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## ARMED BANK RAIDS IN KILMACTHOMAS

Shortly before 5 o'clock on last Monday evening armed raiders drove into Kilmacthomas, held up two banks and drove off with an estimated £12,000.

It was just 10 minutes before the banks were due to close when a gold coloured Opel Ascona car with 3 men pulled up outside the Bank of Ireland branch at Main Street.

Two of the men wearing knitted balaclavas and armed with sawn-off shot-guns jumped out and entered the Bank where they held up customers and staff at gun-point for a period before escaping with about £3,000. The raiders then drove about 50 yards along the street to the Allied Irish Bank where, in a repeat performance, they got away with about £9,000 and then sped away in the Dungarvan direction. The alarm was at once raised and an intensive garda search was put in motion.

It was discovered that the car used in the bank robberies was stolen in

Knocktopher, Co. Kilkenny last Sunday night and the search for it continues.

Garda Inspector Eamonn Keating who is in charge of the operations said that the search, initially centred in the nearby Comeragh Mountains area and continued throughout Tuesday involving gardai from Dungarvan and Tramore, had been expanded to include all of East and West Waterford and East Cork with road blocks at all vantage points.

### SPILLAGE OF DANGEROUS LIQUID

The search operation in Kilmacthomas was some-

what hampered on Tuesday when, shortly before 2 p.m. Inspector Keating spotted a tanker transporting a cargo of dangerous liquid which was leaking as it passed along the Main Street.

The tanker was stopped and the Fire Brigade was alerted and the Village was blocked off as the brigade members sprayed the affected part of the street. During the course of the operation a detour in and out of the Village was put into operation.

Were it not for the alert action of Inspector Keating a much more serious situation could have arisen.



**TIDY TOWNS AWARDS FOR ARDMORE** — Dr. Patrick Hillery, Uachtaran na h-Eireann, pictured presenting Mary Flavin, Secretary, Ardmore Tidy Towns Committee with a cheque for £500 and trophy won in this year's Cleanwatch and Tidy Towns Competition by Ardmore. Also included are Mr. Martin Dully, Chairman Bord Failte and Mr. Sean Benton, Department of Health.

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## LAY-OFFS AT DUNGARVAN TANNERY

It was announced last week-end that 14 of the 55 strong workforce at the Dungarvan Tannery, now owned by the International Hide and Skin Company, Kilkenny, were to be laid off next Friday. The Company state that the lay-offs are due to a slump in business.

Management talks with officials of the local branch ATGWU led by District Officer, Mr. Tony Mansfield, took place on

Tuesday.

The Company announcement was unexpected as it was felt that their order books were in a healthy condition and that the tannery was working busily in recent months.

The tannery formerly owned by Irish Leathers, was bought over three years ago by the International Hide and Skin Company of which Mr. Raymond Lannen formerly of Dungarvan is Managing Director.

## Free Buses to Dungarvan

ON FRIDAY, DEC. 8th,  
1989

(1) POWERS BUS from Stradbally ... 10.30 Bonmahon... 10.45 Ballylaneen . 11.00 Kilmacthomas (Square) ..... 11.15 Leamybrien . 11.30 arrive Dungarvan .. 11.45	(3) KENNEALLY'S BUS from Clashmore .... 9.45 Aglish ..... 10.00 Villierstown 10.15 arrive Dungarvan .. 10.45
(2) KENNEALLY'S BUS from Tallow ..... 10.30 Lismore ..... 10.50 Cappoquin .. 11.20 arrive Dungarvan .. 11.40	(4) HALLAHAN'S BUS from Modeligo (Farrell's X) . 10.15 Millstreet ..... 10.25 Ballinamult . 10.45 Halfway ..... 11.00 Ballymac' .... 11.15 Touraneena . 11.45 Beary's X .... 12.00 arrive Dungarvan .. 12.20

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# Pause For Thought With Fr. Paddy

## WAKE UP!

It is hard to believe that a year has gone by since I first had the opportunity of sharing my thoughts with you. Yet! there's no gainsaying it. The coloured lights are on, the windows are bedecked with attractive and colourful Christmas fare, and the young and eager hearts are filled with expectation as they count the days to the great feast. Mother Church too is trying to drum up our interest, and create in us a new insight into our religion. So, just as the Christmas preparations stir the young with hopeful anticipation, the Church has organised the Advent liturgy to gain our attention, and make us look forward and anxious to celebrate and to live the great Christian mystery.

She starts by asking us to listen to Isaiah in the first of last Sunday's readings. That great servant of God did not hesitate to speak out and condemn the evils of his day. And, he is insisting that they leave their sinful ways, and prepare for the day when God would visit His chosen people. He told them that God would bring peace, and pointed out the need of being ready and prepared to welcome Him into their midst. Isaiah is also telling us to walk in the light of the Lord, and abide by His laws. He is telling us that when Jesus comes again on the last day, he'll unite all His faithful children in His land of peace.

St. Paul in the second reading continues with the same theme. He urges us to lead a good life, because the day of salvation is nigh. Paul was privileged to witness the fulfilment of the main part of Isaiah's prophesy in Christ's life, death and resurrection, which is why he is so pressing in alerting and exhorting us to be alive to the situation, and get ourselves ready. He is saying, the long waiting is almost past, and you must be prepared for you know not the day or the hour, when the Lord will call you. His message is valid and just as necessary whether the call comes in time or at the end of time. Paul like the great prophets did not flinch from passing condemnation on the evils of his day. He invoked the people to forsake their crimes of drunkenness, of impurity, of murder, of jealousy, etc., and return to God. He told them that if they did not heed his warning that they'd remain in danger of losing their souls. We see and we hear of people being plucked suddenly out of life, and it is not just one day, but it is every day. And, it is not only the sick and the aged, but the young and strong are snatched without a moment's notice. Hence, it is a wise and sensible person who never forgets his end. Those, who live as if they will never die, often find themselves before the Judgment Seat only to learn

to their consternation that they have failed and lost everything.

Again, the gospel unfolds the message about the last day, and warns us of the need to be vigilant. Certainly, the suddenness of His coming is depicted in frightening terms, and the Lord was well aware it would arouse fear. However, we do know that when that fear is channelled into love of God, the angel's trumpet will be no more than a welcoming and happy sound. The Lord did reveal that the last day would be marked with tragedy for many, but the main force and thrust of His message is directed at the need of preparedness. No one, not even the angels, but God alone knows the hour and the day. It follows that when people prepare for the awesome day, they'll neither be surprised or afraid. It simply heralds their joyful meeting with God their father.

## LIFE HERE IS NOT EASY

When sickness or misfortune strikes, we quickly take steps to find a remedy or a solution. Yet! when it comes to saving our souls we behave and act as if there was no urgency. Our complacency and lack of concern would be laughable were it not for the seriousness of the matter. It is time we made up our minds. We have not got all day!

Life is not easy for anyone, but, whilst we walk this earth, the Lord expects us to fulfil our duties to Him. If you fail to observe His service, you'll have missed the whole purpose of your existence. The longest life is short, and when the end comes, it is like a thief in the night. And, whether our summons comes in or at the end of time, the condition of our souls will determine our state in eternity. Yes, if we die in mortal sin, we end up in Hell.

You'd expect people to put two and two together, but experience proves that great numbers would rather listen to the prophets of "eat and be merry." They live for today, and forget about tomorrow. You see, when people think about Hell, they will strive to follow God's ways. No one has put the finger on our weakness! We all have to struggle, and, we know only too well that if we did not, we'd fail. You might well ask, what about all those vast numbers who have no respect for man or God? Indeed, they have only to ask for pardon, but the question is, will they? Am afraid, we cannot pass judgment: the matter is in the hands of God, who sees all and knows all. No one will fool Him. And, He did warn us to prepare for that day. So, as S.S. says, wisdom is born from fear, let us prepare and be ready to meet our God.

# Strong Garda Presence Is Needed In West Waterford

Replacing gardai with a garda squad car was a disastrous policy as a strong garda presence was needed in West Waterford it was stated at a meeting of Waterford County Council in Dungarvan last week when the Council discussed a motion in the names of the four West Waterford members of the Council calling on the Council to express its deep concern at the continuing reduction of garda strength in the towns and villages of West Waterford.

The motion was put down for discussion by Cllrs. J. Quirke, W. McDonnell, O. Wilkinson and J. A. Walsh.

Cllr. Quirke said that in a report in the papers on this subject after the last Council meeting it had been stated that he had referred to the removal of a Garda from Ballyduff but this was incorrect. He said that his information was that a garda was to be transferred from Tallow and Lismore Stations leaving Tallow with just one garda and a sergeant and Lismore with two gardai and a sergeant and a squad car was supposed to take over their duties.

Cllr. Quirke went on to say that he couldn't see how a squad car could cope with the situation as the force both in Tallow and Lismore was very small. Old people throughout the area were frightened at night even to go asleep and he said they would have to now make a stand at this proposal to remove gardai from the area.

"We have Community Alert in Ballyduff," said Cllr. Quirke, "and it is doing great work there but then it amazes me to see the Government reducing the garda force like this."

Cllr. J. A. Walsh said that a squad car was no replacement for gardai and in his opinion such a policy was a disastrous one for the areas concerned. "A strong garda presence is required there," he said.

Cllr. McDonnell praised the gardai for the wonderful job they were doing but expressed concern about the reduction in numbers. "There is a feeling among some people that the garda stations in Ballyduff, Tallow and Cappoquin might all face closure in the future," he added.

## NO OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION

Cllr. O. Wilkinson said that his understanding of the trouble was that the garda strength in Dungarvan was cut and they were now drawing gardai in from outlying stations. However, he added that up to the previous Friday night no official communication had been issued that gardai were being transferred from Lismore or Tal-

low. "Certainly," said Cllr. Wilkinson, "I would condemn in the strongest possible manner any move to transfer gardai from Tallow or Lismore."

Cllr. Tom Cunningham said that this should apply

to the whole county as the same thing was happening all over.

This was agreed and the motion was passed and the matter is now to be taken up with the Garda Commissioner.

## MAR MHO LADH

# An Br. Tomas O Cathain

(a fuair bas le deanai)

Fear na matamaitice  
Leis an gcaile ag na gclardubh,  
Ag iomarscail le linte,  
Cuaranna is fannta,  
Ailgeabar, Calcalus,  
Ceimseata Chomhordanaideach;  
Nach tu a bhi oilte  
Chomh maith i dTriantanacht!

Ar an dtaobh eile de  
Na duirt tu le gach mathair:  
"Ni labhairfimid faoi airgead,  
"Cuir chugainn e laithreach!"  
Bhi Laidin agus Fisic  
Leis an Ghaeilge cheolmhar arsa  
A ple againn na la sin  
Leis an mbrathair uasal alainn ud.

Le dea-mhein 's omos  
'Sea scriobhim na linte seo;  
Seasann tu chomh stuamdha ard  
I measc an tslua a riarraigh tu.  
I seomra na scoile  
No ar phairc na h-iomanaiochta  
Ni raibh do sharu mar mhuinteoir:  
Im' thuairim, sin an fhirinne.

Narbh mhaith an mhaise duinn  
Go raibh do leitheid ann,  
Ag iachaill - obair ar ar son  
Ar mhaithe gach aon chlann.  
Bhi meas agus cion agat  
Ar scolairi de mo linn-se.  
Mo ghile is mo ghroidhin thu,  
Ta na smaointe fos chomh binn sin!

Nior chuala me riamh uait  
Na focail ag canadh  
Gan mionghaire ar do aghaidh  
Ce nar scairt tu riamh os ard leis.  
Le toghadh na h-intealachta  
Ach mar sin go haraithe  
Bhi am agat don rogaire  
Is an lofaire gan cas aige.

Ta do re thart  
A Bhrathair ro-chuibhiuil ghil;  
I measc na naomh is angeal thuas  
Go raibh tu, mar 'ta tuillte 'gat!  
Ni fheadfadh le haon mholadh ard,  
Da mheid le neart a glaotar  
Do thioncar 'bhreith ar an aos og  
A bhlathaigh tri do shaothar.

Pilib O Dugain



# ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

## TROOP MEETING

Last Saturday nights troop meeting was opened by J.A.S.L. Alan Ryan — After the prayers Alan made use of his new "Leaders Pack" as he tried out one of their recommended games. The game was called stick pull and proved very popular with Liam Moore, Michael Verling and Donnacha Cosgrave particularly enjoying themselves.

After the game we collected the subs and sorted out the ticket money, while this was going on the patrols revised the points of the compass and how to take a bearing properly.

After subs we firstly examined taking a bearing using the relay system; for this we were joined by Unit Chairman, Jim Shine and just as well for Aidan Mullarkey and Wolf patrol as they "lost their bearings." Next we examined the compass points, the hardest point here seemed to be drawing the compass circle although if you ever get lost don't ask the "Wolves" for they could

easily send you East instead of West.

For tonight's patrol activity we did part of the new consumer merit badge. For this patrols were asked to list the fifty most popular food pieces (and their sizes) used on camps or weekends. We then made a list of these with Paddy O'Dea as teacher on the blackboard.

We ended the meeting with notices and the closing prayers.

## GENERAL

It's all systems go at the 4th as we have a very busy schedule lined up to finish the decade.

Next Saturday night (Dec. 9) we have an indoor cooking competition (four course). The question is will the Wolf patrol regain their bearings and retain their indoor title for cooking.

The meeting starts at 6.45 p.m. and will run until the later time of 10 p.m.

As this Friday is a Church Holiday our monthly church parade has been transferred to Sunday morning (Dec. 10). The

only question is what time will the boys go to Mass?

Saturday Dec. 16 is our final troop meeting night of the year and for this we will have an inter-patrol competition based on the scout badge (tracker badge) plus on bicycle care and safety, so all scouts are reminded to have their wheels present that night.

Talking of wheels J.A.S.L. Alan Ryan has traded his two wheels for four as he has purchased a blue Fiat 127. We would like to wish Alan many years of happy and safe motoring.

Last Sunday morning it was our community help time as we helped the local St. Vincent de Paul Society deliver all their Christmas Appeal letters.

## NEWS NEWS!!

This week-end an extra large Christmas edition of the "Parish News" will be available at all the usual outlets. Our Troop Chaplain and his crew are reported to have been working overtime on this jumbo edition.

— Sub-Subscribe Plus.

# Approved Social Employment Schemes

Deputy Brendan Kenneally has been informed by the Minister for Labour, Mr. Bertie Ahern, T.D., that a further number of applications have been approved for Social Employment Schemes in the Waterford area.

Voluntary bodies to benefit are as follows:—

Care of the aged for caretaker — 1 person; Clashmore/Kinsalebeg GAA for caretakers — 2 people; Knockanore/Glendine/Kilwatermoy Community Council for the maintenance of areas in the parish — 4 people; Ardmore Tidy Towns for

the general maintenance of unsightly areas, landscaping in village and approach roads — 4 people; St. Joseph's Benildus Parish in Waterford City for a secretary/organiser — 1 person.

## SCHOOLS

A secretary has been approved for St. Stephen's Boys' N.S., Stella Maris,

Tramore, and St. John of God's school in Waterford city.

A caretaker has been approved for the Boys' N.S., Cappoquin, Grange N.S., Ardmore, while two people have been appointed to those posts in Holy Cross N.S., Tramore, Mount Sion and Mercy Convent, Waterford.

# BALLYSAGGART NOTES

## G.A.A. NOTES

**Race Nite This Friday Night** — All is now finalised for the club's first Race Nite at Meagher's on this Friday night. In all there will be 8 races and 7 races are sold out. The remaining race is the Auction Race and the eight horses for this race will be auctioned on Friday night. The prizemoney for this race is £100, so why not get your

own syndicate organised (family or friends) and buy a horse for this race.

The first race is timed for 9.15 and we hope to see a big turnout for this event.

Please note that children will not be admitted to the Race Nite.

Card Results — 1, 2 and 3 divided — Pad Walsh, Bertie Neville, Annie Neville, Eddie Byrne, Jim Daly and Tommie Nugent;

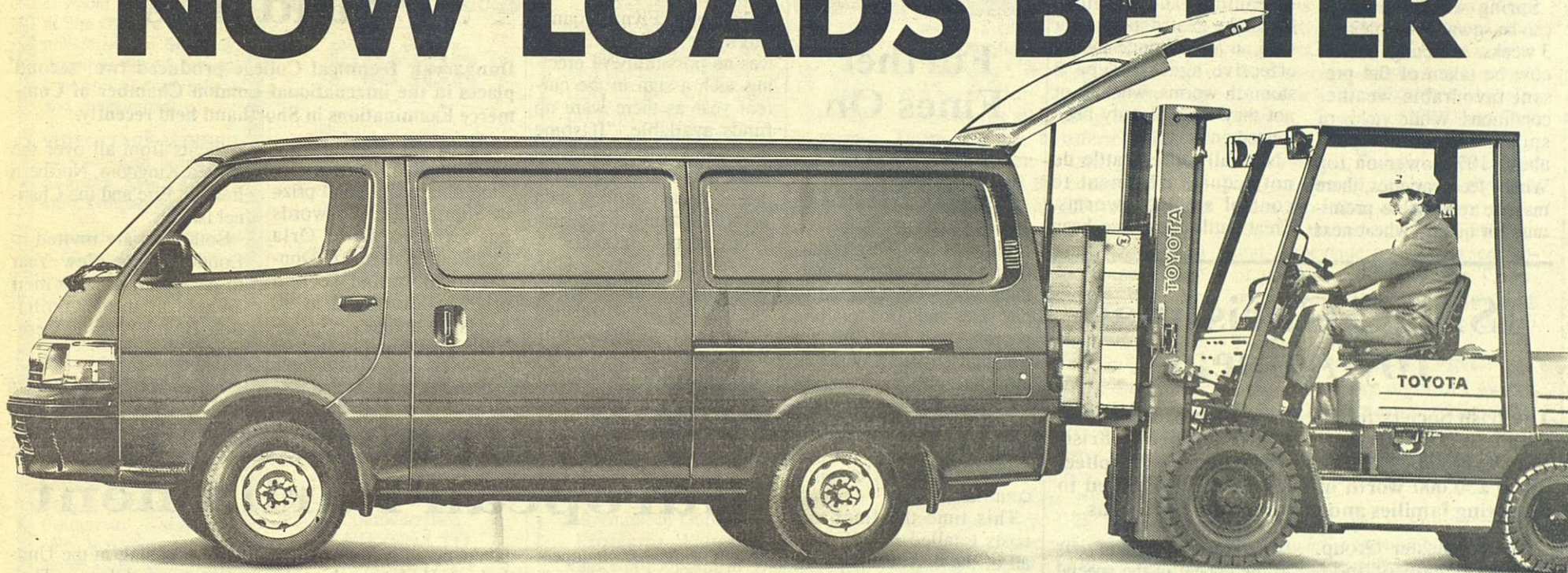
Lucky tables — Mick Crowley and Jim Kearney, Paddy and Mary Power, James Hyland and John Kennefick.

Raffle Winners — Mick Morrissey, Mary Power, Peggie English, Eily Meagher.

## COLLECTION

The St. Vincent de Paul Christmas Collection will be taken up on Sunday next, December 10.

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## Dungarvan Dramatic

Tensions are running high as the final preparations for our 1989 production of "Aristocrats" by Brian Friel are completed. The set, designed by Michael Hennessy and built by Denis Moynihan and Eugene Burke, promises to be a perfect example of aged splendour. Sharon Dillon, who is the designer of our highly praised poster for "Aristocrats" displays talents anew as she paints the set also.

In case you've forgotten, our talented cast and directors, let me refresh your memories: Director — Brid O'Kennedy; Willie Diver — Hank Regan; Tom Hoff-

nung — Michael Hennessy; Uncle George — Pat Morrissey; Casimir — Anthony McCarthy; Alice — Anne Kavanagh; Eamon — Ruairi De Paor; Claire — Helen Forde; Judith — Mary Kelly; Father — Paddy Gordon, (Anna's Voice) — Pat Kiely.

Sound provision is provided by Dave Lee, Lighting by Dirk Baumann and the Stage Manager is Elizabeth Dorman-Kade. At this stage I would like to thank the sponsors who have responded generously to date and appeal to those yet to be approached to be equally generous.

Let me remind you again

of the dates of our run: Opening night, with wine and cheese reception at the interval, is Wednesday, December 13. Student rates are available for the other three nights — Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, Dec. 14, 15 and 16.

A great night's entertainment is assured so please support your local drama group and reserve a night for our performances in our usual venue, The Friary Hall Theatre.

If anybody would like to be involved in ticket selling, teas, etc., please ring Patricia at 058/46275 for details. — PRO.

## This Week Teagasc Co. Waterford Says

### GRANTS IN DISADVANTAGED AREAS

Farmers in the Disadvantaged areas whose Farm Improvement Programme plans were drawn up before October 5, 1989, must submit applications to the Farm Development Service before December 31, 1989, in order to qualify for the higher rate of grants.

### CEREALS

Spring wheat varieties can be sown for the next 2-3 weeks. Advantage should now be taken of the present favourable weather conditions. While yields of spring varieties may be about 10% lower on top Winter feed varieties, there may be reasonable premiums for quality wheat next

year considering the increased acreage of feed wheat.

### ANIMAL HEALTH

Special attention should be paid to stock during the first few weeks of housing. Mastitis and other problems may be the result of cows not lying in cubicles. Keep cubicles clean and dry. Use dry cow therapy for sub-clinical mastitis. Cull chronic cases.

Weanlings and yearlings should be treated at housing with an anthelmintic that is effective against Type 2 stomach worms, whether or not they have already been treated on grass.

Normally older cattle do not require treatment to control stomach worms. Treat cattle that have been

grazing wet land for fluke.

Complete clostridial vaccination programme on sheep and treat for fluke in wet areas.

### LICE

Pour-on insecticides for lice control are most convenient and may be used at time of housing. A good product with good lasting activity should mean that just one treatment will be sufficient.

## Further Fines On Salmon Fishermen

Many of the West Waterford and East Cork fishermen who were ordered to pay fines and costs totalling more than £8,000 at Youghal District Court two months ago, were among 31 defendants who were again prosecuted by the Southern Regional Fisheries Board at the same court last Friday.

This time the fines and costs totalled £2,645 after all of the defendants pleaded guilty to charges relating, almost exclusively, to the illegal use of monofilament nets for drift net salmon fishing during the months of June and July.

The fines ranged from £10 to £75 with orders for costs varying between £10 and £50.

Charges against three other fishermen who were not in court were adjourned to January 5.

One other defendant who pleaded guilty to fishing during the weekly closed season on June 25, and having six unlawfully captured salmon in his possession, was fined a total of £75 and directed to pay £75 costs.

# Co. Council Motions

The following motions were among a number dealt with at the special meeting of Waterford Co. Council held in Dungarvan last week:

**Lights On** — Cllr. Patsy Kenneally moved that the Council request the Minister for the Environment to make it compulsory that all motor vehicles have lights on during daylight hours in Winter months.

Proposing the motion, Cllr. Kenneally said that this was compulsory in Scandinavia and a number of other countries and Bord Telecom had now started doing it here. He thought that in the interests of road safety and to prevent accidents during winter it was something that should be applied generally.

The motion was seconded by Cllr. Paddy Cahill and passed.

**Valentine Greatrakes** — Cllr. James A. Walsh proposed that the Council erect a sign adjacent to Old Affane Graveyard indicating that it is the last resting place of "Greatrakes the famous healer."

Moving the motion, Cllr. Walsh said that Greatrakes was buried in Affane in or about 1665. He was aware that a number of people had inquired from time to time as to where the grave was. "I think a sign should be erected indicating where it is," he said.

Mr. John O'Flynn, County Engineer said that there was no possibility of erecting such a sign in the current year as there were no funds available. "If some local committee interested in the matter was to provide the necessary money then we will certainly have such a sign erected," he said.

**Warning Signs** — Cllr. Kenneally proposed that the Council erect warning signs approaching Whitechurch Bridge in the

interest of road safety. He pointed out that this was an extremely dangerous place and said that three cars had wound up in the adjoining field there recently.

The County Engineer said that he would look into the feasibility of moving the sign which was already there but he thought the best way to deal with the problem there was to strengthen the road and it might be possible for them to do this.

**Public Toilet For Lismore** — Pointing out that he had been requested to do so by Lismore Town Commissioners, Cllr. W. McDonnell again proposed that a public toilet be erected in Lismore.

The motion was seconded by Cllr. J. Quirke.

The County Engineer stat-

ed that unless they could get grant aid they would not be able to do anything about providing toilets in the coming year. He had, he added, prepared plans for the toilet but the Council had put no money in the estimates for the coming year to do the job.

**Fishery Problems** — Stating that fishermen were dreading the coming salmon fishing season as they could not afford to be in confrontation with Fishery Officers, Cllr. Kenneally proposed that the Council request the Minister for the Marine to meet a deputation of salmon fishermen to discuss a solution to allay fears of a confrontation about nets.

The motion was seconded by Cllr. G. O'Halloran and passed.

## London Awards For Dungarvan Technical College Students

Dungarvan Technical College produced two second places in the international London Chamber of Commerce Examinations in Shorthand held recently.

Eibhlin Ni Ghriobhthain of Rath na mBunineach, Ring obtained second prize in Shorthand at 70 words per minute, while Orla Keane of Ballyduff, Dungarvan obtained second prize in Shorthand at 90 words per minute.

The girls competed with

students from all over the United Kingdom, Northern Ireland, Eire and the Channel Islands.

Both girls are invited to London in the New Year to be presented with their awards at the Examination Board Awards Ceremony.

## T. J. Maher At The European Parliament

Mr. T. J. Maher (Independent, Munster), speaking in a debate in the European Parliament in Strasbourg on the adjustment of agricultural structures, said there was a contradiction in urging Europe to become competitive, while at the same time preventing the use of all the modern technology which was available to farmers in different parts of the world. It was like saying to motor manufacturers in Europe that they should do away with production lines while allowing the Japanese to use them.

Mr. Maher said he was not enamoured of the set-aside scheme, and was hoping it would not be

taken up in a big way in Ireland. He believed it was the wrong direction to take. Farmers wanted to work, to use their land for some purpose rather than leave it idle. He was pleased that efforts were at last being made to recognise the problems of young farmers entering the industry. If they did not have new blood coming into agriculture, then the industry was doomed.

### ECONOMIC AND MONETARY UNION

Speaking on economic and monetary union, also at the European Parliament, Mr. Maher said it was time they stopped merely reacting to what

was happening in the United States and Japan. They now had the power in the Community, if they were sufficiently united, to make those countries react to them.

Some governments were concerned at the loss of sovereignty as a consequence of full monetary and economic union. There were clear indications that the people in some of those countries, and particularly in the U.K., were ahead of their government and would favour the concept of economic and monetary union. Perhaps there was justification for having a referendum in the United Kingdom to demonstrate the will of the people.

## ISPCC Christmas Toy Appeal

The Irish Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (ISPCC) has launched a major "Christmas Toy Appeal" which, they hope, will collect up to £30,000 worth of toys, to be distributed to deserving families and children this Christmas.

The Toymaster Group, Ireland's chain of independent toy shops, with 35 stores throughout the country, has agreed to make their network available as pick-up points for toys.

The public are asked to

leave their donation of toys to the appeal in the special boxes provided at the following Toymaster Shops: Dungarvan, Murphy's Toys & Cycles, 9 Main Street; Waterford, Gregory Fitzmaurice, 9/10 Barronstrand Street.

## Christmas and New Year Advertising

We will be publishing a bumper Christmas and New year issue of the "Leader" on December 20 and we now are booking advertising space for it.

Advertisers are advised to book early to obtain the best positions. Phone Michael at 058/41203 for particulars.



# KILL NOTES

## SCOR NA NOG

Last Friday and Saturday night, December 2 and 3, the youth from the St. Mary's G.A.A. club travelled to Portlao to participate in the Eastern semi-final. With the club having a team in every event, we came through in the figure dancing, recitation, novelty act, question time, instrumental music and the set dancers. Well done to all on the night.

## LATE MR. MARTIN BRIEN

Last Wednesday morning, November 29, we heard about the death of Martin Brien, Killbarrymeaden, Kill. Martin was the local friendly postman for many years and was a well known follower of Kill's footballers.

His remains were re-

ceived in Kill Church by Rev. Fr. Tom Burns, C.C., last Wednesday, November 29 and his burial took place on Thursday morning after Requiem Mass in the nearby cemetery.

Our sympathy goes to his brothers and sisters, as well as the many family members and also to the many close friends he had. May he R.I.P.

## ST. MARY'S G.A.A.

Last weekend the U-12 hurlers captured the city league title in Walsh Park, Waterford when beating Tramore by 1-1 0-1. At half time the scoreboard read 1-1 to 0-0 and only for some brilliant goalkeeping from B. Mooney and a great defence, defeat would have been on the cards.

The team was B. Mooney, W. Power, C. McGrath, M. Hayes, D. Power, T. Regan, M. Ahearne, P. Lannon, M. Kiely, S. Ahearne, A. Lannon, D. Casey, F. Torpey, M. Guiry, J. Keane. Subs. — J. J. Barry, M. Mulcahy and P. Casey.

Unfortunately our U-15 hurlers were beaten by Portlao by 3-6 to 2-2. Scorers were E. Power 1-1, D. Power 1-0 and K. Whelan 0-1.

## St. Mary's Parish Dungarvan

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8

Feast of the Immaculate Conception of Our Lady. Holyday.

Masses: St. Mary's — Thursday, 7.30 p.m. (Temperance Mass); Friday, 9, 10.30, 11.45 a.m., 7.30 p.m.; Friary — Thursday, 6.15 p.m., Friday — 8, 10, 11.30 a.m., 6.15 p.m.

"O Mary, conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee."

### NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

St. Mary's Church on Monday at 7.30 p.m.

### FRIENDS OF ST. MARTIN

Tickets for Annual Christmas Dinner will be distributed in Vincent de Paul Rooms on Friday, December 8, between 10-12.30 and 2-4 p.m.

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Christmas Collection after all Masses on Sunday, December 10.

### WIDOW'S ASSOCIATION

Monthly meeting in Vincent de Paul Rooms on Tuesday, December 12, at 8 p.m.

## Colour Kylie Contest

There was a huge response to our Colour Kylie Contest sponsored by Ben O'Neill, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan. We join with Ben in thanking all those who forwarded an entry. The following is the list of prizewinners, all of whom are asked to be at Ben O'Neill's in O'Connell Street on Saturday, December 9, at 3 p.m. for presentation of prizes and photographs.

**VIDEO TAPE WINNER** — Kelly-Ann Wade, 34 Seapark Ave., Abbeyside, Dungarvan.

### Cassette Tape winners

— Grace O'Connor, 4 Byrneville, Dungarvan; Michelle Twohig, 23 Caseyville, Dungarvan; Claire Moore, Ballysaggart, Lismore; Margaret Kiely, 10 Byrneville, Dungarvan; Brenda Kirwan, Knockenpower, Colligan, Dungarvan; Louise Carroll, 12, Leamybrien, Co. Waterford; Grainne Donnelly, Youghal Road, Dungarvan; Sarah Lincoln, Star Cottage, Ardmore; Kevin Whelan, 28 Hillside Crescent, KilmacThomas; Anne Johnson, 14 Abbots Close, Seapark, Abbeyside, Dungarvan.

### Poster Winners

— Br-effni Hannon, Ballinlavan, Ballyduff Upper; Hilda Howard, Ballyanchor, Lismore; Thelma O'Riordan, 88 Childers Estate, Dungarvan; Mary Cliffe, Ballygalane, Lismore; Victoria Smith, Cauty Cottage, Cappagh; Jessica Kelly, Newcastle, Clonmel, Co. Tipperary; Fiona Brazil, Grawn, Leamybrien; Freda Trihy, Coolboah, Clashmore; Amanda Nugent, 32 Childers Estate, Dungarvan; Patricia Cahill, 30 New Street, Lismore.



Professor Walton (seated right centre) flanked by Cllr. Paddy Power, Chairman, Dungarvan UDC and Mrs. Aine O'Riordan, Chairman, Abbeyside Pattern Committee pictured with the group of invited guests who attended the Civic Reception. (Photo: R. Wyley)

## Civic Honour For Abbeyside Born Nobel Prizewinner

Dungarvan and Abbeyside joined in according Civic honours to Professor Ernest T. S. Walton at special functions held on Wednesday night and Thursday morning of last week.

Professor Walton, now 86 years old, is still a very sprightly man for his age and surprised all who had gathered for the occasion in the Atrium at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan by the energy he displayed when he arrived for the Civic Reception which was being accorded him by Dungarvan Urban Council acting on behalf of the people of Dungarvan and Abbeyside.

Professor Walton won world renown when in 1951, jointly with Sir John Cockcroft, he received the Nobel Prize in Physics in recognition of the work done by them prior to World War 11 in splitting the atom. He later organised atomic energy research in Canada during the war.

He was born in Abbeyside on October 6, 1903, the son of a Methodist Minister. Educated in the North of Ireland where he grew up when his father was transferred there, he graduated with degrees in Physics and Mathematics at Trinity College in 1926. He went on to take his M.Sc. degree and subsequently studied at Cambridge University where he took his Ph.D.

In later years he returned to Ireland to take over the Chair of Physics at Trinity and now lives in retirement in Dublin.

Professor Walton travelled by train from Dublin to Waterford on Thursday and was met there by Dr. James Stacey of the Abbeyside Pattern Committee which with Dungarvan J.C. formed the organising committee in charge of the occasion. He was conveyed by Dr. Stacey to Dungarvan and on arrival at Lawlor's Hotel he was introduced to the VIP gathering present at the reception.

### A MOST FAMOUS SON

The formal address of welcome to Professor Walton was given by Cllr. Paddy Power, Chairman of the Urban Council who spoke of the signal honour it was for him to welcome home one of Dungarvan's and Abbeyside's most famous sons. "You come to us laden with international honours and it is my pleasure to welcome you home and to wish you many more years of health and happiness," he said.

Cllr. Power then presented Professor Walton with the specially prepared framed civic honour scroll and also a framed enlarged photograph dated 1890 of the old Walton family home at Strandside South, Abbeyside.

In his reply, Professor Walton, a rather frail figure of a man, told those present, "words fail me to express the gratitude I feel to the people of Dungarvan and Abbeyside as it never occurred to me at any time in my life that I would be honoured in this way." He went on to recall that he lived in Abbeyside for only nine months after being born as his father was then transferred. But, he said, his father, in later years, had told him about the cottage with the thatched roof in Abbeyside where he had been born. He had endeavoured during a visit to Dungarvan some years ago to locate the cottage but could find nothing of it. He added that he would treasure the presentations now made to him for the rest of his life.

Ms. Gillian Jeffrey, President Dungarvan Junior Chamber, joined in the address of welcome and Mr. Tom Keith who proved an admirable M.C. then brought the proceedings to a close. Amongst those also present were Cllr. M. Queally, Chairman, Waterford County Council, Ms. Aine O'Riordan, Chairman

Abbeyside Pattern Committee, Mr. B. J. McNally, Deputy Co. Manager, Mr. B. White, Town Clerk and members of Dungarvan UDC, Mr. George Taylor, Town Engineer, Mr. G. Stephenson and Mr. D. Regan, Dungarvan J.C., etc., etc.

### IT'S NOW THE WALTON CAUSEWAY PARK

On Thursday morning the Causeway Park at Abbeyside was en fete as a crowd gathered in fine but frosty cold conditions to watch the unveiling of a plaque to commemorate the fact that it is now to be called the Walton Causeway Park in honour of Professor Walton.

Two Bands, Dungarvan Brass and Dungarvan Pipers were there as were a number of children representing the schools in Dungarvan and Abbeyside and all present applauded as Cllr. P. Power, Chairman UDC, performed the unveiling of the plaque in the presence of Professor Walton.

### PUBLIC MEETING

On Wednesday night in Lawlor's Hotel, the Professor addressed a well-attended public meeting, ranging over a variety of subjects in which a very lively interest was displayed.

In all, the visit of Professor Walton proved a memorable and most historic occasion for Dungarvan.



Reflected on the plaque recording the naming of Walton Causeway Park in his honour is Professor Walton as he examines the inscription on it following the unveiling ceremony. (Photo: Pat Crowley)





Kieran O'Connor presenting a cheque on behalf of Waterford Foods plc. to Donncha O Dulaing during his stop in Cappoquin on his Cistercian Way Walk in aid of the Irish Wheelchair Association. Also included are scouts of the Cappoquin Unit C.B.S.I. (Photo: R. Wyley)

# TOURANEENA NOTES

## PARENTS ASSOCIATION

We would like to congratulate the boys on reaching the final of the School League. They have played some very good and tough games during the season, but hard luck on the day boys.

Thanks to our teachers and parents who supported and supplied transport to all the matches and to their trainers and referees who were always so willingly available.

This is our school's 25th Anniversary and we are having a giant Christmas Hamper to raffle for school funds. This hamper is being displayed locally and is a big sell-out.

Thanks to our sponsors Jim Nugent, Waterford Cop, Ian and Phylis McCabe.

The draw takes place on Sunday, December 17 in the local hall, the proceeds go towards new Encyclopedias and Books which are badly needed in our schools as was highlighted recently by our teachers and pupils on the 'Today Tonight' television programme.

Our school concert is on Friday, December 15 in the local hall. This has proved to be a great success in the past few years so keep that date free as a great night's entertainment is assured.

We take this opportunity in wishing all our readers, parents and pupils a happy Christmas and very prosperous 90's and thanks for all their help and support during the 80's.

## BLOOD DONORS

In the presence of the Lord Mayor of Cork, Cllr. Chrissie Aherne, 57 blood donors from the Munster Region who have each given 50 points of blood were presented with the Blood Transfusion Service Board's most prestigious award, the "Gold Drop Award". Amongst those presented was Michael Hickey, Kilmacomma, Clonmel. Michael is a native of Touraneena and we take this opportunity to congratulate him on his wonderful civic spirit.

## SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY

The annual party for our senior citizens will take place in Parish Hall on Tuesday night, December 12. Do come along and enjoy a nice hot meal, song and dance and make it a great Parish effort.

## SCOUT TROOP

A scouts meeting will be held on Thursday night at 8

o'clock for the purpose of forming a troop in Touraneena, boys and girls and their parents are asked to attend.

## ETHIOPIA FAMINE

A 27-table card drive will be held at the Halfway Bar on Sunday night, December 10, in aid of the famine victims in Ethiopia. £2 per person, valuable prizes.

## CARDS

Last week's winners were — Paddy Cullinan and Pierce Butler, Jack Dalton and Alice McGrath, Kathleen Hearn and Jimmy Kiely. Last Game — P. J. Walsh and Sean Leahy. Lucky Tables — George Foran and Biddy Barron, Christy Hallinan and Bridget Fitzpatrick. Raffle — Pierce Butler, Mossie Cliffe, Kathleen Hearn.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Declan Ahearne, Tudor House, Dungarvan, on celebrating his 21st birthday.

## SET CLUB NEWS

**Slogadh** — On Sunday last we travelled to Thurles, for the first round competition of 'Slogadh'. We had 4 sets competing, Modeligo U-9, Newcastle and Melleray U-12 and Sliabh gCua U-15 groups. It proved to be a good day all round and all 4 sets are now through to the national semi-finals which will be held in Wexford sometime in February 1990. Well done to all concerned. Music for the sets on the day was provided by Michael McKenna, Aglish.

**Sympathy** — We would like to extend a vote of sympathy to Tom Dunne and family, Touraneena, on the death of Tom's mother. May she rest in peace.

**Get Well Wishes** — Best wishes to the club for a speedy recovery to full health goes to Kathleen Hickey, Touraneena, who is at present in St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel. Kathleen is one of the backbone members of the club and we are all hoping to see her home and well as soon as possible.

**Congratulations** — While it may be said that all the celebrations have died down, the Set Club would like to extend a vote of congratulations to Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's G.A.A. Club on their wonderful successes this season.

Their historic wins in both the intermediate football and junior hurling county finals shouldn't be forgotten in a few weeks and it is a credit to the club to have gained such honours in one season. May their good fortune continue.

# Deasy Highlights Plight Of Salmon Netsmen In Dail Debate

In the course of an adjournment debate on Salmon Nets Legislation in the Dail last week, Mr. Austin Deasy T.D. said that the use of monofilament nets by fishermen had been a contentious issue over the past 10 or 15 years. It was illegal to use monofilament nets for salmon fishing but quite legal to use them for other types of fishing such as gill netting. "I want to see the use of this type of net fishing legalised to allow it to be used by salmon fishermen whether they are drift net fishermen or snap net fishermen," he said.

Deputy Deasy then went on to say: "We often hear about the social problems in city areas such as Dublin. We also hear about the social problems of rural dwellers, particularly small farmers in the West, but very seldom, if ever, do we hear about the plight of the inshore fisherman, the fisherman using a small boat. There are thousands of fishermen in this country who depend primarily on catching salmon during the season which lasts ap-

proximately from March to late July or early August."

The Dungarvan Deputy then stated that in his own constituency a number of fishermen have gone to prison in recent years merely for trying to eke out a living for themselves and their families and added: "There are alternatives if they cannot fish — the dole or emigration."

Continuing he said that despite cutbacks, the Fishery Boards had improved their equipment and now

they were capable of pursuing and apprehending the people who might be fishing with monofilament nets, although it might be only a small amount of it. "This," he then stated, "has made life impossible for these fishermen. People have gone to prison and others have had to give up fishing because they cannot make a living. In small communities like Ardmore and villages around Youghal Bay such as Knockadoon and Monaree as well as places like

Clashmore, Helvick, Boatstrand, Dunmore East, Passage East and Checkpoint, people have had to stop fishing because they cannot make a living."

## TERRIBLE CONDITIONS

"It is", Deputy Deasy went on, "a dreadful state of affairs that we cannot accommodate people who work hard under dreadful conditions — and it is no joke being out in an open boat in a storm in the months of May and June. These people have to work in terrible conditions and we should help them to make a reasonable living. I am not asking that all the nets used be monofilament but that a limited amount of it be allowed. In doing that there should be give and take."

In his reply the Minister of State at the Department of the Marine, Mr. Noonan, outlined the background to the by-law under which monofilament nets for salmon fishing has been prohibited since 1965 in the interest of conservation of salmon stocks and said that while he had considerable sympathy with the position of licensed salmon netsmen as outlined by Deputy Deasy, it would be very misleading for him at this stage to imply that the legislation of monofilament was on the immediate agenda. "Any decision to legalise the use of monofilament for sea fishing should not be lightly taken and can be taken only if and when a whole range of exacting conditions are satisfied," said Mr. Noonan.

Unassuming in manner, it was a delight to see the joy given to this 86 year old man in his quieter years. Our congratulations to Dr. Jim Stacey whose brainchild the project was, and to Dungarvan Junior Chamber and Abbeyside Pattern Committee who manned its execution.

## SYMPATHY

The recent and most tragic death of John Fleming, a faithful friend of the Causeway Tennis Club, has been felt keenly by all those who knew and loved him. We would like to extend our deepest and most heartfelt sympathies and prayers to all member of his family and friends and most especially to his wife Mary, and children Emma, Olga, Tom, Sally-Ann, Ronan and Susan-Amy. May they find strength in memory.

# CAUSEWAY TENNIS CLUB NOTES

The Causeway's gallop came to a stop in Cork on Sunday last when our vigilant team went down to Sunday's Well in the 2nd round of the Munster Winter League, barely biting the dust with a score of 4-3. Our team was well pleased with both their play, their result and the impression left by the Causeway on a very experienced team fielding at least one inter-provincial.

Team — Liam Crotty, Tom Higgins, Michael Collins, Theresa Keane, Pat Flanagan, Suzanne Dalton.

## CHRISTMAS CHEER

Our ladies have marked Wednesday, December 13 in their diaries for their usual Christmas celebrations. Do join us in the Causeway for tennis at 10.30 a.m. or for post-tennis coffee and mince pies in

Minnies.

## HOLIDAY DISCO

We will be having a teenage disco in Minnies early in the New Year and plans are afoot for our second ladies only table quiz to be held at the end of January.

## AMERICAN DREAM LEAGUE

Entries close for the second round of this very popular tournament. Junior interest appears to be taking precedence over adult entries — consequently the running of a senior section will depend on size of the entry.

## CAUSEWAY WALTON PARK

Our club was marked by the visit of the eminent winner of the Nobel prize for Physics in 1951 E.T.S. Walton who unveiled a plaque in his own honour.



# PENSMAN Takes You . . . . Behind The SPOTLIGHT

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL CHRISTMAS APPEAL

Next week-end the Society of St. Vincent de Paul make their annual Christmas appeal on behalf of the poor and underprivileged sections of the community through Church door collections which will be made at all Masses on Saturday evening and Sunday, December 9 and 10.

This Christmas Appeal is the principal source of income for all local conferences of the Society and the funds realised are urgently required to meet the demands that arise throughout the year but especially at Christmas time when efforts are made to provide that little bit extra for those who suffer poverty and deprivation.

People may not realise that poverty is so widespread in our midst but Mr. Eddie Daly, Area Council President of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, speaking at the launch of the Appeal in Waterford last Monday said that poverty in Waterford was at a higher level than ever before and this Christmas some 5,000 families in the County and City would depend on a hamper from St. Vincent de Paul to bring them some little extra comfort for the festive occasion.

It is only with the help of those who can afford it that those in need and in less fortunate circumstances can hope to have some of the Christmas cheer which so many can happily take for granted.

Christmas is always a time when goodwill and kindness abounds but it is also a time when people can be vulnerable especially those who are already below the breadline and who may be forced into borrowing money to provide some little presents for their children. It is people in this group and others like them that the St. Vincent de Paul Society hope to help and to enable them to do so they need the support of the general public.

To help provide a little extra for those who cannot otherwise afford it for Christmas will bring its own reward for those who help so we appeal to all to be generous in responding to the St. Vincent de Paul appeal at the week-end.

P.S. — We note that in at least one case, the collection envelopes issued for the appeal include a request for the name of the donor and the amount subscribed and we wondered why such information was requested. Charity is a private thing for those who give as well as for those who receive and it should be left like

that.

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTS

The Christmas street lights and decorations will be switched on in Dungarvan, and in Cappoquin, Lismore, Tallow and Youghal at the week-end ushering the festive season into top gear.

This year the recently formed Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce have organised a major scheme to encourage people to come into Dungarvan to do their shopping by organising free bus schedules on Friday, December 8 from a variety of centres throughout Mid and West Waterford. Not to be outdone, the Cappoquin Traders Association have come up with their own initiative of free transport from several points in the countryside around the town on the same day — December 8.

The organisations who have planned these moves to increase business to their towns in the run-up to Christmas must, of course, be complimented, but cognisance must also be taken of the complaints from shopkeepers in the smaller towns and villages in West Waterford that these campaigns by the traders in the major centres are hitting them hard by taking local shoppers away from them.

We are sure, though, that matters will balance out in the long run for all concerned. It all boils down to the ingenuity and initiative of the shopkeepers and the value for money which they provide for the public.

## AN EVENING OF POETRY IN TALLOW

On Sunday evening, December 17, the Tallow Enterprise Group will present an Evening of Poetry with Cappoquin born poet Thomas McCarthy at the Tallow Enterprise Centre, commencing at 8 p.m.

This will be the first occasion on which Thomas McCarthy, who is now accepted as one of the leading poets in the country, will give a reading in West Waterford and it should, indeed, prove a very special evening for all who will attend.

## GARDA SUPERINTENDENT TO RETURN TO WATERFORD CITY

Garda Supt. P. J. Hayes who was appointed to take charge of the Dungarvan Garda District with headquarters in Dungarvan in November of last year has been notified of his transfer back to Waterford City, effective from early in the New Year.

It was on November 24, 1988 that the official announcement came through that the then Inspector Hayes, stationed in Waterford, had been promoted to the rank of Superintendent and assigned to take charge in Dungarvan.

During his twelve months in the Old Boro', the Kerry born Supt. has won great popularity and admiration and although not a stranger to the area when he first took over, he became far more widely known throughout West Waterford since.

As an officer of the Garda Síochána, Supt. Hayes has always upheld the highest traditions of the force for courtesy and diligence, concern for the public and dedication to duty.

His transfer from Dungarvan after such a brief duty roster and his departure from the district will be much regretted throughout the entire West Waterford area.

## PROFESSOR WALTON IN DUNGARVAN

Professor Ernest Walton, Nobel Prize winner in Physics in 1951, was duly honoured by Dungarvan Urban Council in the course of a two-day visit to the town last week. The occasion is fully covered in our news columns elsewhere in this issue.

Professor Walton belied his 86 years of age as he took it all more or less in his stride. A spritely, lightly built man he displayed remarkable stamina for his more than four score of years as he first went through a Civic Reception, a dinner hosted in his honour and then addressed a public meeting during which he held the attention of those present from beginning to end. On the following morning he was again on the move as the activities switched to the Causeway Leisure Park in Abbeyside which has now been named in his honour and where, in his presence and attended by a large gathering, a plaque recording the fact was unveiled in

his honour.

When Professor Walton entered Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on his arrival on Wednesday evening and where all the indoor ceremonies took place, he was greeted by a huge 'welcome to Professor Walton' banner stretched in front of the hotel reception area.

During the Civic Reception held in the hotel's top storey Atrium, the Professor was introduced to all who had been invited to it and displayed a lively interest in the proceedings. When he spoke to my colleague John A and myself as members of the Press, he remarked that had he not been a scientist, one of the things which would not have been too far down his list as an option was journalism. We weren't sure whether this was meant as a compliment or not!

All in all we think it is fair to say that Professor Walton was almost overwhelmed by the hospitality shown to him and by the honour bestowed on him on the occasion. It was, he told those who were present, something that he would cherish and remember for the rest of his life.

## UNEMPLOYMENT AND EMIGRATION

Two of the greatest problem areas in this country are unemployment and emigration and because of their nature they are having a devastating effect notwithstanding what the Government says in regard to the upward trend of the economy. The statements issued with monotonous frequency by the Government Departments and Government agencies are hiding the fact that families and communities, especially in rural areas, are being emptied of their life-blood and vitality.

Headings which we came across in daily papers last week-end made sad reading. One proclaimed that 1,500 more were out of work with the news that a rise in unemployment figures for November brought fresh criticism of the Government's employment agencies.

Another banner heading told us of a "Chilling Emigration Forecast" with the news that the Auxiliary Bishop of Cork and Ross, Most Rev. Dr. John Buckley, had stated publicly that some 150,000 young Irish people would emigrate over the next five years. Adding that this would exceed the emigration of the 1950's, Bishop Buckley declared "the equivalent of the number of students in a large secondary school

leave the country every week" adding that emigration "has now become a personal problem for practically every family in Ireland."

This is not only sad but frightening. All our young people are being forced to flee the country

for economic reasons — mainly because of lack of suitable employment. What good then is a low inflation rate, a dropping interest rate and a burgeoning economy when, in a few years, all that will be left here are the very young and the aged!

## DASHING AWAY WITH THE SMOOTHING IRON

Our choice for the ballad corner this week which in years gone by was a great favourite for sing-along sessions is "Dashing Away With The Smoothing Iron"—

Twos on a Monday morning,  
When I beheld my darling,  
She looked so neat and charming  
In ev'ry high degree;  
She looked so neat and nimble, O,  
A-washing of her linen, O,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
She stole my heart away.

Twos on a Tuesday morning,  
When I beheld my darling,  
She looked so neat and charming  
In ev'ry high degree;  
She looked so neat and nimble, O,  
A-hanging out her linen, O,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
She stole my heart away.

Twos on a Wednesday morning,  
When I beheld my darling,  
She looked so neat and charming  
In ev'ry high degree;  
She looked so neat and nimble, O,  
A-starching of her linen, O,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
She stole my heart away.

Twos on a Thursday morning,  
When I beheld my darling,  
She looked so neat and charming  
In ev'ry high degree;  
She looked so neat and nimble, O,  
A-ironing of her linen, O,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
She stole my heart away.

Twos on a Friday morning,  
When I beheld my darling,  
She looked so neat and charming  
In ev'ry high degree;  
She looked so neat and nimble, O,  
A-folding of her linen, O,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
She stole my heart away.

Twos on a Saturday morning,  
When I beheld my darling,  
She looked so neat and charming  
In ev'ry high degree;  
She looked so neat and nimble, O,  
A-airing of her linen, O,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
She stole my heart away.

Twos on a Sunday morning,  
When I beheld my darling,  
She looked so neat and charming  
In ev'ry high degree;  
She looked so neat and nimble, O,  
A-wearing of her linen, O,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
Dashing away with the smoothing iron,  
She stole my heart away.



## RECENT DEATHS

### Mr. Michael G. Collins

It is with sadness and regret that we record the death of Mr. Michael G. Collins, The Grove, Abbey-side, Dungarvan, which occurred on Saturday, November 25, at his residence. Michael was son of Tom and Madeline Collins and was 31 years of age.

For the past 8 years the deceased had been in failing health, but nevertheless he took his illness with great dignity in the loving care of his parents and supportive brothers, sisters and friends. In his short life, Michael endeared himself to all because of his pleasant personality and sincerity. This was evident in the way he worked and socialised throughout his school days and in college where he graduated with a B.Sc. (Surv.) degree. Prior to his illness he was a valued employee of Keane, Mahony, Smith, Auctioneers, Estate Agents, Valuers, Land Agents, of Cork City.

He will be remembered always for his gentleness and good humour.

On Sunday evening his remains were removed from his home to Abbey-side Church where they were blessed and received by Very Rev. M. Canon Farrell, P.P., assisted by Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C., Rev. J. Hickey, O.S.A., Rev. Fr. Bresnan, O.S.A. and Fr. Tony Lambé, St. Patrick's College, Thurles.

Following Requiem Mass on Monday celebrated by Fr. P. Ahearn, C.C., the funeral took place to St. Laurence's cemetery where Michael was laid to rest. Fr. Ahearne, C.C., officiated at the graveside. Also present were Canon Farrell, P.P., Rev. J. Hooper, O.S.A., Rev. P. Moran, O.S.A. and Rev. J. Hickey, O.S.A.

We join with the large numbers who attended the funeral obsequies in offering our deepest sympathy to Michael's parents, brothers, sisters and relatives on their sad loss.

Chief mourners — Tom and Madeline (parents), Paddy, Tony and John (brothers), Maureen, Geraldine and Teresa (sisters), Frank and Angus (brothers-in-law), Breda and Marie (sisters-in-law) and his uncles, aunts, nephews, nieces and friends.

(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan.)

### Mrs. Kathleen Mulcahy (nee McGrath)

The unexpected passing of Mrs. Kathleen Mulcahy, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan, at Ardkeen hospital on

Sunday, November 26, was the source of much sadness and regret throughout the locality. Aged 77 years, Kathleen ran a grocery store at Cloneety Terrace for the past 20 years where she became well known and most popular with the locals.

She was an excellent conversationalist and took a great interest in the daily news of the Old Boro. Her passing is all the more poignant since her brother Commdt. Maurice McGrath died only two months ago.

We tender our condolences to son Tom, daughters Margaret and Catherine, relatives and friends on their loss.

On Monday evening the funeral took place from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church where Kathleen's remains were blessed and received by Rev. T. Rogers, C.C., assisted by Very Rev. M. Canon Farrell, P.P., Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C., Very Rev. Fr. J. O'Sullivan, Rev. J. Hickey, O.S.A. and Very Rev. K. Mulcahy, P.P., Ballyduff.

On Tuesday morning celebrated Mass was offered for the happy repose of Kathleen's soul. Rev. Fr. Rogers, C.C., was chief celebrant, while Very Rev. J. Mulcahy, P.P., Knockanore, Very Rev. K. Mulcahy, P.P., Ballyduff, Very Rev. G. Power, P.P., Mons. P. Lannen, Rev. J. Hickey, O.S.A., Rev. B. Crowley, C.C., Clonmel, Rev. M. Curran, C.C., Cahir, were co-celebrants. Also present were Very Rev. J. O'Sullivan and Rev. J. Hooper, O.S.A.

In the presence of a large concourse, Kathleen's remains were laid to rest in the family burial ground in the adjoining cemetery.

Chief mourners — Tom (son), Margaret and Catherine (daughters), Marion (daughter-in-law), Sharon, Lisa, Elaine, Jillian and Jennifer (grandchildren), Mrs. M. C. O'Regan, Dungarvan, Mrs. Joan Casey, Abbeyside (sisters), and a wide circle of relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements by James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan.)

### Mr. John Fleming

On Wednesday, November 29, Mr. John Fleming, Abbey Lodge, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, well-known and popular member of the locality, passed away at his residence after a period of ill-health, a cross of illness that was borne with bravery and courage.

He is survived by his wife Mary and family Emma, Olga, Tom, Sally-Anne, Ronan and Susan-Amy. We remember in our thoughts

his loving mother, sisters, mother-in-law, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, relatives and friends.

John's passing at an early age deprives the locality and society of a gifted dental surgeon and a person whose traits and virtues were all so admirable.

His funeral, the biggest in the locality for many years, speaks volumes for John's popularity and high esteem.

On Thursday evening last his remains were brought from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church. On Friday morning, after celebrated Requiem Mass, John's remains were laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

Full obituary in next week's issue.

(James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan.)

### Mr. William Jones

We record with very sincere regret the death of Mr. William (Billy) Jones, 57 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, which occurred on Friday evening, December 1, at Ardkeen Hospital. The deceased, who was in his early sixties, was well known and highly respected. He took a keen interest in a game of darts, loved to socialise and was the life and soul of a get-together with his many friends.

We sympathise with his brothers and sisters, relatives and friends on their sad loss.

On Sunday evening the funeral took place to St. Mary's Parish Church. Officiating clergy were Rev. T. Rogers, C.C., Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C. and Rev. J. Hickey, O.S.A. Following Requiem Mass at 11.15 a.m. on Monday morning, Billy was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

Full obituary in next week's issue.

(James Kiely & Sons, Funeral Directors, Dungarvan.)

# West Waterford Notes

#### IN INDIA

Best wishes to sisters Bridget and Katriona Hynes, Tinnock, presently enjoying a tour of India.

#### JUVENILE G.A.A.

#### A.G.M.

The A.G.M. of the Juvenile G.A.A. Club was held recently.

Another meeting will be held shortly to organise the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Club's annual fundraising event "The Voice of Clashmore." It is hoped to get this event underway early in 1990.

Officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Chairman — Liam Allen; Vice-Chairman — Anthony Broderick; Secretary — Rita Foley; Asst. Secretary — Sheila Power; Treasurers — Eileen McGrath and Bridget Barron.

#### SYMPATHY

We wish to express our deepest sympathy to Mary Fleming and children, Abbeyside, Dungarvan, on the death of her husband John which occurred last week after a brief illness. Many people from West Waterford were patients of John's. Other people from the area, knew John through his horse interests. We also express sympathy to Mary Birmingham, Youghal, a sister of John's. Many people from this area work with Mary at Bryant Rubber, Youghal. May he rest in peace.

#### IN AMERICA

The West Waterford representative for Waterford Co-op, John Power, Clashmore, travelled with a group from the Co-op to America last week. We hope he had an enjoyable trip.

#### DEATH OF TOM FLEMING

It is with deep regret we record the unexpected death of Mr. Tom Fleming,

Grange. A well-known businessman in this area, Tom along with his sister ran the licenced premises known as "Flemings Bar" in Grange.

A highly and respected member of the community in West Waterford he will be greatly missed by his family and numerous friends in this area. Our deepest sympathy to all the family.

#### IN HOSPITAL

Best wishes to Colette Beresford, Clashmore, presently in hospital.

#### SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy to Sean Walsh, Kilmaloo and Denis Walsh, Coolbagh, on the death of their mother during the week.

#### NATIONAL

#### AWARD

Over the years Paddy Long and his wife Mary have become legendary figures through their regular visits to Clashmore. This week the people of the area wish to extend their warmest congratulations to Paddy and Mary. The 'Longs' homestead in Herbertstown, Co. Limerick, has won fresh honours in Roadside Gardening. They have won 1st prize in the National Gardens of Ireland competition for their beautifully kept garden and house.

Paddy is very proud of his achievements and is always delighted to take visitors for a walk among his shrubs and flowers.

Paddy has also taken early retirement from the County Council after 35 years and we wish both Paddy and Mary many years of health and happiness in his retirement and hopefully now Paddy will have more time to visit his "Lovely Clashmore."

#### DEATH OF JAMES COUGHLAN

The death occurred during the week of a very well-known and popular member of the farming community, Mr. James Coughlan, Prospect Hall, Kinsalebeg.

Our deepest sympathy to his sisters Mrs. Lenane, Ballycurrane and Mrs. Daly, Monatrea and all his family on their sad loss.

His remains were taken to Clashmore Church and following Requiem Mass, burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

#### SLOGADH

Michael McKenna provided the music for the following prize winners at the Munster Slogadh which was held on Sunday last at Thurles: Modeligo Set in the U-9; Newcastle and Melleray in the U-12, and

Sliabh gCua in the U-15. We wish them all success in the national semi-finals in Wexford in February.

#### LIFEBOAT

Bridie Foley, Clashmore and her sister, Mary Claude Fitzgerald, Kinsalebeg have been collectors in the West Waterford for the R.N.L.I. for over forty years.

Youghal lifeboat station is presently celebrating 150 years of service in Youghal — 1839 - 1989.

To commemorate this occasion an Ecumenical Service and presentation of Vellum was held on Saturday last at St. Mary's Parish Church, Youghal. Both Mary and Bridie received special invitations to this event.

Very Rev. Canon St. John Thornhill, P.P., Youghal, Mr. Tadhg Kelleher, Hon. Sec. Youghal Lifeboat Station, Rev. Dickon Durand, Rev. Robin P. Roddie all addressed the gathering at the service. A guided tour of the Lifeboat Station was also given. During its service in Youghal 178 people owe their lives to the Youghal lifeboat. The lifeboat depends on voluntary contributions and a special word of thanks to all who continue to subscribe to it.

#### A.C.T.

The 1989 A.C.T. in Waterford has got off to a very successful start. On November 18 and 20 a street collection in Dungarvan Town and Mart netted £1189.03.

On November 27 a flag day in Waterford City netted £1779.64 (a special word of thanks to all the collectors, some lost a day's work to help with the collection in Waterford City).

Again the voluntary collectors were too numerous to mention for our East Waterford church gate collection which was taken up at Ballyduff, Dunhill, Fenor, Kill, Sallee, Newtown, Kilmacthomas, Stradbally, Ballylaneen, Faha, Rathgormack, Clonea-Power and Windgap on Sunday last. Though the final figure is not known the total collected on Saturday night and Sunday morning is £1300 (approx.)

The West Waterford collection will be taken up in January.

#### CHURCH BUILDING FUND

A Sale of Work in aid of Clashmore/Piltown Church Building Fund has been posted for December 17. Full details next week.

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# CAPPOQUIN NOTES

## CREDIT UNION A.G.M.

On Tuesday, December 5, members of Lismore and Cappoquin Credit Union gathered in large numbers for their annual general meeting at Lismore Hotel when they reviewed a very successful year in all aspects of the Union's activity.

## MRS. HANORA RAWLINS, MOUNT MELLERAY

We record with great regret the death of Mrs. Hanora (Nano) Rawlins, Mount Melleray, which occurred at her residence on November 27 in the fullness of years. She was relict of Thomas Rawlins who predeceased her by many years.

She was a well-known and much-loved figure in the area and sincere sympathy goes to her son Michael, her daughter Mary, grandchildren, nephews and nieces.

Large corteges attended the removal of remains to St. Mary's Church and, following Requiem Mass the interment took place to St. Declan's Cemetery.

## LATE MR. JOHN FIVES

Many old friends throughout the entire area heard, with regret, of the death of Mr. John (Jack) Fives in Tramore last week.

To his wife Mary and other relatives sincere sympathy is extended. The funeral took place to Mount Melleray on Sunday.

## MRS. NELLIE WALSH, BALLYHANE, CAPPOQUIN

Another respected member of the community in the person of Mrs. Nellie Walsh, Ballyhane, Cappoquin, passed to her reward on November 26. The remains were removed from Dungarvan District Hospital to Modeligo Church and following Requiem Mass, the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery.

She is survived by her husband Maurice, sons, daughters, brothers, sister and other relatives, to whom sincere sympathy is extended.

## AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 6 — 1, Monica Walshe and Marie Duffy; 2, Mary Radford and Grace O'Connor;

3, Mary Fives and Pat Keever.

Results, November 13 — 1, Kathleen Barry and Monica Noonan; 2, Monica Walshe and Jack Neville; 3, Bernadette Fives and Hannah Lucas; 4, Mary Radford and Marie Duffy.

Results, November 20 — 1, Claire Meaney and Bernadette Fives; 2, Addie Buckley and Marie Duffy; 3, Monica Walsh and Fr. M. Barron; 4, Mary O'Brien and Mary Fives.

Results, November 27 — 1, Lil Costin and Fr. M. Barron; 2, Brid Bergin and Helen Buckley; 3, Kathleen O'Mahoney and Bernadette Fives; 4, Addie Buckley and Noreen Gough.

## AFFANE SALE OF WORK

As the Sale of Work went so well on Sunday last, it will be continued on Saturday night next, December 9, after 8.15 p.m. Mass. People who haven't yet subscribed towards the spinner may still do so as this subsidises the children attending National School and any money over will be spent on a new light in Affane Car Park.

Looking forward to seeing a big attendance and many thanks to all who came last Sunday.

## UNDER-21 FOOTBALL

Sunday was not a happy day for Affane under-21 footballers. They made the journey to face Kilrossanty in the replay of the Western final and failed narrowly on the scoreline of 1-6 to 1-4. This concludes the club's programme for 1989.

**TRADERS PREPARE**  
Cappoquin Traders are offering novel shopping incentives on December 8. Santa comes to town at 12 noon, so all you kiddies come and meet Santa and see him switch on the Christmas lights.

Free buses will run from Melleray gates, the Cats, Salterbridge, through via Ballygalane Road, Ballyhane, Modeligo, Ballinameela, Aglish, Villierstown and Dromana, arriving in time for Mass at 11.30 a.m.

A free ticket will be given with every £10 purchase which will entitle you to entry for a draw for £100 (courtesy of Cappoquin Traders Association).

So, Cappoquin is the place to be on this Friday, December 8. See advertisement on back page in this issue for bus times and other details.

## CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT DARTS LEAGUE

Results for Friday, December 1: Section A — Kereen 2, Tavern A 6; Lindsays 6, Village Inn A 2; Morrisseys 3, Old Still 5; Section B — Sycamore Inn 0, Deckies 8; Tavern B 6, Dunnes B 2.

We have now reached the halfway stage of the league and in Section A only 2 points separate the top three teams, but in the B Section, Deckies have a very commanding lead.

The points in the A Section are as follows, with all having played six games: Lindsays 30, Tavern A 29, Dunvegan 28, Village Inn A 24, Keevers 19, Morrisseys 19, Old Still 19. In Section B, both Dunvegan and Village Inn have a game in hand, while all the others have played six games: Deckies 41, Tavern B 25, Toby Jug 23, Village Inn 20, Dunnes B 19, Sycamore Inn 17, Dunnes A 15.

A meeting will be held in the Tavern on Monday, December 11, at 9.30. All clubs are requested to attend.

## CAPPOQUIN BILLIARDS & SNOOKER CLUB

Maurice Kelleher Snooker League — Last weeks results were: Michael Doherty beat James Morrissey 69-49, Darren Mason bt. Michael Casey 65-45, Johnny Sheehan bt. Michael Casey 71-36, James Morrissey bt. Andy O'Keeffe 7-48.

This week's report is on the top of the table clash between Darren Mason and Michael Casey from which Darren clinched the points. This was a very tense game of snooker, both players potting well throughout. Towards the end of the frame Michael made far too many errors, for which he was punished. To be fair, Michael was unfortunate to come out of this one empty-handed.

Darren is now in a very strong position, having gone six games without dropping any points.

The situation at the top of the table is:

	P	W	L	Pts.
Darren Mason	6	6	0	12
Ml. Doherty	5	4	1	8
Brian Ormond	4	3	1	6
John Sheehan	6	3	3	6
Ml. Casey	6	3	3	6

Peter Ahearne Perpetual Trophy — First round results — Conor O'Leary 2, Roger McLaughlin 0; Darren Mason 2, John Noonan 0; Brian Ormond 2, Pat Kiely 0; P. J. Reddy 2, Pa Curran 1; James Morrissey

2, Trevor Mason 0.

The line-up for the quarter-finals is: Darren Mason v. Andy O'Keeffe; Michael Lacey v. P. J. Reddy (Friday, December 8, 8 p.m.); Conor O'Leary v. James Morrissey (Wednesday, December 6, 8 p.m.); Brian Ormond v. Michael Doherty (Friday, December 8, 8 p.m.)

**Billiard League** — Eamon Costin beat Michael Doherty 73-65, Darren Mason bt. Roger McLaughlin 92-63, Michael Lacey bt. Brian Ormond 66-63. Fixtures for series two are: Michael Lacey v. Andy O'Keeffe, Darren Mason v. Eamon Costin, Pat Kiely v. Roger McLaughlin, James Morrissey v. Pa Curran, Michael Doherty v. Brian Ormond; James Morrissey v. Pat Kiely, Andy O'Keeffe v. Pa Curran.

All league matches including snooker must be completed on or before Friday, December 8.

## CAPPOQUIN/AFFANE G.A.A. NOTES

**Under-21 Footballers Defeated — Kilrossanty** 1-6, Affane 1-4 — Our under-21 footballers were out of luck in this Western under-21 football final replay when they went down narrowly to Kilrossanty. The game was excellent, but while we never reached the same heights as the drawn match, Kilrossanty played well above themselves.

Team — L. Costin, S. McCarthy, K. O'Reilly, E. Costin, J. Buckley, M. Killigrew, S. Costin, T. Fives, T. Mansfield, D. Cummins, R. Flynn, M. Power, P. J. Veale, J. McGrath, K. Veale. Sub. — K. Curran for J. McGrath.

**Primary Schools Football** — Our Primary Schools team were defeated by Ballyduff last week in Lismore. Too many of our players had a complete off-day and the burden was just too much for the determined few to carry.

But the main thing is that the school is active in competition and that experience can only be good for our club for the future.

**Mayoral Election Dance** — Well, Friday night, December 8, will reveal all. The announcement of the winning candidate in our Mayoral Election will take place during the night. Also, the lucky winner of the London trip for two will be drawn.

So it should be a fun night at the Boathouse this Friday night and we expect all club members and friends to attend. Music will be supplied by Paddy McGrath, a former club stalwart on the playing field. So, come one, come all and enjoy a good night's entertainment.

# KILMACTHOMAS NOTES

## BRIDGE NOTES

Results from the Kilmacthomas Bridge club last week were as follows: 1st Mrs. Touhy and Michael Kirwan; 2nd Marcella Power and Pauline Fitzsimons; 3rd Padraig Kirwan and Anna Harney.

## BIRTH

Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Padraig Dunne on their recent happy event, the birth of a baby girl.

## FLAHAVANS ENERGY AWARD

Well done to local firm E. Flahavan and Sons, Kilnangrange Mills, who won one of the major prizes in this years Eolas Energy Management Awards. The presentation took place recently in Dublin.

## ON STAGE

Congratulations go to Miss Jenny Kirwan, Main St., on her performance as the "Go-Fer" Rosemary in Factory Girls at the Theatre Royal, Waterford, last week. Jenny gave an effortless completely natural performance which promises great things in the future for his young lady.

## MAHON VALLEY ROSE

The Mahon Valley Rose will take place in Danny's Lounge bar on Saturday night next, December 9 and a large crowd is expected to attend.

## IRISH NIGHT

An Irish Night will be held in Kent's, Main St., on Friday night next, December 8. With plenty of local talent on view a packed house is expected.

## JUNIOR FOOTBALL REPLAY

A large local crowd are expected to travel to Dungarvan on Sunday next for the replay of the junior football county final between neighbours Faha and Bonmahon. All we can say to both teams is the best of luck and "same again please."

## P.M.P.A. PLAYER OF THE YEAR AWARDS

Following were the proud winners of the P.M.P.A. players of the year awards which were presented at the Kilmacthomas G.A.A. Social in Whitechurch House Hotel on Friday night last: Senior Football — Ned Power; Junior Hurling — Vincent Behan; Minor Football — Brendan Troy; Minor Hurling — David Kiely; U-16 Football — Paddy Morrissey; U-16 Hurling — Colin Crotty; U-14 Football — Gerry O'Rourke; U-14 Hurler — Darren Curran. The biggest cheer of the night went up when Clubman of the Year was announced and this went to the popular Podge Doyle. Well done to all deserving winners.

## KILMAC' A.G.M.

The Kilmacthomas G.A.A. club will hold their A.G.M. on Tuesday night next, December 12, in the Temperance Hall at 7 p.m. sharp. All members and intending members are requested to attend.

## SOCCER RESULTS

The Kilmacthomas Division 1 "B" side had a good 2-2 draw with league leaders Dungarvan in Currabaha Park on Saturday last, and the Kilmac' Division 3 "B" side went down 4-2, away to the Garda.

The Kilmacthomas youth's team will play Waterford Glass away in a top of the table clash on Sunday, December 17.

## 21st ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations and every success to the Kilmacthomas Bridge Club who will celebrate their 21st Anniversary with a dinner dance in the Bessborough Hotel, Carrick-on-Suir on Sunday evening next, December 10, commencing at 5 o'clock.

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# LISMORE NOTES

## C.B.S. PAST PUPILS UNION

The annual general meeting of Lismore C.B.S. Past Pupils Union was held in the C.B.S. on Wednesday night last. The reports of Treasurer Sean Willoughby and Secretary Paddy Pollard showed the Past Pupils active in their work during the year. The Secretary

congratulated Ballyduff on winning the Keaneland Cup which was very kindly sponsored by Mr. Eamonn Walsh of Eamonn's Place. Mr. Walsh will be presenting a new trophy next year to the P.P.U. for competition to replace the Keaneland Cup.

The Benefit Night at Youghal Greyhound Stadium

was the highlight and all sponsors, nominators and those who supported the event are to be thanked. Already plans are now well underway for next year.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President — Mr. Paddy Moore; Vice-President — Mr. Ml. Madden; Treasurer — Mr. Sean Willoughby; Secretary — Mr. Paddy Pollard; Committee — Mr. Owen Madden, Mr. Ger Kennedy, Mr. John Ryan, Mr. Ml. McGrath, Mr. John Madden, Mr. Dick Canning, Mr. Kieran Fenton, Mr. Billy Twomey, Rev. Bro. Dormer, Rev. Bro. Kavanagh, Mr. Ml. O'Donnell.

Mr. P. Moore in thanking the committee for electing him said he was delighted and very honoured to wear the chain of President of the Past Pupils especially when one sees the names of those who have held this prestigious position.

Finally a vote of congratulations was extended to former Past Pupil, Bobby Begley, on his election as President of B.L.E. in Dublin last weekend.

## LISMORE BADMINTON NOTES

Our 1st Div. team played at home on Monday night, November 27, against Waterford 2. The result here was 4-4. The 4th Div. match was cancelled this week due to injuries.

**ST. CARTHAGE'S HOUSE 45 DRIVE**  
Results: 1st Mick Crowley and Mary Hyland; 2nd Jimmy Hornibrook and Joe Power; 3rd Michael and Pat Ormonde; Lucky Tables — Sadie Geary and Rita Doocey, Pad Lineen and Tom Joyce; Raffle — Biddy Ahern, Eamonn Mannon, Mrs. O'Neill.

## BALLINVELLA COMMUNITY CENTRE

Many congratulations to William and Siobhan Leahy, Ballinaspick, on the birth of a baby boy, Sean. — P.R.O.

**LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB NOTES**  
Results, November 22 — 1st Anne McCarthy and Tom Roche; 2nd S. Hales and M. Keniry; 3rd M. Radford and B. Kelleher.

## LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

At a well attended A.G.M. on last Wednesday night the out-going President Dave Lee thanked all present and as the club was entering its Silver Jubilee he wished the club every success, Dave, as one of the first members of the club said he would keep his eye on it from the back benches. The out-going Captain Bill Ronayne thanked all the officers and committee and members for their co-

operation during the year which had made his job a very pleasant one.

The in-coming Captain Willie Henry outlined his priorities for the coming year in the continued development of the club.

The following were elected: President — S. Moynihan; Vice-President — W. Arrigan; Captain — W. Henry; Vice-Captain — R. Culloo; Secretary — M. O'Shea; Treasurer — T. Glavin; Asst. Treasurer — D. Murphy; Registrar — N. Walshe; P.R.O. — F. McCarthy; Committee — D. C. Lee, W. Ronayne, S. Beecher, T. Cahill, S. Clancy, T. Doocey, P. Norris, F. Corcoran, M. Walsh, M. Troy, P. Condon.

The very heavy frost necessitated the closure of the course on Saturday and Sunday, so the league ties had to be cancelled and will now be played on Friday/Saturday and Sunday this week.

Fixtures — East Cork Oil Finals — Friday 8, Saturday 9, Sunday 10, 18-Hole Stableford; Saturday 9 — Society Outing, tees reserved, 10 a.m. to 12 noon. Presentation of prizes on Sunday, December 10 at 5 p.m.

## LISMORE LADIES GOLF NOTES

The result of the 9 Hole on-going "Bottle" competition held from Thursday 23 to Tuesday 28, November was — 1st Daphne Cahill (10) 22 pts; 2nd Ann McCarthy (20) 18 pts.

Please note that the 25th A.G.M. takes place in the clubhouse on Saturday, December 9 at 8.30 p.m. sharp. We look forward to a very good attendance.

The Minor Avondhu Alliance will be held in Lismore on Thursday, December 6.

## LISMORE A.F.C. NOTES

The journey to Killeagh provided no joy for Lismore on Sunday morning last, when we finished on the wrong side of a 3-0 result in a game we should have sewed up after 10 minutes.



Lismore started very well and were constantly attacking early on in the game. The Killeagh keeper was at his best, however, and Lismore failed to put a number of chances in the net. 15 minutes into the game Killeagh broke from defence to score their first goal against the run of play and they soon added another to leave them 2-0 up at half-time.

Being 2-0 down did not dampen the Lismore spirit and in the second half they

put up a very determined and solid performance. Barney Prender led from midfield and it took a super save by the Killeagh keeper to deny him late in the half. The introduction of 2 subs improved the team further but their efforts were not rewarded and Killeagh added one more to their tally shortly before the final whistle.

On the day Lismore did not get the result they deserved but their attitude and commitment was not to be faulted and should gain them a few more points before the league campaign finishes.

Team — B. Fitzgerald, D. Landers, B. Shanahan, B. Landers, B. Meagher, P. Bennett, B. Prendergast (capt), C. Barry, K. O'Gor-

man, P. Prendergast, K. Lawton. Subs. — F. Power, D. Landers, (used).

Next Sunday we are hosts to Cappoquin at 11.30 a.m. — P.R.O.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL COLLECTION

The Lismore Conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, wish to remind our good friends that our annual collection will take place at all Masses in Lismore and Ballysaggart this weekend, December 9 and 10.

As we hold only one collection each year we are greatly dependent on your generosity. There are still many in our Parish in need of our help from time to time. Please help us to help them. Funds are low but we know we can rely on your support.

# Kinsalebeg Macra Na Feirme Notes

On Sunday, November 19 we joined our friends in Ballinameela Macra on an outing to Trabolgan. Everyone had a marvellous time.

Our junior debating team continued their winning streak with a well deserved win over Cappoquin on last Friday night, December 1. Their opponents in the county final of this compe-

tion are Fenor, and the motion is: "That apartheid is not confined to South Africa." Again, well done to Mary Fleming, Joanne Keane, Anne Lynch and Patricia Coughlan.

Welcome to new member Kieran Maginnis who made his Macra debut at our last meeting on Friday, November 24. — P.R.O. Suzanne Hynes.

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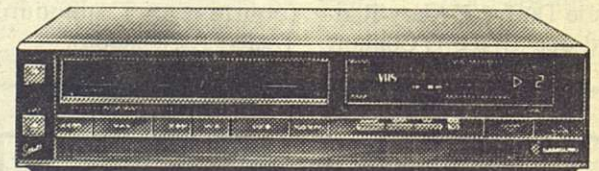


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# TALLOW NOTES

## BRIDE VIEW UTD. A.F.C. NOTES RED HOUSE LEAGUE CURLEY BROTHERS DO THE TRICK GLENVIEW 1 BRIDE VIEW 5

A marvellous hat-trick by Philly Curley and one goal apiece from brothers Paul and Mickey made it a good morning despite the frost and cold for United.

We took the lead after 3 minutes, when a Dermot Henley cross was headed home by Philly Curley. A great run by Mickey Curley down the left hand side drew 2 defenders before he crossed to Connie Curley who put brother Paul through but Paul shot over from close range. Glenview were back in the game 10 minutes later when they scored.



Paul made amends for his miss in the 31st minute when he set up his brother Philly for his second goal. Philly was unlucky in the 40th minute when he saw his effort come back off the crossbar. Dermot Henley sent Paul through in the 41st minute but the keeper made a great save at the expense of a corner. At the break we led by the odd goal in three.

Philly grabbed his hat-trick in the 57th minute when he headed home Paul's cross. Philly was unlucky in the 64th minute when the keeper saved well, but he could do nothing in the 70th minute when Paul scored from close range. United's keeper Kevin Tobin saved well in the 73rd minute and Mickey Curley rounded off the scoring in the 88th minute to give both points to United which keeps them on top of the league.

United — K. Tobin, T. McCarthy, G. Sice, S. Curley, M. Hartnett, C. Curley, G. Hogan, M. Curley, D. Henley, P. Curley, P. Curley. Res. — P. Sullivan (used), P. Sheehan.

**Next Weekend's Fixture In Tallow** — Bride View v. Ballyduff (kick-off 2.30 p.m.) — This game should draw a record crowd to the Tallow venue on Sunday afternoon. Just 2 points separate the sides at the top of the league table with Killeagh level on points with Ballyduff, so it's all to play for on Sunday. Both sides had convincing wins on Sunday last and the last time the sides met in Ballyduff they shared the points in a 2-2 draw. We appeal to all our supporters to come out on Sunday afternoon as you have been doing and cheer on the boys.

**Seaview Celtic Co-op Draw** — Takes place on

this Saturday night. Best of luck folks.

## TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Last week's results are as follows — Sonny Meade, Castlelyons; Mary Ahearne, Ballycullane; Michelle Deady, Dungourney; Jimmy Rohan, Hunthill; Mrs. McGrath, Camphire; Bridie Fitzgerald, Tallow; J. M. Kelly, Woodview Park; Dinny Cunningham, Tallow; Mrs. Enright, Ballyduff; Mrs. Barry, Middleton; Mrs. Buckley, Lismore; John Allen, Lismore; Kit Ahern, Conna; U.S.A. Betty; Billy Condon, Parkdota; Mrs. Power, Camphire; Kathleen Manahan, Cappoquin; Francis Tobin, Woodview Park; Caroline Murphy, Woodview Park; J. J. Murphy, Roseville; Mrs. Jones, Lismore; Peg Condon, Fermoy; Mary Buckley, Woodview Park; Mary Daly, Tircullen; Mrs. Savage, Aghern; Ann Curran, Aghlish; Pad Lineen, Aghlish (£100); Angela Clancy, Aghern; J. J. Troy, Ballysaggart; Mrs. Mills, Kilwatermoy.

Next Sunday night the jackpot will be £375 on 48 calls. Piggie Bank now at £53.

## WOODLAND SET CLUB NEWS

Woodland Set Club, Knockanore, would like to thank most sincerely everyone who supported their raffle held recently at Guiry's Pub. First prize of £100 was won by Virginia Corcoran, Knockanore; 2nd £75 to Dave Cronin, Youghal; 3rd £25 to John Fraher, Cappoquin.

The club also want to thank Michael and Teresa Guiry for all their help given during the year to our young dancers. Also to Denis and Una of Inch Inn, for the use of their function room for our adult dancers. Their support is greatly appreciated.

We wish you all a very happy Christmas and a wonderful new year.

## ST. PATRICK'S PAROCHIAL HALL

Results of last week's card drive — 1st Mrs. Cantillon and Billy Beecher; 2nd Mrs. B. McNamara and Eddie Coady; 3rd Mr. A. Neville and Eric Curley. Table Prizes — 1st Pat Murphy and Willie Murphy; 2nd Jim Rohan and Eugene Barry; 3rd John Prendergast and Jim Crowley. Raffle — 1st Bridie McNamara, 2nd Cissie Power, 3rd John Corkery, 4th Antoinette Tobin.

Another chance to win that Turkey or Ham next Wednesday at 8.30 p.m.

## EAST CORK JUVE- NILE SCOR FINAL

Dungourney Hall was the venue for the above event last Saturday night and a

packed audience enjoyed the programme immensely. The clubs participating were Aghada, Bride Rovers, Erin's Own, Glanmire, Dungourney, Fr. O'Neill's, Lisgoold, Castlelyons St. Ita's, Middleton, St. Catherine's, Youghal, Sarsfields and Dungourney Rovers.

The following were the results: Figure Dancing — Erin's Own (Aoife Cremin, Orla Mason, Emma Tobin, Sonya Bennett, Edel Murphy, Aine O'Connor, Niamh Coleman, Kathleen Twomey); Solo Singing — Youghal (Louise Fitzgerald); Recitation — Erin's Own (Cora Dennehy); Novelty Act — Dungourney (Aongus Barry, Derek Ahern, Eamonn Leahy, Donal Leahy, David Murphy, Grahame Kelleher); Question Time — Bride Rovers (Mary Kearney, Liam Barry, Peter Curtin); Instrumental Music — Youghal (Raymond O'Brien, Ciara de Butleir, Mark Anwar); Ballad Group — Castlelyons (Sabrina Hickey, Olivia O'Leary, Jackie O'Leary, Trevor Hickey); Set Dancing — St. Ita's, Gurtroe (Kathy Lee, Marie Cunningham, Noelle Cronin, Michelle O'Connell, Katrina MacArdle, Elizabeth Cronin, Katharina Cronin, Margaret Leahy).

Julian Dennehy, Glanmire, made history being the first lady Bean 'A' Ti since Scor was instituted in East Cork and she performed excellently, ably supported by Dan Kenneally and John Joe Regan of the East Cork Committee. John Joe Whelan was the Quiz Master, with Noel Hogan timekeeper, and John Joe Regan as scorekeeper. Chris O'Mahony was the accordionist on the night. The Bean 'A' Ti thanked all concerned for their co-operation and Dan Kenneally informed us that 16 teams participated in this years East Cork competition and that Mourneabbey on Sunday, December 10 was the venue for the semi-finals, which will also involve Avondhu and Dunhallow Divisions. He wished those going forwards success and to repeat the compere's remarks, "everyone was a winner on the night as a very high standard was reached."

## PARISH MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARISTS VISIT TO COBH

Last Sunday the Ministers of the Eucharist from the parishes of Conna, Ballynoe and Glengoura travelled to the Mercy Convent, Cobh for a short retreat given in splendid style by Sister Emmanuel. Later in the evening they all went to Saint Colman's Cathedral

where a recital of the Psalms for Advent was in progress and concluded with Benediction.

## ST. CATHERINE'S G.A.A.

A very successful A.G.M. of the above was held at Conna Community Centre last Thursday night. John G. Barry, Bertie Clancy and Dick Hegarty are the selectors for the intermediate hurling team for the coming season and Billy Neville was elected as Hon. Secretary with Redmond Higgins as Asst. Secretary.



The juvenile A.G.M. is coming up this Wednesday and a subscription as a mark of appreciation to Pat Foley, who is vacating the Divisional Chair is being forwarded to the fund to provide a suitable present for this great man who has served the Division so thoroughly and diligently over the years.

Noel Hogan, Youghal and Jack Cotter, Middleton are both contenders for the chair.

Catherine's social is on at Garryvoe Hotel this Thursday night, December 8 and an enjoyable gaelic night is envisaged.

A full report of Catherine's A.G.M. will appear in the near future in these notes.

## MRS. JOHANNA O'NEILL (NEE BARRY) R.I.P. BALLYNOE

It is with regret we record the death of Mrs. Johanna O'Neill, Kilpilibeen, Ballynoe. A member of an old and esteemed family in Ballynoe and predeceased by her husband Billy, many years ago, she was a highly respected and popular member of the community. She possessed good neighbourly qualities and her passing will be felt by all in the locality and especially by her family, Denis, Mossie and Liam sons, daughter Mrs. Nuala White, Garretstown; brother Christy, Charleville; sister Maisie, England; grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nephews, nieces, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, relatives and friends.

She was interred in the family burial plot in Ballynoe Cemetery after Requiem Mass in St. Catherine's Church on Tuesday.

## MR. DANIEL (SONNY) CAHILL, R.I.P. KILDINAN AND BALLYNOE

The death took place recently in Castlelyons, of Daniel "Sonny" Cahill. Well in his seventies "Sonny" came to reside with his daughter, Mrs. Donal Sheehan some years ago and quickly integrated

himself into the local community. Being a renowned athlete in former years, when residing at his home place, Bridestown, Kildinan, he was a most interesting companion to meet when reminiscing on many sports meetings long ago and also being successful in Dublin on a couple of occasions after making a hazardous journey in an early Cork train. A few months ago we relished his company when he joined the Ballynoe Senior Citizens outing and while we regret his demise many happy memories of him will remain with us and we sympathise with his daughter, Mrs. Maureen Sheehan, son-in-law Donal; brothers-in-law, sister-in-law, grandchildren, relatives and friends.

Interment took place at Dunbullogue Cemetery. Solus na bhflaitheas da anam uasal.

## TALLOW

### BADMINTON NOTES

The club were well represented in the Haughey Cup in Dungarvan on Sunday last. Congratulations to Fiona and Michael Cunningham on winning the cup, they beat John Pratt and Mary Murphy in the final. It was the first time that it was an all Tallow final. This was Fiona's fourth time winning the Haughey Cup, the previous three were with Philly Curley. Also to Angela Curley and Denis Martin who were the furthest Div. 5 pair, there is certainly a bright future for these two up and coming players. Colin Cunningham and Christine Corcoran and Pat Sheehan also took part.

We are away to Tourin in a vital league game on Tuesday night, a good result here for Tallow will leave us in with a good chance for the final stages of the league.

The open tournament is under way at the moment and will continue on Monday/Tuesday/ Wednesday

nights for the 5th and 6th novice trophy, while the 2nd/3rd and 4th will continue next week on Tuesday/Thursday and Friday nights. The finals are fixed for Monday, December 18.

I would like to thank all our sponsors of the Open for without them we couldn't continue with it. It was very much appreciated.

Our Christmas Party will take place in the Corner House on Saturday, December 16, a great night is assured.

Finally the club would like to thank everyone who contributed so generously to our Church Gate Collection on Sunday last. — P.R.O.

## TALLOW ENTERPRISE CENTRE

Tallow Enterprise Centre is a hive of activity at present, with approximately one hundred people using the centre each week attending the many classes being held. A full-time Fas Sponsored 'Start Your Own Business' Course has 26 participants while evening classes in Creative Writing, Typewriting, German and Computer Appreciation, are all full.

Local man John O'Sullivan who manufactures acrylic display units under the brand name Kelpex, occupies the ground floor area, apart from Reception which is "manned" by Ballynoe girl Teresa O'Brien. On the centre floor, Mary Houlihan and Eleanor Parker run the I.R.D. West Waterford Office. Also on centre floor is the Heritage Centre which is being established. William McNamara and Christy Connery carry out general maintenance improvements, under a Fas Social Employment Scheme.

Enrolments are now taking place for further evening classes for 1990.

At the moment the greatest demand seems to be for classes in French and Computer Appreciation.

## Kilrossanty/ Fews Notes

### CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Active Retirement Group, Christmas Party will be held on December 14 in St. Bridget's Hall, Kilrossanty.

### NEW CEMETERY

His Lordship the Bishop will celebrate 11 o'clock Mass in Kilrossanty on Friday, December 8 and afterwards will bless the new cemetery.

### CHANGE OF DATE

There has been a change of date for the annual Wren

Boys' competition. It will now be held on Wednesday, December 27 at Crotty's Inn, Leamybrien. Entries to Jack Giles, N.T. Currahaha, N.S., Kilmac-thomas.

### KILROSSANTY G.A.A. NOTES

Kilrossanty Under-21 footballers had a great win over Affane in the Western final on Sunday last. The winning margin was 2 points. They now await the winners of the Eastern final.







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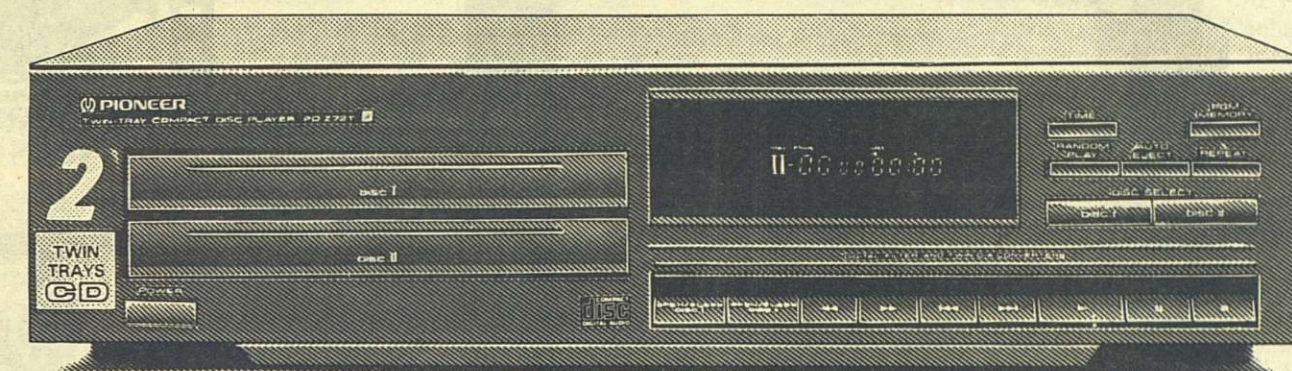
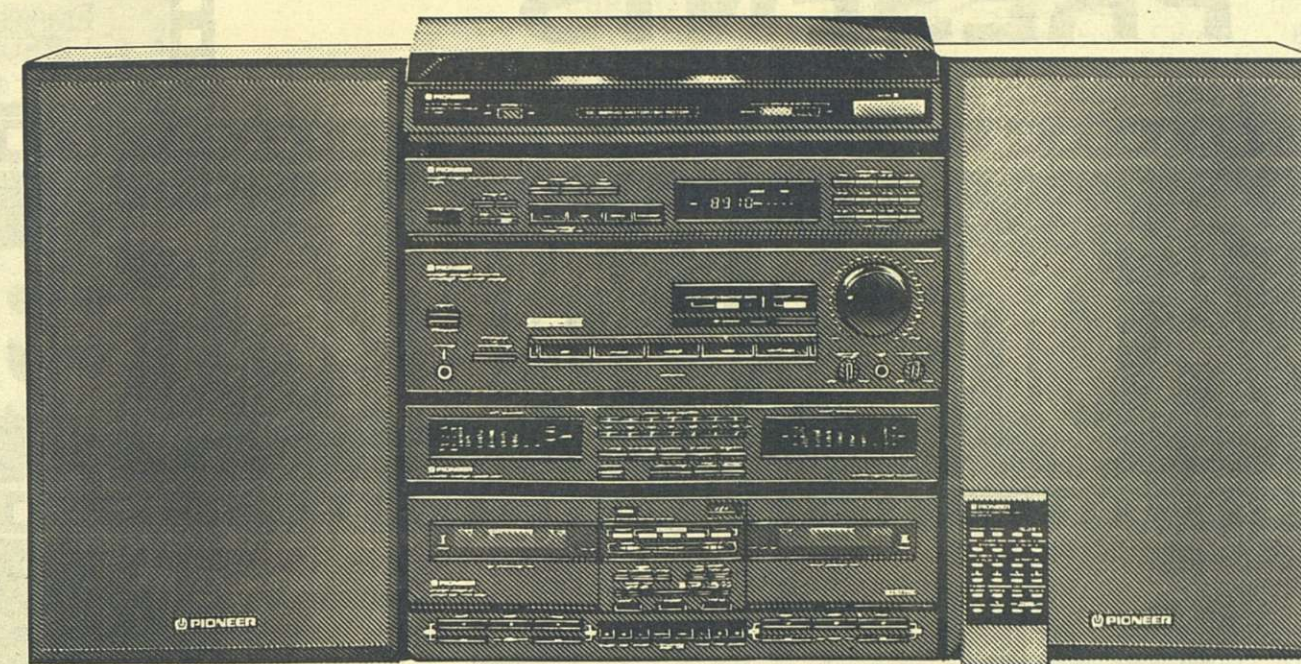
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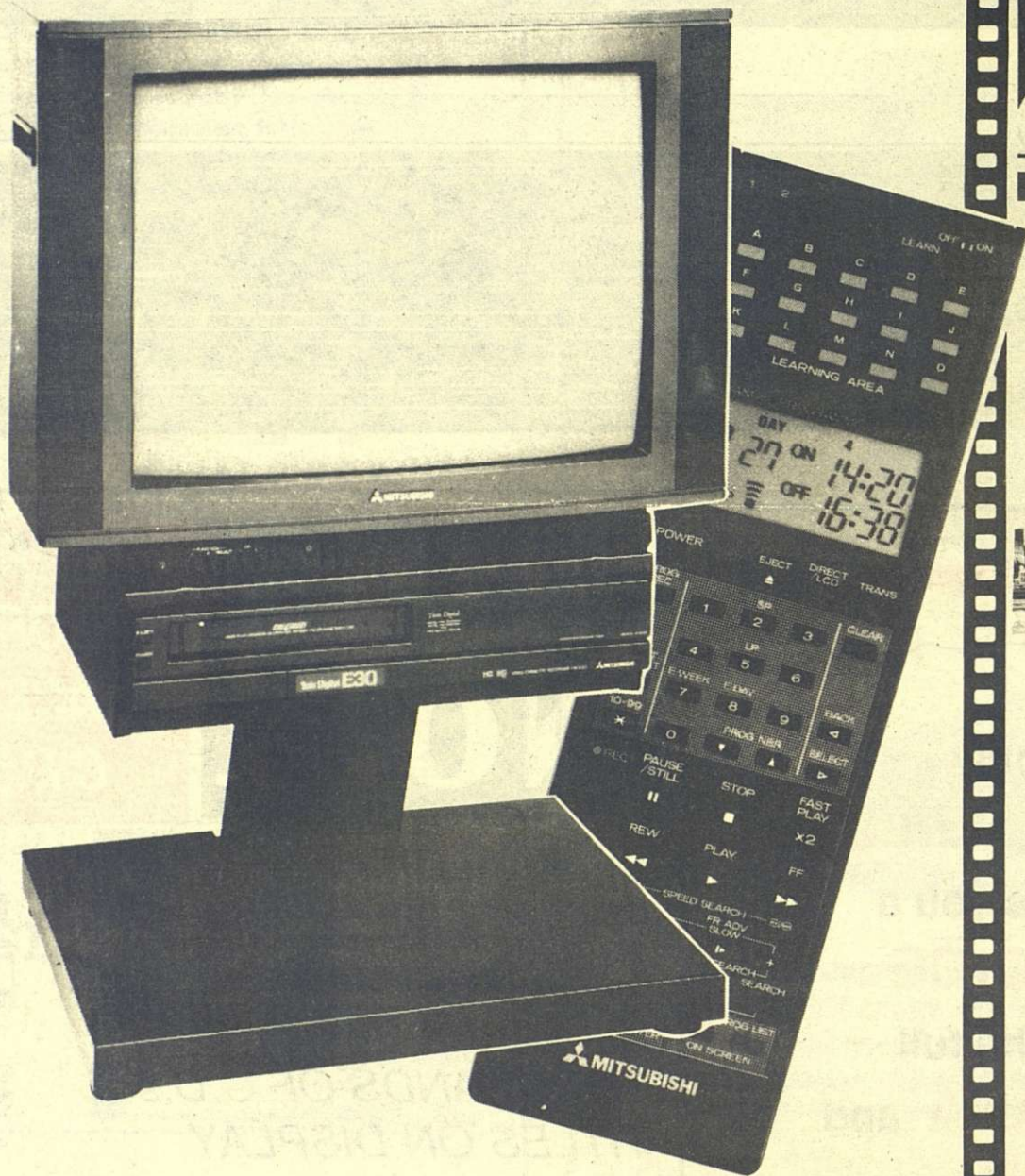
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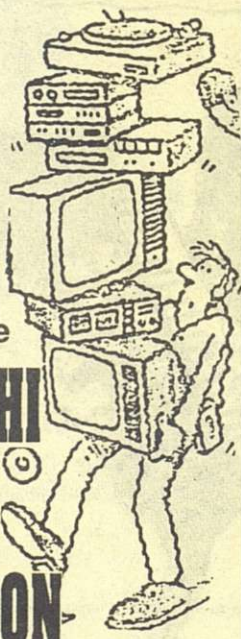
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# Court Sequel To Acid Spillage Near Youghal

When a valve leaked there was a spillage of nitric acid from a large container onto the roadway outside Youghal on May 4 last, District Justice W. F. O'Connell heard at Youghal Court last Friday.

The court was told that the spillage was a serious one and Youghal Fire Brigade had to be summoned to the scene at Summerfield Cross to clean it up. The carrier company, S (Transport) Cork Ltd., with registered offices at 56 Grand Parade, Cork, was

charged on six counts under the 1972 Dangerous Substance Act.

Mr. Patrick J. Twomey, State Solicitor, told the court that a Department of Labour inspector inspected the vehicle and found a number of breaches of the safety regulations.

District Justice O'Connell convicted S (Transport) Cork Ltd. on all six charges. He imposed fines varying from £25 to £75, totalling £250, on the company.

A second company, Irish Fertilisers Industries Ltd., with registered offices at 2-5 Warrington Place, Dublin, faced three charges arising from the spillage as the consignors of the acid on the occasion.

District Justice O'Connell, however, said he was satisfied that since this incident the company had taken steps beyond their duty to ensure the safe transportation of dangerous substances. He imposed a total of £70 in fines and directed the company to pay £55 expenses.

## YOUGHAL NOTES

### GOLF NOTES

Last week-end we played for nine Christmas hamper: 1 (14) 4 up, S. Treacy; 2 (11) 4 up, D. Dromgoole; 3 (17) 3 up, J. Griffin. Best Saturday — 1 (8) 2 up, F. Wright; 2 (8) 2 up, J. Murphy. Best Sunday (12) 2 up, O. Coleman; 2 (17) 2 up, T. Casey. Best gross — M. Bermingham.

Next week-end: Competition for turkeys; Sunday af-

ternoon: unique adult/child competition will take place.

Ladies Golf — Results, November 29 — Overall winner, Eileen Farrell (18) 21 pts.; Silver — 1 (17) 26 pts., F. Foran; 2 (11) 23 pts., P. Byrne; Bronze — 1 (20) 24 pts., B. O'Connor; 2 (19) 24 pts., K. O'Sullivan. Category 23-36 — 1 (35) 26 pts., A. Coleman; 2 (36) 26 pts., K. O'Flynn.

## Dungarvan Mart Report

There were over 1,000 cattle on offer at Dungarvan Mart on Monday last. Trade was good for quality store cattle but plainer bullocks were back £1 to £2 per 100 kgs. Beef bullocks

also were a firm trade and store heifers were back £1 to £1.50 per 100 kgs.

120 calves were on offer and calf prices were somewhat quieter. Hereford bulls made up to £276 and Hereford heifers made up to £242.

There were 450 lambs on offer and fat lambs made £43 to £55 or £5 under to £1 over per kg. Store lambs made £30 to £44 or £4 under to £1 per kg.

Beef bullocks made £117 to £125. Stores over 500 kgs. made £112 to £126. Cont. to £131.30. 400 to 500 kgs. made £110 to £130.50. Cont. to £135. 300 to 400 kgs. made £118 to £142. Cont. to £144. Beef heifers made £107 to £117. Cont. to £126. Store heifers made £102 to £118. Cont. to £121.30. Dry cows made £85 to £100.

Calves — Bulls made £150 to £275. Heifers made £120 to £242. Weanlings: Bulls made £270 to £455. Heifers made £220 to £368.

Sheep: Fat lambs made £43 to £55 to £5 under to £1 over £1 per kg. Store lambs made £30 to £44 or £4 under to £1 per kg.

## Youghal Youth On Garda Assault Charge

A garda told Youghal Court last Friday that the behaviour of a 17-year-old youth, whom he attempted to arrest outside a hotel in the early hours of the morning, was the worst he had ever seen from a young person since he joined the Force.

Adrian Lewis, 14 Dermot Hurley Estate, Youghal, was charged with assaulting Garda Paul O'Brien on July 9, resisting arrest, and being drunk and disorderly.

Garda O'Brien said Lewis, who was very drunk and aggressive, violently resisted arrest and it took him and another garda almost 10 minutes to get him into the patrol car.

"On the way to the garda station I had to sit on top of him to keep him down," Garda O'Brien said.

On the assault and resisting arrest charges, District Justice O'Connell asked for a Court Welfare Officer's report on Lewis with a view to him doing a period of community service. However on the drunk and disorderly charge Lewis was fined £10 and bound to the peace for 12 months.

## Youghal Men Returned For Trial

Robert O'Sullivan, O'Brien's Terrace, Youghal and Anthony Hennessy, 140 North Main Street, Youghal, were returned for trial to the next sittings of Waterford Circuit Court by District Justice W. F. O'Connell at Youghal District Court last Friday.

The two men are charged with assaulting Michael Fawl, an officer of the Southern Regional Fisheries Board.

## News of the Town & Roundabout

### CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

A Christmas Bazaar in aid of Scoil Garbhan, Dungarban, will be held at Lawlor's Hotel, on Sunday, December 10, commencing at 2.30 p.m. featuring: Sale of Work, Wheel of Fortune, Raffles, Bric-a-Brac, Cake and Home Produce Stall, Magazines, Comics and Books, Toys and Children's Clothes. Look out for Santa! Admission is free — be there!

### SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Mr. Michael Fives, Burgery, Abbeyside on the regretted death of his brother, Mr. John A. (Jack) Fives, which occurred at his residence, 3, Summerhill Rise, Tramore, on Friday last.

### FRIARY SALE OF WORK

On behalf of the Augustinian Foreign Missions I would like to thank sincerely all those who helped to make our recent Sale of Work such a huge success. Thanks to all those who worked behind the scenes. A special word of thanks to our faithful group of Mission workers who did the collections, looked after the stalls and served the teas.

Thanks also to Dungarvan Traders who switched on the lights for the arrival of Santa for the Sale of Work; the staffs and pupils of all primary schools within a 15 mile radius of Dungarvan and the local post primary schools in

Dungarvan and Abbeyside.

May the Lord reward you all for all your generosity to Him. The 11.30 a.m. Mass on December 10 will be offered for all your intentions. May I take this opportunity to wish you all a very Happy and Peaceful Christmas — Fr. Jerry Hickey, O.S.A., Mission Director.

List of Prizewinners — Grand Draw — 1, £100 — Elizabeth Moloney, Tarr's Bridge, Dungarvan; 2, Half-ton Coal — Patricia Spratt, "The Moorings," Dungarvan; 3, Tea Set — Sean Drohan, Kilgabriel, Dungarvan; 4, Aran Cardigan — Pierce Casey, Ballyvoile, Dungarvan; 5, Hamper — Roseanne Kiely, Sarsfield Street, Abbeyside, Dungarvan; 6, Recorder — Mary Hackett, 13 Comeragh Crescent, Dungarvan; 7, Christmas Cake — Josie Ryan, Park Terrace, Dungarvan; 8, Brandy — Mary Mackey, Leigh, Ring; 20 Piece Suite Waterford Crystal — Sharon O'Brien, c/o Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan.

### DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. SUPPORTERS' CLUB

Prizewinners in Old Folks' Draw 1989 were as follows: Dec Goode, Church Street; David Walsh, 25 Caseyville; Michael Kenneally, 83 Congress Villas; Jim O'Brien, Cappoquin; Pat Ahearne, 16 Boreenatra; John Beresford, Stephen Street; Sean McGrath, 8

Western Terrace; Breda Curran, Ballinknock; Aggie Hourigan, Murphy Place; Mary Doyle, Ballytruckle; Laurence McCarthy, Ballymac; Thomas Nugent, Ballymacart; Mary O'Sullivan, Friary Street; David Beresford, Stephen Street; Laura Murphy, 13 O'Connell Street; Eamon McCarthy, Co-op; Ned Dunphy, Kilmacthomas; Mary Donnelly, 3 Connolly Row; G. Young, c/o Co-op; Francis O'Dwyer, St. Thomas Terrace; Michael O'Riordan, Pinewood; Ann O'Leary, TSB, Dungarvan; Angela Kiely, 16 Mitchel Street; Ned Whelan, O'Connell's

Street; Patrick Butler, Friary Street; Kevin Kenneally, Congress Villas; Tom Frost, c/o Rugby Club; Eileen Keohan, 89 Silver Springs; John Mason, c/o Cappoquin Chickens; John Walsh, 12 Congress Villas; Billy Walsh, 12 Congress Villas.

The committee wish to thank all those who helped to make the draw a success. A special word of thanks to all our sponsors, without whose help the draw could not take place. (Advt.)

### ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

The monthly collection for the Dungarvan Chapter of St. Vincent de Paul Society will be taken up after all Masses at St. Mary's Parish Church and St. Augustine's Church this coming weekend. Please give as generously as possible.

## DUNGARVAN SCOUT NOTES

### THURSDAY NIGHT CUBS

It was decided on Thursday night that we would spend the weekend in the den.

We started the Friday night with one to one soccer which was won by Eoin's and Colin's clans (the Zags). The sixers went shopping with Tom for the supplies while Derek and Aidan proved to be a great match in the snatch the balloon competition.

We then settled down to watch the videos, first of which was The Garbage Pail Kids.

We had a short sleep (a few minutes) after Cormac, Thomas, Tony and the rest of their mates decided to finish their chat at 4 a.m. This light conversation went on despite the pleas of the Leaders to be quiet, as they were close to cracking-up, due to lack of sleep.

We started the following day with a good tough pillow fight. It was Brian and

the Leaders against the rest.

After recovering from our wounds, we decided to go for a hike to save the den. We started out with a shovel, a pick and a walking stick—hi ho, hi ho,—with 20 of us spread out over a mile as usual. The two Eoin's became the back markers keeping an eye on Tom to prevent him getting into any mischief. Our eyes

nearly popped out when we saw a water pump in the distance, seeing that, our Leaders ensured us that there were no shops on the way.

When we got back we took a vote, and it was overwhelmingly decided that there was no choice but to splash out and eat at Kiddos. David and Stephen agreed that it was great to have no washing up to do. — That's all folks.

## New Social Welfare Office In Dungarvan Next Month

Deputy Austin Deasy asked the Minister for Finance the present position regarding the provision of a new Social Welfare Office in Dungarvan.

Mr. Albert Reynolds, Minister for Finance replied: A contract has been placed for fitting out

works to the new Government Offices at No. 2 Church Street, Dungarvan and is due for completion towards the end of December. These offices will be ready for occupation by the Department of Social Welfare and others in January 1990.



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**LYONS** — The sons, daughters, relatives and friends of the late Michael Lyons, 2 Park Gate, Dungarvan, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; those who attended the funeral obsequies; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes. We thank the local clergy for their help and consideration; our gratitude to our kind neighbours and friends who were most helpful. We remember in deep appreciation the local Civil Defence and a special thank you to Billy Kirby. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all as a token of our deepest gratitude.

**MADIGAN** — The family of the late Dick Madigan, 18 Manor Street, Waterford, who died on Friday, October 6, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; to all those who attended the removal and the funeral, many of whom travelling long distances to do so; to Lena Walsh and Frank Keegan for providing much-appreciated music throughout the Mass, said by Fr. Enright and attended by Canon Farrell and Fr. Ahearne, Abbeyside. We offer our heartfelt thanks for their contribution. Thank you also to all who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral wreaths. A special word of thanks to the neighbours, friends and relations for their practical help in such a difficult time; to the doctors, nurses of the ITU, Ardkeen and to the Hospital Chaplain Fr. Seamus for his understanding and direction, and to Dr. Noel O'Shea, Dr. Tony Lee and Dr. Moore for their care and concern in the last years of his life; to the many business people Dick had dealings with throughout his long and hard-working life. Lastly, we wish to thank all of Dick's (E19Q) friends in amateur radio who sustained him, especially in his later years. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

**WILLOUGHBY** — The relatives of the late Margaret Willoughby, late of South Mall, Lismore, wish to thank most sincerely all who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards and letters of sympathy and those who attended the removal and burial. A special word of thanks to the Sisters and nurses at Ardkeen hospital for their great kindness. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for the intentions of all.



# In Memoriam

**AHEARNE AND VEALE** — Thirty-ninth Anniversary — In fond and loving memory of our dear mother, Catherine Ahearne, Monastery Lodge, Dungarvan, who died on December 4, 1950, her sister Bridget Veale who died on November 14, 1950 and their friend Essie McCarthy who died on December 5, 1960. On their souls sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered. Will those who think of them today, A lite prayer to Jesus say. (Inserted by Ada and Paddy, Terry and Jimmy.)

**AHEARNE** — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother, Kathleen Ahearne, late of Towns Park, Lismore, who died on December 7, 1980. R.I.P. Deep in our hearts you will always stay, Loved and remembered, everyday. (Always remembered by your loving family.)

**BALDWIN** — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband, Thomas Baldwin, "Maryville," Barrack Street, Tallow, who died on December 5, 1983. R.I.P. Our Lady of Knock, pray for him. St. Martin de Porres and Padre Pio intercede for him. Masses offered. Time passes as you stay, As near and dear as yesterday. (Sadly missed by his loving wife, Bessie.)

**COWARD** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Harry Coward, late of 6 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on December 6, 1976. Masses offered. Time goes by but still you stay, As near and dear as yesterday, No longer in our lives to share, But in our hearts you are always there. (Always remembered by his loving son Monnie, daughter-in-law June and grand-daughter Helen.)

**COWARD** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Harry Coward, late of 6 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on December 6, 1976. R.I.P. Time goes by but still you stay, As near and dear as yesterday, No longer in our lives to stay, But in our hearts you are always there. (Always remembered by your loving son Locky, daughter-in-law Kathleen, grandchildren and Jonathan, Coife.)

**COWARD** — Thirteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Harry Coward, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on December 6, 1976. R.I.P. The years we spent together, The happy times we knew, Are lived again so often, In memories of you. My heart still aches, as I whisper low, God bless you dad, I miss you so. (Your loving daughter Rita, son-in-law Martin, grandchildren Julie and Martin, great-grandchildren Keely and Lea, London.)

**DUNNE** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Thomas Dunne, late of 32 Westcroft Way, Cricklewood, London NW2, who died on December 6, 1988. R.I.P. May the God of love and mercy, Care for our loved one who is gone, And bless with consolation, Those left to carry on. (Always remembered by his loving sisters and nephews in Ireland and his family in London.)

**EGAN** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth Egan, late of 10 Kyne Park, Abbeyside, who died on December 2, 1987. R.I.P. God looked around His garden, And saw an empty space, Then looked down from heaven, And saw your tired face. He put His arms around you, And whispered "come to rest," His garden must be beautiful, For He only takes the best. (Always remembered by Rosie Woods and family, Clonmel.)

**FORBES** — Seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear wife, Mary, Kilbeg, Tallow, who died on December 6, 1982. R.I.P. Masses offered. When life was at its sweetest, Amidst those happy days, The life we planned was ended, By God's mysterious ways. But among my tears and heartaches, There's one thing that makes me glad, That you chose me to share with you, Those happiest years we had. (Always remembered by her loving husband, Jack.)

**HUNT** — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of Joe Hunt, late of 5, Davis Street, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs. Mother of God look after our darling Joe. R.I.P. I know the meaning of sorrow, I know what it is to cry, But when I lost you, Joe, I know how it felt to die. So many times I've needed you, I turned and you were not there, It hurts so much to be alone, But then I hear your prayer: Just take my hand, I'll guide you, No harm will come your way, Tomorrow and forever with you, I'll always stay. (Always loved and never forgotten, Esther.)

**LYONS** — Thirty-third Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Lyons, late of Convent Street, Tallow, who died on December 3, 1956. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered. Will those who think of her today, A little prayer to Jesus say. Too dearly loved to be forgotten. (Inserted by her loving daughter Lil and grandchildren.)

**MCCARTHY** — Thirty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Thomas McCarthy, late of 18 Thomas's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on December 5, 1957. R.I.P. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered. It does not take a special day, For me to think of you, Each Mass I hear, each prayer I say, Is offered up for you. (Never forgotten by your loving daughter Mary and family.)

**MCCARTHY** — Thirty-second Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear father, Thomas McCarthy, late of 18 St. Thomas's Terrace, Dungarvan and U.D.C., who died on December 5, 1957. Also our grandmother Catherine McCarthy, late of Mitchel Street, Dungarvan, whose anniversary occurs. On their souls sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P. Masses offered. No matter how we spend our days, No matter what we do, Before we close our eyes at night, dad, We always pray for you. Your life was one of kindly deeds, A helping hand for others needs, Sincere and true in heart and mind, Beautiful memories left behind. (Always in our thoughts and prayers — loving daughters Kitty and Philomena.)

**PALMER** — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Bobby Palmer, 5 Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died December 8, 1970. Will those who think of him today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by his loving wife and family.)

**POWER** — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Catherine Power, 18 Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on December 4, 1987. Masses offered. Like as the waves make toward the pebbled shore, So do our lives as they hasten to an end, But memories they leave us, As we continue with our daily lives, And never forget the cherished moments Of time that will never be forgotten. (Always remembered by your loving daughters Sharon, Cardine and Finola.)

## Dail Question On Lismore Public Library

Deputy Austin Deasy asked the Minister for the Environment if he will approve the refurbishment of the public library at Lismore which has already been approved by An Chomhairle Leabharlanna, in view of its important architectural and historical significance and the fact that no major repairs have been carried out for the past 50 years. In a written reply the Minister for the Environment (Mr. Padraig Flynn) stated: The matter is being examined by my Department in the light of a recent report by An Chomhairle Leabharlanna in relation to proposals submitted by Waterford County Council.

# BRIDGE RESULTS

## CUNNINGAR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 22 — 1, Terry Dempsey and Maeve O'Riordan; 2, Betty Prendergast and Nuala Power; 3, Helen Russell and Helen McCarthy; 4, Bennie Moloney and Eileen O'Donoghue; 5, Fr. M. Barron and Margaret Foley.

Results, November 29 — 1, Tommie and Alice Butler; 2, Kathleen Ryan and Ned Whelan; 3, Maeve Carthy and Vincent Quirke; 4, Cait Christopher and Doreen Keane; 5, Kay Kirwan and Fr. M. Barron.

## ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 28 — 1, Lily Lineen and Sheila Veale; 2, Margaret O'Donnell and Joan Mansfield; 3, Brid Dunphy and Cora Kearney; 4, Ann Clarke and Mary O'Dea.

## HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 30 — 1, Kay Shanley and Cora Christopher; 2, Pat Murray and Ann Cass; 3, Alice Butler and Pauline Enright.

## DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 30 — 1, Mimi Christopher and Leo O'Donnell; 2, Colin Carthy and Ann Power; 3, John Mansfield and Ollie O'Neill; 4, Fr. Barron and Michael Kirwan.

## DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results, December 4 — 1, Margaret O'Donnell and Ina H. Considine; 2, Joan Mansfield and Maureen Connors; 3, Mimi Christopher and Joan McCarthy; 4, Ann Dalton and Charles O'Doherty.

## COMERAGH BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 27 — 1, Bernie Norris and Brid Culloo; 2, Pauline Desmond and Helen Russell; 3, Maureen O'Sullivan and Sean Norris; 4, Mary Ellard and Pauline Lenihan.

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### CLASHMORE R/A

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### AFFANE R/A

Wednesday, 13th December, '89 — 14.00 to 16.00 hrs. — Sluggura, Affane, Drumroe Affane, Drumroe Foley, Bewley, Coolaneen, Springfield, Dromana, Rossgrilla, Quarter, Curraghroche, Knockalara, Clashnadarriv, Kilmolash, Curraghmoreen.

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## BALLYDUFF NOTES

### 45 DRIVE

Results of last Wednesday nights 45 drive in St. Michael's Hall are as follows — 1st divided between Mick Lane and Pat Walsh, Dan O'Brien and Brendan Meagher; 2nd divided between Rita Leamy and Mal Higgins, Dave and Eilo Hoare, Lucky Tables — Mick Daly and Davy Feeney, Johnny Casey and Andrew Coughlan, Christy Higgins and Jimmy Cunningham; Raffle winners were — Denis Nevin, Brendan Meagher, Andrew Coughlan and John Casey.

### HAPPY EVENT

Congratulations to Michael and Gretta Kearney, Waterpark on the birth of a young son.

### ENGAGEMENT

Congratulations to Liam Keane, Black and Elma Kenny, Ballinlovane, who have announced their engagement.

### COMMUNITY COUNCIL

The annual senior citizens party will take place in St. Michael's Hall on Sunday next, commencing at 1.30 p.m.

The annual general meeting of the newly elected council will take place on Monday night next at 8 p.m.

### SCOR NA nOG

Ballyduff will be taking part in the semi-final of Scor na nOg in Ballymacarbry on Friday night. We wish all competitors the best of luck.

### PIONEER NOTES

We wish Raymond

Dempsey the best of luck in the Diocesan final of the Readeoiri competition in Newcastle, Co. Tipperary on Saturday night. Raymond will be taking part in the musical solo section. The local Centre would like to thank all who supported the church gate collection on Sunday last.

### BALLYDUFF G.A.A. NOTES

The annual general meeting of the juvenile club will be held in the Hall on this Thursday night at 8.45 p.m. (after Mass). The outgoing officers will be reviewing another busy and active year for the club. All parents and players are requested to attend.

A well attended meeting of the adult club on Tuesday night last made further arrangements for the function on Friday, December 15th to honour the county winning intermediate team of 1964. The evening will commence with Mass in St. Michael's Church at 7.30 p.m. Following this, members of both hurling and football panels of '64' will be guests of the club at a meal in St. Michael's Hall at 8.30 p.m. Afterwards a social evening for all players and members will be held.

Another meeting of the adult club will be held next Tuesday night in the Library at 9 p.m. All players and members are requested to attend.

The Primary Schools football team have advanced to the final against Ardmore/Grange as a result of wins over Cappo-

quin and Clashmore / Ballycurrane. They scored a seven point win over Cappoquin in an excellent game on Thursday evening last at Lismore. On Monday evening at the same venue we had two points to spare over Clashmore in the semi-final. It is expected that the final will be played on this Thursday in Dungarvan. John Jackson attended the Divisional Bord na nOg Convention in Dungarvan on Monday night.

### BALLYDUFF YOUTH CLUB

This week's event will be held in the Library at 9 p.m. on Saturday night.

### LADIES CLUB

A meeting will be held in the Hall on tonight (Thursday, December 7) at 8.30 p.m. to finalise plans for the Children's Christmas Party on December 17, which we are hosting this year in association with the Youth Club.

### MACRA NOTES

The club is hosting the beef stockjudging competition on Friday, December 8 and will hold the dairy and sheep stockjudging competition on Sunday, December 10. For more details contact, Michael Leamy.

The talent competition will be on Saturday, December 16. Anyone interested should contact Maeve Kenny.

Congratulations to Hugh Geary and Anne Fitzgerald, Elma Kenny and Liam Keane who announced their engagements recently.

## Dungarvan Hockey Club



Both Dungarvan teams played away last weekend and although defeated can feel pleased with their performances.

### MINOR B LEAGUE

#### Church of Ireland 2 Dungarvan 0

Dungarvan travelled to Garryduff, Cork, for this league match. Due to unforeseen circumstances, Dungarvan had to field with only nine players. To make matters worse the goalkeepers pads also went missing. Yet despite these misfortunes the local team put up a tremendous performance. C. of I. scored in each half, Dungarvan however, had their chances. Such was Dungarvan's level of commitment, it drew favourable comments from the Cork team and

supporters. All players can feel pleased with their display.

Team — Patricia Curran, Angela Cashin (capt), Catherine Tobin, Mary Kearns, Nora Barry, Mary Murphy, Ann Ryan, Mary Keane, Emma.

Player of the Match — Angela Cashin.

### MINOR A CUP

#### Catholic Institute 1 Dungarvan 0

After a long hazardous journey to Limerick on Sunday last, Dungarvan can count themselves very fortunate to have lost.

Dungarvan were certainly the better team throughout. Catholic Institute scored from a short corner after fifteen minutes, yet did little afterwards to justify the score.

During a second half in which the ball crossed into Dungarvan's half a mere three times, the visitors were totally dominant. Dungarvan thought that Roisin Foley had equalised, unfortunately the goal was disallowed. The match finished 1-0 in the home teams favour. Best for a good Dungarvan eleven were — Christine O'Keefe, Tess Reynolds, Martha Harnett, Kate Cagney.

Team — Yvonne Landers, Gillian Dunne, Avis Kiely, Martha Harnett (capt), Clare Morrissey, Kate Cagney, Ber Power, Roisin Foley, Martina Moore, Tess Reynolds, Christine O'Keefe.

Player of the Match — Christine O'Keefe.  
Umpire — Ger Foley.

## LADIES FOOTBALL

# All-Ireland Club Final Refixed

The All-Ireland Club Championship final between Ballymacarbry and Rochfortbridge (Westmeath) has been refixed for Sunday next at Athy, at 2 p.m.

The game was scheduled for last Sunday at Durrow but the weather conditions forced the cancellation of the fixture. Unfortunately, both sides travelled to the Laois venue but heavy fog left the referee, Mick Hopkins, Dublin, with no option but to call the game off. It was impossible to see the opposite end of the pitch.

There was a fine attendance present and a little bit better organisation from National Council could have saved spectators from both sides a lot of inconvenience.

The Westmeath side were in a very determined mood and left no doubt that they intend to capture this year's title. They had a huge following and support could

prove to be very important with regard to the destination of the 1989 All-Ireland title. Ballymac' have always enjoyed great support and these loyal supporters are sure to turn out again on Sunday.

Little has changed in the last week and what's sure to be a very competitive game is going to take a lot of winning.

## Railway Athletic F.C. Notes

### RAILWAY ATH. 7; CRUSADERS 0

Our 12's picked up another brace of points thanks to a very good performance on Sat. last.

We attacked straight from the kick-off and G. Arrigan was unlucky in the 5th minute when he hit a rocket off the crossbar. We opened our account in the 7th min. when great work by K. Radley gave us our first goal. We had to wait another 23 minutes for our 2nd and it was Glen Arrigan who hit the first of his four goals. After the kick-off Arrigan got his 2nd, then after 37 minutes K. Radley was taken down in the box and he took the spot kick himself and made

no mistake. G. Arrigan got his hat-trick after 41 minutes and J. Manahan got number 6 after 54 minutes and Glen Arrigan got our 7th just on the struck of full time. So Railway go to the top of the table and hopefully the lads will put in a big effort for the rest of the season.

Team — N. Maher, M. Murphy, A. Morrissey, T. O'Connor, S. Quinn, M. Moynihan, D. Coughlan, M. Ormonde, K. Radley, G. Arrigan, B. Landers. Res. — J. Manahan for A.

Morrissey; Tom O'Connor for M. Moynihan, also W. Fraher, L. Whelan, A. Barry, J. Wall, D. Fitzgerald, P. Morrissey.



### U-15s BEATEN

Our U-15s had no league game on Saturday last but they travelled to Abbeyside and in a good game we lost 5-3. Our marksmen were Kenny Mason, Ray Curran and Alan Gilligan.

## ABBEYSIDE S.A.C. NOTES

On Saturday night we fished the third of our four Christmas competitions, despite a good night weather wise we had a poor nights fishing, there were only six fished returned on the night, with a variety of two — 5 coalfish and 1 eel. 19 anglers turned out to fish this competition.

The winners are as follows: — 1st Tony Crowe; 2nd Brian Mansfield; 3rd Ann Cowming; 4th John Cronin.

It has come to my attention too that Don O'Connor has made a late but successful move on our record fish competition, during the week Don landed a coalfish 11lb 8oz, beating the previous record by 10z. Well done Don. Our next competition will

be fished in Ballinacourty next Sunday afternoon. This is the last of our Christmas competitions so bring all the family along, fishing 1 to 4 p.m..

We extend sincere thanks to everyone who supported our Church Gate collection and to all the collectors especially Ann and Cait the ladies who came out on such a bitterly cold morning.

At the moment our calendar for next year is almost complete, again thanks to all our sponsors for your tremendous support.

Also don't forget next Sunday evening, we will have the presentation of prizes for all the Christmas competitions, master angler and record fish at the Gold Coast after the fishing competition. — Sea Scorpion.

ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY  
G.A.A. CLUB will hold its

## A.G.M.

on Thursday, 14th December at 8 p.m.

Abbeyside School





Santa Claus signing his contract for his appearance in Dungarvan on Friday, December 8, with him are Dungarvan Retail Traders Association members, Mario Flavin and Jack Flanagan. (Photo: R. Wyley)

## MINNIES SQUASH CLUB NOTES

**MINNIES EASY WIN**  
Last Wednesday night, November 29, brought memories flooding back as our men's country league team romped to a 5-0 victory (20 points to 2) over Youghal at home. Names like Brian Barnes, Maurice Walsh and Jim Harty spring to mind when I hear such crushing scores.

We had a change to our line-up this week with young Michael Sheehan coming in at number five and whose awesome powerplay was the main ingredient for his 3-0 victory. Our performer of the night was our captain Frank O'Donoghue who came from two games down to eventually win 3-2.

Full scores: (no. 5) Michael Sheehan 3-0, (no. 4) Dave Tuohy 3-0, (no. 3) Jerry Flynn 3-0, (no. 2) Frank O'Donoghue 3-2, (no. 1) Ray Dwyer 3-0.

### EXCITING WEEK IN T.S.B.

Our final squash tournament of the decade continued last week when three of the four ties went to five matches. On Monday night, November 27, Jimmy Kiely's team cruised through 9-2 against Jack Elstead's team. Best game of the night was at no. 5 where Lily Hannigan had a close 3-2 victory over Cait Mulcahy. At no. 1 Jimmy beat Jack 3-0, as did Michael Coffey against Mary Coffey.

In the other tie we had a sensational outcome as Pat O'Brien's team beat Maurice Walsh's team 9-7 after conceding two walkovers. We also had the shock of the season as Pat O'Brien easily beat Maurice Walsh 3-0 (Maurice was unbeaten all season up to this point having won all his eight tournament and ladder games, and having only beaten Jimmy Kiely 3-2 a couple of days earlier).

Scores: no. 5 Maura Kindregan walkover Myra Walsh; no. 1 Maurice Walsh 0, Pat O'Brien 3; no.

4 Ann Elstead 1, Nicky Power 3; no. 3 Hank Regan walkover Pat Power; no. 2 Tom Phelan 0, Michael Hurley 3.

On Wednesday night, Tommy Butler's team beat Liam O Tuama's team by a 9-9 scoreline. At no. 5 Katherine Keighery got a walkover from T. Keane; at no. 1 Tommy Butler found debut boy Liam O Tuama too hot to handle as he had his biggest defeat of the season 0-3. At no. 4 Mai O'Brien found the crafty Gaelicman Donal O Faolain too much as she went down 0-3. At no. 3 that great battler Liam Treacy was at it again as he fought off a dogged effort by Sean Power before winning 3-2. In the decider, Dan McCarthy knew he had to win by a least a 3-1 scoreline to get his team through and yes folks you've guessed it, Dan, fully inspired by his "Italia 90" tee shirt, won a hard fought battle to defeat Paddy Corkery 3-1.

In the other tie, the first of our second round matches, John Cliffe's team beat Ray Moore's team 3-2. Because of the country league tie on the same night, two of the games from this tie were played on Tuesday night. At no. 3 Terry Flynn, the strongest of the threes inflicted a first tournament defeat of the season on Josephine Harty as he won 3-0. At no. 2 Anne Wyley played very well but still lost as country league captain Frank O'Donoghue came from 1-2 down to win 3-2. (Reports that Frank received a yellow card for bodily contact are not true; accidental, was the referee's report).

On Wednesday the 4's were first on here — young Kevin Moynihan seemed very nervous as he went down 3-0 to Eamonn Murphy. At no. 1 John Cliffe scored an easy 3-0 win over an out of sorts Ray Moore. In the decider

country league player Rita Moore had to work hard for her 3-0 win against the very promising beginner Una O'Halloran.

The semis are on next Sunday, December 11 and the final is on December 13.

### KILLARNEY SUCCESS FOR MAI O'BRIEN

On the weekend of November 24-26, a large contingent of club members made the long trip to Killarney for the Munster closed. I'm delighted to report that we didn't come back empty-handed as Mai O'Brien won outright the ladies 'C'. Well done to Mai who had to shuttle between Killarney and Tralee over the weekend as she won her five games. Well done also to Anne Hennebry who finished as runner-up in the ladies 'C' plate.

### ALLROUNDER LADIES LADDER

The first brace of matches in the second part of the ladies ladder finished last Tuesday, November 28. The news from Division one is that Fiona Fitzgerald regains top spot with Helen Kiely hanging on to second spot.

Division one now reads F. Fitzgerald 11 pts., Helen Kiely 8 pts. and joint third Cindy Brady, Margaret Browne and Hilary Browne all on 7 pts.

On the points front with three matches left, it's very exciting with eight points separating the top seven. With 18 points still to play for, the points title is very open indeed.

Points positions: (1) Mary Walshe 40 pts., (2) Hilary Browne 36 pts., (3) Fiona Fitzgerald and Cathy O'Mahoney 35 pts., (5) Cindy Brady, Helen Kiely and Pat Clancy, all on 32 pts.

### NEXT WEEK

In next week's notes we will have a full report on the final weekend of the Dungarvan Closed.

### — ONE SERVE.

## Dungarvan Crystal Squash Club Notes

To bring you all up to date with our handicapped tournament we held our semi-finals on Tuesday and Thursday, November 28 and 30.

Tues. 28, Division 4 — (Winners names first) — Noeleen Power v. Elizabeth Burke 3-1; Michael Coleman v. Bridget Duggan 3-1, will Bridget get revenge in the ladder?

Division 2 — Michael Hurley v. Philip Cleary 3-1; Gerry O'Connor v. David Power 3-0; David was feeling poorly and it showed, but Gerry is playing well at the moment.

Thurs., Nov. 30, Division 3 — Pat Keane v. Helen Crotty 3-1, all the practice has paid off Pat. How many games? Thomas Duggan v. Joe O'Brien 3-1.

Division 1 — Jimmy Kiely v. John Cliffe 3-2, this was the only five setter in the semi's a brilliant game lasting 1hr 20 minutes (10-9, 9-7, 5-9, 9-5, 9-6); Jimmy O'Dea v. Dermot Kelly 3-0.

The final will be held on Thursday, December 7.

Our eight finalists are: Div. — Jimmy Kiely v. Jimmy O'Dea; Div. 2 — Michael Hurley v. Gerry O'Connor; Div. 3 — Pat Keane v. Thomas Duggan; Div. 4 — Noeleen Power v. Michael Coleman.

It should be a good and exciting final so be at the club on Thursday, December 7 at 7 p.m. to cheer on our eight finalists.

### MENS COUNTRY LEAGUE

Our A team travelled to Tallow on Wednesday, November 29. They had another very successful night winning 5-0 collecting another 20 points. The captain David Power had to bow out due to illness on the night. The sub. Patsy Hackett stepped in and put in a good performance.

A Team — (1) Philip Cleary, (2) David Power (capt), (3) Jimmy Walker, (4) Andrew Lally, (5) Pat Dunford, subs. Patsy

Hackett and Jim Walsh. Next Wednesday they are away to Youghal, keep up the good work.

B Team — Our B team travelled to Kildorrery on Wednesday 29 for their first night in the league. They were defeated 3-2 gaining 7 points. They travel to Kilworth this Wednesday, December 6. Good luck to both teams.

Team B — (1) Michael Hurley, (2) Gerry O'Connor, (3) Tom Landy, (4) Sean Leahy, (5) Patsy O'Connell, Sub. Tom Frost.

### ALLROUNDER SQUASH LADDER

The 2nd round of the ladder is on at the moment with three games to play before December 23. Leading the way is Michael Coleman on 29 pts, A. Dunford 26 pts, S. Lyons 25 pts. Can Ann go one better this year and clinch top spot.

That's all from the Squash Spy. I will be keeping a close eye and ear to the final, not the lovely lady.

## Dungarvan Badminton Club Notes

Dungarvan's teams were in the fray with Waterford City team's last week on three occasions.

The 1st Div. drew with Waterford on Thursday night last 4-4.

The 3rd Div. were in Ferrybank to bring their scoring rate to twenty one points ahead of their nearest rivals. With only two more games to play this team cannot be caught even if they lost these two matches. Well done!

The 5th Div. team consolidated their position with a 6-2 win against Ferrybank on Wednesday night last. Dungarvan have only one more match left in this league series against De La

Salle.

On December 14, in Waterford, Dungarvan beat De La Salle at home 8-0. So let's hope they repeat the dose.



### WATERFORD WIN BUTTERFIELD CUP

The Waterford team beat all their opponents recently in Kerry to bring home this prestigious trophy to it's rightful place.

Waterford have won this trophy many times before

and were looked upon as a lost cause due to seven members of the team being changed. But this did not deter the Deise team.

Martin Walsh from Dungarvan was the local interest. Well done Waterford.

### BEST WISHES

Our prayers and best wishes are sent to Pieras and Ella O Gaora, Pieras was in an accident recently. We wish him a speedy recovery.

### THANKS JOHN

The club would like to thank John Creed for his courteous and friendly manner to all the members of the club and visiting teams.

## County Bord na nOg Convention

On Monday night next, December 11, the County Bord na nOg Convention takes place in Lawlor's Hotel at 8 p.m.

It's very important that all clubs are present for what is the most important meeting of the year. With both the West/East Conventions over, everything is getting set as we move into 1990. The year ending was a very active year on and off the playing pitch, particularly

with our county teams getting more competitions at the highest levels.

Again we hear that some of the officers may not be seeking re-election for another term, so it's important that club delegates are present for this important meeting.





Pictured above Pierce Moloney presenting his prizes in the recent "Allrounder" customers raffle to Tom Gartland, Michael Morrissey and Honor Byrne. Also in the prizes was Seamus Burns.

# Dungarvan United AFC Notes

## DIVISION 1B LEAGUE

### Dungarvan 2, Kilmacthomas 2

The Blues were extremely fortunate to escape from Alaska Park with a share of the spoils after this hard fought encounter on Saturday evening last. Kilmac' belied their lowly league position with a determined display which ran the visitors ragged in the opening 20 minutes.

Things went badly for Dungarvan almost from the kick-off and went a goal down after just three minutes when they needlessly conceded a free kick outside the area. Up stepped Derry Kiely to whack the ball high into the net.

The Reds were rampant from this point and at times threatened to overrun Dungarvan who were minus the injured B. Whelan and J. Hughes. It was no surprise when Kilmac' increased their lead after 20 minutes and again Kiely was the scorer when he picked up the ball in mid-field and raced past a static Blues defence before unleashing a fierce drive that flew into the corner, past a bewildered J. Wall.

With M. Houlihan driving them on in midfield, the Blues gradually got back into the game in the final 15 minutes before the interval and M. Shalloe was unlucky to have an effort ruled out for pushing.

It was a far more determined Dungarvan side which took the field on the turnover and almost reduced the deficit within minutes when Shalloe cut inside the centre half, drew the keeper and hit a left footed shot inches over. Sadly it was his last action as he aggravated a groin injury and was replaced by T. Kenneally.

The visitors reduced the leeway shortly after when Beresford and Sheehan put Kenneally clear and his shot beat the keeper and was handled on the line. B. Sheehan rifled home the resultant penalty. This score lifted the Blues and they began to play with more purpose but found it hard to break down a solid Kilmac' rearguard.

The home side continued to frustrate the visitors best efforts and looked to be set for a shock win when the Blues struck again. Beresford put Sheehan through and his attempted cross was handled by a defender who attempted to get out of the way.

The referee had a long look before awarding a penalty and Kilmac's keeper got him self foolishly sent off for protesting. Once again B. Sheehan kept his cool and slotted

home the spot kick. Dungarvan could have got the winner before the end when Kenneally's cross-field pass was picked up by Dee, but he lost control at a vital time, while Kenneally himself got a final chance, but was thwarted by the stand-in keeper.

The Blues face a five weeks lay off before their next outing, which will be a local derby game against great rivals Abbeyside.

Team — J. Wall, G. Hamilton (capt.), M. Donnelly, T. Hamilton, M. Hickey, D. Crotty, M. Sheehan, M. Houlihan, G. Beresford, M. Shalloe. Res. — T. Kenneally, D. Dee (both used).

Man of the match — Martin Houlihan.

Referee: T. Walsh.

**YANKEE DOODLE**

No winner last week: Numbers 73, 78. £160 next week.

**CARD WINNERS**

D. Beatty and Peg Murray. Jackpot £180 on 15 games. Cards starting at 8.45 p.m. sharp.

**AWARDS**

A special night has been arranged for the distribution of last season's players of the year and clubman of the year awards. This will take place on Friday, December 15 at the clubhouse. Music is by Stardust and tickets are £2.50. Contact Pat Walsh, Kilrush Park for tickets.

**POKER CLASSIC**

A £10 poker classic will take place on Thursday, December 14, at the clubhouse. Names can be given to Tom Wall, Comeragh Crescent. Game commences at 9 p.m. sharp.

**NEW YEAR'S EVE**

Tickets are now on sale for our New Year's Eve dance and can be had from Tom Wall. Tickets will be sold on a first come, first served basis and will not be held for anyone without money. Music is by Colette & Cosmos. Tickets £3.

**BEST WISHES**

Best wishes for a speedy recovery are extended to Division 1B players Ber Whelan and Johnnie Hughes, presently out of action.

## MUNSTER SENIOR LEAGUE

# Unlucky Dungarvan Beaten By Everton

EVERTON 2 DUNGARVAN 0

Dungarvan suffered a very disappointing defeat against the league leaders at a cold Everton Park on Sunday afternoon last. The home side had a tonic start after only 6 minutes when a cross from a short corner was turned into his own net by a Dungarvan defender.

However, for the next 40 minutes the Blues produced some splendid football but simply could not put the ball in the net. A neat pass by J. J. Ferncombe saw P. Roche shoot narrowly wide. P. Ferncombe also saw an effort go inches wide while the home 'keeper saved well

from P. Ferncombe and G. O'Connof. However at half-time Everton still led by 1-0.

Early in the second half T. Donovan replaced the injured P. Roche and Dungarvan continued to press forward with C. Dooley saving well from a P. Ferncombe free-kick.

However, slowly but surely Everton came more and more into the game. When Dungarvan lost possession in midfield an Everton striker hit the post with a snap shot from 15 yards and the left winger was on hand to make it 2-0. After this Dungarvan lost their

shape an apart from a J. J. Ferncombe shot in injury time they never looked like reducing the deficit. Sixteen year old David Sheehan replaced the injured B. Coleman for the last 10 minutes and showed some fine touches which prove that he has a bright future in the game.

Dungarvan — B. McGrath, K. Foley, A. Hayes, W. Coward, J. Walsh, B. Coleman, P. Roche, M. O'Sullivan, G. O'Connor, P. Ferncombe, J. J. Ferncombe. Res. — T. Donovan, D. Sheehan (both used).

### RESULTS

Caseмент Celtic 1 St. Mary's 2; Rockmount 1 College Corinthians 3; Everton 2 Dungarvan Utd. 0; Mallow Utd. 5 Crofton Celtic 0.

Everton have now opened a three point lead at the top following Rockmount's shock home defeat while Tramore Athletic were defeating Johnville in the Munster Senior Cup semi-final. At the bottom Caseмент Celtic and Dungarvan both lost while bottom of the table Mallow hammered Crofton who are now bottom.

### FIXTURE

**Dungarvan v. Mallow**  
Mallow are now one point ahead of Dungarvan following last weeks game, so it is vital for the Blues to record a victory to pull away from the relegation zone when the sides meet in Kilrush Park next Sunday. Kick-off is at 2.30 p.m.

## DUNGARVAN DIVISION 2B

# United's Poor Run Continues

TRAMORE RANGERS 3, DUNGARVAN 1

Dungarvan turned in a poor performance on Saturday last, going down 3-1 to an opposition that shouldn't be causing them any problems. Right from the start it was obvious that this was not going to be the Blues day when what can only be described as a silly goal was given away after only five minutes.

This early goal is becoming a hallmark of this side and will have to be cut out if results are to be expected. The Blues did start to come into it more after the goal and K. Wall was unlucky with a half chance that went wide.

After half an hour the game turned disastrous for the Blues when the referee left a blatant hand ball go when the Tramore defender palmed the ball past the keeper Wright and then tapped the ball into the

empty net. With the score at 2-0 at half time, Blues Managers Healy and Power had a lot of talking to do to pump their team up. The second half saw Dungarvan give as good as they got and they were beginning to get on top when another disaster struck when an own goal put us 3-0 down.

The Blues were now wondering what they did to deserve this and the management decided to make some tactical

changes. P. Fitzgerald was moved to left back and L. Sandford was moved up front. Straight away the Blues scored from this when M. Walsh put the ball home from close range. Alas this proved too late for the Blues and the game ended at 3-1.

T. Wright, L. Sandford, A. Donnelly, D. Deegan, J. Foley, S. Walsh, J. Fitzgerald, D. Jordan, K. Wall, T. Duggan, P. J. Drummy.

Man of the match: referee.



**Ballinroad A.F.C. Notes**

DIVISION 3

# Ballinroad Unlucky In Defeat

JOHNVILLE 4; BALLINROAD 2

League leaders Johnville gained two valuable points when they finally got the better of a brave Ballinroad challenge at Curran Park, Waterford on Saturday last.

Johnville started well and created a couple of early chances on a pitch which cut up badly due to frost, but Ballinroad always had the home side in trouble when they played the ball in early over the defence.

Ballinroad shocked the home side who included 5 players who had played premier football in the last 4 years, with the lead goal after 20 minutes. A free kick from Pat Keane was headed on by Ber Burke and Pat Flynn was well placed to flick the ball home. Johnville got an unexpected equaliser in the 28th minute, when after Ballinroad lost possession in the opposing half, Whelan scored from close range. Ballinroad continued to take the game to their more fancied opponents and their efforts were rewarded with a superb goal after 40 minutes. Ballinroad were awarded a corner on the left side and a Johnville defender only succeeded in knocking the ball into the path of Pat Flynn who crashed the ball past a bewildered keeper.

In the second half Johnville got an early equaliser through Burke and with Ballinroad failing to play up to their first half standard the league leaders rammed in two further

goals to defeat a Ballinroad side who did very well with a very understrength team.

Ballinroad — Crotty, Lynch, Keane, Power, O'Sullivan, Flynn, Burke, O'Grady, Murray, Fraher, Drummy. Res. — Veale for O'Grady (inj.)

**SCHOOLBOYS**

## Under-12s Get First Win Of Season

KILMACTHOMAS 1  
BALLINROAD 4

Two each from Jason Kavanagh and Maurice Tobin after we had conceded an early goal, gave us two points at the aptly named Alaska Park on Sunday morning last. This was a welcome win for Ballinroad who have given manager, Vincent Tobin a great commitment to training.

Our only under-age game for December is an U-12 game against Villa in Ballinroad on December 16 at 10.30 a.m.

**SEAVIEW DRAW**

Best of luck to all our members in the second draw in Ballyduff on Saturday next.

**FIXTURE**

Div. 4 away to Crusaders.

## GLENVIEW A.F.C. NOTES

### Glenview Go Down To Fitter Bride View

GLENVIEW 1; BRIDE VIEW 5

Glenview finally lost this game in the last 20 minutes, when Bride View's superior fitness began to tell.

The visitors were ahead within 5 minutes, but we were level again only a couple of minutes later. A Philip McGrath cross, a Tom Duggan tap down and Liam Coleman rammed the gall to the roof of the net.

The story of this game is one of pure football with both sides playing some delightful fast flowing passing movements. The half-time score was 2-1 in favour of the visitors.

Glenview pressed hard after the break and created some good chances, but

could not convert them into goals.

This all out effort from the Glenview team was beginning to have an effect and in the last 20 minutes Bride View continually attacked, always looking for openings in our defence, eventually they ran out easy winners on a 5-1 scoreline.

Glenview although battered are not broken, this has been an experience that a young Glenview side will no doubt heed for the rest of the season.

Team — Casey, O'Donnell, Kett, J. Power, Dolan, Lonergan, Hallissey, Coleman, O'Rourke, Duggan, McGrath. Sub. — Marks.

# RED HOUSE LEAGUE

Three games from the 9th series in Division 1 were played on Sunday and resulted.

Division 1 — Killeagh 3 Lismore 0; Cappoquin v. Af-fane was postponed; Glenview 1 Bride View 5; Ballyduff 5 Valley 1.

Division 2 — The three games played in this Div. marked the half way stage of this competition. Results: Grange 3 Carriglea Rovers 2; Cappoquin v. Ardmore

postponed; Mogeely v. Pinewood (no result available); Youghal 3 Modeligo 1.

The top three, Bride View, Ballyduff and Killeagh in Div. 1 all won leaving the table unchanged with Bride View still clear leaders. Ballyduff have a game more played.

In Div. 2 Youghal are now three points clear of Modeligo with Ardmore and Grange joint third.

**DUNGARVAN CRYSTAL F.C. NOTES**

# Crystal Back To Winning Ways

HIBS. 1; CRYSTAL 3

With losing to Villa in our last league game we knew that we needed to get maximum points from this game at Hibs. So on a cold Sunday morning we travelled to Waterford not knowing quite what to expect from Hibs who on their day could make life difficult for any team.

But straight from the kick-off Crystal enjoyed some good pressure, and Denis McGrath was very unlucky to have two early efforts cancelled out by good goalkeeping and another shot that went narrowly wide.

It wasn't until the 30th minute that the deadlock was broken, when Hibs took the lead when the unmarked striker shot past keeper O'Grady to make it 1-0.

This could have caused panic in the Crystal camp as this goal came against the run of play, but we kept cool and it wasn't long before we got our

just rewards. Some good work between W. Halpin, Morrie Ferncombe and Denis McGrath resulted in getting the ball early to Alan Sheehan who turned past the defender to shoot low past the diving keeper into the corner of the net to make the score 1-1 at the break.

With us after scoring, the confidence was visibly seen in all the players and we began to play some very good football. With Sean Woods and T. Sheehan dominating at the back, they smothered any real chance of Hibs scoring a second. With Morrie Ferncombe pushed up to mid-

field, he was allowed the freedom he needed, and was very instrumental in all goals, with great running in support of our wingers G. Ferncombe and D. McGrath.

Our second came as a result of a corner, which P. Tutty took and with A. Sheehan and W. Halpin putting pressure on the keeper, he fumbled it into the net to make it 2-1 to Crystal.

With 10 minutes remaining Alan Sheehan added a third with a fine overhead kick into the corner of the net giving the keeper little chance of getting it.

Overall it was a good,

sound performance by us, and with the news that Slieverue beat the league leaders Johnville, it has really thrown the league title open again with Johnville, Slieverue, Red Star and ourselves challenging hard for the final run-in on the league title.

We have to play league leaders Johnville at home on Saturday next and hopefully we will get the result we need.

Team — T. O'Grady, M. O'Brien, P. Tutty, S. Woods, T. Sheehan, Morrie Ferncombe, W. Halpin, S. Cummins, A. Sheehan, M. Ferncombe, D. McGrath, P. Dunford.

**Dungarvan Utd. Schoolboys U-16**

# Tramore Too Good For Dungarvan

DUNGARVAN 1; TRAMORE 4

Dungarvan started this game very confidently and had a good opening 10 minutes, but then the visitors took over and ran the Blues ragged.

After 20 minutes Dungarvan went a goal down, a corner from the right and Brian Farrell was unchallenged as he headed into the net. Tramore went further ahead after a couple of minutes, when Austin Power scored from another good move in midfield. Tramore were all over Dungarvan now and it wasn't long before they went 3-0 up. Brian Farrell scored the visitors third. The visitors should have went further ahead only for excellent goalkeeping by Alan Landers.

In the second half Tramore dominated the first 15 minutes and a Dungarvan defender put the ball in his own net under pressure from the visitors

forward.

Dungarvan came into the game a bit more, Brian Beatty played a good ball up to Decky Carlton who played a great ball to Chris Gough who hit it first time only to see his shot brilliantly saved by the Tramore goalkeeper. The Blues had some great chances themselves but couldn't make them count. Another great move by the Blues, Decky Carlton played another great ball through to Chris Gough and he made no mistake with his shot this time and hammered the ball past the visitors keeper, to make the final score 4-1 in favour of Tramore.

This game had its fair share of injuries with David Fleming getting 3 stitches in his lip; the Tramore goalkeeper was carried off with an ankle injury and David Whelan was sent-off for dangerous

play.

A good performance by the Blues but it just wasn't enough. Better luck next time.

Dungarvan — D. Landers, Chris Gough, N. Con-

sidine, D. Cummins, Pa Drummy, D. Carlton, D. Fleming, B. Beatty, S. Downey, L. Boyle, D. Whelan. Res. — D. Morrissey, A. Moore, L. O'Keefe.

**Carriglea Rovers A.F.C. Notes**

## Brave Carriglea Just Fail

GRANGE 3; CARRIGLEA 2

On Sunday last we travelled away to Grange and lost in a five goal thriller. We found ourselves three goals down after twenty minutes and under immense pressure from a fit Grange team.

We pulled one back five minutes into the second half when a Pa Ryan cross found Tommy Lennon at the far post and he slotted home from close range.

Ten minutes later a long ball from our defence let Darren Drummy through to score our second, and hard as we tried we failed to get the equaliser.

Carriglea — A. Spratt, K. Drummy, D. Clancy, C. Miller, M. McCarthy, P. Ryan, E. Collins, J. McGrath, T. Lennon, D. Drummy, S. Lennon. Res. — P. Walsh.

Keeper Wright and then management decided to tap the ball into the make some tactical



# DUNGARVAN ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

## SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Our senior cross country team retained their county title in Tramore last Sunday with Michael Roche and Johnny Mason leading them home in 2nd and 3rd places respectively. This is the fifth time that the club has won the senior title in the 1980's and the other members of the team last Sunday were Michael Murphy, Liam Cline, Tom Meehan and Peter McGrath.

### UNDER-10 DOUBLE

The juveniles gave continued hope for the future of the club when they won the boys and girls U-10 B championships last Sunday as well as being second in the girls U-12 while Michael Hurley finished a close up second in the boys U-14 race.

Christine Sheehan ran into 3rd place in the girls U-10 race and she led Lisa Power (4th), Deirdre Travers (5th), Sharon Foley (10th) and Melissa Foley, Caroline Cleary, Angela Nugent and Sandra Clancy to the team title.

Ronan McCarthy followed up his great win in Ferrybank with another victory last Sunday in the boys U-10 race and the club completed the U-10 double with David Shepherd (4th), Paul Radley (7th), Diarmuid Keating (8th), Michael Tobin (9th),

Garret Watters, Thomas Hogan, Raymond Bannon and Eoin Hayes winning the team event.

The girls U-12 team finished 2nd and their team was Aisling Power (5th), Caroline Linnane (8th), Aileen Hogan (12th), Geraldine Kiely (14th), Tara Foley, Janice Moore and Fionnuala Egan.

### NEW YORK MARATHON

Senior athlete Gerry Cantwell had a great run in the New York Marathon lately when he ran his fastest time to date for the twenty six mile event. Gerry's time was 2 hrs. 35 mins. and 53 seconds.

### ALL-IRELAND CHAMPIONSHIPS

The club will be represented by the boys U-12 team in the All-Ireland Cross Country championships at Westport, Co. Mayo this Sunday. The team qualified by finishing

3rd in the Munster championship. The team is Mark Radley, Bryan Power, Alan Moore, Darren Healy and Shane Hayes and the club wishes them the best of luck on Sunday.

### TUESDAY TRAINING

The Tuesday night training group has been going strong now since well before our annual 10K last April, thanks to those who have continued to support it. The group's forthcoming targets are our own annual 5 mile handicap race in Colligan in January and the Ballycotton 10 miler in March. The starting time is 7 p.m. from Michael Roche carpets through a lit up route around the town.

### CONGRATULATIONS

The club congratulates local athlete Derek Kennelly on his magnificent seventh placing in the U-13 All-Ireland championship last Sunday in Mullingar.

## RUGBY NOTES

# Spirited Cup Display By Dungarvan

BANDON 14, DUNGARVAN 7

Dungarvan put up a spirited display in their second round cup game against Bandon at Ballyrandle on Sunday last. With Dungarvan unable to secure a postponement (due to dress dance on Saturday night) their display deserves great credit under the circumstances.



MARTIN HESSION (Coach) was happy with the team's performance

The Dungarvan pack once again showed great determination. The front row of Declan Dower, Jimmy Morrissey and Frankie Ahearne were rock solid in the scrum with Frankie Ahearne improving in every game. Our second row of Ed. Lonergan and Niall Parkes put in a solid performance, with Niall Parkes outstanding in the line-outs, while our back row of Philip Foley, Eamon Spratt and Austin Curran played well in the loose. Wing forward Philip Foley put in some "crunching"

tackles that rattled the Bandon men.

Our try was scored by our top performer, Eoin Phelan who rounded off a good pack movement which involved all the back line.

Bandon scored two tries from the back of the line-out moves and overall probably deserved their victory, but Dungarvan deserve great credit for their brave display under the circumstances.

Centre Davy Salmon kicked a penalty and he, along with Andy Halley, Mark O'Connor and Paul Mullaney were best of our back-line.

Dungarvan — A. Halley, E. Phelan, D. Salmon, P. McGrath, P. Mullaney, M. Brackett, Mk. O'Connor, D. Dower, T. Morrissey, F. Ahearne, E. Lonergan, N. Parkes, E. Spratt, P. Foley, A. Curran.



NIALL PARKES — Outstanding in the lineouts.

### WELL DONE

Well done to our junior interpros who put in very good performances for Munster against Ulster on Saturday. Mark at scrum half had his best game of the season, while winger Eoin Phelan scored a great try. Unfortunately Munster were beaten, with the up-right preventing two kicks going over and had one been successful Munster would have won the game and the championship.

### DRESS DANCE

Our dress dance on Saturday night last in Whitechurch was a tremendous success with the large attendance enjoying a great night. The meal was top-class (as usual) and Collette & Cosmos kept the show going until

the early hours. We would like to thank all our sponsors who donated "spots."

### MEMBERS' CLUB DRAW

Results, November 1989 — Car or £8,000 — Orla Cregan, 3, Nutgrove Park, Clonskeagh, Dublin 14; £1,000 — Mrs. Peggy Cronin, c/o Killarney Swimming Complex, Co. Kerry; £100 each — Mrs. Peggy Cronin, c/o Killarney Swimming Complex, Co. Kerry; Tullamore Credit Union, Tullamore Co. Offaly, c/o Tullamore Hockey Club; Kathy Honan, Portarlinton, Co. Laois; Brian de Veale, 26, Basement Flat, Rathmines, Dublin 6; Liam O Coinne, Tuam Road, Galway; Willie Ryan, 90, Woodbrook, Carlow; P. J. Conlon, Main Street, Mountmellick, Co. Kildare; James O'Connor, c/o Waterford Glass, Butlerstown, Co. Waterford; Red Haired Mary, c/o Colaiste Pobail Rathcairn, Ath Bui, Co. na Mi; Hughie McCafferty, Ranafast, Anagry, Letterkenny, Donegal.

Next draw will be on Saturday, December 30. (Adv.)

### "LIVE MUSIC"

Following the great success of our "live music" a few weeks ago, we continue on Saturday next with one of the top groups in the south — The Lonesome Hobos. See advertisement for details.

### FIXTURES

1st xv v. Kilkenny (away) "friendly." (There may be a bus travelling); 2nd xv, league match v. Fermoy (away).

### SYMPATHY

On behalf of the club, I would like to express our deepest sympathy to the Fleming family on the death of John who was a lifelong member of the club and a good supporter. Also to our President, Donal O'Regan and his family on the death of his aunt, Mrs. Mulcahy.

### HONORARY LIFE MEMBER

Last week Dungarvan born Ernest Walton, the Nobel Prize winner, visited Dungarvan and our President, Donal O'Regan presented him with an "Honorary Life Membership" of Dungarvan RFC.

# CAPPOQUIN/ BALLINAMEELA A.C. NOTES

## ALL-IRELAND CROSS COUNTRY

On Sunday last the national cross country was held in Mullingar. Kieran Maher was competing in the Boys U-17 race and had a great run to finish in 28th place. Kieran was running out of his own age group.

### COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

Also on Sunday last the Waterford B.L.E. Cross Country championships for senior men and women, junior men and women and juvenile "B" championships were held in Tramore. Corinna Walsh won the junior ladies 4000m. followed by Claire Maher in 2nd place. Martin Lacey was 3rd in the junior men 7000m.

Results are as follows:

Boys U-10 — Michael Heffernan (2nd), Brian Moore (6th), James Mernin (13th), Vincent Mernin (20th), Darren Mulcahy (22nd), 2nd team prize.

Girls U-10 — Oliveire Walsh (2nd), Eileen O'Brien (15th), Sandra O'Shea (17th), Aine Davis (21st), Roisin Lynch (22nd) 3rd team prize.

Girls U-12 — Geraldine Kiely (2nd), S. Mulcahy (22nd), Mary O'Brien (30th), Eileen Foley (36th).

Boys U-12 — James Fletcher (2nd), Dermot Coughlan (6th), Kamen Radley (7th), Paul Moore (11th), Vincent Lombard (15th), Brian Lynch (21st) 2nd team prize.

Girls U-14 — Mary Whelan (2nd), Aoife Scanlon (5th), Sinead Power (6th), Eleanor Dalton (7th) 1st team prize.

Boys U-14 — Ken Moore (8th), Laurence Maher (10th), Eoin Collender (11th), Aidan Ahern (12th) 2nd team prize.

Girls U-16 — Alfa Keniry (1st), Junior Ladies — Corinna Walsh (1st), Claire Maher (2nd), Karen O'Donnell (4th), Sinead Coughlan (6th), 1st team prize.

# DUNGARVAN GOLF CLUB NOTES

### RESULTS

Thursday, Nov. 30 — John Kiely (12) 32 pts.; Saturday, Dec. 2 — 1, Denis Forde (11) 43 pts.; 2, Maurice McNamara (11) 42 pts.; gross, John Lynch (7) 33 pts. CSS: 69. Sunday, Dec. 3 — 1, A. Deasy (10) 43 pts.; 2, M. Fleming (14) 43 pts.; gross, K. Hogan (4) 37 pts.; 3, S. Power (14) 42 pts.; 4, D. Forde (10) 41 pts. CSS: 69.

### WINTER LEAGUE

In the Winter league the semi-finals of the competition and plate were held last week-end with Kieran Hogan's and Michael Flynn's teams winning through to the final and E. R. Kiely's and Tom Melody's teams reaching the plate final. Both matches will be held on Sunday, December

### 17.

### FIXTURES

Thursday, Dec. 7 — 14 holes v. par; Saturday, Dec. 9 — 18 holes stableford; Sunday, Dec. 10 — 9 holes stableford in the morning only. South East Senior Alliance in the afternoon.

### CARDS

The three-table card drives started last Friday night and will continue each Friday until Christmas.

### LADIES BRANCH

Results — LGU Pendant — Mary Dee; Golfer of the Year — 1, Louise Fleming; 2, June James; Silver Spoon winner — Jo Mullen. Birdie Tree — 1, Louise Fleming; 2, Sylvia McGrath; 3, June James. — PRO.



# Great Comeback By CBS To Reach Munster Hurling Semi-final

DUNGARVAN CBS 4-6, DOON CBS 4-2

Dungarvan CBS advanced to the Munster Colleges under 16 1/2 hurling semi-final after a great match against Doon CBS at Lisvernane last Thursday.

In the early stages, Doon threatened to overwhelm Dungarvan, scoring three goals against a below form Dungarvan defence in the first ten minutes of the match. Dungarvan's only score in the first half was a point from a free by John Patrick Fitzpatrick and Doon led by 3-2 to 0-1 at half time.

Though Dungarvan settled after the first ten minutes, they were still playing poorly and were lucky not to be further behind at half time.

A point by Niall Considine, followed by a great goal from John Tutty brought Dungarvan back into the game early in the second half. A 40th minute

goal put Doon eight points ahead, but at this stage Tom Morrissey was having a marvellous game at full back after a poor first half and with Fergal Cunningham playing well in goal and Christopher Gough at centre back, Doon were finding it hard to make progress.

Benny McGrath had a great goal for Dungarvan in the 44th minute and when Patrick Veale and John Tutty scored goals from close range, Dungarvan led by 2 points with five minutes remaining. In the last 5 minutes Doon applied intense pressure with Fergal Cunningham saving a Doon 21 yard free and Dungarvan also

cleared a "65" to hold on and win.

**Dungarvan scorers** — John Tutty 2-0, Benny McGrath 1-1, Patrick Veale 1-0, J. P. Fitzpatrick 0-2 (frees), N. Considine 0-1.

**Dungarvan team** — F. Cunningham (Dungarvan), M. Barnes (Stradbally), T. Morrissey (Dungarvan), F. Murray (Abbeyside), R. Ryan (Naomh Brid), C. Gough (Dungarvan), L. Boyle (Naomh Brid), J. P. Fitzpatrick (Naomh Brid), T. Kiely (St. Patricks), J. Tutty (Dungarvan), J. J. Ronayne (Dungarvan), N. Considine (Dungarvan), D. Ryan (St. Patricks), B. McGrath (St. Patricks), P. Veale (Abbeyside). Sub. — A. Walsh (St. Patricks).



Bernie Hickey (right) Shopwell, Dungarvan presenting a voucher for £500 to Cora Beresford, Clashmore, winner of the Shopwell National Ploughing Championship draw. (Photo: R. Wyley)

# St. Augustine's Reach Munster Semi-final

ST. AUGUSTINE'S 2-11, ST. MICHAEL'S (LISTOWEL) 2-5

Improving with each outing and growing in confidence, the senior footballers of St. Augustine's have qualified for yet another Munster semi-final. On Friday last at Doneraile they overcame a strong challenge from St. Michael's, Listowel, led by Kerry minor, Willie O'Donnell, and so qualified for a semi-final clash with Tipperary CBS when the season resumes in February.

With midfield well controlled by Tom Fives and Michael Fenton, the Friary boys got off to a great start.

An early goal by Edward Power and points by Edwyn Kiely and Joe Kennedy put the Friary boys into a lead they never relinquished. Then with the backs ably marshalled by Michael Hubbard and fine defensive work by his colleagues Michael Ahearne, Pat Hayes, Denis Kelleher,

Paul Breen and Joe Wyse, St. Augustine's remained in control throughout.

The most pleasing feature of the game was the fine scoring of the Friary forwards, with five of them getting on the scoreboard, while Brendan O'Dwyer and sub. George Walsh put in tremendous efforts all through.

Friary scorers — J. Kennedy 0-5, E. Power 1-1, E. Kiely 0-3, D. Sheehan 1-0, D. Phelan 0-2.

St. Augustine's — P. Prendergast (Abbeyside), M. Ahearne (St. Olivers), M. Hubbard (St. Marys), P. Hayes (Abbeyside), L. Wyse (Nire), D. Kelleher (Affane), P. Breen (Abbeyside), T. Fives (Affane), M. Fenton (Clashmore), B. O'Dwyer (Sliabh gCua), E. Kiely (Kilmacthomas), J. Kennedy (St. Marys), D. Phelan (Nire), D. Sheehan (Brickeys), E. Power (St. Marys). Sub. — G. Walsh (Stradbally) for Ahearne.

## STRADBALLY G.A.A. NOTES

### 10th ANNIVERSARY / SOCIAL

On this Friday night, December 8, the club celebrate their 10th Anniversary/Social in the Centre starting at 9 p.m. Tickets have been on sale this past two weeks, and as only a limited number were available, they now have been sold-out. The catering for the night is being done by outside sources. It should prove a great night — please remember that the meal will be served at 9 p.m. sharp.

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

On Wednesday next, December 13, the club's annual general meeting takes place in the Social Centre at 7.30 p.m. This is the most important meeting of the year, where we look back on '89 and plan for the future. All reports will be on hand for the meeting, so we ask members and intending members to come along to the meeting.

### PLANNING FOR THE '90s

As we leave the '80's we look back with memories of great achievements on the field and the Social Centre. Certainly it was a good decade for the Reds. So what about the '90's — it will certainly be a new

era — times are changing fast so it will need full co-operation from everybody, so please come to Wednesday's meeting and make yourself available for the club.

### ON COLLEGE TEAM

Our young club player, George Walsh was on the St. Augustine's College team which was successful recently in the championship.

### WHIST CARD GAME

On Saturday night next, December 9, the card whist game takes place in the Social Centre at 8.30 p.m. Plenty of prizes in store. Credit must go to Mrs. Wm. O'Brien and Mrs. Margaret Cunningham for organising these games.

### BOWERY BOYS

On Sunday night next, December 10, it's the turn of the Bowery Boys to provide the music for members and friends. This is a very popular band locally and a good crowd is expected at the Centre.

### CARDS

On Monday night next, December 11, the Progressive 45 card game continues in the Centre starting at 8.30 p.m. The jackpot is still there for the taking and surely with Christmas com-

ing — some lucky couple will be successful — come along for a game.

### SENIOR CITIZENS

A special Seniors Citizens Party will take place on Sunday night, December 17 in the Social Centre. This is the Christmas Party so there will be plenty of dancing and sing-a-long. A great night assured. Should anybody need transport please contact any member of the committee for this special Christmas Party.

### SCOR NA nOG

The club are taking part in Scor na nOG this coming weekend. First on this Friday night, December 8, in the C.B.S. Dungarvan and on Saturday night, December 9 also in Dungarvan. Certainly it seems a long haul to Ballymac' so let's give all our young Scor competitors full support and we wish them the best of luck. For further details contact Mrs. Margaret Cunningham.

### ON COUNTY CALL!

Our club players Pat Curran, David Kirwan, Fintan O'Brien along with selector Joe Curran were to be involved with the Waterford senior football team v. Tipperary, but the game was cancelled due to fog.

## Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes



### ANNUAL MEETING

Our annual general meeting was held on Tuesday night at Lawlors Hotel, and next week DV we'll have all the details of what I hope was a successful review of 1989 and a planned and constructive approach to 1990.

As is now a club tradition the AGM was preceded by Mass at the Friary Church for all deceased members and players.

### THE BIG DRAW

Tickets have now gone on sale for the big Co-op Development Draw which takes place over three months commencing next March.

This is the biggest draw ever undertaken by a sports organisation in the county, and whatever profits come our way from it will be ploughed into the development of our land at Youghal Road.

We are appealing to every member to make a genuine effort to ensure the success of the draw. Also to our loyal and faithful supporters, who have backed us in the three previous draws, we ask to stay with us again.

Every punt in profit will go towards providing present and future generations the best possible club facilities.

In next week's issue there will be full details of the

launch of the draw. As in past years the Lismore, Kilrossanty, Dunhill and Roanmore clubs are involved with us under the overall chairmanship of our own Paddy Fitzgerald.

### BINGO NIGHT

We stage another of our big bingo sessions at the comfortable Friary Hall Theatre on this Friday night. With more than £1,000 in prizemoney we are expecting another full house. Eyes down at 8.30 p.m. See separate advertising for all details in this issue.

We will be having another big bingo night on Friday, December 29 at the Sports Centre. Further details anon.



## THE END OF THE 'EIGHTIES

# A Decade Of Mixed Fortunes For Waterford

With the countdown to the final decade of the present century well underway, people in all walks of life and every association and society will look back with satisfaction, disappointment or indifference at the major events which effected their lives during those ten long years.

Ten years can be a long time when things don't go your way and it can be a very short while when you have been getting the breaks and all has been going well.

During the next few weeks, I will be writing about how the G.A.A. in Waterford fared through the 'eighties' and I will try to cover as much ground as possible in the weeks before the convention commentary takes over.

In the expectation that the club championships would be finished about a month ago, I had planned to write the feature in a certain way, but as that is now not possible, I will complete it in three instalments, or so, depending on the availability of space.

## HAVE WE BEEN SUCCESSFUL?

It all depends on how you define success. We came out of the 'seventies' with ten championships and in the intervening ten years, a further six have been added, so we now have sixteen. When we entered this decade, almost all of the championships were played on a pure 'knock-out' system, while today with the exception of the U-21 competitions, all are played on a league system. This might have increased the number

of people playing our games and it certainly has increased activity well over one hundred fold, but what of our standards. Have they improved or have they worsened.

For the most part I believe that in this respect, we have gone backwards. Club standards in both codes and in all grades are reflected in county standards and if we take critical look at our over all intercounty record for the 'eighties', we find very little to be pleased about.

Not that we didn't have a lot to get excited about at times, as we did reach the Munster hurling finals on three occasions and even though we were hammered in all three, the excitement and euphoria generated by the winning of the qualifying rounds will be remembered for a very long time. I will refer to these later.

However, I must make the point, that overall, our intercounty record in the Munster championships in the 'eighties' was unsatisfactory. I can write only about the Munster championships, because for the first decade since before the 'twenties', we failed to win a provincial championship in any of the grades catered for by the County Board.

An examination of our record in the Munster championships for the last ten years show that we were about 13% successful, having won only 11 of the 89 Munster championships played (we drew on four occasions). We won in every grade except junior hurling. I will deal with these as I go along.

## 1980

We were beaten in all six first round games in Munster. (there were no junior until later). We were promoted to Division 1 "A" in the hurling league, but we lost by 3-13 to 2-11 to Clare in the championship. In fact Clare had a grand slam against Waterford in the hurling championship that year, having also beaten us in U-21 hurling by 6-12 to 5-1 and they won the minor clash by 1-16 to 2-10.

Two points separated ourselves and Tipperary in senior football when they won by 1-15 to 2-10 and 3-5 to 1-6 was the score when the Premier county beat us in the Under-21 football. We went to Glenflesk in Kerry to get the 'father-and-mother' of a beating from the Kingdom to the tune of 5-15 to 0-3. In football we failed again to get out of Division 4.

## CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

The year was very much dominated by Tallow and the rising Roanmore and at the end of an exciting season for both, Tallow pipped the city team for the title of Club of the Year.

I recall writing then that Cappoquin were the unlucky team in that year, they having lost by 1-11 to 2-6 to Tallow at a crowded Lismore venue in the county semi-final. A gap of about 30 years was bridged for the West when Tallow in a blaze of glory won the senior hurling championship in beating Dunhill by 1-7 to 1-6 at Fraher Field.

In senior football Stradbally won their seventh county title when beating unlucky Dunhill on a scoreline of 2-10 to 3-5 on a day that the weather made mis-

erable.

Brickeys had an overdue county championship victory when they accounted for Butlerstown by 2-11 to 0-7 in intermediate football and 2-16 to 3-10 was the score in the exciting intermediate hurling final when St. Mary's defeated Dungarvan.

At junior level, Roanmore won the double, beating Sliabh gCua 0-6 to 0-4 in football and Tallow by 2-14 to 0-3 in hurling. Cappoquin 2-7 Roanmore 1-7 was the final score in Under-21 hurling as Tallow 0-11 Tramore 1-7 saw another Western victory in Under-21 football. Roanmore were beaten in both minor county finals that year. In hurling it was Tallow 2-11 Roanmore 1-9 and in minor football Abbeyside won by 3-4 to 2-2 against the same opponents.

## AWARDS

Tallow were awarded Club of the Year; Mossy Walsh, Ballyduff (All-Star) and Hurler of the Year.

Sean Ahearne, Stradbally, was selected as Footballer of the Year and his club-mate Eoin O'Brien was given the award of Underage Football; Paul Walsh of Carrickbeg got the Underage Hurler award for that season.

Two of the great father figures of the association in the county were in our minds during that particular year. Jim Cunningham (who has since died) was awarded the 'Jack Furlong Award' and Paddy McCarthy, Affane/Cappoquin died.

Intercounty wise, Stradbally club kept us in the headlines until near the end of the year, when they beat Galtee Rovers in a Munster club football replay (4-9 to 1-13) and then went on to beat Kerry champions, Gneevenaguilla by 3-1 to 0-11. They lost the final by 3-12 to 1-8 to the Cork champions.

It was the year in which Seamus O'Brien retired as Western Secretary and was replaced by Vincent Mulligan.

(To be continued)

## FIXTURES

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

AT WALSH PARK — 2.30 p.m.  
Sargent Cup Final — Portlaw v. Ballygunner

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 10

AT WALSH PARK —  
12 noon — 1988 U-21 Hurling 'B' Final —  
Passage v. Tramore  
1.15 p.m. — 1989 U-21 'B' Hurling Final  
An Rinn/Ardmore v. St. Saviours

### AT FRAHER FIELD

2.15 p.m. J.F. Final Replay —  
Faha v. Bonmahon (J. M. Kelly)

### U-21 FOOTBALL FINAL REPLAY

## Comeragh Club Take Third Football Title

### KILROSSANTY 1-6 AFFANE 1-4

Kilrossanty, who had already taken the senior county and western minor football finals completed a hat trick at Fraher Field on Sunday when they survived a tremendous challenge from luckless Affane in an exciting replay of their drawn final of two weeks ago.

This was undoubtedly one of the best contested finals in this grade for some years and excitement ran high as Affane tried might and main to get on terms once again with their opponents. The sides were level at four points each at half-time, but when Kilrossanty shot themselves into a four points lead, by the 10th minute of the second half, it looked all over, but five minutes from the end when Ray Flynn scored a great goal, Affane were back with a chance of snatching a winner.

To be fair to Kilrossanty, they took their chances much better than Affane who certainly missed a number of scores in both halves.

A flare-up midway through the second half created an ugly scene for a couple of minutes and it was very much out of place in a match that was otherwise very sporting.

Kilrossanty were the first to score and a point by Peter Power in the 7th minute was added to in the 8th when John Dempsey made it two. Five minutes later Donagh Cummins opened the scoring for Affane with a fine point, but Kilrossanty drew away with points by Peter Power and Sean Baldwin to make it 0-4 to 0-1 in the 16th minute. At this stage, Affane who were playing against a moderate breeze improved their game considerably and while they were on top they had three points, all by Tom Fives to make them level at the

break.

### GREAT MOVEMENT

In the 36th minute, Peter Power after a great movement of the ball involving several players, shot Kilrossanty in front by a minor and four minutes later Nicky Power's goal made it 1-5 to 0-4. At the three-quarter stage Roger Power increased the lead with Kilrossanty's final score and then the final went ten minutes without a score until Ray Flynn's splendid effort which finished in a goal for Affane. This was their only score of the second half and the final score of the Western championships in the present decade.

After the game, Western Board chairman Denis McGrath presented the trophy to Kilrossanty team captain, Pat Power.

Scorers: Kilrossanty — Peter Power 0-3; N. Power 1-0; J. Dempsey, J. Baldwin and R. Power 0-1 each. Affane — R. Flynn 1-0; T. Fives 0-3; D. Cummins 0-1.

Kilrossanty — D. Mulhearn, E. Flynn, B. Kirwan, J. Kirwan, N. Power, G. Fitzgerald, B. Whelan, Pat Power, N. Power, A. O'Brien, Peter Power, R. Power, T. Veale, J. Baldwin, J. Dempsey.

Affane — L. Costin, S. McCarthy, K. O'Reilly, E. Costin, S. Buckley, M. Killigrew, S. Costin, T. Mansfield, T. Fives, D. Cummins, R. Flynn, K. Veale, P. J. Veale, J. McGrath, M. Power, Sub. — K. Curran for J. McGrath.

Referee — David Kiely

## Saviours Take Eastern Title

### Saviours 2-3, Gaultier 0-8

Gaultier ended a great season in football with a real hard luck story after a second chance was denied them when Saviours scored a point, much against the run of the play, in the 60th minute of this high standard and very entertaining Eastern under 21 football semi-final at Walsh Park on Saturday last.

Saviours led by 2-2 to 0-1 at half-time, but a brilliant second half by Gaultier gave the second half a one-sided appearance as they scored seven points without reply from Saviours, until the last kick of the game when county player Mark Corcoran pointed the winning score.

Derek Wyse opened the scoring with a goal for Saviours in the first minute.

They now play Rathgormack in the Eastern final on Sunday, December 17 and the ultimate winners will play Kilrossanty at Dungarvan — probably in the new year.



G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"



Coolnasmear/Kilbrien National Schools, who won the Primary Schools Football "C" Section recently, when they beat Touraneena N.S. Front (l. to r.) — R. Keane, R. Cass, Ml. Flynn (capt), P. Morgan, S. Hickey, P. Lynch. Back (l. to r.) — A. Corcoran, B. Dunford, D. Ryan, K. Casey, K. Dunford, D. O'Brien, S. Fennell, John Kiely (coach).

WEEK-END FIXTURES

# Junior Football Final Replay The Highlight At Fraher Field

Over the week-end there were strong and I believe, fairly well-founded rumours, that Western champions, Faha, were going to invoke the bye-law which gives them the right to opt out of playing during the closed season of December/January, but the County Secretary, Seamus Grant, confirmed on Monday that the final will go ahead as scheduled.

The injury which forced Faha centre-half Liam Connors to retire early in the drawn game, may keep this top class player out of the replay and as the club will still be without Gerry Casey, who sustained a fractured leg in a challenge game some weeks ago,

their concern in understandable. They state that they have two other players who are nursing injuries since the drawn match.

A cancellation at this stage would be a tremendous disappointment to football supporters who

have been looking forward to a repeat of the excitement of the drawn match. If it does compare with the drawn final, then there will be no better way to celebrate the end of the eighties at Fraher Field.

As it stands it will be the only game at Fraher Field and will begin at 2.15 p.m. as extra time may be required to resolve the issue. On the basis of their respective displays on last Sunday week, it is difficult to write confidently about the chances of either side, even though there are people who contend that in that match, Faha were lucky to have got their two goals in the first half and would be unlikely to enjoy the same degree of luck again.

I have heard this kind of speculation before and at times it has proven to have been misguided. This is a new game and what happened before won't make a difference now. Everything will depend on how the teams play in this game.

Bonmahon were the side with the real luck in the drawn game when a Faha foul provided them with a chance to have a second bite at the 'cherry.' Bonmahon have no great injury problems and will field at full strength, so in the circumstances I suppose it might be wise to regard them as the slight favourites to take the title.

AT WALSH PARK

An Rinn/Ardmore have come to the end of a long wait for their county under 21 'B' hurling final and will travel to Walsh Park on Sunday to play St. Saviours who will be the strong favourites to win. The Western champions won an exciting divisional final here against Ballyduff, but their period of waiting is not likely to be to their advantage, when we consider that St. Saviours have been in action on every single Sunday over the past five weeks and with most of their under-21 hurlers involved. (They won the under 21 football semi-final at Walsh Park on last Saturday) it looks like being another hurling title for the Eastern division, but they will be made fight every inch of the way.

The 1988 final of the 'B' under 21 hurling championship between Tramore and Passage will be played as a curtain-raiser and will commence at 12 noon.

SARGENT CUP FINAL

Once upon a time, this fixture would give rise to some bit of excitement when it enjoyed greater status, but presently the competition arouses very little interest. Ballygunner will be hot favourites to beat Portlaw in the 1989 final at Walsh Park on Saturday.

## RESULTS

U-21 F. West Final Kilrossanty 1-6; Affane 1-4  
U-21 F. East Semi St. Saviours 2-3; Gaultier 0-8

## Western Scor Na nOg Fixtures

The first rounds of Scor Na nOg take place on December 8 and 9, as follows:  
**Friday, December 8, 7.30 p.m. at Ballymacarbry Hall for An Rinn (P), Sliabh gCua, Madh Dheilge, Dun na Mainistreach, Caislean Cuanach, Baile Ui Duibh, Naomh Mhuire.**  
**Saturday, December 9, 7.30 p.m. at CBS Hall,**

Dungarvan for: An Rinn (I), Sraibhaile (P), Naomh Brid, Dungarbhan, Cnoc Melleri, Sraibhaile (I), Baile Na Sagart, An tSean Phobal.  
The Western final will be held on Saturday, December 16, at 7.30 p.m., in Ring Hall. County final will be held in Kill Hall on Friday, December 22 at 7.30 p.m.

## No All-Stars

Both Shane Ahearn and Ger Fitzpatrick, Cnoc Sion, received nominations for an All-Star Award, but in the final selection neither of the Waterford players were named on the final list of 15. Both had a splendid championship year and it would have been no surprise if either or both had been selected.

Both will, nevertheless, be guests of the Bank of Ireland at the banquet in Dublin on Friday night. Nominees from Cork, Limerick and Clare suffered similar disappointments.

## Rumour Denied

A rumour which has been bandied about around Fraher Field for the last two or three Sundays and which had the John Mitchels Club regrouping and affiliating again in 1990, is absolutely without foundation.

A couple of people who were named to me as being behind the move, told me on Sunday evening that nothing of the sort was even contemplated. But they had also heard the rumour.

## Convention News

The literature pertaining to the county convention to be held in Ring in January is now in the hands of all club secretaries and nominations and motions must be back with the county secretary by Saturday, December 23. The deadline for the Western convention is the end of next week.

## Walk Over

A most unexpected development at this time of the year, but I suppose stranger things have happened. Portlaw, unable to field 15 players on Saturday last, were forced to concede a walk-over to Rathgormack in the Eastern under-21 football final.

## Cancelled

Our national football league game against Tipperary which had been fixed for Clonmel on Sunday last, was one of four league matches which were cancelled because of fog around the pitch.

## County Teams Preparing For 1990

MINOR HURLING

Our County minor hurling selectors are certainly setting a hot pace for the 1990 season, which is only around the corner. Already trials have been held in both Divisions and the selection committee's secretary, John Jackson, says that a panel will shortly be announced, and with men like Peter Power, Joey Carlton, Martin Kennedy, etc., in charge, one can see why the show is well on the way.

MINOR FOOTBALL

Our minor football selection committee has changed somewhat for the coming year, with Clash-

more's Timmy O'Keeffe in charge, along with Brickey's Eamon Martin, Gaultier's Ned Flynn and Kilrossanty's Paddy Dee, and here surely are men of the highest experience.

UNDER-21 FOOTBALL

With our County under 21 footballers due to play their first round championship game in March, they have drawn up a panel and Michael Brophy, Michael Coffey, Paddy Fitzgerald, Tom O'Neill and Eddie O'Grady are keeping their options open as with the championship not completed, more talent could come on the scene.



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# ARDMORE NOTES

**CONGRATULATIONS**  
Congrats to Evelyn McGrath, Ardmore, on the birth of a beautiful baby girl last week.

Well done to Catriona Ryan, Ardmore N.S., Ballyquin, who appeared on "Dempsey's Den" last Monday. Catriona had won a competition, the prize for which was to meet "Zig and Zag" and "Ian" and have lunch.

Belated birthday wishes to Tom Power, Ardmore, who celebrated his 21st birthday last Friday.

**SOCCER**

Last Sunday, Ardmore's match against Cappoquin was postponed due to a bereavement on the Cappoquin side. Sympathy is extended to the family.

Grange had a tough game against Carriglea Rovers last Sunday. Grange were 3-0 ahead at half time, but from there on it was a stronger Carriglea team but not quite strong enough to win, and the final score was: Grange 3, Carriglea Rovers 2.

**HAND CRAFT EXHIBITION**

Following on last year's very successful Christmas Craft Show, Mary Lincoln of Ardmore Pottery has decided to host another. Many of the items on show will be antique. The items which will be on show are mostly made in the Waterford area, though this year Mary has extended the range of goods to include crafts from outside the area, i.e. Kerry, West Cork, Clare and Connemara.

Crafts people who will be exhibiting at the show include the following: Mrs. Manns of Durrus will be showing her miniature animals, in human poses; Ann O'Leary, Kilgabriel, Clashmore will be displaying hand-painted silk scarves and wild flowers painted on silk; Ben Brittain has a work shop in Old Parish for making his now famous wooden toys and this year he has brought out a new range of hobby horses which are sure to be in great demand; Tim Prude will be displaying his beautiful handcrafted wooden chopping boards and boules and his new items this Christmas are beautiful little hand turned lidded boxes in hawthorn and apple wood. Chris Taylor from Ballinroad has some hand woven rugs in bright shades and pastels too.

This year there are also some unusual preserves and chutneys, mainly produced from the local hedgegrow flowers and berries.

Another new innovation this year will be the "Book Corner" where you will find such authors as Molly Keane, Colin Lincoln and Patricia Cockburn. Sadly, Patricia has passed on, but though we miss her deeply, we can remember her through her books and shell pictures.

Bernadette Madden has produced special wall hangings in Batik, depicting scenes of Ardmore, for the exhibition. The range of jewellery is extensive from a new range of ceramic beads worked into earrings (Mary's own work) to Santa Claus earrings by Paula Murphy. On offer, too, are a wide range of Christmas cards, while if it's paintings you are after, Joan Jameson's catalogue of her retrospective exhibition depicting many scenes from Ardmore and its personalities from the 30's and 40's are on show.

All in all, if you're looking for the unusual, unique Christmas present, try Mary Lincoln's Ardmore Pottery from December 8-10. Mary even promises to give the "distance" travellers a refreshing cup of tea/coffee in one of her unique "blue speckled" coffee cups.

**CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**

Well, this year's bazaar has come and gone. Santa, we'd say, was about the busiest of all there on the day. We had the fortune teller who provided most of the fun on the day and the Tidy Towns Committee gave the refreshing 'cuppa' which was needed by most. The various clubs held raffles.

Maybe next year's will be more exciting if it has the

full help of the clubs and villages. It was good this year, but, maybe next time, even better.

Here are the results of the draws: 1 (ham) — Mary Mulcahy; 2 (turkey) — Mrs. McNamara; 3 (whiskey) — Albert Burke; 4 (meat voucher) — Mary O'Mahony; 5 (biscuits) — Mrs. J. F. Quain; 6 (chocolates) — Joe O'Brien; 7 (Blackwater Crystal) — Padraig Mulcahy.

Results of Ladies GAA Raffle — 1 (bedside locker) — Mrs. Gallagher; 2 (whiskey) — John Mansfield; 3 (Christmas cake) —

Richard Hennessy; 4 (Bristol Cream) — Thomas Cronin; 5 (bag of spuds) — Mrs. O'Connor; 6 (meat voucher) — Maureen Walsh; 7 (100 cigs.) — Susie Troy; 8 (sherry) — Sandra Lenane; 9 (toy) — Paddy Mulcahy; 10 (wine) — Maggie Nugent.

A special thank you must go to the sponsors. Thanks also to all who took the time to get involved. Remember — the hall is for all ages and groups of the community.

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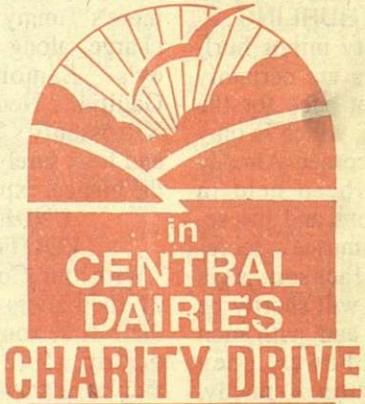
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