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Co. Council Approves £26.77 Rate And £96 Water Charges

By 12 votes to 10, Waterford County Council at their adjourned Estimates meeting held in Dungarvan last Monday approved a County Rate of £26.77 for 1989, an increase of 1% on the current rate plus a water charge of £96 an increase of £1 on the current annual charge of £95.

At the outset, the Chairman, Cllr. Billy Kyne pointed out that the Report of the County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley on the Estimates had been fully discussed at the Council's previous meeting and he asked members to keep their further comments brief.

In his report the County Manager proposed a rate increase of 3% or a rate of £27.30 (£26.51 in 1988) together with an increase of £3 on the domestic water charge to bring it from £95 up to £98 for 1989.

Cllr. B. Swift, T.D., pointing out that the Council would have to continue to employ its

workforce, proposed that the proposals as submitted by the Co. Manager be adopted and this was seconded by Cllr. C. O'Riain who said he did so as he knew it was the only way to keep the outdoor staff at work.

The proposal was defeated by 13 votes to 9.

A proposal made by Cllr. M. Queally of an increase of 2% in the rate and £2 in the water charge was then seconded by Cllr. Swift but this was also defeated by 14 votes to 8.

This was followed by a further proposal made by Cllr. Pat Coffey for a 2% increase in the rates with no increase in the water

charge and this was seconded by Cllr. Paddy Cahill but this was also defeated on a 19-3 vote.

Finally Cllr. J. A. Walsh proposed an increase of 1% on the rate and £1 on the water charge and this was seconded by Cllr. Tom Cunningham and when it was put to the meeting it was declared carried by 12 votes to 10.

REDUCED DEFICIT

The Co. Manager pointed out that this would reduce the £53,000 deficit budgeted for in his report to £36,000 and he said that a decision would have to be taken as to where cuts would now be made to meet the new figure.

It was agreed to adjourn for five minutes to enable the Co. Manager to confer with the Co. Engineer, Mr. John O'Flynn, the Co. Secretary, Mr. Brian McNally and the County Finance Officer, Mr. Paul Clerkin in an adjoining room.

When the meeting re-assembled, the Co. Manager said they had to look for cuts in areas where employment would not be interfered with and to cover the reduced deficit of £36,000 he suggested that the allocation for Waterford Airport, which would be changing its character next year, be cut by £5,000; the books allocation for the Co. Libraries be cut by £5,000; housing repairs be cut by £10,000; a cut for dumps of £8,000, allocation for community enterprises cut by £3,000 with an increase in receipts from planning applications of £5,000.

The Council approved of the alterations suggested by the County Manager and a rate of £26.77 with a water charge of £96 in accordance with the proposal made by Cllr. Walsh was then adopted.

On the proposal of Cllr. Cahill, the County Manager was then congratulated on the successful conclusion of the problem.



Supt. P. J. Hayes photographed in his office at Dungarvan Garda Station last Thursday shortly after the official announcement of his assignment as Supt. in charge of the Dungarvan Garda District.

DUNGARVAN'S NEW GARDA SUPT.

Weeks and even months of speculation and conjecture came to an end on Thursday last, November 24, when the official announcement was made that Garda Inspector P. J. Hayes had been promoted to the rank of Superintendent and assigned to take charge of the Dungarvan Garda District which covers practically the entire area of West Waterford.

A native of Ballylongford, Co. Kerry, Supt. Hayes joined the Garda Siochana in 1964 and was stationed in Clonmel for a period before being transferred to Waterford. Earlier in his career he had been a Detective Sergeant in Waterford City and following his promotion to Inspector he was transferred to Buncrana, Co. Donegal. Throughout his career he has figured prominently in many murder cases and other important investigations throughout the country.

He served on the institutional staff at Depot Headquarters in Dublin and later at the Garda College, Templemore where he lectured on criminal law. Recognised as a fine public speaker, he lectured to many bodies at various centres and is a fluent Irish speaker.

In court he has been widely appreciated for his fairness as prosecutor, for his courtroom skill and for his

lucid presentation of the facts involved in the cases he handles. These qualities have won for him on many occasions the well-earned compliments of District Justices and members of the legal profession.

As an officer of the Garda Siochana he has upheld the highest traditions of the force for courtesy and diligence, concern for the public and dedication to duty.

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WATERFORD FOODS AIM TO DOUBLE TURNOVER BY 1992

A group of top marketing executives heard last week how Waterford Foods, a multi-activity business, aims to double its turnover to over £1R400 million by the year 1992.

The Assistant Chief Executive of the company, Mr. P. J. Cummins said that their recent action in going to the stock market was part of their strategy which would enable them to fund investments in new companies, acquisitions and joint ventures.

In an address to the Cork Regional branch of the Marketing Institute of Ireland, Mr. Cummins told how it was now five years since Waterford Foods took its first step into the British market for fresh foods.

"In 1988 our turnover in Britain, exclusive of Northern Ireland, will be in the region of IR£30 million. It is also significant that our UK operation at Newbury is a substantial contributor to

the overall profitability of the parent company.

Mr. Cummins told how Waterford Foods had established a brand in a major market and ran through the ground rules.

Mr. Cummins said the company's success was

founded on comprehensive research to isolate gaps; on technical and production excellence to ensure and maintain a top quality product and on heavy and increasing levels of marketing support.

THIS WEEK TEAGASC CO. WATERFORD SAYS

COW CONDITION

Body condition of dry cows in some herds is quite low this year. Younger cows and cows in poor condition should get supplementary feeding unless silage is excellent.

LIVER FLUKE

Depending on infection

levels, dry cows and in-calf heifers should be treated for liver fluke 1-2 weeks after housing with a product effective against early immature fluke.

WINTER CEREALS

Watch out for pest damage. Slugs are a major problem. Broadcast slug pellets where necessary. Rat damage can be severe around field boundaries particularly following potatoes or root crops. Bait where necessary.

SHEEP

On intensive sheep farms producing mid-season lamb, all pastures should be closed off now to ensure adequate early spring grass.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

GOOD WISHES FROM DUNGARVAN SAC

Dear Editor,
At this stage you are no doubt committed to a 'change in technology' and a new format for your paper. You are bound to feel a certain amount of trepidation at such a change. Take heart, you have provided an excellent service to the community and except that you intend to shrink from this, your readers will stay with you.



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Yours sincerely,
DAMIEN DILLON, PRO,
Dungarvan Sea Angling Club.
November 24, 1988.



Mr. Joe Walsh T.D., Minister for Food Recently visited the Waterford Foods operation at Newbury near London, which has responsibility for marketing and distributing the Yoplait range in the UK. Pictured with the Minister is (left) P. J. Cummins, Assistant Chief Executive, Waterford Foods plc and (right) Bob Bardner, General Manager, Waterford Foods Ltd., Newbury.

CLASHMORE-KINSALEBEG PLOUGHING ASSOCIATION

The Third Annual Ploughing Match was held recently at Piltown on the lands of Mr. Michael Curran. This site proved to be excellent and despite all the heavy rain for the weeks previous the ground proved to be perfect, much to the amazement of the competitors who all agreed that it was probably the best site in Munster. In all there were 68 tractors ploughing on the day—a mighty turn-out.

Joe Rea, newly-appointed chairman of Teagasc—the farming bodies—performed the official opening. Joe is well known in the area from his Macra and IFA days and has many friends here. Joe was enthusiastic about the whole day's procedure and was delighted to be present.

To add further to the attraction of the day, the current Queen of the Plough, Elizabeth Lynch from Kilbrittain was present and ploughing as also was Ireland's strongest man, Martin Keogh. Martin from Wexford is this year's All-Ireland Champion and was fifth in the World Championships.

TRADE DISPLAYS

To add to the occasion several businesses put on trade displays. This lent a sense of gala to the day and gave the ladies present something to muse about as they meandered around the field. The Irish Sugar Company also put on a beet-pulling demonstration in the adjacent field. Here they were demonstrating their twin-row Armer-Salmon machine and beet enthusiasts from all over Munster came to see it as this was the first demonstration the Beet Company had put on in the South-East.

All in all a very successful day and full credit to the organising committee and stewards on the occasion. A special word of appreciation to the Ladies Committee who provided fulsome meals to about 200 people at the conclusion of the ploughing.

To the sponsors who contributed so magnificently the committee extend a very

big 'thank you'. A special programme for the day was printed and therein every sponsor was acknowledged. To the Gardai who kept the traffic flowing and the roads clear a debt of gratitude is also due.

JUDGES FOR THE DAY

D. J. O'Driscoll, Ted Keohane, West Cork; Michael Muldowney, Philip Murphy, Willie Doyle, Kilkenny; John Hartley, Waterford.

LOCAL WINNERS

Winners of the local confined competitions:

Inter-Parish—East Cork Oil Trophy—1, Joe O'Neill, Knockanore; 2, Tom McCarthy, Youghal; 3, Thomas Lucey, Inch. Best Parish Team—Youghal (Tom McCarthy and Ger Trihy). Best Clashmore-Piltown Ploughman—Mansfield Cup—James Coughlan, Monatrea, Kinsalebeg.

Under-21 Inter-Parish—Waterford Co-op Cup—Joint 1, Nicholas O'Connell, Grange, Sean Osborne, Aghlish; 2, Kieran Hallahan, Aghlish; 3, James

Leahy, Monatrea, Kinsalebeg.

Under-16 Inter-Parish—1, Nicholas O'Connell, Grange; 2, James Leahy, Monatrea, Kinsalebeg; 3, Conor Beausang, Grange.

Confined Novice 2-Furrow—Castlelyons Co-op Cup—1, Seamus McGrath, Grange; 2, Fergal Murphy, Knockanore; 3, Jimmy Daly, Monatrea, Kinsalebeg.

Confined Novice 2-Furrow Under-21—1, Hugh McGrath, Clashmore; 2, Raymond Russell, Clashmore; 3, Patrick Foley, Clashmore.

Confined Novice Under-16—1, Seamus McGrath, Grange; 2, Fergal Murphy, Knockanore; 3, Niall Conner, Clashmore; 4, Donal Leahy, Monatrea, Kinsalebeg.

Each prizewinner received a plaque and most of the classes carried a cash prize. The prizes were presented by Mr. Joe Rea, Chairman Teagasc and Miss Caroline Smiddy, D'Loughtane, Clashmore—current Waterford Queen of the Land.

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IRISH FARMERS ASSOCIATION WATERFORD COUNTY EXECUTIVE FARM TAX MEETING IN LAWLORS HOTEL, DUNGARVAN TUESDAY, DEC. 6th at 8.00 p.m.

Speakers—Martin Good, Secretary I.F.A. Taxation & Credit Committee; T.A. Dilleen, Ex. Tax Inspector on Self assessment; Mairead Foley, Department of Social Welfare on P.R.S.I. ALL FARMERS INVITED TO ATTEND

Court Sequel To Abbeyside Accident

A van driver lost his co-ordination when approaching cars failed to dim their lights and he crashed into a parked van which was "written off," District Justice W. F. O'Connell heard at Dungarvan Court last week.

Before the court was Michael Mahony, Clash, Ballinacourty, Dungarvan, who was charged with dangerous driving at Clonea Road, Abbeyside, on the night of July 8th last.

John Fennell, Clonea Road, in evidence said he received a telephone call around 11.30 that night and when he returned home he saw that his van, which had been parked outside his house, was very badly damaged. Another van nearby had crashed into the back of it.

Garda Timothy Murphy said he arrived at the scene shortly after midnight but the defendant had left at that stage. He called to his house but he was not at home and he failed to locate him that night.

Garda Murphy said on the

following morning Mahony come to the garda station and admitted being involved in the accident. He added that Fennell's van was completely written off.

Mahony told the court that he had been working as a milkman from 5 a.m. and was over-tired as he drove home that night. Approaching vehicles failed to dim their lights and as a result he lost his co-ordination and collided with the parked van.

PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS

When the District Justice intimated that he would convict the defendant of careless driving, Inspector Pat Tierney disclosed that Mahony had previous convictions under the Road Traffic Act including driving with excess alcohol.

On the reduced charge of careless driving he was fined £50 with £40 expenses and the conviction was endorsed. He was also fined £10 for having one bald tyre on his van.

Mr. Niall King, Solr., defended.



SANTA CLAUS FOR DUNGARVAN TOWN WALK-ABOUT

The 8th December traditionally marks the commencement of the Christmas shopping period and this year the grand old man himself Santa Claus, by special invitation of Dungarvan Retail Traders Association, has agreed to visit Dungarvan for an all-day walk-about to meet as many children as possible and collect their letters in person. Santa Claus has promised to have a little present for every boy and girl he meets on his street tour, following his arrival at Grattan Square at 12.45 mid-day on December 8th (Thursday).



Also arriving at this time will be two "Shopper-Special Luxury Hallahan Coaches," which will provide free return transport to Dungarvan from Ardmore/Youghal and Tallow/Lismore areas providing an opportunity for a full shopping day in the "Old Boro," for many who may not have easy access to conventional carriers. (For bus times see advert.)

During his visit Santa Claus will perform the switch on of the Festive Christmas Lighting Scheme which this year has been ex-

tended and enhanced with Ringing Yule Bells and Christmas Orbs and seasonal musical background. Adding to the attractions of Christmas Shopping in Dungarvan is the opening in Dungarvan of a new exhibition by Dungarvan Museum Society on the theme "Christmas Of Years Of Yore," featuring memorabilia of many aspects of former yule tides and financially assisted by Dungarvan Retail Traders Association. A visit will prove most interesting to young and old alike.

It is reliably learned that Santa Claus intends doing his own Christmas shopping in Dungarvan as he says himself, "I love shopping in Dungarvan," with two spacious car parks, free first half-hour kerbside parking and well stocked shops offering excellent value and pleasant service. The message from Santa Claus to all is, "See you in Dungarvan for Christmas Shopping and Happy Christmas to all."



Photo shows Santa Claus signing the contract for his walk-about with Dungarvan Retail Traders Association members Mario Flavin, Matt Connolly and Noel Devereux.

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Court Told A "Cock And Bull" Story

A 19-year-old defendant, who it was stated had told a "cock and bull" story to the court, was sentenced to concurrent six month detention sentences by District Justice W. F. O'Connell at Dungarvan Court last week.

John Keniry, Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, was charged with stealing £400 in cash and £200 in goods from Cappagh Stores on the night of November 3/4, and causing malicious damage to a plate glass window to an amount of £100.

Keniry pleaded guilty to the malicious damage charge but not guilty to the larceny of the cash and goods.

He told the court that he had forced the protective grill on the store window and also broke part of the window. However when a number of cars passed he panicked and ran off without entering the stores.

Detective Garda Oliver Phelan however told of arresting Keniry on a warrant on November 5 at Leamybrien. He had over £124 in cash on him in a bank bag which the stores owner identified as hers. Keniry claimed the money was from the will of his father who had died some years earlier.

The defendant's mother however said her son had foolishly spent all the money his late father had

left him. "That money was long since gone," she said.

District Justice O'Connell said he didn't believe one word the defendant had told the court. He then convicted and sentenced Keniry to six months detention on each of the two charges. The sentences will run concurrently but consecutively with another six months he is presently serving.

Inspector Pat Tierney prosecuted and Mr. J. P. Gordon, Solr, defended.

FRIARY STUDENT IN MISS YOUNG IRELAND FINALS

Miss Elaine Connors of Fahafeela, Kilmacthomas, a 19-year-old student at the St. Augustine's College, Duckspool, Dungarvan, will be one of 14 finalists representing the South East in the Miss Young Ireland contest. The finals take place in the Atrium, Trinity College, Dublin, on Saturday next, December 3.

We wish Elaine the very best of luck.

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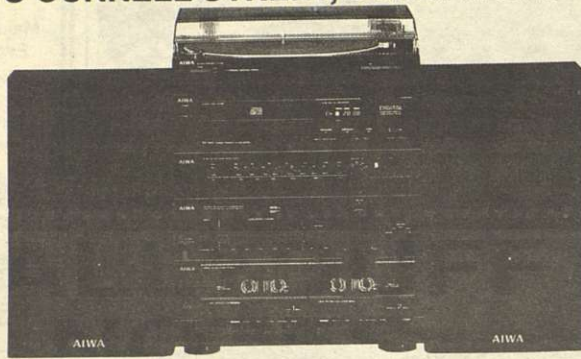
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WEST WATERFORD NOTES

ENGAGED

Congratulations to Noel Hayes, Tinnock, Youghal on the occasion of his engagement to Miss Mary Willis, Ballyduff.

SECOND PLACE

Annette O'Keefe, Ballyheaney, Clashmore and Jo-Anne Morrissey, Aglish were members of the Loreto-Convent School Choir who were placed second in the North Wales Choral Festival in Wales last week. Congratulations to all concerned.

FARMERS MEET

Members from the farming community from Clashmore and Aglish attended the annual information meeting of Waterford Co-op in Aglish on Friday night last. There was a large attendance and in general, things are looking good for the Co-op and farming in Waterford.

KINSALEBEG HARRIERS

There was a good turn-out of horses and riders at last Sunday's meet of the Kinsalebeg Harriers at Power's Cross under Master of Foxhounds, Jimmy Fitzgerald.

TIDY TOWNS

Clashmore Tidy Towns Committee held a very suc-

cessful fund-raising night in Garry O'Halloran's on Sunday night last. Music was provided by Paddy Greenslade and the raffle took place. The winners were as follows: 1st prize (Waterford Crystal sponsored by Waterford Glass Ltd.)—won by Eric Trihy, Coolbagh, Clashmore; 2nd prize (Electric Kettle sponsored by Waterford Co-op)—won by Francis Morrissey, Ballybrusa, Grange; 3rd prize (Electric Knife)—won by Grainne Nolan, Piltown, Kinsalebeg.

DARTS

A friendly darts match will take place between the Old Still darts team against Ardmore on this Friday night. A raffle will take place for valuable prizes and the proceeds will go towards the Aid Cancer Fund.

IN HOSPITAL

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to Siobhan Condon, Clashmore, presently in hospital.

JUVENILE G.A.A.

The annual general meeting of Clashmore Juvenile G.A.A. was held on November 18 in the GAA Pavilion. Full details of the officers elected next week. Arrangements for the

"Voice of Clashmore" are now underway, and the first rounds will commence shortly.

A victory social is also being arranged for our Under-16 footballers—the county champions.

BEST OF LUCK

And the best of luck to the new "Leader" from all of us here in the Clashmore, Aglish and adjoining areas.

ARREST WARRANT FOR DUNGARVAN MAN

When Thomas Kiely, Mount Odell, Dungarvan, failed to appear at Dungarvan Court last week, a bench warrant for his arrest was issued by District Justice W. F. O'Connell. He was charged on two counts with conspiracy and with malicious damage to a lorry to the amount of £5,500 at St. Brigid's Well, Shandon, Dungarvan on April 23, 1988.

Garda Inspector P. Tierney who prosecuted made the application for the bench warrant and the charges were adjourned pending the execution of the warrant.



Members of Tallow Area Credit Union pictured at the annual general meeting in Tallow Community Hall, from left: Tom Murphy, Pat O'Dwyer, Mrs. Nora O'Brien, Michael Tobin, Sean Twomey, Margaret Condon, Matt Dineen, Mrs. Helen McCarthy, Chairperson, Pat Geary. (Rory Wyley)

CREDIT UNION CHIEF WARNS AGAINST LOAN SHARKS

Deprivation and unemployment are the fertile grounds on which illegal money-lenders and loan sharks are thriving in the Ireland of today, Mrs. Helen McCarthy, chairperson of Tallow Credit Union stated in her address to the annual general meeting.

"There is an old adage which says 'the devil dances in an empty pocket' and that is very true at a time of mass unemployment and very real poverty," said Mrs. McCarthy.

Tempted by the lure of "easy credit," people are turning to "Mr. Nice Guy" — the moneylender—for the loans that are being made so readily available, she said. "But soon 'Mr. Nice Guy' becomes an extortionist—a thorn which festers—charging interest

rates as high as 40%."

Mrs. McCarthy welcomed the recent ministerial announcement by Dr. Woods that a scheme is to be introduced which will help those who are unfortunate enough to have fallen prey to this "cancer" in our society.

She said the blueprint for the proposed scheme was first introduced by the Lough Credit Union in Cork city—further proof that Credit Unions put people first by helping them regain and maintain their dignity. "The nation owes the Lough Credit Union a deep debt of gratitude and the people involved are to be congratulated on their caring attitude," said Mrs. McCarthy.

HIDDEN STING

The chairperson also issued a "beware" warning to

those who may apply for loans to An Post/Bowmaker Ltd. and who have recently mounted a massive campaign advertising "cheques by post."

Mrs. McCarthy said there is a hidden, but very painful, sting in the tail in the form of an interest rate of 23.87%—as against a Credit Union rate of 12.68%.

Reviewing another outstandingly successful year for Tallow Credit Union, Mrs. McCarthy reported a massive 36% increase in savings which pushed the branch well past "the magical" £1 million. "That milestone is an example of what can be done when people co-operate to help themselves and their neighbours," Mrs. McCarthy added.

ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

WELCOME

This week we say welcome to the new format "Dungarvan Leader" and wish it well with all the new technology. The old style "Leader" served a remarkable era in Abbeyside Scouting and we look forward with optimism to our association with the new look publication

INDOOR COOKING COMPETITION

Last Saturday night instead of our regular troop meeting, we held an interpatrol indoor cooking competition for the New Troop Perpetual Trophy. It was the first indoor cooking competition held for a long time.

The standard was very high with all patrols deserving great credit for their efforts. The menus were varied with rice and rich pork in beer (if you don't mind), just two of the choices. Desserts were even more extravagant with flans, fruit cocktail, brandy and vanilla milkshake or apple crumble and cream on the agenda.

For the competition, each patrol was given a budget of 50p per head (the rest of the food was brought from home). They each had to produce a four course meal which they cooked on gas.

DUNGARVAN SCOUTS

CUB INVESTITURE

On Tuesday week we went to the Parish Church for Mass which was celebrated by Fr. Rogers, C.C. Following Mass, ASL Tom gave an introductory speech explaining the investiture and what it meant. Then CL Susan called the new cubs together and they recited their cub scout prayer and promise. ASL Paula then presented the cubs with their new cub caps and neckerchiefs.

After the cub investiture we sat and watched while some new scouts were invested as well as some of the older lads receiving their badges. To finish off the investiture our new Regional Commissioner, Joe Organ spoke a few words, congratulating the newly invested cubs and scouts. He then presented CL's Susan and Paula with their ARL badges.

We were delighted to see so many of our parents present at the church and later at the den along with RC Joe and his team. A small party was held for cubs and parents.

Thanks to Fr. Rogers for saying Mass and congratulations to our new cubs and scouts.—"Bi Ullamh."

The competition was judged by Unit Leader Brian Mulvihill and Unit Secretary Jack McCarthy who judged it under seven headings (winners of each in brackets)—Menu (Wolf), Presentation (Wolf), Patrol Participation (Tiger and Kestrel), Hygiene (Wolf), Clean-up (Wolf and Kestrel), and the big one—the meal itself—(Wolf).

The placings were: jt. third, Tiger and Eagle; second, Kestrel, and the winners were the Wolf Patrol who were outstanding in all departments. The winning patrol were PL Gerard Mullen, APL Mark Shepherd, Scouts Martin Whelan, Enda Donnelly, Brendan Cliffe, Anthony Hackett, Robert Curran and Cian O'Donovan. Jack presented Gerard with the 'new' trophy.

CUB NEWS

Last Saturday saw both sections arrive at the den dressed in their woolly hats and wellies and all set to head off on their mystery hike. At 10.15 we trudged out the Waterford road before heading up the forest path. We ran out of path and had to pick a new route to get us back on the main road.

On the road we headed for Droichidin an Uisce where shortly after twelve we had our official lunch break. It was then on to the Gold Coast, up to the Golf Club and over to the lighthouse where we had a game of soccer.

We left Kelleher's, the lighthouse, at 2.50 and arrived back in the den with the last stragglers at 4.30, after a tremendously enjoyable but very tiring day! I'm sure the Leaders will sleep for a week after this, whatever about the cubs.

—SUB-SCRIBE PLUS.

PADDY O'BRIEN—NO STRANGER NOW

Paddy O'Brien of Aglish, Co. Waterford once played with a band called The Strangers. The name was perhaps appropriate at the time. The likeable singer was relatively unknown apart from a small circle of fans in the Waterford/South Tipperary area.

How times have changed. Because now the name of Paddy O'Brien is displayed prominently as a leading attraction at cabaret venues and lounge bars throughout the country

You can see Paddy and his band at Crotty's of Leamybrien on Saturday night, December 10.



Pictured above new Deise Region Scout Commissioners Staff appointed recently. Back row left to right; Neil O'Sullivan, Assistant Regional Commissioner, Scouts; Maurice Fennell, Assistant Regional Commissioner, Venturers; Brian Mulvihill, Assistant Regional Commissioner, Cubs; Ray Moore, Assistant Commissioner, Camping; David Stearn, Assistant Regional Commissioner, Development and P.R.; Front row, Paula Leahy, Assistant Regional Commissioner, Information, Joe Organ, New Regional Commissioner, Susan Klely, Assistant Regional Commissioner, Information. (Photo—David Stearn)

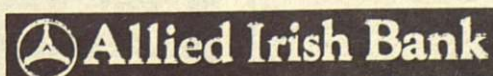
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New Technology Changes Update "The Leader"

This week we introduce to our reading public the new-look, updated "Dungarvan Leader" in its new modern format, the planned changes for which were initiated as long ago as last April.

For us here at the "Leader" the changes have been the result of much heart-

searching as they have not easily been achieved, demanding a great deal of re-adapting as we switched from our old printing methods to meet the very exacting demands of the new system.

That we have managed to cope with the change-over while still maintain-

ing the unbroken publication of the "Leader" is indeed a credit to our workforce who have joined with the editorial staff as a team in effecting the transition in this fashion from the old to the new.

The old hot metal linotype machines have been replaced with the most modern Apple Macintosh typesetting equipment which also incorporates the process for the layout and make-up of the pages. As a result the noise and rattle associated with the old-style typesetting is gone and has been replaced by the silently operated computers.

While we do not wish to bore readers with the technical details, the end result of these changes is that we will now be in a position to increase our pictorial cover and to greatly improve the quality of our typefaces as well as of the reproduction in the pictures to be published as again the making of metal plates as required under our old printing process has been dispensed with.

The change-over from the old broadsheet form of the "Leader" to our new modern size must, as far as our readers are concerned, prove the major difference for them. Without doubt it will take a little getting used to but we assure the thousands of readers who so loyally supported us over the past half-century that there will be no change in the editorial policy of the paper and

that we will continue, as we have always done in the past, to give fair, factual reports of all matters which are of interest to the community. The old tried, favorites of the "Leader" will, needless to say, also be continued.

SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS

As a special new attraction to co-incide with our change-over to the new technology we will have a Free "Place The Ball" competition for readers for which there will be a Super Prize of a valuable Midi Hi-Fi System made available in conjunction with Darrell's (formerly Colum's Shop), O'Connell Street, Dungarvan. Details of and entry forms for this Super free competition can be found on Page 4

In the issues of the new "Leader" leading up to Christmas we will also be running special features recalling other days in Tallow and Dungarvan and readers can rest assured that from now on there will always be something interesting and exciting in the "Leader" each week.

And in conjunction with our plans for more pictorial coverage, Club P.R.O.'s and Secretaries who may wish to have the attendance of a photographer to take photographs at any social functions for publication in the "Leader," should contact our offices in Dungarvan.

Before concluding, it would be less than courteous for us not to publicly acknowledge the many messages of goodwill

which have already come to us, wishing us well for the future while it is only right that we should also acknowledge the generous help which has been so willingly afforded us by Tom Tobin, who now resides in Limerick City and by our friends down

in Killamey and also by our new friends in Clonmel.

And so we now launch into the future with this the first issue of our new, updated "Leader" and look forward (D.V.) to the continued support of an ever-widening circle of readers. —The Editor.

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THE NEW "LEADER"

We introduce the new "Dungarvan Leader" to our readers this week and hope that you will all like it and that more and more will read it as time goes on. It is only at times like this when courage to launch a new venture is required, that the concern and good wishes of the public is appreciated. And in this regard we have not found our large circle of friends wanting as messages wishing us good luck have poured in from all areas.

Indeed the great fund of goodwill which has been shown to us is a revelation and a source of great encouragement to us all engaged in this major change. We thank everyone concerned for their generous good wishes and congratulations and assure all that we will continue to provide our readers with a full service of local news, views and comments in the years ahead.

'FAILTE

And this week also we extend 'failte is fiche' to Supt. P. J. Hayes who has been assigned to take charge of the Dungarvan Garda District, a position which has been vacant since former Supt. Matt English retired seven months ago.

We understand that Supt. Hayes who presently resides with his wife and family in Tramore will come to live in Dungarvan as soon as a suitable residence is found and we are sure that he and his family will be warmly welcomed by the people not only of the town but of the entire area of West Waterford

EXTRADITION ROW SPARKS COUNCIL WALK-OUT

At the end of an otherwise rather uneventful meeting of Waterford County Council in Dungarvan last Monday an unexpected row blew up which ended with a walk-out by three Fianna Fail members. More than half of the 23 member Council had left the meeting as the time approached 5 p.m., the statutory time for ending Council meetings, when Cllr. C. O Riain (FF) proposed a motion which sparked off the row and led to the walk-out.

In the motion Cllr. O Riain sought the support of the Council for a request to the Minister for Justice not to extradite Fr. Patrick Ryan to the North or to Britain on the grounds that he would not stand a chance in a British Court. He warned that if the government acceded to the British request it would "have dire repercussions for the government, the Taoiseach and for the Fianna Fail party."

The motion was seconded by Cllr. Ollie Wilkinson (FF) who said that his views

on extradition, already publicly expressed, were well known. There was no need for him to highlight the number of injustices being suffered by Irish people in English jails nor to point out that there was no hope of justice for anyone Irish in such circumstances. Holding that the real terrorists in the North were the British Army, Cllr. Wilkinson added that "while the British Army remained in the North we will have these problems."

Cllr. Jimmy Quirke (FF) said it would be a disgrace if Fr. Ryan was extradited as everyone knew there was no justice for Irish nationals in the North and Cllr. Patsy Kenneally (FF) agreed with this.

Matters then took a turn when the Chairman Cllr. Billy Kyne (Lab.) remarked that he regretted that this matter was not raised while all members of the Council were present. He believed it was not correct to blandly say there was no justice in the North without also saying there was no justice shown by the Provisional IRA for those they shot and blew up. "It is the IRA who are putting our government under threat in having to make these extradition decisions and I think the Fianna Fail members here should support their Taoiseach and Minister for Justice in such matters."

Cllrs. O Riain, Wilkinson and Quirke then in turn declared that they did not condone what the IRA was

doing, "no one has the right to take life and I want that to go out loud and clear," said Cllr. O Riain.

At this stage Cllr. Michael Queally (FG) proposed an amendment that the Council support the Minister for Justice and the government in whatever decision was reached in the matter and when Cllr. Michael O'Riordan (FG) seconded this, Cllr. O Riain gathered up his papers and walked out of the Council chamber in protest stating that "I thought that my proposal about this would be passed unanimously." He was followed out by Cllrs. Wilkinson and Quirke.

The contentious motion then went by default and the meeting ended with the remaining members present passing a resolution, proposed by the Chairman, extending good wishes for a speedy return to good health by the Taoiseach, Mr. Haughey

AWARDS FOR TOP TRAINEE

Apropos our article in last week's column on "A Maker of Porcelain Dolls" in which we referred to the enterprise of the young Abbeyside housewife, Laura O'Connor, 30 Glendine Drive, in establishing a new small industry making beautiful Bisque porcelain dolls, it gives us much pleasure to record this week that Laura, having been nominated top trainee on the Entrepreneurial Skills Course and also as overall winner of first place as Top Trainee in FAS for 1988, was presented with plaques for both by the Minister for Labour, Mr. Bertie Aherne at FAS headquarters in Waterford last Monday. Laura was also the recipient of a cheque for £150 sponsored by the Bank of Ireland.

The presentations were followed by a buffet social at which the award winners and their families as well as the Mayor of Waterford, local TD's and the other public representatives were present. Many congratulations to Laura on the great achievement

DESTROYING OUR ENVIRONMENT

Following a complaint which was made to us last Sunday we paid a visit later in the evening to the small link road running from Barnawee Bridge on the Clonea Road outside Dungarvan to the main Waterford road at Cushcam. As we recall it from the days of our youth the road was called Drideen-an-uisge but whether it is still so known we don't know.

Anyway having travelled down the road for about one and a half miles from the Barnawee end we discov-

REMEMBERING JOHN F. KENNEDY

Tuesday of last week, November 22, marked the 25th Anniversary of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy in 1963. Shortly after it happened we received a poem composed by Frank J. Thornton dedicated to the late President Kennedy but for one reason or another it was not published at the time. While searching for other material during the week we came across it again and now select it as our choice for this, the first issue in our new format.

Frank Thornton was born in Kerry and at the time of President Kennedy's assassination he was a Chicago Police Officer and First President of the Irish Musicians Association of America. The poem expresses the dazed dismay which the shooting of JFK had in general but especially among the Irish-American communities.

The sun shone high on a Texas sky
And the balmy breeze did blow,
When America's best, his life had lost
At the hands of a frightful foe,
A President grand in this great land
A martyr there did die,
As his charming wife tried to save his life
For the good of both you and I,

The world amazed, and its people dazed
A shock to the souls of men,
On this very day, when JFK
Had fervently prayed to him.
Then his life he gave for the land of the brave
The place he had loved so well,
To make life sublime for yours and mine
Such devotion no words can tell.

Now a hero brave in a veteran's grave
With eternal light beside,
Your Irish smile will guide each mile
For not in vain you died.
You have shown the way to the U.S.A.
May the peace you saw come true
God grant you rest, America's best
May we have more sons like you.

ered no fewer than three illegal dumps on the seaside of the roadway. The place was a shambles and an absolute disgrace for any civilised community.

At one particular dump there was clear evidence that a truckload of refuse including old fridges and suchlike had been dumped in the recent past while there was at least one old rusting abandoned car nearby.

It was indeed a shocking display of the way in which many of us are destroying our once beautiful environment and in this instance to make matters worse the dumps were all within a few hundred yards of official Co. Council signs declaring that "Dumping Is

Prohibited Here."

We were informed that there has been an upsurge in this illegal dumping, especially in the Dungarvan district, since charges for using the town dump at Ballinamuck were introduced last year. Whether this is the reason or not, it is unacceptable that anyone should rape the countryside in this fashion. It shows the great lack of civic spirit and indeed the lack of honesty that still exists in the community as it is evident that all this illegal dumping is carried out surreptitiously under the cover of dark by people who believe that nothing is wrong unless they're caught.

We cannot condemn acts of this kind too strongly.

DUNGARVAN MARATHON RUNNERS



A group of Dungarvan runners who completed the Dublin City Millennium Marathon for various charities. (Photo—Rory Wyley).

DISTRICT CORRS. REQUIRED

The "Dungarvan Leader" is seeking district Correspondents in the following areas — Ardmore, Lismore, Youghal and Tallow (town).

Inquiries should be made to:—

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Weekend TV Viewing

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2

RTE 1

2.05 The Brothers. 3.00 'Live' At Three including News headlines and Weather. 4.00 Sons and Daughters. 4.30 Lillie. 5.30 The Sullivans.

6.00 The Angelus. 6.01 Six-One. 7.00 Play The Game. 7.30 Head To Toe. 8.00 Bookie. A tough new three-part drama series by Allan Prior about an old-fashioned Glasgow book-maker with plenty of problems. 1: Trial Run. With two betting shops in a rough city, Danny Dawson hopes his only son will follow in his footsteps. But a doubtful character starts betting heavily at Johnny's branch of the business. Starring Maurice Roeves, John Hannah and Sheila Greer. 9.00 News. 9.30 The Late Show presented by Gay Byrne. 11.35-1.30 a.m. The Late Night Friday Movie: Al Capone. The ruthless rise and fall of a Chicago entrepreneur whose forthright business methods liquidated most competition, boosted turnover — and brought him ultimately to Alcatraz where he enjoyed the company of relatives of many victims. Starring Rod Steiger, Fay Spain and Murvyn Vye.

NETWORK 2

2.30 Bosco. 3.00 Dempsey's Den. 3.00 Robin and Rosie. 3.20 The Berenstein Bears Show. 4.05 The Muppet Babies. 4.30 Happy Birthday. 4.45 Ten Minute Tales. 5.00 Newline. 5.25 Danger Bay.



6.00 Jo-Maxi. 6.30 Home and Away. 7.00 Nuacht. 7.05 Cursai. 7.30 What's My Line. 8.00 News Headlines and Weather followed by Sports World. 9.00 Mr. President. Starring George C. Scott and Carlin Glynn. 9.30 News Headlines followed by World Cinema. Un Hombre De Exito. Set against the background of Cuban politics between 1932 and 1959 this award winning film explores the career of Javier, an opportunistic and cynical young man determined to achieve success and power. Nothing, be it politics, family or love shall prevent him from pursuing his ambitions. Starring Cesar Evora and Raquel Revuelta. 11.25 The Avengers.

BBC 1

6.00 a.m. Ceefax AM. 6.35 Contented Calves. 6.55 Weather. 7.00 Breakfast Time. 8.55 Regional News and Weather. 9.00 News; Weather; Open Air. 9.30 Kilroy! 10.00 News; Weather; Going For Gold. 10.25 Children's BBC. 10.15 The Bunhyip. 10.55 Five To Eleven. 11.00 News; Weather; Open Air.

12.00 News; Weather; Daytime Live. 1.55 Regional News and Weather. 1.00 One O'Clock News; Weather. 1.30 Neighbours. 1.50 Film: The Fugitive, starring Henry Fonda. 3.30 The Pink Panther Show. 3.50 Children's BBC. 4.05 Ewoks. 4.30 The Satellite Show. 5.05 Record Breakers. 5.35 Neighbours.

6.00 Six O'Clock News. 6.30 Wales Today. 7.00 Wogan with Sue Lawley. 7.40 Blankety Blank. 8.15 Twenty-One Years of the Two Ronnies. 9.00 Nine O'Clock News; Regional News; Weather. 9.30 Film: Firepower, James Coburn and Sophia Loren. 11.10 For What We are About To Receive: The Great Debate. 12.00 Film: The Runaway Train. Starring Ben Johnson, Vera Miles and Ben Murphy. 1.25 a.m. Weather.

BBC 2

9.00 a.m. Ceefax 1.30 Daytime On Two. 2.00 News; Weather; You And Me for 4 and 5 year olds. 2.15 Sport on Friday. 3.50 News; Weather; Regional Bulletins. 4.00 Catchword. 4.30 Favourite Things. 5.00 Homemade. 5.30 Food and Drink.

6.00 Film: Go For A Take. A film studio proves the ideal hiding place for Wilfred and Jack on the run from a gambling debt. Starring Reg Varney and Norman Rossington. 7.30 Bilko. 7.55 Prisoners of Conscience. 8.00 Public Account. 9.00 Entertainment USA: St. Louis. 9.30 Arena: Clint Eastwood. The last of the true box office stars, Clint Eastwood, talks about his movie life. 10.30 Newsnight. 11.15 The Late Show with Clive James. 12.00 Weatherview. 12.05 a.m. Prisoners of Conscience. 12.10-1.35 a.m. Film: Shockproof, starring Patricia Knight and Cornel Wilde. When ex-con Jenny ignores a warning to keep away from her former gangster friends, she lands herself and her parole officer, who has fallen in love with her, in deep trouble. (1949, black and white).

Highlights for the Rest of the Week on RTE

RTE 1

SUNDAY, DEC. 4
21.20 She's Got It! 23.15 Ray Bradbury Theatre.

MONDAY, DEC. 5
14.30 Mediterranean Cookery. 16.30 Brideshead Revisited. Part 10. 20.00 A Guilty Thing surprises

TUESDAY, DEC. 6
14.35 Art In Italy. 19.30 The Pure Drop.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7
16.30 Edward The Seventh. Part 3. 22.10 Strings In The Air: Geraldine O'Grady's guests this week are husband and wife team Phillip Martin (piano) and soprano Penelope Price Jones. 22.40 Bookside.

FRIDAY, DEC. 9
16.30 Lillie. 19.30 Head To Toe. 20.00 Bookie. Part 2. 23.30 Ernie Kovacks: Between The Laughter.



NETWORK 2

SUNDAY, 4 DEC.
14.50 Don Giovanni. 17.30 Piano Plus.

SUNDAY, DEC. 4
Darkness Visible: third part of Eoghan Harris's documentary on manic depression. 21.00 Armchair Theatre. The Second Interview—stars Pauline Yeates, Ronald Lewis and Ronald Radd in a drama about an up and coming executive who finds career, reputation and marriage on the line.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 7
21.30 Imaginary Friends: third and final part of Malcolm Bradbury's adaptation of Alison Laurie's scientific novel about interstellar travel.

FRIDAY, DEC. 9
21.30 World Cinema: Mr. Klomp. Mr. Klomp portrays the downfall of a mediocre man, deprived of his hold over life by his premature retirement, the interest flows into passion that seals his doom. Starring Leo De Har- togh as Ger Klomp.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3

RTE 1

9.00 The Whole Shbang. 10.30 Action Station Saturday. 1.00 The Nancy Drew Mysteries. 1.50 News Headlines and Weather followed by Faerie Tale Theatre. 2.55 Blondie. . . On A budget. 4.15 Saturday Matinee: Magic Fire. "Desirable women tingled at the touch of his magic fingers . . . this wildly inspired man whose life became one long, deliciously irresistible temptation! "Don Juan?" No, Richard Wagner, composer of resounding operas! Starring Yvonne De carlo, Carlos Thompson and Peter Cushing.

6.00 The Angelus. 6.01 News and News for the Deaf. 6.15 Mailbag. 6.35 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. Late night Movie. A Strange And deadly Occurrence. At first the Rhodes family put it all down to an infestation of gophers when things began to go bump in the night. But it turns out worse than that—a very great deal worse—and no one will believe them. Starring Robert Stack and Vera Miles.

NETWORK 2

12.20 sign of the Times. 12.50 News Headlines followed by Weather. 12.54 Sports Stadium. 5.10 On The Wings of the Wind: The Voyage of the "Aspasia Alpha."



6.00 Wired. 6.55 Nuacht. 7.00 Iris. 7.30 Family Ties. 8.00 Saturday Cinema: Without A Trace. Susan Selky, a lecturer at Columbia University, comes home to find that her six-year-old son has not returned from school. It's the start of a mother's frantic search despite false leads, crank calls, predictions by a psychic, and failure by the police. Starring Kate Nelligan, Jud Hirsch and David Dukes. 10.10 The Modern World: Ten Great Writers—Thomas Mann. 11.05 Late Night Drama. The Sky Is Grey by Ernest J. Gaines.



BBC 1

SATURDAY, DEC. 3
8.15 a.m. Saturday Starts Here. 8.25 Corners. 8.40 Chucklevision. 9.00 Going Live. 12.12 p.m. Weather. 12.15 Grandstand. 5.00 News, Weather. 5.15 The Flying Doctors.

6.00 The Noel Edmonds Saturday Roadshow. 6.45 Bob's Full House. 7.20 'Allo 'Allo. 7.45 Hearts Of Gold. 8.25 Film: Looker starring Albert Finney, James Coburn, Susan Dey and Leigh Taylor-Young. After the deaths of two beautiful models in mysterious circumstances, Los Angeles police question their plastic surgeon who begins his own investigation. (1981). 9.55 News and Sport, Weather. 10.10 The Odd Couple. 10.35 Film: A Fistful Of Dollars. First of Clint Eastwood's box-office breaking adult 'spaghetti' westerns. The "man with no name" rides into a Mexican border town run by two rival gangs who are unaware that the gun-slinging stranger is their nemesis arriving on horseback (1964). 12.05 a.m. Barry Manilow: Big Fun On Swing Street. 12.55 Weather.

BBC 2

9.00 Ceefax. 12.00 Open University. 1.55 p.m. Interval. 2.00 Network East. 2.40 Under The Eagle Wing. 3.10 Richard Burton Double Bill. Bitter Victory. Two officers on a mission in North Africa in World War 11 find themselves fighting a personal war of jealousy and rivalry which leaves the winner tasting a hallow victory. Kurt Jurgens co-stars with Burton. (1957) (black and white). 4.50 Alexander The Great

7.00 Newsview. 7.40 Riders. To The Sea. Vaughan William's one-act opera based on J. M. Synge's story of a fishing community's struggle with the sea. 8.25 Christabel. Part three. 9.25 The Film Club. Persons Unknown. Delightful Italian crime spoof starring Vittorio Gassman as the brains of a gang of small-time crooks who filch another gang's blueprint for the 'perfect' robbery and put it into effect with meticulous care and chaotic results. 11.10-1.25 a.m. Film: Down By Law. Luckless law-breakers Zack and Jack (Tom Waits and John Laurie) find themselves sharing a cell with an exuberant Italian (inside for killing at cards).

COUNTY WATERFORD MACRA DEBATING CHAMPIONS



The Kinsalebeg Macra team who were winners of the Macra Na Feirme Debating County Final (l. to r.) Patricia Kieley, Peter Kieley, Suzanne Hynes, Geraldine Veale, Paddy Ahern. (Claire Cusack)



At the Tallow Area Credit Union A.G.M. in Tallow Community Hall were Maudy Tobin, Helen Condon and Jenny Allen. (Rory Wyley)

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Paddy O'Brien from Aglish—making it big on the
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Dungarvan As It Looked 50 Years Ago

Here we publish for the first time three aerial photographs taken in 1933 showing Dungarvan as it was in that time more than fifty years ago.

PHOTO NO. 1 is a panoramic view of the Urban area with in the foreground, the village of Abbeyside as it then was. To the bottom left is Abbeyside Church and stretching south is Friar's Walk which then had no houses at all. The speck at the approximate half way mark on the road was McGrath's Castle, the ruin of which was still standing at the time.

Both sides of Friar's Walk were bounded by green fields with the tree-lined Hermitage (bottom right) where Murphy Place and McCarthyville now stand were not even thought of then while the old railway line can be faintly seen on the extreme right (bottom).

At the top of the photo can be seen the distinctive landmark of St. Mary's Parish Church with the C.B.S. building beside it. Areas now occupied by Congress Villas, Cathal Brugha Place, Caseyville and the more recent Western Bay,

Springfield, Byrneville and Kilrush Park were still "green" spaces in those days.

PHOTO NO. 2 shows a close-up of the Town Centre with Grattan Square where the Weigh-house (centre) still stood with Bridge Street leading on to the Causeway Bridge and the Shandon Road leading to the old railway station.

Note on the bottom right, the rear view of the premises at Main Street and Mary Street, where the Urban Council car park is now located, then it was known locally as Scanlon's Yard.

PHOTO NO. 3 is

an aerial view of the sea front as it was in 1933 and shows the neat Town Park with the Band Stand in the forefront skirted by the residential area of Park Terrace and Harbour View. In the Centre can be seen the Mercy Convent School and buildings with the nearby Church of Ireland, with the Old Churchyard adjoining. From there the roadway, (Convent Row) can be followed leading on to the junction with Friary Street and Mary Street on to Mitchel Street. The Friary Church and the Town Hall may be seen located to the top right of the

photo.

The space now occupied by the Mercy Convent Colaiste Muire Secondary School is at the top left. It is of interest to note what was in those days of 1933 known as "The Men's Bathing Place" at the Look Out shown to the bottom left front of the photo while the old Boreenatra houses may be seen to the centre left.

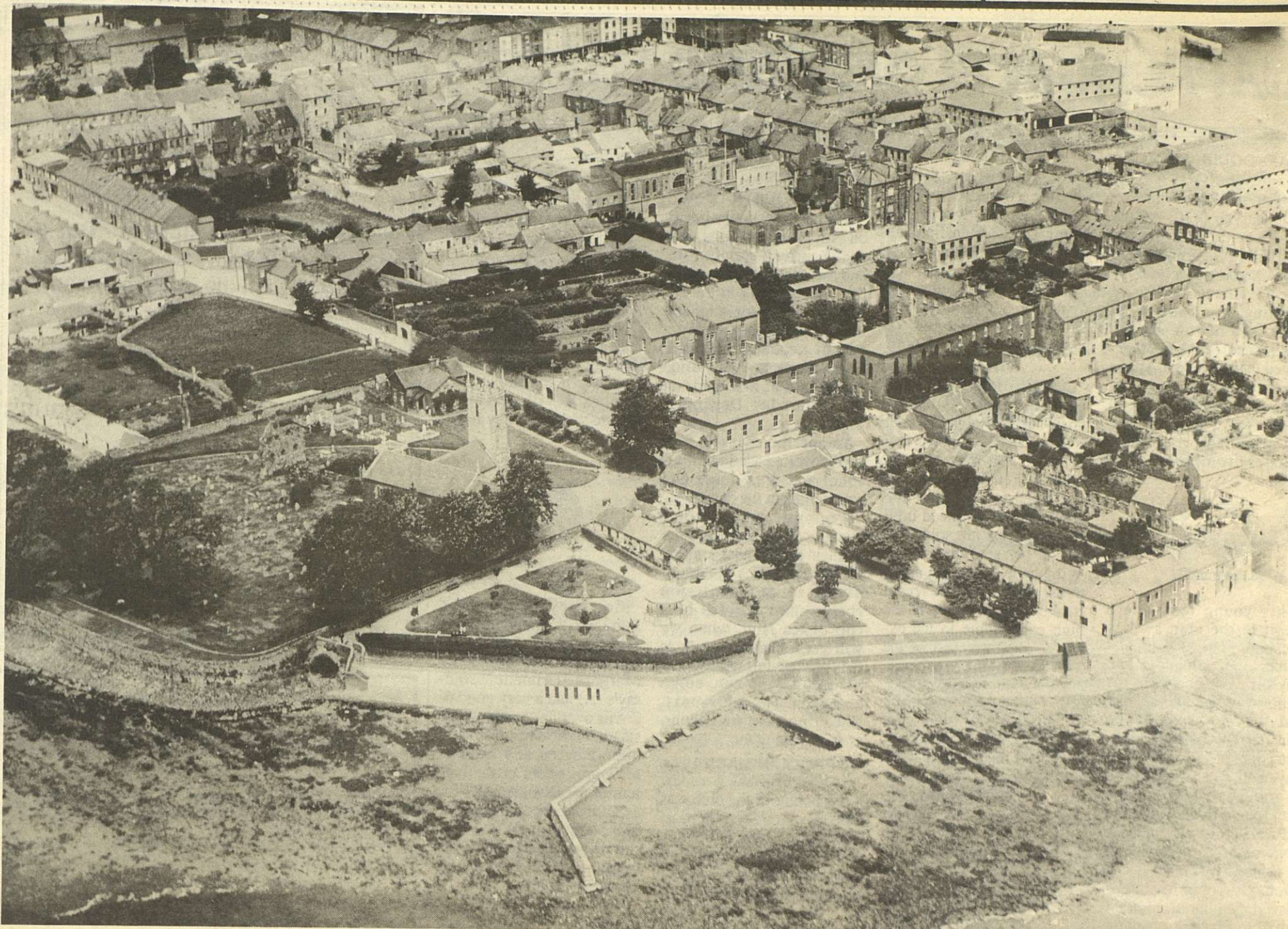
EXCLUSIVE PHOTOS

The photos are exclusive to the Urban Council who commissioned them and were given to us courtesy of the County Manager,

POPULATION
IN 1936
5,361
POPULATION
IN 1986
(Last Census)
6,849

Mr. Dan Hurley. We are certain that residents in the Dungarvan Urban Area will be most interested in them. They certainly show how the Dungarvan Urban area has developed over the past 50 years in regard to physical size.





CAPPOQUIN & DISTRICT NOTES

CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE G.A.A. NOTES

Under 21 football.

Dungarvan 0-10; Affane 0-8—In an exciting Western final filled with excellent football, some lovely flowing movements and great catching our lads went under by a narrow margin. Dungarvan just about deserved their win. But Affane came so close.

The woodwork denied us scores on two occasions and we missed some scoreable chances from good positions.



This young team are a credit to the club as they once more turned in a magnificent performance. The only difference between the teams was Dungarvan had that bit more experience than our lads as they made better use of the possession they won. We wasted a lot of good ball but yet this team fought to the bitter end and were still attacking with great determination when the final whistle blew.

Donagh Cummins had a marvellous hour at midfield with Tom Fives in excellent form in attack and in defence Martin Power carved some great openings—Liam Costin was soundness personified in goal. The rest of the team all gave 100% and were always in the thick of the action.

They need not be despondent they have time on their side and if they maintain their present attitude, determination and will to win a title will surely come their way in the next few years.

Team—L. Costin, K. Veale, K. O'Reilly, S. McCarthy, S. Costin, M. Reddy, M. Ormonde, D. Cummins, T. Mansfield, F. McCarthy, M. Power, T. Fives, D. Kelleher, C. Barry, E. O'Shea. Subs.—F. Veale for S. McCarthy, M. Killigrew for M. Reddy.

HOLIDAY BONANZA DRAW

Our Holiday Bonanza Draw had to be avoidably postponed to a later date. The fact of the matter is that ticket sellers were slow in selling their allocation. It must be stressed that the draw can not go ahead until all the tickets are sold. The reason being of course due to the huge financial burden thrust upon us by the recent freak flooding, on top of the high expenditure in the everyday running costs of the club.

We would like to apologise to the general public for this delay but it cannot be helped. Ticket sales have improved this week and we hope the upward trend continues. We urge all sellers to make an increased effort this week.

BUSY REFEREE

Local referee Jim Joe Landers has been busy in recent weeks officiating at both N.F.L. and N.H.L. matches.

BEST OF LUCK

We wish our Western u-21 football final conquerors Dungarvan the very best of luck in the County Final and hope they bring the title to the West.

CATS BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Scores for Sunday, December 4th—R. Queally v. John Walsh; William Power v. Aidan Sexton; Tom Goulding v. Billy Tobin v.

Billy Dalton; Ml. Heaphy v. Joe Kennifick.

CAPPOQUIN P.T.A.A.

Temperance week began on Nov. 27th and runs until next Sunday December 4th, and we are hoping to mark this special week in the annals of the association by inviting guest speakers from Aiseiri treatment centre in Cahir, along to Halla Bride Cappoquin at 8.00 p.m. on this Thursday December 1st.

Among the speakers will be recovering victims of alcohol and drug abuse and counsellors at the centre.

We invite you to come along and join us in hearing of their experiences and trials and successes at Aiseiri. There is no admission charge and there will be a cup of tea later, when we will get a chance to talk to the speakers informally.

Hoping you can come along on Thursday next, and bring your neighbour, or friend along too.

CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME

A meeting of the club was held on Saturday night last November 26th in Affane Hall. A word of thanks to Jim Prendergast who gave an interesting talk on what he saw while travelling round the United States recently on holiday.

The club will be attending a Public Speaking course over the next two weeks. All members interested should come along. The club will also be competing in the Stockjudging competitions coming up in early December.

We welcome to the club new members John Fitzgerald and Edward Cahill. We hope their stay will be a

happy one.

Preparations are getting under way for the clubs annual Christmas Party. A venue will be fixed soon.

CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT DARTS LEAGUE

Results from Friday 25th. Div. 1—Lindsay's 6 Tavern 2; Dunvegan 3 Morrisseys 5; Keeren 5 Oldstill 3. Div. 2—Tavern 5 Lindsay's 3; Dunnes 4 Village Inn 4; Deckie Walshs 6 Toby Jug 2.



Morrisseys had a good away win to Dunvegan. The highest score of the night was a 162 (3 x 3 x 18) by Margaret Lennane. Lindsay's (A) had a very good 6-2 win over Tavern (A). The standards of darts was very high. Kereen and Morrissey's are locked at the bottom of the Div. and can't get away from one and another. The surprise in Div. 2 was the draw between "hotshots" Village Inn and Dunnes.

Division 1

Lindsay's	32 pts.
Tavern	30 pts.
Dunvegan	25 pts.
Oldstill	23 pts.
Morrisseys	17 pts.
Kereen	17 pts.

Division 2

Village Inn	36 pts.
Deckies	29 pts.
Tavern (B)	24 pts.
Dunnes	19 pts.
Lindsay's	19 pts.
Toby Jug	17 pts.

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REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



The photo for our "Remembering Other Days" series this week takes us back to the sixties and shows the Waterford Camogie team of that era with their coaches and selectors. At back (l. to r.) Stephen Curran R.I.P. Eileen French, Bridie Walsh, Alicia Browne, Cait Kirwan, Vera Desmond, Biddy McGrath, Nora Condon, Ann Power, Austin Barron, Josie McNamara and Paddy Frank Cole. At front Eibhills Cooney, Chrissie Mooney, Neil McGrath, Nora Klely, Mary Mooney, Geraldine Power, Lillian Howlett and Pat Doyle.



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Tallow & Roundabout Notes

TALLOW SCOUTS NOTES

On behalf of Tallow scouts I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who contributed towards the success of the Twelve Days of Christmas draw. The funds raised from this draw are going towards a planned summer camp to Lourdes. The trip has been made possible thanks to the generosity of Mr. Joseph Neville leader of B.S.A. Troop, 79 Winthrop, Massachusetts, who visited Tallow last year.

During the week we received a personal cheque to cover the travelling expenses of the Tallow troop, and without this generous offer the trip would not be possible.

Considering the number of different troops the Americans met on their European tour, it is a credit to the Tallow Troop and community that he has shown his appreciation towards us in so

generous a way.

Scout Parents are asked, if at all possible, to attend a meeting in St. Patrick's Hall, Tallow on Friday, December 2 at 9 p.m., where Mr. J. D. Hally will show some slides on Lourdes.

Lastly, I would like to remind the scouts that all monies and tickets (sold and unsold) must be returned not later than Friday, December 2.—PRO, Kevin Crawford.

SOCCER NOTES

Sympathy—The club extends sympathy to the McCarthy family of Convent Street on the death of their mother.

Speedy Recovery—Best wishes to midfielder Thomas McCarthy for a speedy recovery. Thomas undergoes surgery on his leg on Thursday and his loss to the squad will be felt very much in the coming weeks.

TALLOW DANCING CLUB

Successful at a Feis held on November 6 at Lough Rovers Hurling Club were Mary McNamara and Theresa O'Brien.

A large number of dancers travelled to Bishopstown on Sunday 13th. Those who received medals were: Claire Mills, Ann-Marie Houlihan, Claire Hannon, Caroline Hannon, Paula Goulding, Caroline Houlihan, Annette Feeney, Fidelma Feeney, Gina O'Brien.

Results of Feis at St. Paul's Community Centre, Lisduggan, Waterford on Sunday, November 27. Trophies and medals were won by Breeda O'Brien, Theresa O'Brien and Paula Goulding. Next Feis Sunday, December 4 in Cork.

We wish all dancers and Mrs. Keniry a very happy Christmas.—PRO.

MODELIGO NOTES

CARDS

The results of the Progressive 45 Drive which was held in Deckies Lounge on Saturday night last are as follows: 1, M. Pratt and P. O'Connor; 2, Michael O'Neill and Mrs. O'Neill; 3, Vincent and Ann O'Donovan; Lucky Tables, Ann Byrne and S. Coughlan, Willie and Helen Cunningham.

Raffle: 1, Mattie Reddy; 2, Stephen Cunningham.

The jackpot will be £250 on 11 games on Saturday night next and the drive commences at 9 o'clock.

GAA NOTES

We are holding our annual general meeting in mid-December. Please see next week's issue for further details.

ST. CATHERINE'S G.A.A.

Last Friday night a large number of guests assembled at Garryvoe Hotel for the club's annual dinner and social. Amongst them were Fr. Kelleher, P.P., Conna, Fr. Stritch, C.C., do., Fr. Buckley, C.C., Ballynoe, Denis Conroy, Chairman Cork County Board.

John G. Barry welcomed the guests and in some well chosen words reviewed the club's activities during the past year.

After the meal the crowd whiled away the hours with the light fantastic to the music of the Penders Band.

JUVENILE SCOR

St. Catherine's competed in all the eight items at the semi-final of the East Cork Scor competitions at Carriwohill Hall last Saturday night. They all performed satisfactorily and the Novelty Act and the Recitation succeeded in gaining access to the final which will be held in Dungourney Hall this Friday night.

PIONEER NOTES

At the East Cork PTAA AGM held at Castlemartyr last Wednesday night, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Margaret Roche, Castlemartyr; Hon. Secretary, Mrs.

Mary Beecher, Ballynoe; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Barry Dowdall, Cobh. We wish them every success in their new assignments.

The Readoiri competitions being completed, attention was focussed on other important items including the Quiz Competitions, which will take place early in the new year. A Reference to the Youth also came up for discussion.

Cloyne Diocesan PTAA Competitions—Banteer Community Hall was filled to the utmost last Sunday for the above finals. Mrs. Betty Brennan, President of the Diocesan Association, in a brief address wished a cead mile faite ta all and congratulated all the participants on the day. Paying a tribute to all Pioneers and especially those undertaking tasks at branch level, she said it was a testing time for them but the encouragement was to be discovered in the recitation of the Heroic Offering each day: "For Thy greater glory and consolation, O Sacred Heart of Jesus, for Thy sake to give good example," etc.

Senator Paul Bradford, MCC then took over as MCC and the competitions got under way.

RECENT DEATH

LATE MR. THOMAS (TOMMY) MURPHY

We record with regret the passing of Mr. Thomas (Tommy) Murphy, Main Street, Dungarvan, which occurred at Ardkeen Hospital on Sunday, November 20. The deceased was in his early thirties and was son of Jack and Anna Murphy, to whom we extend our sincerest sympathy.

In his school-going days Tommy was a valued member of the 11th Waterford Scout Troop and had attended many annual camps and generally took a great interest in that movement. For some years he also took part in the local rowing club. Most people knew Tommy through his friendly, courteous manner as the local postman.

His remains were removed on Monday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church where they were received and blessed by Rev. T. Rogers, C.C., assisted by Rev. J. Griffin, C.C., Very Rev. M. Brennock, O.S.A., Rev. Fr. Prendiville, O.S.A., Rev. Fr. Keogh, O.S.A., Rev. D. Treacy, O.S.A., Rev. J. Hooper, O.S.A., Rev. N. O'Donnell, O.S.A. and Rev. G. Hickey, O.S.A. Current and former members of the staff at Dungarvan Post Office formed an honour guard and also acted as pall-

bearers.

Following concelebrated Mass on Tuesday morning with Rev. T. Rogers, C.C. (Chief Celebrant) and Rev. Fr. E. Cullinan, St. John's College, Waterford, Rev. Fr. D. Treacy, O.S.A., Co-Celebrants, Tommy was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery in the presence of a large gathering. Rev. Fr. Rogers read the graveside liturgy, assisted by Rev. J. Griffin, C.C., Rev. W. Carey, C.C., Rev. Michael Cullinan, C.C., Carrick-on-Suir, Very Rev. C. O'Daly, P.P. Old Parish, Rev. B. Crowley, C.C., St. Mary's, Clonmel, Very Rev. J. O'Sullivan, Very Rev. M. Brennock, O.S.A., Rev. Fr. Prendiville, O.S.A., Rev. G. Hickey, O.S.A., Rev. J. Hooper, O.S.A., Rev. Fr. Moran, O.S.A.

Many beautiful tributes were placed on his grave.

Chief Mourners—Jack and Anna (parents); Mary, Joan, Aine and Breda (sisters); Seamus Healy, Ray Canpalot (brothers-in-law); Anne, Michelle, Siobhan, Aisling, Emyl (nieces); Ross (nephew) and a large circle of uncles, aunts, relatives and friends.

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS
HAYES—The husband and family of the late Mary Hayes, 42, Childers Estate, Dungarvan, wish to express their sincere appreciation to all who sympathised, sent Mass cards and attended the removal and burial, and all kind friends for their support. A special thank you to Rev. Fr. J. Griffin and Dr. C. Daly. Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

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 (Remembered by your loving wife Kathleen, sons and daughters.)

HURLEY—The brothers, sisters and other relatives of the late John Hurley, Ballinagoul More, Ring, wish to thank all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, telegrams, letters of sympathy and floral tributes, and those who attended the obsequies. A special word of thanks to the doctors, nurses and staff, St. Joseph's and St. Brigid's Units, Ardkreen Hospital. They wish to extend a sincere thanks to Paula and Michael Houlihan, Polly and Maura, the anonymous friend who put the Rosary beads in his hand, Fr. Desmond, C.C., Tom Drohan Undertaker, neighbours and friends and all who helped in any way. Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

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REGAN—The sons, daughters and relatives of the late John (Jack) Regan, St. Patrick's Tce., Abbeyside, Dungarvan, wish to thank sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, telegrams, messages of sympathy and floral tributes and those who attended the obsequies. Special thanks to his kind neighbours and friends and all those who helped in any way. Holy Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

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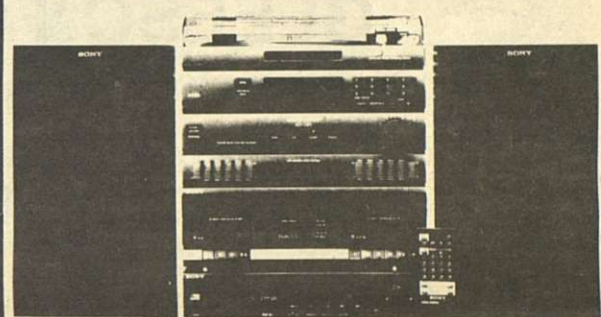
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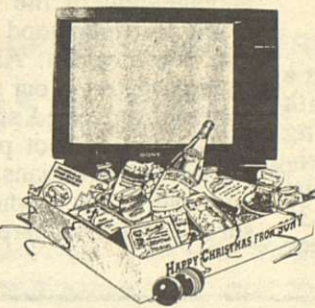
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Photo shows Eddie Moore presenting the cheque. L. to r. Teresa Twohig, Pat Breen, Eddie Moore, James Moore, Marion Forrest, Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C., and Imelda Jeffery.

DUNGARVAN RUGBY NOTES

DEFEAT FOR 2nds IN GLEESON CUP

CLONMEL 22; DUNGARVAN 4

Despite having a good start in this game through an excellent Frankie Ahearne try, Dungarvan subsequently faded and were well beaten in this Gleeson Cup match. Considering the revelries of the previous night it was understandable that tiredness would affect the performance and Clonmel took full advantage to run out easy winners.

Team was - S. White, M. O'Donovan, P. McGrath, K. Mansfield, J. Clarke, M. Brackett, C. O'Riordan, F. Ahearne, M. Hannigan, J. Phelan, N. Parks, M. O'Halloran, P. Foley, S. Coyne and M. Hanrahan.

FIXTURES

On Sunday next there is a double home fixture with the 1st team playing Charleville and the 2nds entertaining Mallow. Both are league fixtures with 2.30 kick-off. On Sunday week

10th December the 1st team play Kilfeacle in the Garryowen Cup at home. Kick-off will be at 2.30 and as many supporters as possible are requested.

YOGI'S ROTA

The rota for this Saturday 3rd of December is - S. Power, B. Lineen, T. Clarke, K. Clarke, J. Power and John Clarke.

DRESS DANCE

THE Annual Dress Dance was held on Saturday last in the Gold Coast, Ballinacourty. It was a most enjoyable night and we would like to record our thanks to the management of the Gold Coast for their good food and organisation. Also a word of thanks to our sponsors who provided such a good array of spot prizes and to our musicians, Colette and Cosmos, who ensured the atmosphere was

electric at all times.

The committee are to be congratulated on their organisation and hard work. Guest of honour was Martin Breen, President of the Munster Branch, I.R.F.U.

ATHLETICS

Waterford Veterans take Munster Title

At the Friary grounds on Sunday week, Waterford athletes did well at the Munster Cross Country Championships. Waterford's team took the Munster team title at over 35 and Michael Roche, Dungarvan, who led the team home, also captured the silver medal over 40.

Other athletes from the West to figure prominently were Eithne Dahill, Lismore and Helen O'Dwyer, Dungarvan who were both members of the county team who were third in the Novice Ladies race, and Ger Cantwell, John Mason and Liam O'Dwyer, all Dungarvan, who were on the county team which also finished third in the men's novice event.

MUNSTER JUVENILE

Also on Sunday week in Doon, Co. Limerick, at the Munster juvenile championships, the following athletes did well: Owen Cunningham, Ring/Old Parish was 4th in the under-14, Jane Power, Cappoquin/Ballinameela was 5th in the under-16, and Michael Molumphy, Lismore was 9th in the under-12.

MINNIES SQUASH CLUB NOTES

It was a very busy week at the club last week when we had the semis and the final of the Bank of Ireland, we had the final of the Frank Browne Racquetball Tournament plus our Country League team were at home to Tallow when once again they triumphed.

BANK OF IRELAND

Monday night (Nov. 21) was semi-final night when the biggest winners were the selection committee who were on the ball as both semis went to the fifth match.

In the first semi Billy Smith's team defeated Jim Byrne's team by 10 sets to 8. In the first game Jim won 3-1. At No. 3 Sean Power got a walk-over from Michael Clancy. George Harney 3, Anne Keaver 0. No 1 Eddie Moore 3, Liam Hansberry 0. In the deciding match Michael Hamilton was the hero against Hank Regan, for, after losing the 3rd and 4th sets, he roared back to win the fifth set to clinch victory for Billy's team.

In the second semi-final Michael Flynn's team beat Fiona Fitzgerald's team by 9 sets to 7, Michael himself beating Fiona 3-1.

No. 5, Patrick Walsh 0, Michael Dwyer 3; No. 1, John Curran 0, Michael O'Mahoney 3; No. 3, Michael Fitzgerald 3, Paul O'Brien 0; No. 4, Peter Stam 3, Joe Brennan 0.

THE FINAL

After the very exciting semis, it was a tall order to expect just as exciting a final. The result was a 3 matches to 1 victory for Michael Flynn's team, with four competitive victories.

At No. 2, Michael Flynn 3, Billy Smith; No. 3, Michael Fitzgerald, walkover

(Michael Clancy injured); No. 5, George Harney 3, Patricia Walsh 0; No. 4, Peter Stam 3, Michael Hamilton 0. The No. 1's John Cliffe and Eddie Moore were not required to play.

We would like to thank The Bank of Ireland for their very generous sponsorship.

RACQUETBALL FINAL

Thursday night was finals night of the Frank Browne Body Shop Racquetball Tournament. Victory went to the team of Seamus Allen.

The results were: (5) L. Hallahan 2, S. Power 1; (4) F. Aird 2, K. Donnelly 0; A. Dwyer 0, J. Byrne 2; (2) P. Kinsella 2, Michael Flynn 1; (1) S. Allen 1, M. Fitzgerald 2.

We would like to thank Frank (our first outside sponsor for a racquetball tournament for his very generous prize.

COUNTRY LEAGUE

Our Country League team were at home to Tallow last Tuesday when they made it three wins out of three with a fantastic 4-1 victory. Results: No. 5, Martin Walsh 3-0, No. 4, Kieran Foley 3-1, No. 3, Michael Flynn 0-3, No. 2, Pat O'Brien 3-0, No. 1, Richard Gough 3-2. Keep it up lads!

OTHER NEWS

All ladder games are to be completed by Tuesday, December 6. (Scores next week.) FCF Singles Handicap Tournament commences next Monday, December 5. Our youths coaching commenced last weekend when a massive 35 youths turned up. Remember, all youths are welcome.

Wednesday (November 30) sees the Refereein-

g/Marking Course with Martin O'Donoghue. Keep your eyes on the noticeboard for news of The Open and the Christmas Party. Until next week.

TOURANEENA NOTES

ANNUAL SOCIAL

The Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's GAA Club held their annual social on Saturday night last at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan and it was an outstanding success. The organising committee wish to thank everyone who helped to make the event the enjoyable success it was.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Preparations are under way at the moment for the senior citizens Christmas party which will be held on December 13 in the Parish Hall, Touraneena.

CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Amanda Walsh, Lackendarra on the occasion of her marriage to Tim McCarthy, Dungarvan. Fr. Lloyd officiated at the ceremony and the reception was held in Clonea Hotel. We wish them both long life and happiness in the years ahead.

Congratulations also to the following on happy events: Hanna Fitzpatrick and her husband (twins, a boy and a girl); Mary and Jim Hennessy (twin girls); Tony and Mary Dolan (first baby, a girl); Lois (nee Skehan) and James Crotty, Affane, also their first (a baby girl).

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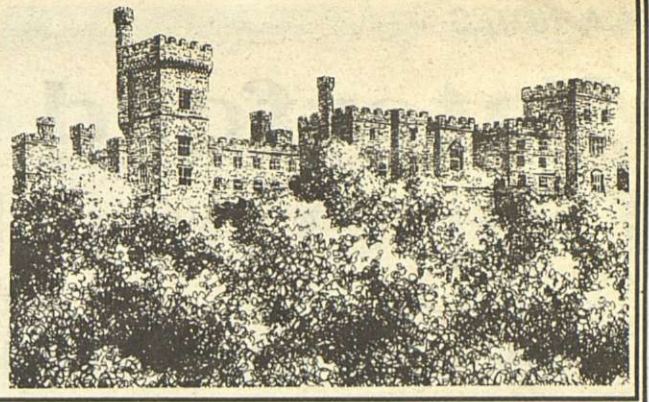
Almost 200 superb action pictures from Ireland's leading sports photographers are featured in the Kaliber Lager sponsored "Ireland's Sporting Year." The 120 page book which was published by Gill and Macmillan went on sale on Monday, November 14, at leading bookstores and newsagents throughout the country. It is priced at £4.95.

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LISMORE NOTES



GOLF CLUB NOTES

The semi-finals of the Winter League were played over the weekend. The two top teams of N. Twomey and D. Murphy came a cropper, so the final on Sat/Sun 3rd/4th December will be contested by the teams captained by two of our most promising juniors, Ken Madden and Pat Norris Jr. In the Plate section the finalists are S. Beecher's team and M. Troy's team. A strict time sheet will operate again on Sunday 4th.

Note that the prizes for the Winter League will be pre-

sented on Friday, 16th December at 9 p.m. sharp, followed by a "party night".

In the Yellow Jersey competition Mossie Walsh now takes over and seems set to continue his winning ways.

RESULTS

Sat. 26th/Sun 27th Nov. 18 H. Stableford — M. Goulding (20) 42 pts; 2, M. Walsh (13) 40 pts; 3, A. Corcoran (12) 40 pts; 4, D. Howard (16) 40 pts. Best Sat. — D. O'Keeffe (17) 39 pts. Best Sun. — W. Kearney (15) pts. Saturday, CSS 38 pts. Sunday CSS, 38 pts.

FIXTURES

Saturday, December 3 — Society Outing. Tee reserved 10.30 to 12 noon. Sat. 3rd/Sun. 4th December — Final of Winter League. 18 H. Stableford. Time sheet.

LISMORE LADIES

GOLF NOTES

The golf year is coming to a close this week. It was a good year on the ladies golf scene and we want to thank our captain Mrs. Connie Dowd for all her hard work and dedication to the job during the past year and

wish our in-coming captain Mrs. Pat O'Gorman "all the best" for the coming year.

The turkey competition held last week was won by Mary Fives with 16 pts. There is a 9 hole on-going competition for a ham this week.



Our A.G.M. takes place on Monday, 5th December at 8 p.m. We look forward to seeing all our members there.

Congratulations to our members of the Senior Alliance who won all their matches on the last outing.

Have a good time on the 1st Dec for the Christmas Alliance outings every body—Divot.

LISMORE BADMINTON NOTES

No great luck for our 1st Div. team last Monday night when they met Waterford 1 in Waterford. They lost this match and the score was 6-2.

Nora O'Sullivan was unable to play so Connie O'Dowd, very kindly took her position. The team would like to thank Connie for playing.—Slan.

LISMORE G.A.A. NOTES
Weekly Draw: Week No. 45—£50 (123), Mr. Ger.

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The next draw will be held in The Red House on Saturday, December 3 at 8.15 p.m. All are welcome to attend. (Advt.)

BALLYDUFF NOTES

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COMHALTAS NOTES

Best of luck to all those taking part in Ceol na Gheimhridh on Sunday next December 4th in the C.B.S. Dungarvan, commencing at 1.30 p.m.

Congratulations to all who qualified in the Readoiri Competition in Ballinroad on Saturday Last—P.R.O.

LINDSAYS DARTS

Last Friday our teams were in action again. The B team were beaten for the second time by Tavern B this year, 5-3. Our A team take pride of place by beating Tavern A by 6-2 which lifts us over them by two points to take the lead in the league.

It was especially good for two reasons because we came from 2-0 down to win the next six and we are the first team to have beaten the Tavern men for over one and a half years. We will need more of these performances if we are to hold off the Tavern till the end of the season.

Next Friday the B team play Deckies in Maura's and the A team play Morrisseys in Cappoquin. Both games start at 9 p.m.

BALLYDUFF MACRA NOTES

A meeting was held in the hall on Saturday, November 26. Details of the forthcoming raffle and disco were discussed.

On Sunday night last, November 27, two teams headed to Conna Sports Complex to take part in a soccer tournament held by Castlelyons Macra. There was an extremely large crowd and the standard was very high. Both our teams had good exciting games and both reached the semi-finals. After two tough semi-finals only one of the teams went through to meet Castlelyons in the final.

They took the title after the game went to penalties.

So we would like to congratulate Elma Kenny, Carmel Leamy, Pat Kenny, Patrick Murphy and Liam Keane.

The County Executive have organised a public speaking course to take place over four nights starting Tuesday, 29th and continuing December 1st, 13th and 15th. Anybody interested please contact our chairman, Mossy Casey.

Our swimming course takes off with a 'splash' this Friday at Fermoy Swimming Pool. Cars leaving village at 7.15 p.m. sharp. Everybody welcome, don't forget the trunks and bikinis!

The next Co. Executive meeting on December 5 is closing date for drama entries, so anybody interested please contact Mossy Casey immediately.

Tickets are now on sale for our "Christmas Draw Bonanza" with spectacular prizes.

ENGAGEMENT

Congratulations to Mary Willis, Shean and Noel Hayes, Clashmore, who have announced their engagement.

G.A.A. NOTES

The primary schools football final will be played on today (Thursday) in Lismore at 3.15 p.m. with Cappoquin providing the opposition. We wish the team the best of luck.

COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The December monthly meeting will be held in St. Michael's Hall on Monday, December 12 at 8 p.m. The Sale of Work has been deferred to a date in January. The annual Senior Citizens Party will be held in the hall on Sunday, December 18 at 1.30 p.m.

MR. NICHOLAS O'MAHONEY

The death took place on Thursday morning last,

November 24, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan of Mr. Nicholas O'Mahoney, Ballygally, Glencairn.

His remains were removed to St. Michael's Church on Thursday evening and the interment took place on Friday afternoon following Requiem Mass to St. Michael's Cemetery with Very Rev. Fr. M. Walsh, P.P., Tallow and Very Rev. Fr. K. Mulcahy, P.P., Ballyduff, officiating.

Sincere sympathy is extended to his sister Margaret, brother Sam, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to the brothers, sister, relatives and friends of the late Tom Crowley, formerly of Gortnapeeka who died recently.

HAPPY EVENT

Congratulations to Maurice and Kathleen Geary, Mocollop on the birth of a baby girl.

45 DRIVE

Results of last Wednesday night's 45 drive in St. Michael's Hall are as follows: 1, divided between Dave Hoare and Eilo O'Connor, John Lane and Maud Sheehan, Mary Kenny and partner, Mrs. O'Mahoney and partner.

Lucky Tables: Michael Tobin, Bill O'Brien and Eileen O'Callaghan and partners. Raffle winners were: Kieran Fenton, Tommy Condon, Lar Sheehan and Davy Feeney.

PIONEER NOTES

A very important meeting of the local centre will be held in the Library on Saturday night at 8.45 p.m., i.e. immediately after Mass. All members are requested to attend. Members of the Council will also attend in the Library after Mass this week-end.

The Regional Readoiri final was held in the



James O'Grady Chairman Co. Waterford Sheep Breeders Association presenting her trophy to Maeve Kenny, Ballyduff Upper Macra Na Feirme who was selected Heather Rose 1988 at the Association's Annual Dinner in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan. Included are judges Kathleen Weir and Catherine Carew

(Photo—Rory Wyley).

Ballinroad Hall on Saturday night last and we had competitors in a total of 15 competitions. Congratulations to our representatives in Junior Musical Solo, Solo Disco Dancing, Musical Group, Senior Set Dancing, Novelty Act, Group Singing and Senior Old Time Waltzing, who have qualified for the Diocesan final in St. Michael's Hall on Sunday, December 11 at 8 p.m.

The presentation of Gold and Silver Pins will take place on Friday night next, December 9 in St. Michael's Church during the 7.30 Mass. Full details next week.

BY HOOK OR BY CROOK AT LAWLOR'S HOTEL

Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan will be the place to be this Thursday night, December 1 for the "By Hook or By Crook" function, the proceeds of which will go to the Kilgobinet/Colligan/Kilbrien parochial fund. It's all about a tape made by Fr. Pat Butler, C.C., with a dance thrown in for good measure. The 'crack' is due to start at 10 p.m.

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G.A.A. NOTES

By "COMMENTATOR"

Waterford May Beat Tipperary In Final N.F.L. Game

Waterford footballers wind up our inter-county season on Sunday next when they play Tipperary in the fourth and final pre-Christmas round at Fraher Field. In the corresponding game in the last national league, we took a real hammering from the same Tipperary in a match that was played in a rainstorm at an almost deserted Clonmel venue. We were not at full strength because Pat Curran and Liam O'Connor were assisting the hurlers and two of the other players cried off at the last moment with flu.

When we met some months later in the Munster

championship at Fraher Field we scored a good four points win before going on to beat Limerick in the McGrath Cup at Clonmel.

It is disappointing again to find that the team to do duty is not selected at the time of writing. An undertaking was given at the last County Board meeting that their directive in this regard would be accepted.

It is presumed that the team will show no changes in defence as after three good performances, Kieran Heffernan, David Kirwan, Dan Looby, Fintan O'Brien, Liam Dalton, Eoin Phelan and Dan Casey will be given a vote of confidence

to continue in their selected positions.

Pierric Whyte and Michael McGrath may be given another go at centre-field, but it is fairly certain that we will see changes from here in.

POSITIONAL CHANGES

I understand that Jim McGrath may be brought back and that Pat Curran, Affane could be introduced also. We may see as many as three changes in personnel and a number of positional

changes in attack.

Beaten by a single point in two matches was real hard luck and it has now put us under pressure if we are to maintain a slim chance of being involved in the fight for promotion. We will have to win this game to stay in contention.

Waterford have not played football in the Fraher Field since beating Tipperary in the championship earlier this year, so perhaps, with a bit of luck, our return to the venue will be a lucky one.

FIXTURES

FRAHER FIELD, SUNDAY 2.30 p.m.
N.F.L. — Waterford v. Tipperary

THURLES, 2.30 P.M.
Munster Club Hurling Final
Mount Sion v. Patrickswell

THE ALL-IRELAND

All's Well That Ends Well

The All-Ireland football final saga is now at an end, but don't be surprised if you come across a reference to it in the Guinness Book Of Records. The number of words that have been written about the drawn and replayed final and the Croke Park sequel, must ensure that it must find a place somewhere in the famous record book.

Gerry McEntee of Meath was suspended for two months, which is double the minimum, for having been sent off for striking. In doing this, the Games Administration Committee, dealt fully with the report of Tommy Sugrue. I didn't think that Tommy Sugrue had a good game and whatever Management thought of him, they didn't seem satisfied with his report, because after deciding on an investigation, they re-refereed the game by video.

The investigation resulted in some of the players being told that they were "bold

boys" and both Counties were told to behave themselves in future.

The next episode featured some very prominent members of the Cork County Board who were annoyed because the name of poor innocent Larry was dragged into the affair. They accused the Games Administration people and the Management Committee of showing double standards. In fact at the Cork County Board meeting last week, it was stated that the Games Administration Committee, act only when it suits them. Such an outrageously irresponsible statement serves to show the depth of feeling in Cork, over the whole affair.

REPLY

Croke Park's reply to the outburst from Cork and elsewhere, on this issue was nothing more than a lot of meaningless waffle. On Tuesday of last week, Association President John Dowling having presented certificates to 22 new coaches at Carrigaline said, "It was unfortunate that in recent times the standard of sportsmanship has fallen to a low level and we have seen situations where players are not prepared to play within the rules." The "Cork Examiner" "mind reader" who reported this affair, wrote that it was seen as a veiled reference to Meath's approach to the All-Ireland football final replay.

FINAL EPISODE

Details of what may be the final episode in the whole affair were given in the "Star" newspaper on Wednesday, when they reported on a proposed trip to the Canaries by both Cork and Meath in January next. To raise funds for this, the report stated that a challenge between the two counties will be played on December 11 at Clonakilty. It's nice to see a fairytale ending to the saga.

The half-time score was 0-6 to 0-3 and the second half was more evenly contested with Affane scoring five and the winners scoring four points. In the closing stages Affane just missed scoring two goals with shots that went just inches wide.

Outstanding for Dungarvan were Dermot Callaghan, Denis McGrath, John Ferncombe and Eddie Burke, while Martin Reddy, Tom Mansfield, Donagh Cummins, Tom Fives and Denis Kelleher were all very prominent for Affane.

MOUNT SION WILL NEED TO IMPROVE

This is the ninth year in which Mount Sion have represented this county in the Munster Club Championship since the competition began in 1964. In fact 1965 was, as far as I am aware, the only time in which our champions played Patrickswell in that championship. On that occasion they defeated the Limerick champions by 4-10 to 4-7. That was in the semi-final. This will be their fourth time in a Munster club final, they having won the 1981 title and were subsequently beaten in the All-Ireland. The New Limerick champions, Patrickswell, will be favourites to beat Mount Sion at Thurles on Sunday next.

Phil Bennis, who is coach to both Limerick and Patrickswell agreed to release such players as Leonard Enright, Gary Kirby and Pa Carey from duty with Limerick against Tipperary in a vital league game on Sunday last in order that the trio would not risk injury for the club final against the Waterford champions. Fair play to Mount Sion they put their County first and didn't hesitate in allowing Peter Walsh, Kevin and Pat Ryan, Ger Fitzpatrick and Shane Ahearne to line out against Kilkenny at Nolan Park.

UP AGAINST IT

On the basis of their performance against the Clare champions, Feakle, it is not easy to fancy Mount Sion. Beating the Limerick champions will be an entirely different matter and unless they improve considerably they will be really up

against it in trying to win their second provincial title.

With no other competitive hurling game on in Munster on the same day, this match between two very worthy opponents is sure to attract a very big crowd and hopefully the attendance will be swollen by Waterford supporters cheering for Mount Sion.

A win in this game would act as a great boost for the county as well as keeping a Waterford team in contention for an All-Ireland. The best of luck to Mount Sion.

DUNGARVAN RETAIN TITLE

Dungarvan's under-21 footballers retained their divisional title when they narrowly beat Affane in a close

and exciting final at Lisamore on Sunday last. The standard of football was much better than in the drawn and replayed semi-final involving Affane and Kilsrossanty.

WESTERN CONVENTION

Thursday, January 19, is named as the date for the Divisional Convention which will be held at Stradbally GAA Centre for the first time. The last occasion on which the Western Convention was held east of Dungarvan was in 1959 when Ballinroad Hall was the venue.

Sunday, December 18 is the final date for receipt of motions and nominations. Clubs are advised not to lose sight of the date, as nomination papers returned after the appointed date will not be accepted.

"A Trouble Free Year"

—Says Western Board Chairman

The Western GAA Board played hosts to their faithful band of referees at a very enjoyable function held in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, last Thursday night. The officers of the Board, the referees and members of the press sat down to a superb meal and later Western Board Chairman, Denis McGrath presented each of the referees present with a token of the Board's esteem for the fantastic work carried out in the season just past.

After the meal, during the course of a general discussion on the problems faced by the referees the Chairman said that 1988 had for the most part been without rancour and had been trouble free.

He had, he said, read in the papers all about "soccer hooligans" but noted that the trouble stemmed from the players themselves, where, because of a lack of discipline, they refused to accept decisions made by the referees on the pitches. He could, he said, see the problems referees faced in trying to deal with the situation.

Good discipline by the referees could, he said, help to improve the situation. But, he said, referees were not infallible and could make mistakes. But he said because of the discipline exercised by their referees they had a trouble free year and he thanked them for the work they had done during the year.

WIN AT ALL COSTS

Well known inter-county referee Jim Joe Landers said

that a lot of the problems stemmed from the sideline. Officials of clubs were, he said, intent on winning games at all costs and most of the trouble started when players were encouraged from the line to abuse the referees by "giving stick" and "putting in the boot," but, he said, very few officials helped to restrain players.

Jim Joe said that referees made mistakes, errors of judgement and errors of fact. However, he said that too many people were allowed into the sidelines. They had stopped it in Dungarvan and they should now try to stop it in Lismore and Cappoquin.



In reply to this, the chairman said that they had a serious problem with sidelines which resulted from intimidation of the gatemmen. He had, he said, been in the Fraher Field on the previous Sunday and was seated in the dug-out but found it difficult to see the match because of the number of people "on the line." He wished, he said, that someone would suggest a solution to the problem in.

Other speakers who contributed to the discussion were Eddie Cunningham, Tallow, James Walsh, Kilgobinet and the Western Board Secretary, Anthony Walsh.

The presentation to the referees then brought a very pleasant function to a close.

G.A.A. NOTES

By "COMMENTATOR"

Kilrossanty Go Close

Nemo Rangers 1-6; Kilrossanty 1-2

Against all expectations, our County football champions, Kilrossanty went close to causing a sensation at Clonmel on Sunday last. Cork champions, Nemo Rangers were the hottest of favourites to win the Munster football club final and the fact that Kilrossanty went within four points and missed a couple of golden chances of snatching a win, had the County buzzing on Sunday night.

Even though Kilrossanty had a lot of possession all through the first 20 minutes, it wasn't until the 25th minute that John Mulhearn finished a ball to the net after splendid work by Tom

Keating and Michael Walsh. Then disaster struck when a ball that should have been cleared, hit a Kilrossanty defender and bounced into the net.

E. Fitzgerald, who had scored 1-3 up to this point, had a point from a free to leave the half-time score 1-5 to 1-0.



The hot favourites managed but a single point in the second half when E. Fitzgerald sent over from play. In the second minute of this half, Roger Power for Kilrossanty missed an open

goal that drew moans from Kilrossanty supporters. Jim Maher was wide from frees in the 38th and 40th minutes before Ger Walsh (from play) and Maher (free) narrowed the gap to 4 points.

In the 57th minute Jim Maher was again just wide with a free and this ended our scoring chances. Overall it was a good display by Kilrossanty, who, with a bit of luck, could have caused the sensation of the year.

Kilrossanty—A. Power, P. Prendergast, P. Keating, T. Prendergast, N. Hayes, P. Whyte, P. Quinn, T. Behan, J. Maher, J. Mulhearn, M. Walsh, R. Power, P. Hayes, T. Keating, R. Hahessy.



Brighdin Ni Chrostoir presenting the Meladon Cup to Daryl Donnelly, captain of the Dungarvan team who defeated St. Patrick's in the Dungarvan Club's U/16 Tournament final, played at the Abbeyside GAA grounds. (Rory Wyley)

SCORELINE FLATTERS KILKENNY

Although the scoreline flatters Kilkenny, there was no doubt about they being the better team in this entertaining fourth round league game at Nolan Park on Sunday. With ten minutes remaining and only four points separating the teams, we were still there with a chance. At this stage a Kieran Delahunty free hit the upright and the ball was cleared. A minute later Kilkenny had the goal that sealed their victory.

Once again it was a case of Waterford's inability to avail of their scoring chances. We had a much greater possession of the ball in the second half and mounted more attacks than did Kilkenny, but we still didn't get the scores which mattered.

A change at half-time brought Gerry Connors into the attack and immediately after the restart he blazed a shot across the goal that went only an inch or two wide. This was a big let-off for the home side who scored a vital point from the puck-out.

Six of our nine points were from frees, but having got a total of seventeen frees over the hour our tally from placed balls should have been greater. We had fourteen wides as against ten for the winners.

SEARCH MUST CONTINUE

Shane Ahearne lined out, but it was obvious that he was feeling the strain of a

recent injury as he was far below his best. I suppose the message from the game is that the search for talent must continue and if we are to make the break that will eventually bring us to the top, we have got to find two or three forwards to strengthen our attack.

I thought that a factor in the game was the big difference in the height of the players. Kilkenny were noticeably bigger and this can

WEST BOARD COMPLETES PROGRAMME

With the playing of the under 21 football final on Sunday last the Western Board completed their full championship programme for 1988 and now it will be a case of 'all quiet on the Western front' until playing activities resume in March 1989.

In many ways it was a record year and the secretary, Anthony Walsh in his report to convention next month, will tell of record gate-receipts, a record number of draws in the championships, a record number of withdrawals from the championships and the disappointment of seeing the intermediate football championship fall assunder when a number of teams unexpectedly withdrew.

be a greater factor in winter hurling.

We are now on two points, with Wexford, Antrim and Offaly and our matches in the new year will be against Offaly, Limerick and Wexford, and with all four fighting against relegation, we certainly have a big battle on our hands.

REFEREES' FUNCTION

Apart from three or four who were unable to attend, there was a satisfactory turn-out for the special function to honour referees who had officiated for the Divisional Board during the year. The function was held in Lawlor's and after a very nice meal, the Chairman, Denis McGrath presented each referee with a Centenary Medallion and thanked them for their wonderful and unselfish service over the years. He also thanked the members of the Press who were guests on the night. During a discussion which was opened by Jim Landers a few problems relating to the business of refereeing were highlighted. Foremost among these was the problem of sideline control due to the fact that too many people were gaining admission. The Chairman promised that this matter would receive the attention of the incoming Board.

FRIARY VICTORY IN CORN AN UACHTARAN

St. Augustine's College—1-11

Intermediate School, Killorglin—0-8

At Buttevant on Wednesday of last week, St. Augustine's advanced to the semi-final of Corn an Uachtaran, Munster Colleges Senior 'B' Football Championship.

St. Augustine's settled quickly and with Ray Flynn giving an outstanding display, completely outplaying Billy O'Sullivan, the star Kerry forward in this year's All-Ireland Munster final, the Friary forwards chalked up some excellent scores, to lead at half-time by 1-7 to 0-5.

The second half was close and keenly contested, with both defences dominating for long periods. St. Augustine's eventually ran out deserving winners by 6 points in the end.

Best for St. Augustine's were Tony Fitzgibbon in goal, Ronan McCurtin, Michael Hubbart, Ray Flynn, Peter Queally and Liam Barron.

Scorers—Edwyn Kiely 1-1, John Shanahan 0-4, B. McCarthy 0-3, Peter Queally 0-2, Liam Barron 0-1.

St. Augustine's—T. Fitzgibbon (Tipperary), V. Behan (Kilmacthomas), R. McCurtin (Tramore), K. O'Reilly (Affane), B. Kirwan (Kilrossanty), R. Flynn (Affane), M. Hubbart (Newtown), P. Queally (Newtown), T. Fives (Affane), L. Barron (Stradbally), B. McCarthy (Cork), John Shanahan (Abbeyside), D. Kelleher (Affane), E. Kiely (Kilmacthomas), P. Lynch (Ballyduff).

SCORES

N.H.L. — Waterford 0-9; Kilkenny 2-15

Munster Club Final
Nemo Rangers 1-6; Kilrossanty 1-2

U-21 F. —Dungarvan 0-10; Affane 0-8

ANGRY GAULTIER

The many stories filtering into the West over the weekend gave different versions of what happened to the under-21 football semi-final in the East on Saturday. The facts about the game are that St. Saviours lined out at Walsh Park on Saturday afternoon and when the referee threw in the ball there was no sign of their opponents Gaultier.

I happened to meet a very angry Gaultier man on Sunday who was fuming over the whole business and he claimed that his club was hard done by in this case. He told me that this match might have been played some time ago, and would have but for the fact that players Stephen Frampton and Niall Warren were required for the County hurling team. He said it might have been played on the previous week-end only for the fact that St. Saviours had been given a free week-end (which they had applied for some time previously).

Gaultier held their annual social on Friday night last when they distributed their

County Intermediate and minor medals to their players. They say they had applied to be 'excused duty' on Saturday and had agreed to play the semi-final on Sunday morning.

ONE SIDE

Of course this is only one side of the story and I'm sure the other side will be revealed when the Eastern Board meets to-night (Wednesday). Whatever the rights or wrongs of the affair it is a pity that this should have happened to a game that had been labelled as the under-21 game of the season. And also, it is sad to see Gaultier, who have had an unbelievably successful year, go out in such a manner.

It must be remembered that both the Divisional Boards have been put under pressure to finish this championship, which was beginning to lag behind, for a variety of reasons. The eastern final between Tramore and St. Saviours is likely to be played on next week-end.

Kilkenny Come Through In Closing Stages

KILKENNY — 2-15
WATERFORD — 0-9

Although Waterford battled bravely for most of the game they were eventually crushed by Kilkenny in the closing stages of last Sunday's National Hurling League encounter at Nowlan Park.

Kilkenny, who always looked like winners, were a much stronger side and their class finally showed as they notched 1-4 to nil in the final minutes to record their second league win.

Waterford were in front for the only time in the game when Kieran Delahunty pointed a free in the second minute.

The sides looked evenly matched throughout the first half and the only thing separating the sides was Adrian Ronan's goal for Kilkenny in the 20th minute, giving them a 1-4 to 0-3 lead. Kilkenny added a further two points but Waterford responded with similar scores

to leave the home side 1-6 to 0-5 ahead at the break.

Waterford were very unlucky early in the second half when Gerry Connors blasted a shot wide of the goal. Kilkenny inched further ahead and were leading 1-11 to 0-9 as the game entered the final phase.

It was in this period that Kilkenny's strength came to the fore and their 1-4 without reply left them 2-15 to 0-9 ahead, a winning margin which rather flattered them.

Scorers—Kilkenny—A. Ronan 1-6, L. Fennelly 1-1, C. Heffernan, R. Power and A. Prendergast 0-2 each, T. McCluskey and G. Fennelly 0-1 each; Waterford—C. Delahunty 0-6, G. Connors, K. Ryan and B. Sullivan 0-1 each.

Kilkenny—K. Fennelly, L. Ryan, J. Henderson, W. O'Connor, T. McCluskey, G. Henderson, J. Power, G. Fennelly, D. Heffernan, C. Heffernan, R. Power, J. Hennessy, A. Ronan, M. Phelan, L. Fennelly.

Subs—A. Prendergast for Phelan, S. Fennelly for J. Power, K. Brennan for R. Power.

Waterford—J. Power, P. Walsh, D. Byrne, J. Beresford, G. Fitzpatrick, L. O'Connor, P. Ryan, G. Connors, K. Ryan, C. Delahunty, S. Ahearne, B. Prendergast, B. Sullivan, P. Murphy, E. Rockett. Subs—T. Sheehan for Prendergast, D. Power for Rockett, N. Warren for Murphy.

GERALDINES G.A.A. NOTES

VICTORY DANCE

We will hold a victory dance in Whitechurch House Hotel on this Saturday night, December 3. Music by the popular Seattle, and this dance is being run by the very hard-working Ladies Committee of our club. We would like to see a big attendance present.

CUP VISITS SCHOOLS

On Wednesday morning last, Daithi O'Brien (capt.), "Stylo" Riordan and Richard Hurley brought the Dr. Jim Walsh Cup, won by Geraldines this year, to the local schools—Aglis and Villierstown. There was great excitement among the children in both schools.

This cup for the Junior Hurling (B) grade is one of the finest cups to be presented to county champions in the county.

—PRO.

TALLOW G.A.A.

PILTOWN DRAW

In the last draw on Thursday night last most of the major prizes went up the country, but the club did have a winner in Con and Michael Henley, Woodview Park, Tallow. Connie and Mike won £500. This was the second £500 winner the club had in the draw. The club congratulates both Connie and Mike and Lily McCarthy on their wins and thank everyone who supported the draw.

SYMPATHY

The club extends a vote of sympathy to the family of the late Mary McCarthy, Convent Street, who died early on Saturday morning, peacefully at her home. To her family Andrew, Beatrice, Edward and Tom our deepest sympathy. Ar dheis De go raibh a anam.

—Pdraig O Siochain, PRO.



Photographed at the Dungarvan Soroptimists Arts and Crafts Exhibition held in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, recently were (l. to r.) Mrs. E. Keever, Mrs. J. Bally, Austin Hallahan, Chairman Dungarvan U.D.C., Angela Conway, President Dungarvan Soroptimists, Neil Cullinan, Rev. Fr. Rogers C.C. and Mrs. P. Donnelly.

(Photo—Pat Crowley).

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. NOTES

UNDER 21

CHAMPIONS—AGAIN

Against all the odds, our Under 21 footballers have retained their divisional championship title, and in doing so have become champions of the West for the third time in four years.

At Lismore last Sunday in a final worthy of the occasion we mastered Affane by 0-10 to 0-8 after a thrilling game, and set ourselves up for a meeting against the Eastern champions (still to be confirmed) at Walsh Park in a few weeks time.

We had a tremendous pre-match morale booster with the return of Sean McGrath from England and he turned out to be a tower of strength at full back. That's the kind of commitment we have come to expect of our players in recent years.

But the Affane challenge was a strong and vibrant one, and it was soon evident that we had a mighty battle on our hands. Nonetheless with Dermot Callaghan at his inspirational best and everyone in the blue jersey giving 100 per cent, we went in at the interval leading by 0-6 to 0-3.

Try as they might on the turnover, Affane could never get on terms. At one stage we led by four points and proceeded to squander some great chances. That increased the pressure on us when Affane staged a late rally but they could get no nearer than two points to us at the end of a great hour.

In victory some players undoubtedly outshone others, but every player from goalkeeper "Doc" O'Connor to Ger Beresford at top of the left, gets full marks on the all-important score of endeavour.

The team last Sunday was: D. O'Connor, D. Dee, S. McGrath, B. Morrissey, B. Dillon, E. Burke, D. Flynn, D. McGrath (Capt.), M.

Dwyer, D. O'Neill, D. Callaghan, J. Ferncombe, E. Mansfield, R. Fennell, G. Beresford.

Sub used—Conor Mansfield; also Sean Killigrew.

PRESENTATION

The presentation of the trophy was made by Western Board Chairman Denis McGrath—to wait for it—Denis McGrath, and a marvellous championship campaign had come to a super climax. Congratulations to players and mentors alike.

BUSY EXECUTIVE

We have very important upcoming fundraising ventures, including a sponsored greyhound meeting at the Waterford track on December 10 and a big bingo session on the previous night. Then there's the preparation for the AGM, so really there's little respite.

SEAN McGRATH

Few players have rendered our club such sterling ser-

vice on the field over the past half dozen and more years than Sean McGrath. His departure to England was a huge blow to us and especially to our hopes of retaining the Under 21 divisional football title.

But when Sean got the clarion call early last week he didn't give it a second thought, and his return for last Sunday's final uplifted everybody in the club. A thousand thanks to him for that marvellous loyalty.

REFEREES HONOURED

Two club members were honoured at a reception hosted by the Western Board in Lawlor's Hotel last Thursday night.

The duo were John Moore and Liam Simms who officiated at championship games under the auspices of the Board in the current year. They received specially inscribed medals and everyone in the club lauds them on this well deserved recognition.

TOURIN CELEBRATE

It is going to be a 25th anniversary function and all the players and officials who were involved when the club won the Primary hurling championship just twenty-five years ago, have been invited. It is a very nice thought and an excellent idea for bringing all the lads (and lassies), together again. This should make a great night at the Lismore Hotel on this Friday at 8.30

GOLDEN GOAL

In the recent Golden Goal lottery that was run in conjunction with the McGrath Cup, the time of the goal was 30.10. No one has yet come forward with the ticket bearing the correct time, but one purchaser has submitted a ticket bearing a 30.30 time which appears to be the nearest to the correct time. Unless a ticket bearing a time, which is closer to the right one, is submitted by Friday next, the prize will be awarded to the 30.30 claimant.

Congratulations and Best Wishes from

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