentle lady, in her senior years. She enjoyed good health and she had a deep interest in the people and the environment in which she lived.

Her remains were removed to Pittown Church on Tuesday evening and following Requiem Mass on Thursday morning, Mary Ellen was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

Our deepest sympathy to her sister, nephews, nieces, family, friends and kind neighbours who helped care Mary Ellen over the past few years.

### HOME FROM LEBANON

Danny Hayes, Timnock, has returned home having spent six months with the Irish Peace Keeping Forces in Lebanon.

### BABY BOY

Congratulations and best wishes to John and Ker Key (nee Curran, Ballyneaney, Clashmore) on the birth of a baby boy.

### TIDY TOWNS

A final effort will be made this week to sell all tickets for the raffle which is presently being organised by the Clashmore Tidy Towns Committee. The draw will take place on this Sunday night at Garry O'Halloran's Lounge conjointly with a music night for all. Winners of the draw will be announced next week.

### IN WALES

Representing Ireland in Wales at present are the Loretto Convent School Choir. Annette O'Keeffe, Ballyneaney.

## GAEL LINN—AIB SCHOOLS DEBATES

Two further debates in the Gael Linn/Aib Irish Banks Schools' Competition will take place on Tuesday, November 29.

Colaiste Mhuire, Convent of Mercy, Dungarvan will be the venue and in the senior section the senior team will take on the seniors from Ardscoil na nBrathaire, Clonmel on the subject "that emigration is the best choice for Ireland's young people."

The juniors will provide the action in the other debate of the evening when Colaiste na Maidine, Presentation Convent, Waterford takes on St. Joseph's Presentation Convent, Dungarvan, addressing the motion "that the Garda Síochána is a good police force."

## EXTRAORDINARY SUCCESS OF CREDIT UNION VENTURE

Mr. Lonergan expressed his appreciation of the work and dedication necessary to organise such a huge undertaking. Dungarvan Credit Union was always to the forefront in its concern for the youth of the area, and students from all the schools have a unique opportunity to discuss different career prospects with the various representatives.

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## LAVISH PRAISE FOR CAREER GUIDANCE EXHIBITION

The exhibition hosted by Dungarvan Credit Union at the local sports Centre on Wednesday, 9th November, surpassed the highest expectations of the Union, the participating schools and above all the Representatives of the Twenty Nine organisations who attended.

The exhibition was officially opened by Mr. Paddy Lonergan, Chair Credit Union and president of Chapter Ten of the Irish League of Credit Unions.

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## RTE's REGRET LETTER "UNACCEPTABLE"

RTE came under strong attack at the first ever meeting of the Executive Committee of the Association of Municipal Authorities in Dungarvan last Thursday because of its failure to give either radio or television coverage to the Association's annual conference in Clonmel in September.

The President, Councillor Richard A. Walsh, Dungarvan, said he had personally written to RTE on September 27 to voice his protest but up to last week hadn't even had the courtesy of a reply.

He said he then wrote direct to RTE's Director-General and on this very day he had received a reply expressing regret at RTE's inability to cover the conference.

"We had a large number of other stories to cover and could not include the conference," the RTE letter stated. It was agreed to return the letter to RTE as "unacceptable."

## PADDY O'BRIEN'S NEW LP

We would like to take this opportunity to wish Paddy O'Brien of Aglish the very best of luck with his new album "Making Friends". It is an album in record and cassette form of the very best of 14 country and Irish songs. The album was officially launched on last Thursday week in Crotty's, Lemybrien, at a cabaret show of country singers.

On the night, Paddy was also presented with a "silver disc" to celebrate the great success of his last EP for sales exceeding 5,000 copies. The special disc was presented to Paddy by "Fiddle Records" on whose label all his recording is done. So here's hoping the new LP will have even better success for Paddy.

## ROTA BASIS

Owing to the large number of students (1900) participating in the exhibition it was decided to bring them in on a rota basis. Classes ranging from Intermediate to Leaving Certificate, accompanied by their teachers attended throughout the day. In order to ensure that students would derive maximum benefit from the occasion, schools were provided with schedules and layout maps beforehand.

The representatives on the various stands were extremely helpful to all the students, and provided them with plenty literature on the various courses offered. The representatives from Unison, which covers Religious Vocations, were extremely pleased with the interest shown. Later in the day the ex-



The Dungarvan CBS u-15 basketball team who were this year's Munster Schools Finalists (Co. Waterford and Co. Tipperary region) photographed with their coach Michael Scanlon on left. (David Stearn)

# Week-End T.V. Viewing

## RTE 1

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24**  
2.00 — The Browders, 3.00 — Live at Three including news headlines, 4.00 — Sons and Daughters, 4.30 — Little, 5.30 — The Sullivan's, 6.00 — The Angelus, 6.00 — Six One, 6.00 — Rugby Live Game, 7.30 — Head 100, 8.00 — China Beach, 9.00 — News, 9.30 — The Late Late Show, 11.30 — Ladies, 11.35-1.30 a.m. — The Late Night Movie, 11.35 — The early years, born in a Paris gutter, adult Paul was to endure years of hardship and degradation from which fame as a singer was never quite able to free her. The biography by her hairdresser, however, on which the film is based hardly offers a rounded portrait of the singer described as being almost too beautiful to be true. Starring Brigitte Arlet, Pascale Cristobal and Guy Trejean.

**SATURDAY, NOV. 26**  
9.00 — The Whole Shebang, 10.30 — Action Station Saturday, 1.00 — The Nancy Drew Mysteries, 1.50 — Headlines and Weather followed by Faerie Tale Theatre, 2.55 — Comedy Capers, 3.05 — Blondie, 4.25 — Saturday Matinee: Santa Fe. Kinship of one wild creature for another. Embittered by death in the Civil War and gone out West, three brothers turn outlaw and raid a pioneering railroad — which a fourth brother is working as foreman. Starring Randolph Scott, Janis Carter and Jerome Courtland, 6.00 — The Angelus, 6.01 — News and News for the Deaf, 6.15 — Mailbag, 6.55 — The Goodies, 7.05 — The Flying Doctors, 8.00 — Faces and Places, 9.00 — News, 9.15 — Dallas, 10.15 — Kenny Live, 11.35 — Late News, 11.40-1.00 a.m. — Lst. Night Movie: Crowhaven Farm. Trying to patch up a shaky marriage, Ben and Maggie Porter move to a farm they have inherited — only to be faced with the supernatural. Starring Hope Lange and Paul Burke.

## BBC 1

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25**  
6.00 a.m. — Ceefax AM, News, Sport, Weather, 6.40 — Croan and Grunt, (black and white), 6.50 — Weather, 7.00 — Breakfast time, 8.55 — Regional News and Weather, 9.00 — News: Weather; Open Air, 9.20 — Kilroy, 10.00 — News; Weather; Going for Gold, 10.20 — Children's BBC, 10.50 — The Bungap, 10.55 — Flye 10 Eleven, 11.00 — News; Weather; Open Air, 12.00 — News; Weather; Daytime Live, 12.55 p.m. — Regional News and Weather, 1.00 — One O'Clock News; Weather, 1.30 — Neighbours, 1.50 — Film: Drop-Out Father. Comedy starring Dick Van Dyke (1982), 3.20 — Look Stranger: 'Stockbeds and Steam', 4.00 — Ewoks, 4.30 — The Saturday Show, 5.00 — Newsround, 5.05 — Record Breakers, 5.35 — Neighbours, 6.00 — Six O'Clock News, 6.30 — Wales 10-day, 6.57 — Weather, 7.00 — Wogan With Sue Lawley, 7.40 — Blankety Blank, 8.10 — Twenty-One Years Of The Two Ronnies, 9.00 — Nine O'Clock News; Neighbours; Weekend Weather, 9.30 — Film: The Eye Of The Needle, Starring Donald Sutherland and Kate Nelligan. A top German spy working in wartime, Britain discovers a

## BBC 2

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25**  
9.00 a.m. — Ceefax 9.30 — Daytime On Two, 2.00 — News; vital secret about D-Day, but was washed up on a Scottish island, 11.05 — Late Night Drama: Paul's Case, Pittsburg, and a young man of humble birth dreams of wealth as an escape from his drab world. The chance offers itself and pity is that Paul does not count the cost. Starring Eric Roberts, Michael Higgins and Lindsay Crouse, 12.05 — Network '88, Civil Defence National exercise.

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26**  
8.10 a.m. — Saturday Starts Here, 8.20 — Corners, 8.40 — Chucklevision, 9.00 — Going Live! 12.12 p.m. weather, 12.10 — Grandstand, 3.05 — Tom And Jerry Double Bill, 5.20 — News; Weather, 5.30 — Wales On Saturday, 5.35 — The Flying Doctors, 6.20 — The Noel Edwards Saturday Roastshow, 7.00 — Also About 7.30 — The Royal Variety Performance 1988 in the presence of HM Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother, the London Palladium, Ronnie Corbett and Bruce Forsyth host this year's star-studded show, including Russ Abbot, 7.25, Rick Astley, the Bread cast, Cliff Ryns Jones, Meaghan, Paul James and Debbie McGee, Roy Hudd, Julio Iglesias, the cast of 'Golden Girls', Kylie Minogue, Cliff Richard, Macky Rooney and the 'Neighbours' cast, 9.00 — News and Sport; Weather, 9.15 — The Royal Variety performance 1988 (part 2), 10.45 — International Snooker 12.15 a.m. — Film: Don't Be Afraid Of The Dark. First snowing of a marvelously spooky horror movie about a bride who discovers demons in the basement of her old house and isn't believed when she tells what she has seen, Kim Darby and Jim Hutton star in this 1973 tv film, 1.30 — Weather.

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26

9.00 a.m. — Ceefax 12.00 — Open University, 1.30 p.m. — Network East, 2.30 — East 10 Gef, 2.55 — Film: The Tales Of Hoffman, Powell and Pressburger's new version of Offenbach's opera, (1951), 4.40 — International Snooker, 6.20 — Newsview, 7.00 — A Night At The Chinese Opera (with Radio 3), 8.00 — Top Gear Rally Report, 9.15 Christabel, Part two of the film drama, 10.15 — The film Club, Film: Neq. Of Kin, Wry Canadian comedy about a young man who lives uneasily at home with his parents, (1984), 11.30-1.10 a.m. — Film: Father And Son, Allen Fong's poignantly funny, autobiographical feature film debut, about a young boy growing up in poverty in Hong Kong, where he falls under the magical spell of the cinema, (1981, subtitled).

## Highlights of RTE 1 and Network 2 TV Schedules for the Week

Day	Time	Program
SUNDAY, NOV. 27	2.50-3.20 p.m.	RTE 1 — Sign Of The Times
	3.20-4.00 p.m.	Questions and Answers: 10.20-11.15 p.m.
MONDAY, NOV. 28	8.00-9.00 p.m.	RTE 1 — A Guilty Thing Surprised
	9.00-10.35 p.m.	Network 2 — American Football
TUESDAY, NOV. 29	8.00-8.55 p.m.	RTE 1 — The First Tuesday In November
	9.00-9.30 p.m.	Network 2 — Dear Detective
WEDNESDAY, NOV. 30	8.00-9.00 p.m.	RTE 1 — Hotel
	9.00-10.30 p.m.	Network 2 — The Faces Of Japan
THURSDAY, DEC. 1	8.00-8.30 p.m.	RTE 1 — John Player Tip
	8.30-9.00 p.m.	Network 2 — Dear Detective

## FINNISK COMHALTAS CEOLTOIRI NOTES

At the recent annual general meeting of the Finnish Branch of Comhaltas the following officers were elected: President, Eugene Flanagan; Chairman, Michael O'Brien; Vice-Chairman, Michael Stack; Secretary, Kathleen O'Mahony; Assistant Secretaries, Mary McCarthy and Marianne Cliffe; Treasurer, Ena O'Shea; PRO, Mary Kirrane; Auditor, John Ryan.

branch during the year. He mentioned our successful participation in the County Fleadh and thanked everyone who had worked so hard to make it a success. He thanked the people of Cappoquin for their goodwill and support.

Our musicians had, he said, made wonderful progress. They had put on a very enjoyable concert for the ICA during the year and had also taken part in the Vintage Rally in Aglish. Classes with Bobby Gardiner continue on Tuesday nights in the Old School, Ballinacree, and are very well attended.

Dancing classes with Jim Hyland have proved very popular and these are continuing on Friday nights in the Old School, Ballinacree.

**SYMPATHY**

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of the late Ned Merwin, Villierstown, who died recently. Ned was a very popular and hardworking member of the branch. He will be greatly missed. Ar dheis De go rabh an am.



# Remembering Other Days



Above is a photo of the principals who took part in the production of "The Desert Song" by the Dungarvan Musical and Choral Society at the Friary Hall, Dungarvan from April 2-9 1972. Included are Neil Hurley, John Walsh, Micheal O'Faolain, Vincent Byrne, George Barry, Winnie Power, Eileen O'Mahony, Lena Walsh, Jim O'Keeffe, Micheal O'Flainn and Mairis O'Keeffe pictured with the visiting artistes John Roche (The Red Shadow) and Joan Merrigan (Margot). Missing from the photo were Joy O'Callaghan, Annette Geoghegan, Sean O'Donnell and Paddy Fitzgerald who also took part.



1964 was the year that marked the re-forming of the Old Parish GAA Club. They reached the Western junior football final only to be beaten by Ballyduff. Photo above shows, front (l. to r.) Michael Tobin, John Mansfield, John "Tailor" Terry, Tony Hallahan, Michael Terry, Tom Curran, Maurice Wade and Frankie Keane. At back—Patrick Morrissey, Joe Cummins, P. J. Morrissey, Michael Mahony, Joe Murray (head just visible), Jack French, John Terry, Michael Joseph Power, Deag Murphy, John Leahy, John Dower and Seamus Donnell.



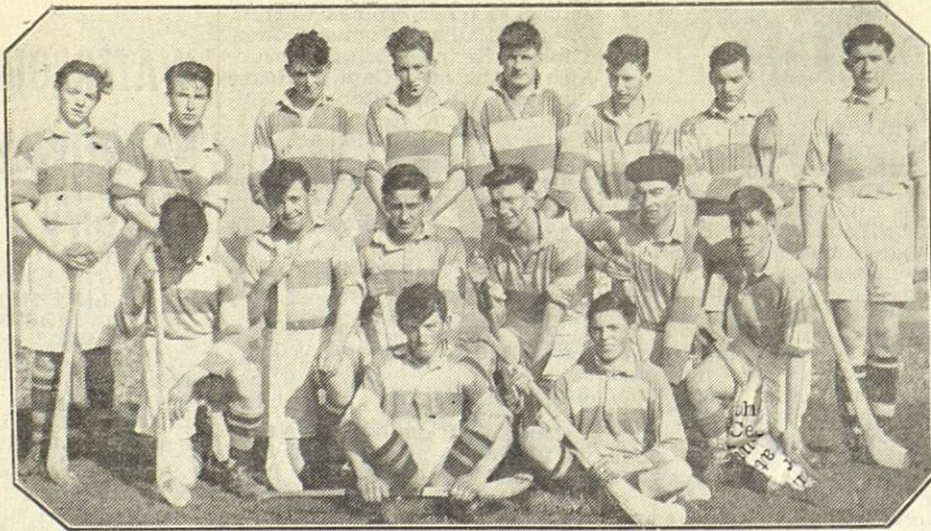
The above photo shows busy times at Dungarvan Quay in the late 1940's when Scottish trawlers and their crews from Lossiemouth in the north of Scotland made Dungarvan and Helvick their bases. Crewmen are here seen cleaning their nets on the quay.

This week marks the last issue of the "Leader" in its old format and we have been looking through some of the old photos from our files which were part of the old hot metal system of printing which has now become almost obsolete.

The new, updated "Dungarvan Leader" will make its initial appearance next week (DV) but we plan to maintain the "Remembering Other Days" series in it for the foreseeable future.



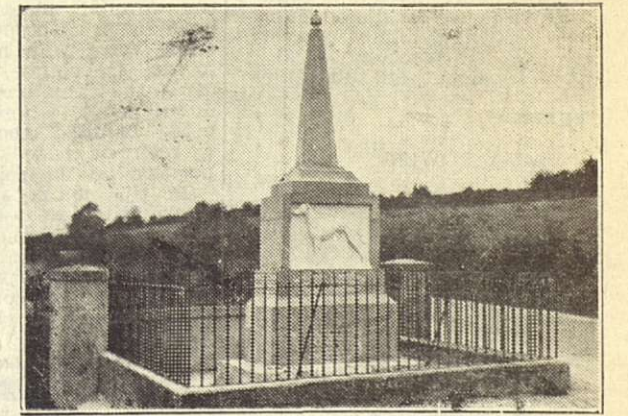
WATERFORD MINOR HURLING TEAM—Munster and All-Ireland Champions 1948. Included are Selectors Paddy Cunningham, Mick Gallagher, Pat Fanning and Bro. Murray and members of the team: John Boyle, Tomsie Dee, J. Flynn, T. Gallagher, Michael Shalloe, Vincent Walsh, Mick Joe Ryan, Michael O'Connor, Paddy O'Connor, Michael Browne, B. Foley, Donal Whelan, J. Flannery, Michael Hogan, Billy Conway, Maurice Kelleher, Mick Flannery (Capt.), Maurice McHugh, W. Morrissey, J. Conlon, J. Hayden, Tom Cunningham (partly hidden behind P. Fanning, right back).



Photographed above is the Dungarvan C.B.S. Harty Cup team of 1953 who were beaten in the final of the competition. Back row: Johnny Franklin, John Clancy, Johnny Quarry (RIP), Liam Shalloe, Donal Spratt, Austin Deasy, Dom En Curran, Lar Curran, John Ormonde, Sean Duggan. Seated: Bobby Curran and Justin Spratt.



The above is a photo of the Dungarvan Harriers pack ready to start a day's hunting taken some 30 years or so ago. Note the old Baby Ford car which was one of the most popular small car models at the time. Unfortunately we are unable to name the venue or the huntsman in charge of the hounds.



This is a photo of the Master McGrath Monument at Ballymacmague, Dungarvan when it was enclosed by a protective railing. It is of interest in view of the recent unveiling of the restored monument after vandals damaged the original in 1985.

## Narrow Win For Affane

It looked for a time as if this under 21 Western football semi-final replay would again end in a draw and that extra time would be needed to separate the sides.



Fraher field was a rather bleak place on Sunday last for the game which attracted just a handful of spectators. The fare, because of the cold biting wind, was not up to scratch, but the closeness of the exchanges compensated to a small extent.

It proved a game of contrasting halves. Kill were in the

Affane 2-1

Kilrossanty 0-6

ascendancy in the first half but failed to make use of their chances. They dominated the first 20 minutes with little or no opposition from Affane but their tally of three points did little justice to their efforts.

Affane came into the game for ten minutes before the interval but seemed intent on going for goals and a few chances went astray.

The score stood at 0-3 to nil at the break and Kilrossanty's position looked anything but secure. It was Affane who exerted pressure with the assistance of the wind in the second half and in a three minute spell they drew level and then went ahead. Eamonn O'Shea who was their scorer in chief latched on to a Tom Flives free in the 35th minute, and found the Kilrossanty net through a packed goalmouth. Three minutes later the same player shot

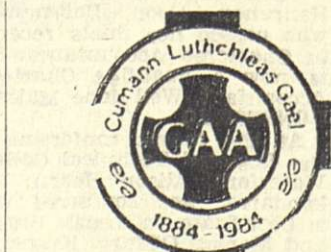
his second goal and Affane, playing with increased confidence, looked poised for an easy win.

The Comeragh side, however, fought back and three points without reply left the scores level at 2-0 to 0-6 with eight minutes to go. They failed to maintain their impetus and Affane came back at them and Denis Kelleher shot over the winning point six minutes from time.

It was still anybody's game as the final minutes spun to a close and a draw looked on the cards but despite the strong Kilrossanty pressure Affane held on to their slender lead for a win they just about deserved.

Scorers: Affane — E. O'Shea 2-0; D. Kelleher 0-1. Kilrossanty — P. Power 0-3; P. Houlihan 0-2; J. Dempsey 0-1.

Referee — L. Costin; S. McGrath; K. O'Reilly; K. Vesals; S. Costin; M. Reddy, M. Or-



mond. D. Cummins, T. Mansfield; T. Flives; M. Power, E. O'Shea; D. Kelleher; B. Barry; F. McCarthy; Subs — F. Veale for M. Reddy; M. Killigrew for M. Ormonde.

Referee — Pat Moore. (Abbey-side/Ballinacourty).

## DUNGARVAN G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

### UNDER 21 FINAL ON SUNDAY

Christmas may just be around the corner but there is still no respite for us on the playing front and next Sunday our Under 21 footballers journey to Lismore in defence of their Western title.

Affane provide the opposition in what is certain to be a very difficult divisional final for us to win. Affane sent Kilrossanty packing last week, and with the benefit of recent stirring games must be rated firm favourites to win on Sunday.

That much said however the certainty is our fellows will make a mighty defence of the title we won so impressively last year. We have played solid rather than spectacular football en route to the decider, but the commitment of the players cannot be in doubt.

Unfortunately we cannot select from a full-strength panel but that will only increase the resolve to overcome adversity. Good luck to the team in its bid to win a third

Western Under 21 title in four years for the club.

The game is timed for 2.30 and we leave for the venue at 1.30. We would appreciate as many followers as possible travelling to support the side.



### UNDER 16's RETAIN 'MELADON'

Our Under 16 hurlers retained the Meladon Cup with a hard-earned but deserved victory over St. Patrick's in an exciting final at the Abbeyside venue last Sunday.

We had the assistance of the strong breeze in the first half, the undoubted highlight of which was a fabulous goal scored by Michael McGrath. He

ran onto a ground ball and from thirty yards rocketed it to the net in the best John Fenton style. It was a goal to grace any final.

St. Patrick's however made a very brave fight of it in the second half and for lengthy spells put us under intense pressure. However the defence proved equal to the occasion and at the end of the hour the Meladon Cup had been retained for another year.

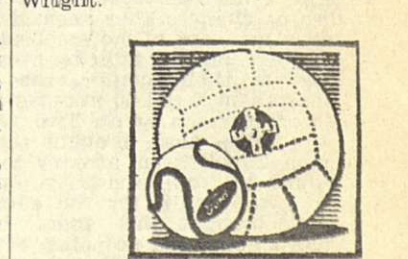
The magnificent trophy, presented by the Flynn family of Whitechurch House Hotel, was presented to team captain Darrel Donnelly by our own President Brighidin ni Cristoir. However St. Patrick's didn't go away empty handed either thanks to set of medals kindly presented by a member of our club.

Finally our thanks to St. Patrick's, Abbeyside and St. Olivers for taking part in the tournament.

Our sincere thanks also to referees Liam Simms, David Kiely, and John Moore who took charge of the final, the Abbeyside/Ballinacourty club for the use of the grounds and

superb facilities on two occasions, and the Fraher Field Committee for the use of the venue for one semi-final.

The panel last Sunday was—J.J. Ronayne, T. Morrissey, J. Morrissey, R. Kelly, B. Lyons, C. Gough, D. O'Flynn, A. Queally, D. Donnelly, F. Cunningham, M. Butler, D. Sheehan, M. McGrath, M. Desmond, G. Curran, O. Curran, S. Curran and K. Wright.



### WATERFORD WIN

Two of our Under 16 footballers, Andrew Queally and John Morrissey, were members of the Waterford panel that defeated Wexford in the final of the South-East, inter-county Under-16 league last Saturday.



