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## Co. Council Public Services Plans For 1991

In the course of the Annual Estimates meeting of Waterford County Council held last month it was disclosed that as the estimate for public lighting at £125,000 for the coming year showed an increase of £19,000 over the current year, it allowed for the costs arising from the upgrading of lighting in Cappoquin, Lismore, Tallow, Ballyduff and Ardmore (Main Street only). It was also disclosed that no provision for any new lights or for upgrading the lighting systems in other towns and villages throughout the county during 1991 was included in the Estimates.

With regard to the Government's recently published Environment Action Programme, the Council has prepared a preliminary report setting out its proposals in this regard while the County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley, hopes to have a preliminary report regarding effluent discharges to Dungarvan Harbour pre-

pared and submitted to the Department during 1991. "All of the industrial dischargers to Dungarvan Harbour, have now been, or will shortly be, licensed under the 1977 Water Pollution Act and I would like to record my gratitude to the general commitment of these companies to co-operating with the Council in bringing about a phased improvement in water quality in Dungarvan Harbour over the next decade," Mr. Hurley stated.

The Council will also consider the areas of Kilmacthomas, Clonea and Ardmore for effluent treatment in the spirit of the Government plan.

However it was disclosed

that in order to balance the estimates it was found necessary to eliminate the Co. Engineer's proposals for the provision of effluent treatment improvements at Sunlawn (Affane) and Mounfoun (Old Parish) which it was admitted were both urgently required on public health grounds.

Also eliminated for the same reason were the following "desirable improvements" estimated to cost £96,000 — mains replacement at Seaview and Lefanta; augmentation of Helvick and Loskeran supplies; provision of new

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### DUNGARVAN ICA WINS WATERFORD COUNTY COUNTRYSIDE AWARD

— At the presentation of the Toyota Irish Countryside Awards were (back row, l. to r.) — Vivian Harrison, Regional Manager, Toyota Ireland, Bill Walsh, Manager, South East Tourism, Austin Crowe, Chairman, South East Tourism; (front row, l. to r.) — Joan Baily, Dungarvan ICA (Waterford County Winners), Sean Treacy, T.D., Ceann Comhairle, Sadie Murphy, Chairman, ICA Development Committee. The award winning project for Dungarvan ICA was the clean up of Clonea Strand.

**THE PRICE IS 40p THIS WEEK**  
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## DARRERS STORES DUNGARVAN

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## Robbery At Ballymacarbry

**Gardai investigations are continuing into a robbery which took place at Ducey's Supermarket in Ballymacarbry last Saturday night.**

Thieves broke into the shop and got away with about £3,000 worth of assorted cigarettes and £300 in cash which was taken from the Lotto machine. Members of the Ducey family, who live on the premises were unaware of the break-in at the time.

Gardai suspect that a car stolen in Kilrossanty on last Saturday and which was subsequently located in Abbeyleix on Sunday may have been used in the robbery.

**ATTEMPTED ROBBERY IN DUNGARVAN**

At 4.50 a.m. on last Sunday morning an iron bar was used in an attempted smash and grab raid at Baumann's, Jewellers, Mary Street, Dungarvan. However, due to the reinforced glass in the display window the would-be robbers were foiled.

Awakened by the noise, Mr. Sev Baumann saw two men running up Mary Street from the front of the premises and disappear into the entrance to the Scanlan's Yard Car Park.

The Garda Patrol car was at the scene within minutes but a thorough search revealed nothing.

A senior garda officer stressed the advantages of reinforced glass for display windows where valuables are put on display pointing out that on a previous occasion, a similar smash and grab attempt at Baumann's in 1984 was foiled for the same reason.

Garda investigations into this incident are also proceeding.

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Pictured at the Waterford I.F.A. Annual Dinner in Lawlor's Hotel were (from Left) Michael Keane, Co. Executive Treasurer, John Cashman, Co. Executive Chairman, Cycling star, Sean Kelly, National President Alan Gillis, Gerry Murphy, Co. Executive Secretary, and Jim Kirwan, National Upjohn Quality Milk Award Winner. (Photo: Rory Wyley)

# Abbeyside Pattern Annual General Meeting

The annual general meeting held on Wednesday, November 21 was well attended. The Chairwoman Mrs. Aine O'Riordan, thanked everyone for their hard work and support throughout the year and gave special thanks to the press for their co-operation. She went on to welcome the new committee:

Chairwoman — Mrs. Aine O'Riordan; Vice-Chairwoman — Eileen O'Connell; Hon. Secretary — Richard Power; Asst. Hon. Secretary — Bernice Condon; Hon. Treasurer — Jim Stacey; P.R.O. — Elizabeth Burke.

Committee — Geoffrey Shepherd, Emma Flynn, Nuala Ryan, Deirdre Wade, Bernadette Garcia, Breda Power.

### SECRETARY'S REPORT

The Secretary, Richard Power, in a wide ranging and very comprehensive report covered all activities of the Pattern Committee throughout the year.

The ETS Walton Project was the first function of the committee — the Civic Reception, the function in Lawlor's, when professor Walton addressed a huge audience, and the unveiling of the Plaque at the Causeway and the official naming of the Park as the Walton Causeway Park.

The Christmas Draw, Christmas Santa and the lighting of the Christmas tree were all fully reported, as was the Committee's involvement in the St. Patrick's Day Parade.

The next major project was the successful Augustinian 700 Ceremony followed by the Moresby Project. Next on the agenda was the Annual Pattern and with new innovations in vogue it was again a huge success.

The Pattern Mass followed after which a plaque to the memory of Donald McGrath was unveiled by Michael O'Riordan at Clogchas.

Before concluding his report the Secretary thanked all their sponsors and all those who helped the Committee during the year.

The Abbeyside Pattern would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very merry Christmas and hope for a generous response in our Christmas raffle.

## Court Sequel To Old Assault Case

An assault which occurred almost five years ago had a sequel at Dungarvan Court last week when Kevin O'Donnell, a building contractor,

Knockenpower Upper, Ring pleaded guilty to assaulting John O'Dwyer, occasioning him actual bodily harm at Grattan Square, Dungarvan, in the

early hours of January 20, 1986.

District Justice O'Connell adjourning his decision in the matter until the February sitting of the

court warned the defendant that if realistic compensation was not paid by that date to the injured party, a prison sentence would be imposed.

# Pause For Thought With Fr. Paddy

DO IT MY WAY!

You could not miss that the Advent readings are urging us to prepare for the great feast of Christmas. And, it's obvious too that it is all devised to get us ready for our final show-down with God. You see, the Gospel has one main purpose, and that is man's salvation. Last year, when the Church tried to get us to realise the seriousness of the matter, how did you react? Let's ask those, who were among us last year and have since departed, how did they respond? It is true that from today till tomorrow, we are in God's care, and if we're wise, we'll reach out for God, and hold fast to Him. There is no life without Him! So, if it means an upheaval has to be made in your life, then get going, and turn back to God. If you have remained faithful, then get busy in drawing closer to Him. Sharing in God's life is a living and active participation, and it must be cared and nurtured to sustain its growth. And, as Isaiah said, you'll be preparing the way for the Lord, and you'll be opening up the way for others to find him.

St. Peter in the second reading is not only urging us to embrace God's way of life and prepare for His coming, but he also wants us to convert others by our good example. He speaks of the great and final renewal of all things on the last day, and warns us that that day will be thrust upon us in the twinkling of an eye. He means, if we're wise, we'll ensure we'll be ready and waiting. It's true, we are all inclined to dally. Peter is saying, grow up, be your age, because there's too much at stake, and there's no room for error. Once we cross the great divide, our destiny is fixed for all eternity. Peter is only repeating the Lord's teaching. The rest is up to yourself.

I'd like to remind parents about their responsibility. They have a grave duty to instruct their children, and teach them the way to Heaven. Their influence is vital. And generally, when children are weaned on God, that love will grow with them. It would seem that many are so concerned about securing their worldly welfare that their primary duty takes a back seat. It's understandable that parents should want the best for their children, but do they? Surely, the great prize of all is Heaven. It is the purpose of our existence. And, it will last forever.

Mark in the Gospel includes a quote from Isaiah, which foretells that a great prophet would arise, and prepare the way for the Messiah. He tells us that that prophecy was fulfilled in John the Baptist. John made his entry on the world scene in remarkable circumstances; and when he began his mission, great numbers came to hear him. They were so impressed by the wisdom of his teachings that they asked him if he were the Christ. John quickly made it clear, he was

not the one, but that his work was to prepare the way for His coming. He sought no glory for himself; and he would not allow anything to deflect him from his mission. Soon after he'd pointed out that Jesus was the Lamb of God, he was executed, because he told the king it was sinful to live with his brother's wife.

### THERE'S ONLY THE ONE WAY

You'll have noticed that those who came to hear John were aware of Isaiah's prophesy re. the Messiah. Those, who refused to accept John's teaching, lost an opportunity to draw closer to God. I'm not expanding on Christ's own claim to be the Promised One, but I'm stating that those who rejected His claim were not wholly blameless. And, on top of that, when God's word is not accepted, it amounts to choosing one's own way. There's danger here for there is only the one way. Whoever they were, and wherever they are, they missed a call to greatness. Even today you'll find people trying to tell God how things should be done, and then adding, what matters, God is love. How little they know God, who wants us to do things His way.

John's voice still re-echoes down the corridors of time. The message is heralding the coming of God, and urges us to prepare ourselves for that important meeting. Let us therefore take a good look at ourselves, and start putting our house in order. It will be a help to take a run through the Commandments, and seek pardon at the Lord's tribunal of Penance. And then, take regular nourishment at the Eucharistic table. Your salvation will be assured, and you'll receive added glory, because you made it possible for others to find the way.



## Letters to the Editor

### BEAUTIFUL BALLINACOURTY

Dear Sir,  
I would like to fully endorse Patrick J. Morrissey's concern and aspirations in his recent letter to your paper.

Surely we now have a marvellous opportunity to eliminate that dreadful eyesore — Quigley Magnesite and restore and recreate this beautiful stretch of coastline.

This area already possesses some fine natural and physical amenities — unfortunately these cannot be realistically developed until this factory site is released to local ownership.

I hope we do not now lose an opportunity to quickly acquire and develop this area. I would appeal to all local politicians and public officials to support the local groups who are now willing and anxious to undertake these amenity developments, but with limited resources; if they succeed future generations will be very grateful.

Sincerely yours,  
**BETTY BROWNE,**  
"Dunbeg,"  
Sion Road,  
Kilkenny.  
23/11/90.

### DEPUTY FAHEY'S NOTICES OF MOTION

Dear Editor,  
In the past I have been critical of the lack of co-operation between Local Authorities, Telecom Eireann and the E.S.B. in getting together in the interest of the public good.

I wish to thank all concerned on this occasion and in particular the Engineering Staff of Waterford Co. Council for the way they implemented a Notice of Motion of mine. This Motion asked Waterford Co. Council on November 23, 1987 to contact Telecom Eireann and the E.S.B. with a view to having overhead wires put underground at the first available opportunity in Dungarvan.

We must now all appreciate the result of their work in Dungarvan and Ardmore. I had a similar Notice of Motion passed for Ardmore and the work is now completed.

I look forward to similar co-operation in other towns and villages in the County.

Yours sincerely,  
**JACKIE FAHEY,**  
T.D., M.C.C.,  
95, Springfield,  
Dungarvan,  
Co. Waterford. 28/11/90

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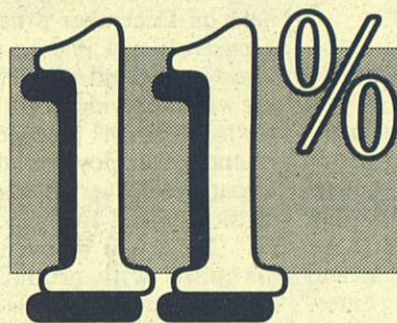
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# TALLOW NOTES

## MR. MICHAEL COTTER, TALLOW R.I.P.

Michael Cotter, Ballyclough, Tallow, was called to his eternal reward last Monday night. Gura mhaith an mhaise da anam e. His untimely death in his late forties, shocked everyone over a wide area, where he was highly esteemed always.

Of a genial disposition and endowed with many talents, which he was ever so generous in exercising, Michael was a much sought after man even in his early youth. In Macra circles with the nearby Tallow team, representing Waterford, he excelled in public speaking and with the other members of the team brought no less than an All-Ireland and three Munster

titles to the town and county, added to that a Munster title in debating.

His ability in coaching in later years in that sphere, question time competitions and organising concerts also claimed his attention in the neighbourhood, and he played an important role with the successful Conna Tops of the Town in '81 and '82. He was a member of Glengoura Hall Committee, that transformed the Hall, which incidentally was his first school.

A G.A.A. enthusiast during his lifetime, he played with the parish team St. Catherine's, usually as net minder and constantly gave unwavering support to the games over the years. A founder member of Tallow Credit Union he was the most approachable of friends whenever advice was needed. He was affable and sincere, but above all those accolades that were bestowed on him, he was the unassuming neighbourly Michael and certainly a kind husband and father and to have known such a man will help to encourage us all to strive to do our best.

Our sympathy is extended to his wife Mary, daughters Deirdre, Aisling, son Bobby, brother Fr. Sean Cotter, St. Colman's, Fermoy, mother Margaret, Tallow, uncles, aunts, relatives and friends.

He was interred in Tallow Cemetery. Ar dheis de go raibh a anam usual.

## CHRISTMAS MARKET

Tallow Enterprise Group organised a Christmas Market in the Centre to be held on December 8 next between 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. The idea behind this market was to provide an outlet for local "small" producers of crafts, etc. However, the Group were overwhelmed at the demand for "pitches." There will be twenty six stalls with products ranging from hand painted silk scarves and pictures to gourmet cheese. There will be plants and shrubs, chutneys, jams and marmalades — homemade brown bread — antiques and Christmas logs, holly wreaths, knitwear and craftwork. An ideal place to do your Christmas shopping while supporting local Enterprise.

The Group apologises to the many producers whom we had to turn away due to lack of space.

## TALLOW TIDY TOWNS

Tallow Tidy Towns Committee wish to sincerely thank the people of Tallow for their efforts during 1990 towards making our town neat, tidy and attractive. In the presentation of buildings and residential areas and in the presentation of natural amenities we gained marks in the 1990 Tidy Towns Competi-

tion and we much appreciate the efforts made by our citizens in controlling litter and making use of flower tubs, window boxes and hanging baskets.

Take a bow people of Tallow. Even if Bord Failte's competition never existed we would love to enhance Tallow's standing as a pleasant tidy town of hospitable people who have a warm welcome for all who care to pay a visit. Let's see if we can do a little more in 1991 for ourselves and for all who come to visit us.

## ST. PATRICK'S HALL

Card results, November 28 — 1st Martina Kelleher and Bertie Neville (turkey and ham each); 2nd Mick Pratt and Pat O'Gorman (ham each); 3rd Richard Tobin and David Mangan (turkey each); 4th Willie Murphy and John O'Brien (bottle of wine). Table Prize — Mary Mangan and Mary Pratt; Raffle winners — Michael Crowley, John O'Brien, Richard Tobin.

## TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Results — Ml. Barry, Middleton; Marion Forbes, Woodview Park; Bennie Murphy, Woodview Park; Sinead from U.S.A.; Ms. Nonie Murphy, Kilmore, Tallow; Annie Neville, Lismore; Peg Sullivan, Lismore; Maureen McCarthy, Convent Street, Tallow; Mairead McCarthy; Peg Hally, Cappoquin; Tommy Morrissey; Martina Kearney, Ballyduff; Elizabeth Henley, Woodview Park; Frances Tobin, Woodview Park; Finbarr Power, Camphire, Peg Hally, Cappoquin; Mary Flynn, Cappoquin; Mary Geary, Main Street; Mrs. Clancy, Ahern, Conna; Mrs. Deedy, Middleton; Maire O'Brien, Kilmole; Frances Tobin, Woodview Park; Mary Curley, Main Street; Mrs. Hartigan, Conna.

Next week's jackpot will be £375 on 48 calls or less.

## TALLOW G.A.A. NOTES

All the tickets for Eamonn De Paor's function have been sold, so anyone without a ticket won't be left into the Hall. The function itself will start at 8.15 p.m. sharp. The meal itself will be served jointly between Angela Mulcahy (The Latch) and Joan Clancy (The Devonshire Arms), the music is being supplied by "Cheers", Michael and Trevor Sheehan and Luke is in charge of the bar. The doors will be closed at 11.15 p.m.

Votes of sympathy were passed to the following families at a recent club meeting: the Cotter family, Ballyclough and O'

Donoghue family, Chapel Street, on their recent sad bereavement. Our sincere sympathy on their tragic losses.

## TALLOW BADMINTON NOTES

The gent's "B" team drew 2-2 with Melleray in the Hall on Monday night last and with only one game to play we are still in with a chance of taking league honours. The 5th, 6th and novice division open tournament will start on Wednesday night and Monday night next, with the 2, 3 and 4th division on the Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, December 12, 13, 14 and 15.

The Christmas Party will be held in the Corner House on December 15 with all the finals fixed for Monday, December 17.

The club would like to thank everyone who subscribed to our church gate collection on Sunday last.

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

**Dympna Barry Trophy — St. Catherine's v. Knockanore** — The final curtain descended on St. Catherine's field activities at noon last Sunday when the minor footballers of the above teams competed for the Dympna Barry cup and medals. Fine weather helped the pitch conditions tremendously and when John G. Barry, referee, threw in the ball it was evident we were in for an exciting contest.

Knockanore were attacking early but were repulsed by a sound back-line. Picking off a couple of points then Catherine's played more confidently and while the visitors performed well their inability to produce scores was a deciding factor against them.

As time progressed the home side giving their best exhibition of the year and the forwards combining splendidly, raising a succession of green flags in the second half, they deservedly ran out winners after a fine game of football.

John G. Barry presented the St. Catherine's team with the trophy named after his late wife, to the captain Dessie O'Keefe and both the winners and runners up received medals.

Catherine's lineout was — Robert Hamilton, Richard Cotter, Dessie O'Keefe (capt.), Liam Sheehan, Noel O'Neill, Martin Sheehan, Richard Sheehan, Paddy O'Leary, Gerard Morrisson, Johnny Sheehan, Kieran Morrisson, Paul Higgins, Mark Lane, Sean Twomey, Brian Cotter. Subs. — Pat O'Keefe, Patrick Sheehan, Declan O'Neill, Conor O'Keefe, Des Lucey, Jim Lane, James Fitzgerald, Kevin Hayes, Oliver Lynch.

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source at Rathgormack and chlorination boosters at Ballyduff Upper and Tourin."

## PUBLIC CONVENIENCES

Under the heading "public conveniences," it was stated that the £35,000 provided in the estimates (up by £10,700 on the current figure) would be barely sufficient to provide a basic level of maintenance in 1991. It was pointed out that vandalism has, in the past, been a major cost factor where public toilets are concerned. The provision of new or improved public conveniences at Lismore, Ardmore, Cappoquin, Tramore and Ballyduff Upper as requested by members during the past year was not possible.

## OUR TIDY TOWNS VOLUNTARY GROUPS

Dealing with tourism in the county in the past year the County Manager has this to say about the contri-

bution to the industry made by our Tidy Towns Voluntary Groups: "You are excellent and I commend your wonderful work."

Mr. Hurley went on to state: "Without taking in any way from the overall performance of our fifteen participants, I wish to pay a special tribute to Stradbally who this year succeeded in gaining three awards in the National Competition and a further award in the Entente Florale European Competition. By any standards this was a magnificent achievement and a just reward for consistent and loyal devotion to the task of presenting Stradbally in its resplendent best."

Pointing out that in the overall results of the 1990 Tidy Towns Competition, Waterford County came out on top as the leading county in the country, Mr. Hurley declared, "Again, I say well done to all concerned."

## Ardmore Notes

### U-11 HURLING TOURNAMENT FINAL

In the final of the Matt Faherty U-11 hurling tournament played at Ardmore on Saturday last, the local boys had a big win over a gallant Brickey Rangers team.

The Brickeys never threw in the towel until the final whistle, but the sheer hurling skill of the Ardmore boys proved too much for them and I'm sure the sound of the final whistle was sweet music to their ears.

It is great to see boys of this age having acquired so many of the basic skills in this the most skilful of all field games. Keep practising boys, Shane Ahearne, Nicholas English and Billy O'Sullivan practice all the time.

We would remind our players that the place to be on Sunday next is our own field where you will see once again the best hurlers in Waterford in action — don't miss it!

This was our lineout for the final — James O'Donnell, Damien Lenane, Ciaran Foley, Liam Power, Jamie Hennessy, Michael Supple, John Conway, Shane Dower, Brian Lenane, Adrian O'Donnell, Seamus Prendergast, Declan Prendergast, Richie Hennessy, Cathal Hennessy, Wayne Hennessy. Subs. — Patrick Conway, Conor Ryan, Declan O'Donnell, Killian McCarthy, Trevor Morrissey, Jason Lenane, John Paul Troy, Patrick Power.

Pat Nugent was a very fair and impartial referee. The tournament was an

unqualified success and for this our grateful thanks is extended to our sponsor Matt Faherty, Fuel Merchant and Hackney Operator, Ardmore.

### G.A.A. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Officers elected at the annual general meeting were:

President — Dr. J. McNamara; Vice-Presidents — Dr. J. Meehan, Mossie Hallahan, John Keane; Chairman — John J. Sullivan; Vice-Chairman — Liam Lynch; Secretary — Nicholas Keating; Asst. Secretary — Pat Hallahan; Treasurer — Eileen O'Donnell; P.R.O. — James Moloney; Registrar — Denis Conway; Delegate to Hall — James Moloney; Delegates to Western Board Meetings — Liam Lynch and Jay Prendergast.

Many thanks to the outgoing officers and the best of luck to the in-coming ones.

### JUNIOR YOUTH CLUB

Congratulations to the lads on the U-11 hurling team and well done.

Members are asked to bring cards and money for the party this Saturday. The party will take place on December 20, at 3.15 p.m.

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## Touraneena Notes

### PIONEER NEWS

Well done to our junior set dancers and music group on winning the Diocesan finals on Saturday night last in Ballyduff. They now go forward to the Munster Regional semi-finals in mid-January. Our junior figure dancers were unlucky not to have been declared winners on the night, better luck next time. Many thanks to Monnie, Biddy, Bob and Michael.

It is hoped that the Centre will have a visit from Santa Claus on Sunday, December 23. More about that at a later date.

### I.C.A.

The Touraneena Guild would like to thank all who supported the cookery demonstration held in the Parish Hall, Touraneena, also Tom Curran and Calor Kosangas and all those who bought tickets, and Margaret Browne, Housewife of the Year for a lovely demonstration.

### CARDS

Last week's winners were — Marie Cliffe and John Hallinan, George Foran and Nancy Kiely, Margaret Grace and Mick Power, Jack Dalton and Alice McCarthy, Eddie Kirwan and Bob Keane, Seamie and Mary Kearns, Jack and Ann Boyle. Last Game — Jim Cliffe and Sean Foley. Lucky Tables — Fr. Martin Keogh and Alice Burke, Biddy Barron and John Dunford. Raffle — Roger McGrath, Alice Burke, Alice McCarthy.

### SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to Madge Ryan and family on the recent death of her sister, Eileen Ryan, Kilrossanty. She was aunt of Nuala Dunne, Touraneena, to whom sincere sympathy is also extended.

## Christmas Cassette by ClasKin Singers



"Seasonal Songs" is the title of a very special cassette which goes on sale following its launch in Dungarvan on December 6 at Lawlor's Hotel. The cassette which was recorded in Studio Fiona, Fermoy, by Brien O'Reilly — "Loudest Whisper" fame will retail at £6.

The cassette will feature guests Brendan Bowyer, Val Doonican, Hal Roach, Patrick Power, Gilbert O'Sullivan, and Paddy O'Brien along with the ClasKin Singers under their musical director Mary Dee.

The name "ClasKin Singers" was taken from the first letters in each of the two parishes, Clashmore and Kinsalebeg where the singers come from. The Singers will feature on nine of the tracks, some of which

will be solo.

To help promote the cassette, the Singers will feature on the R.T.E. "BIBI" Show on December 12. This is the second time this group will feature on R.T.E. Last year they sang Sunday Morning Mass from the R.T.E. Studios. At this stage the choir would like to thank Fr. Meehan for his efforts in getting them off the ground and on both T.V. appearances.

We hope Fr. Billy Meehan, Mary Dee and all the members of the "ClasKin Singers" and their special guests will be rewarded for their efforts. The main purpose of this cassette is to raise funds for the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Parish Church Building Fund. The cassette at only £6 will make an excellent gift for anyone at home or abroad. The special guests featured together on the cassette makes it a collectors item.

## ABBEYSIDE SCOUT NOTES

### WINTER WEEKEND

Next weekend (December 7-9) sees our annual winter weekend away. This year we are making the short trip down the N25 to Waterford — our base will be a scout hall. A very busy weekend has been planned and as well as the regular features we hope (or intend) to go swimming, bowling and (thanks to the help of John Shanahan) a guided tour of the Water-

ford Fire Station has been arranged. Also a visit to the cinema is planned where we might be lucky enough to get into the box office blockbuster "Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles."

We will be leaving the den at 8.30 p.m. sharp. All scouts are reminded to bring their neckerchief when leaving and don't forget to pack swimming togs, torch and armband, pen and paper, etc. As Saturday is a Church Holyday everyone is advised to go to either 6.15 p.m. or 7.30 p.m. Mass on Friday night before we leave.

### HARDY BOYS

While most of us have been putting on the extra jumper or headscarf, some of our hardy leaders have been keeping in shape on the water as Leaders Tomas Walsh, Fran McGovern, Brian Mulvihill and Dungarvan's Tom Power have been reportedly canoeing most Sunday's recently. While the rest of us complain about the bitter cold the boys complaint is that the water is too still.

### REHAB BOTTLE BANK

At the launch of the bottle bank last Wednesday the 4th Waterford were represented by Alan Ryan, Benny Flynn, Conor Mooney, J. P. Cosgrave, Patrick Power and Michael Verling. We hear one of the boys was used for demonstration purposes — which one? Why not ask Benny. — SCRIBE.

## Ardmore & Grange I.C.A.

Our monthly meeting was held on Tuesday, November 13. The meeting was presided over by our President, Mrs. Bernie Keane. There was a very large attendance.

We had a very enjoyable and relaxed talk on herbal remedies given by Mrs. Eve Helm. So thank you Eve and we are all expecting all our wrinkles to disappear now!

Congratulations to Dungarvan I.C.A. Guild on winning the Toyota Countryside Award for the county.

I hope you are all looking forward to our Christmas Party which is on December 11 at 8 p.m. Don't forget to bring the "goodies" and the ware. — P.R.O.

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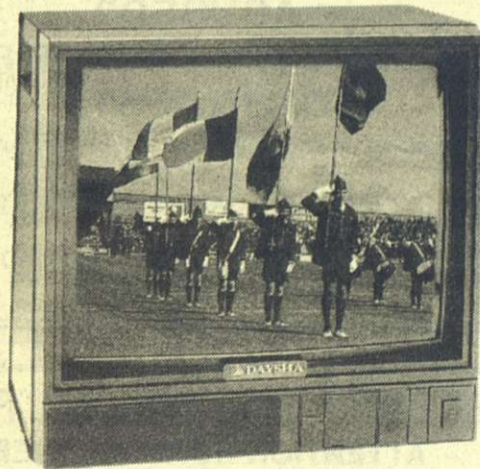
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# With Waterford Exiles in New York

The Waterford Association dance was held recently in the Carriage House, Bronx, New York and everyone had a great time under the splendid Chairmanship of Jim Cullinane with help from Ursula Quarry and Mary Daly Carvajal. Mary Power Curran did a marvellous rendition of the National Anthem. Music was by Jerry Finley and the Cara Band.

After being at the Rose of Tralee and seeing New York being represented by Ms. Anne Atkinson of Wexford, we were delighted to have her and her "New York" Escort, "Vincent" in attendance.

John and Eileen Carey were there, accompanied by their son, Billy, and daughter Ailish. Ailish and Joe Hourihan have a new

son. John was "Man of the Year" at the American-Irish Association of Westchester the previous night; Ursula Quarry was accompanied by "Jessie" and Cheryl Egan by "John." Jim Beecher was accompanied by his own "Rose" Devine. Glad to see John Coffey, Seamus Salmon, Tony O'Leary, and the newlyweds, Bridget

and Jim McKeon, Jackie Maher, Bridget Power, Pete Morris and "Noelene," Seamus Geraghty, and Kevin Ryan. James Butler was there with a very charming lady who has been seen constantly in his company lately — Maureen Murphy!

Mike and Mary Prendergast attended with their daughter Maura and her husband, Liam Birmingham; Theresa and Billy Clynch were also at their table. Sheila and Johnny Phelan, their daughters Geraldine with Mike Beecher and Patricia and her husband Liam Duggan also attended. With them were Tommy Phelan and Joe O'Rourke. Like old times having Danny and Anne Marie Desmond there! Grandparents, Larry and Mary Curran, Jimmy Walsh, Tom Kennedy, Margaret Cahill, Mary Hickey, Norann McGee, were all there.

Pat Murphy was responsible for us meeting many new friends from the North of Ireland. Also attending were Mag and Phil Kennedy, Deirdre Harpur and "Pat," John and Mary Coughlan, Aileen and Bon Organ, Maura McGuire, Maureen McGee, Joan Power and Eileen Power (very proud grandparents), Bobby and Monica Power, Croghan McGregor, Margaret Boyle and Liam Dris-



Cheryl Egan, Ursula Quarry and Cecelia Kiersey (all from Dungarvan), enjoying themselves at the Waterford Association Dance in New York.



Tricia Cullinane presenting her mother Anne with a bouquet of roses from the Waterford Association watched by Association President Theresa French.

lane with his wife and friends.

Jer Power is recuperating but he was still able to bring a few people! Noel Cantwell and Ronnie were there; Sean Keane, Joe Whelan and Madeline, Nancy Wilson, Shal Power, Alan Flynn, George and Eleanor Duggan, Kieran Power, Cathy Quarry, Morans, Martha and Richard O'Sullivan, Raine and George Fernandez, Fran, Richie and Elizabeth Reitano, Fiona and Phillip Pericho, Joe Power and Marie, Denny and Jo Fahey, Pat Whelan, Seamus Geraghty, Ann and Dave Sullivan, Pat and

Anne Murphy, Jimmy and Theresa French, along with Jimmy, Maureen, Michael and Sean.

Doug Casey represented his family as his mother is still recuperating from a leg operation. Many, many thanks for a job well done by Jim Cullinane! His daughter Tricia presented her mother Anne with a dozen roses from the Association. Colette and Marty Power were absent due to the recent birth of identical twin daughters, Alana and Alison. Congratulations to both of them and the twins "big" brother Joey! Angie Hurton travelled down from

Wappinger Falls to be with us — Mickey was in California, she said — after him we were next best! We could go on and on. Even the Park Hotel in Dungarvan was represented!

We would like to take this opportunity to congratulate our Waterford Senior Hurling team on winning four in a row and then to "draw" in the semi-finals! Better luck next year! Thanks to the players who travelled over and to our own players here who put up such a good show. Proud of you!

From: Theresa French, President, County Waterford Association, New York.

## TV LICENCE DEFAULTERS

A number of defendants were summoned at Dungarvan Court last week for being in possession of unlicensed television sets and in one instance, adjourned from a previous court to allow the defendant an opportunity to purchase a licence, Mr. Niall King, Solr., who appeared, told the Court that the woman in question had succeeded in collecting the money for the licence but then her husband came along and took it to go drinking and in addition "gave her a few clouts." He said that unfortunately she was now unable to pay for a licence.

In the circumstances it was agreed to withdraw the prosecution.

When it was stated in another case that the reason why the TV set was unlicensed was that the family were in very poor circum-

stances, District Justice O'Connell remarked that it was his experience here and in other courts in his district that most of the people prosecuted for not having television licences were people who were on

very small or marginalised incomes.

"I often wonder," said the District Justice, "why there is not some allowance made for such people who must pay the same fee as those in full-time employment and on high incomes. It is better for them to have

a television to keep their children at home rather than have them roaming around the streets."

### 5-Year Road Ban For Dungarvan Youth

John Connors, a young unemployed labourer, Childers Estate, Dungarvan, pleaded guilty at Dungarvan Court last week to four charges of driving a motor-cycle without insurance on dates between July 29 and September 15 and to two reduced charges of careless driving and driving without a current driving licence.

Imposing a fine of £85, District Justice W. F. O'Connell banned the defendant from driving for five years and warned him that if he was caught driving while under disqualification he would go to prison for six months.

### Dangerous Condition of Steamer's Quay, Cappoquin

Further to representations made by him on behalf of Cappoquin Branch of the Labour Party, concerning the dangerous state of Steamer's Quay, Cappoquin, Mr. Brian O'Shea, T.D. has been informed in a letter from the County Engineer, Mr. John O'Flynn, that the Area Engineer, Mr. Dwyer, had investigated the matter and reported on the damage concerned. The letter added "the cost of repairs is estimated at around £2,000 and as no funds are now available in the current year for this work I have asked Mr. O'Dwyer to endeavour to have it undertaken during 1991."



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## ANNUAL CHRISTMAS APPEAL FOR NEEDY POOR

Next weekend 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 taken up at all Masses in most parts of the diocese on Saturday evening and Sunday, December 8 and 9.

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.

In this day and age when we see so much evidence of affluence about us it is

difficult to realise that poverty is so widespread. But the fact of the matter is that this is unfortunately true. In many cases the pangs of poverty are suffered behind closed doors and drawn curtains as some people are ashamed to admit that they are unable to afford even the bare necessities of life. These are among the people who are helped by St. Vincent de Paul members in a quiet unobtrusive way which

does not expose them publicly.

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, fortunately, take for granted.

Christmas is always a time when goodwill and kindness abound 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. To help to provide a little extra for such people will bring its own reward to those who respond so we would appeal to all who can afford it to be as generous as they possibly can to this appeal by the St. Vincent de Paul Society next week-end.

## BEYOND DOUBT AN HISTORIC OCCASION

When, for the first time, a woman was inaugurated as Uachtaran na hEireann on Monday last, it was, beyond doubt an historic occasion. When Mary Robinson rose to make her inaugural address to the select gathering of Church and State dignitaries present in Dublin Castle for the ceremony she did so in the knowledge that she was the elected choice of the people of Ireland.

In a voice that showed not a tremor of nerves she addressed her words to the "Citizens of Ireland, mna na h-Eireann agus fir na h-Eireann" and told them, "you have chosen me to represent you and I am humbled by and grateful for your trust."

Indeed the more we see of our new President the more can we commend the wisdom of the electorate in choosing her to become the holder of the supreme office in the country.

Her inauguration following her election as the seventh President of Ireland is a cause for celebration and to those who share her vision, a challenge. A significant milestone has been passed as the country prepares itself to enter the new Europe of 1992.

We join with President Robinson in praying that God will direct her so that, as she so aptly put it herself, her Presidency would be one of justice, peace and love and that she will have the fortune to preside over an Ireland at a time of exciting transformation when we enter a new Europe where old wounds can be healed.

## DUNGARVAN'S CAR PARKING PROBLEMS

At the recent Estimates meeting of Dungarvan Urban Council it was revealed that up to November 1 last the total amount of traffic fines collected in 1990 was £11,220 while the sale of parking discs in the town realised £2,883.

The County Manager pointed out that due to the traffic disruption caused by the street resurfacing, the usual traffic control had been on a "hit and miss" basis for some time and this had resulted in a loss of revenue and a deterioration of the control.

However as soon as the

resurfacing works has been completed all the usual traffic lines and signs will be replaced and the whole question of car parking in the town will then be vigorously tackled.

The Co. Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley told the Council that to this end he has had reports prepared on the design and costings of the provision of a multi-storey car park to be located at the existing Davitt's Quay car park. This would run to three storeys to provide approximately 200 car spaces and incorporate office accommodation which could be let for commercial, medical or other uses.

The traffic plans for 1991 will also provide for the appointment of a second traffic warden to operate during peak periods during the year.

## STRESS FACTOR IS SPREADING

In the recent past, the spokespersons for the various teaching unions in the country have been fo-

cussing great attention on the stress factor which is making the lives of teachers at all levels so miserable that many have been forced into early retirement from their posts.

Now it is the country's veterinarians that are beginning to suffer from this same stress factor. During the past week it has been publicly stated that Ireland's overstressed vets are committing suicide, being killed on the roads and are dying young.

The Irish Veterinary Union has, as a result, now decided to take a long, hard look at its members and their lifestyles and to carry out a stress survey among their membership of 1,500.

Stress is something which we all have to put up with in varying degrees from time to time throughout our lives and it is nothing new. Why it has become such a recurring complaint in recent years among teachers and is now beginning to affect vets is rather difficult to understand. After all there still is some truth in the old saying that life is what you make it.

## The Three Flowers

The choice for the ballad corner this week is a very old song which commemorates the memories of three outstanding Irish patriots, Robert Emmet, Wolfe Tone and Michael Dwyer. Each has had individual ballads about them but in this song they are grouped together as "The Three Flowers."

One time when walking down a lane  
As night was drawing nigh,  
I met a cailin with three flowers  
And she more young than I;  
"St. Patrick bless you dear," said I,  
"If you'll be quick and tell  
The place where you did find these flowers  
I seem to know so well."

She took a flower and kissed it once  
And softly said to me:  
"This flower I found in Thomas Street,  
In Dublin fair," said she;  
"It's name is Robert Emmet,  
It's the youngest flower of all,  
And I'll keep it fresh, beside my breast  
Though all the world should fall."

She took a flower and kissed it twice  
And softly said to me:  
"This flower comes from the Antrim Hill,  
Outside Belfast," said she;  
"The name I call it is Wolfe Tone,  
The bravest flower of all,  
And I'll keep it fresh, beside my breast  
Though all the world should fall."

She took a flower and kissed it thrice  
And softly said to me:  
"This flower comes from the Wicklow Hills,  
It's name is Dwyer," said she;  
And Emmet, Tone and Dwyer I'll keep  
For I do love them all,  
And I'll keep them fresh, beside my breast  
Though all the world should fall."



The organising committee of Dungarvan Hockey Club Strauss Ball held at Clonea Strand Hotel. (Back row, l. to r.) — Mary Kearns, Ger Foley, Graine Kelly, Tom Gartland; front row (l. to r.) — Claire Morrissey, Mary Murphy and Avice Kiely. —(Kevin Wyley).

## KILL NOTES

### KILL HARRIERS

This Saturday night, December 8 the Kill Harriers hold a cabaret in Kirwan's Lounge, Kill. Music will be provided by "Marino Sound" and tickets can be got from any club members. So we hope you will come along, for a great night out.

### THE MICHAEL POWER MEMORIAL CHRISTMAS DAY SWIM

As usual the Michael Power Memorial Swim takes place on Christmas Day. This year's event is in

aid of the Bonmahon Lifeboat Fund, which hopes to purchase an in-shore rescue boat to cover the coastal area around Waterford. To date over £35,000 has been raised for various charities by the Swim and we hope this year's event will add a few more pounds to the sum.

If you want to help you should contact the Chairman, Tom Power or any committee member for sponsorship cards.

### LATE MRS.

**KATHLEEN HAYES**  
Last Tuesday evening, November 28 we were sad-

dened to hear of the death of Mrs. Kathleen Hayes, Caheruane, Kill. A very popular lady, she was very respected by all who knew her as a kind and warm woman.

Last Thursday evening, November 30, her remains were taken to Kill Church and on the following morning her burial took place after 11 o'clock Mass in the adjoining cemetery.

We send our sincerest sympathy to her sons, daughters, nieces, nephews, grandchildren, relatives and her many friends.

# Official Opening Of New Extension To Ballyduff Hall

The picturesque West Waterford village of Ballyduff was en fete on Friday night, November 23, when the official opening of the extension to the St. Michael's Muintir na Tire Hall took place.

The extension, built at a total cost of £75,000, encompassing a new stage, dressing room facilities and extra toilets, including one for the disabled was officially opened by Jerry Hickey, President of Ballyduff Community Council and a member of the original hall committee in 1945.

Other members of the 1945 committee present when Jerry cut the tape were Jerry Fenton, Con Higgins and Connie Walsh.

The entire Community of Ballyduff were present for the occasion and all joined in the Ecumenical Blessing performed by the Bishop of Waterford and Lismore Dr. Michael Russell, Rev. Dean C. Weekes, representing the Church of Ireland, Bishop of Lismore Dr. Willoughby, assisted by Rev. Fr. Mulcahy, P.P. Muintir na Tire National President, Michael Lynch was a special guest and also present were Cllr. Billy Kyne, Chairman Waterford County Council, Mr. Paul Clerkin, representing Mr. Dan Hurley, Waterford County Manager, County Councillors James Quirke, Oliver Wilkinson, Willie McDonnell, Monica Walsh and Brian O'Shea T.D. and Mr. John Barry, Chairman Waterford Foods.

As well as Fr. Mulcahy, P.P. other former

Ballyduff clergy present were Canon P. Queally, Clonmel and Rev. J. Kiely, C.C., Dungarvan.

Pat Joe Ahearne proved a capable M.C. for the event and all the clubs in the parish were represented by their chairpersons. A special guest on the night was David Feeney, the builder.

## MUINTIR SPIRIT

Dr. Russell in appealing to the youth of the area not to let down the people who had provided the excellent facilities for them spoke of the great spirit engendered by Muintir na Tire and the huge degree of community work that had so far been accomplished in Ballyduff.

Michael Lynch recalled that it was the great Canon Hayes himself who had officially opened the hall way back in 1945. In congratulating Ballyduff on their work and forward looking planning he praised the spirit of the people and said the hall was a centre which would help keep the people together.

County Council Chairman Billy Kyne speaking of the challenges local communities faced at the present time, said



Photograph shows His Lordship Dr. Michael Russell, Bishop of Waterford and Lismore, assisted by Dean Weekes (right), Lismore and Rev. Fr. Mulcahy, P.P., Ballyduff Upper performing the Ecumenical Blessing. Included are Billy Kyne M.C.C. and Paul Clerkin. (Photo by Kiely)

that the County Council and local groups should work together.

The National Lottery had provided the Community Council with £5,000 Pat Joe Ahearne told the huge gathering. However while it was very welcome they had, he said, hoped for more and he appealed to public officials to lend their support to small communities so that they might get a bigger slice of the cake.

Fr. Mulcahy, Dean Weekes and Deputy O'Shea also spoke and John Barry, Waterford Foods presented a cheque to P. J. Ahearne for the development.

Musical entertainment was provided by the local schoolchildren, members of Comhaltas Ceoltoiri Eireann and a local ballad group.

Teas and refreshments were also served.

## CAPPOQUIN NOTES

### AFFANE SENIOR CITIZENS

Affane Senior Citizens Committee held a meeting on November 22. The senior citizens Christmas party was discussed and it is arranged for Thursday, December 13 at 7 p.m. in the Parish Hall. A nice meal will be served followed by music song and dance. So come along and enjoy a great night out. Please note change of date — December 13 at 7 p.m.

### 45 DRIVE

The drive in aid of the Boys N.S. Renovation Fund was held at Saturday and was well attended. The committee wish to thank everybody for their support and to congratulate the winners, who were:— 1st Bill Kenefick and Liam Ryan; 2nd Tom Cahill and Billy Ormonde.

### AT THE SPORTSFIELD

Last Saturday saw the final of the Under-21 hurling "B" championship between Ballyduff and St. Mary's/Modeligo. Although the going was heavy it was a well contested game which could have gone either way up to the last puck. In the event it didn't go anyway ending up in a draw 1-10 each.

Referee — J. J. Landers (Cappoquin/Affane).

### WELL DONE

Congratulations to Ciaran Curran and David Cullinane, who are at present participating in minor football county trials from which the Waterford team will eventually be selected. These are two most dedicated lads and will be there or thereabouts at Munster championship time.

### THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

Where in Cappoquin was the Iron Foundry situated?

Answer to last week's question — At the Southern side of Affane Parish leading to a river crossing at Mt. Rivers and then on to Lismore (legend).

### RUGBY NEWS

On Sunday last we travelled to Bandon to take on a local side. Again some of our best players were not available due to other commitments. Still we gave a good account of ourselves, going down in the end on the score 12 points to 3.

Team — P. Fitzgerald, N. Heffernan, D. Murray, N. Hayes, E. Hayes, W. O'Brien, R. Kiely, N. O'Connor, K. Veale, P. J. Veale, T. Stapleton, N. Uniacke, D. Wade, F. Veale, D. McGrath.

Our man of the match was undoubtedly William O'Brien, especially since it was his first game of the season. Dermot McGrath scored our penalty.

We very much appreciated the reception we received from the home club, especially the refreshments in their well appointed Pavilion.

On next Sunday we travel to Clonmel, this will be followed by a number of consecutive home fixtures.

### BIN COLLECTION

Another interesting aspect of the County Council Estimates was the matter of Refuse Collection. This service takes place locally on a Wednesday and has been doing so for many years. To the casual observer the scheme works well. The collection is always on the appointed day and in or around the same

time. In fact the Council and their staff are to be complimented on its efficiency. The charge to the customer is reasonable and we hear very few complaints. Yet it is noted that there are moves afoot to place the scheme in the hands of private contractors. If this happens it's a step into the unknown, we cannot say it will be for better or worse, so maybe the winning team shouldn't be changed.

### HAD THE ANSWERS!

Congratulations to Brian McCarthy who was a member of the St. Augustine's College team which won the First National Brainbusters Quiz recently. Brian is son of Denis and Ann McCarthy, Satterbridge, Cappoquin.

### AFFANE BRIDGE

Results — 1st Fr. Barron and Bessie Cahill; 2nd Addie Buckley and Marie Duffy; 3rd Brid Bergin and Ben Flynn; 4th Eileen O'Driscoll and Kathleen O'Mahoney.

### AFFANE SALE OF WORK

This was a great success last Sunday and we would like to take this opportunity to thank all those who contributed in anyway, especially all the people outside the parish that came.

### CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT DARTS LEAGUE

In the A section the Tavern "A" have gone into the lead following their 6-2 victory over Dunvegan. Lindsay's are just one point behind after their 5-3 win over Deckies. The Village Inn "A" have moved into third place thanks to a 6-3 win over the Old Still. Morrissey's defeated Kereen "A" 5-

3 and are just 3 points behind the leaders.

In the B section leaders Village Inn "B" had a big 7-1 win over the Toby Jug to stay on top, while the Overflow Inn defeated Kereen "B" 6-2 to stay in second place just three points behind. Dunne's "A" lost 6-2 to the Tavern "B" but remain in third place eight points behind the leaders.

### AFFANE A.F.C. NOTES

We played Youghal at home last Sunday morning and drew 3-3 in a very enjoyable game. We got off to a great start when Eamonn O'Shea put us one up after 10 minutes. Youghal got back on terms midway through the half through a penalty. We recovered from this set back well and got our second 10 minutes before the break, when K. Reddy scored following some good play by T. Sullivan. A mix-up in our defence let Youghal in for an equaliser just before the break, to leave it two all at the interval.

Youghal had the best of the exchanges early in the second half and went in front midway through the half. Again we came back well and should have equalised 15 minutes from the end. With just 8 minutes remaining E. McGrath got the ball thirty yards out and took the ball into the penalty area before shooting home to give us a well deserved draw.

Next Sunday we are away to Bride View, 11.30 a.m.

Team — C. Cullinane, F. McCarthy, D. Twomey, E. McGrath, L. Denn, S. Denn, S. Costin, K. Reddy, T. Sullivan, E. O'Shea, D. Morrissey. Sub. — J. Crotty for K. Reddy.

## Stradbally Notes

### DISAPPOINTING NIGHT

The parish churches dance held at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan on Wednesday night, November 28 was a great disappointment as the crowd that was expected did not turn up on the night and a loss was made despite the great music.

### CHURCH WHIST

The fifth whist cards night will be held at the national schoolhouse premises, Church Road, Stradbally on this Friday night, December 7. A raffle will also take place.

At the same venue on Friday, November 23 we had seven tables in play as follows: Miss Patricia Crowley, Mr. Owen Corbett, Miss Ita O'Reilly, Mrs. Margaret Coffey, Mrs. Bridget Clancy, Mrs. Nora Walsh, Mrs. Olive Daunt, Mrs. Gwen Grey, Mr. Harry Daunt, Mrs. Mary Claxton and Mr. Noel Crowley.

The raffle winners were:— Mrs. Nora Whelan and Mrs. Annie Lenihan.

### RECUPERATING

Welcome home from his short stay at a Cork City Hospital to Mr. Pat Power, Kilmacthomas, whom we all hope is now on the road to full recovery.

### QUARRY WORKING

It is great to see the local Kilminion Quarry back working again of late as the stone being blasted there is being put to use in Bonmahon protecting the tidal flood boundaries.

### G.A.A. SALE HELD

The local Stradbally G.A.A. club held their an-

nual sale of work at their premises on Sunday afternoon last and the following were the main winners on the day:

Christmas Cake — Maureen Sullivan; Hams — Joe Curran, Tom Cunningham and Paul Foley.

### ALERT MEETING

A Community Alert meeting was held on Thursday night last and the following committee was elected — Denis Roche, Willie O'Brien, Ken Begley, Paddy Drummy, Miss Colleen Flynn, Miss Maureen Sullivan, Richard Hickey, Eddie Fitzgerald and Paddy Joe Carey.

A further list of names from the Ballylaneen area will also be included on this list after a meeting has been held there.

### IN HOSPITAL

At present a patient at the District Hospital, Dungarvan is Mrs. Minnie Mason, Curraheen, Stradbally, where we all hope that her stay will be a very happy one.

### VIDEO ON SALE

The 25th anniversary video is now available as the ideal Christmas gift for friends or past pupils or emigrants. If you are interested in the Boys School celebrations you can contact the following persons: Tom 55879; Tom or Helen 93152; Pauline 93279; Mickie 058/42106.

### PLEASE NOTE

All of your Christmas items are to be with me no later than next weekend please at 93147.



# New Service for Members of Tallow Credit Union Announced at A.G.M.

Development of a new service for members and an increase in interest payable were the highlights of Chairman, Kathleen Barry's report to members of Tallow Area Credit Union on Thursday night last.

Membership now stood at 2094, Ms. Barry said, with savings in excess of 1.5 million pounds. This success, Ms. Barry continued, is due to the confidence and continued support of the members which in turn has generated an increase in the Surplus for distribution.

In her report, Treasurer, Helen McCarthy, stated the Surplus for distribution had increased by 36% and she was happy to recommend an increase of dividend to members. A proposal that 5% be paid on shares was unanimously adopted. Mrs. McCarthy pointed out that this dividend was not subject to DIRT tax, consequently it made very good economic sense to save in Tallow Credit Union.

A breakdown of loans granted was given by Mrs. Nora O'Brien on behalf of Credit Committee. Mrs. O'Brien paid tribute to Mr. Tom Murray who had resigned. Tom had given 22 years service as a member of the Board of the Credit Union and also a member of the Credit Committee. During the past year over one-and-a-quarter million pounds had been granted in loans. These loans were given for a variety of purposes but primarily Housing, Business, Agriculture, Cars, Household Goods, etc.

Mr. Pat Geary in giving his report paid tribute to all who supported and helped the Credit Union during the

year, particularly the teachers who are so supportive of our efforts to encourage thrift in our young people. In the seven schools in which Sammy Stamp is being sold over £12,500 worth was sold in the past year. Highlight of the year was co-ordinating local support for Daffodil Day in which almost £1,000 was collected for Conquer Cancer Campaign. This, Mr. Geary stated, is true Credit Union philosophy of Caring is Sharing.

Strict supervision was enforced by Supervisory Committee, Mr. Sean Twomey reported. As well as their regular checking of all transactions, the supervisors had asked the Auditors, Ferguson & Co., to make unannounced visits to the office. He was happy to assure members that the state of the Credit Union was excellent.

During the year also Mr. Twomey informed the members that an in-depth examination was carried out by three officers of the Registrar of Friendly Societies. As yet no report had been received so Mr. Twomey was satisfied everything was found to be in order.

Special Guest Speaker of the night was Mr. A. Wymys of Church & General Insurance plc. Mr. Wymys was present to launch the Home Union Insurance — a new concept developed by the Irish

League of Credit Unions and Church & General. It is designed to cater for the needs of Credit Union members. This package is only available from your Credit Union. Mr. H. McCarthy, Treasurer, in conclusion, thanked Mr. Wymys and said your Board was happy to recommend this new service to members, full details of which are available in the office.

### DRAWS

A draw took place for members present and the following is the list of prizewinners: Child Restrainer — Mrs. Ann O'Connell; Irish Rose — Mrs. O'Brien; Ham Voucher — Mrs. Henley; Child Restrainer — Mrs. Teresa Cunningham; Dinner For Two — Mr. John Henley; Martini — Mrs. Una Murphy; Basket of Dried Flowers — Mrs. Peggy Condon; Umbrella — Mr. Michael Beecher; Sherry — Mr. Liam Rice; Turkey Voucher — Mrs. Casey; China Tea-Set — Mr. Casey; Food Processor — Mr. Batt O'Connell.

A special draw sponsored by American Express, confined to purchasers of Travellers Cheques in Credit Union, resulted in Mrs. Maureen Neville, Ballynoe being presented with £100 worth of Sterling Travelling cheques.

Ms. Kathleen Barry thanked all sponsors of prizes and congratulated members on turning out in such great numbers to the meeting. A social evening followed at which a delicious supper was served by ladies committee.

# Dungarvan Bottle Bank Launched



GUIDES SHOW HOW TO DO IT — Girl Guides display the correct method to dispose of bottles at the Bank launch (l. to r.) Marie Meehan, Karen Conroy with Young Leader Jenny Power.

Thanks to the generous financial sponsorship of Sterling Drug (Ireland), the Dungarvan Bottle Bank Environmental Project was launched at the Davitt's Quay Car Park last Wednesday in gala fashion.

Under the aegis of the Rehabilitation Institute, Cork, the event commenced with a parade of the local Pipe and Brass Bands and local Scouts and guides and members of the Urban Council from the Square to the Car Park where a demonstration on the proper use of the Bottle Bank was given.

An ecumenical blessing was then performed by Very Rev. Canon Gregory Power, P.P. and Very Rev. Dean Cecil Weekes, Lismore, with whom were Very Rev. Fr. H. McNamara, O.S.A., Prior, St. Augustine's and Rev. Fr. P. Aheame, C.C., Abbeyside.

The very large crowd which had gathered for the occasion were then addressed by Cllr. Mary Dixon, Chairwoman UDC, Mr. D. Brockie, Financial Controller, Sterling Drug, Mr. Dan Hurley, Co. Manager and Mr. C. Counihan, Glass Recycling Unit, Rehabilitation Unit, Cork.

A festive air was added to

the function by the "Pinch of Snuff" group who played a selection of traditional Irish music while some Disco music was provided by the "Mushroom Experience" Group.

The launching ceremony was then concluded by Dr. Irene Daly of the Rehab Institute who thanked all involved for their help and co-operation.

## MELLERAY GROTTO

Saturday, 8th December  
Feast of the Immaculate Conception

PRAYERS AFTERNOON & EVENING  
CANDLELIGHT PROCESSION 9 P.M.

Melleray Grotto Committee

## IRISH FARMERS' ASSOCIATION WATERFORD COUNTY EXECUTIVE

### PUBLIC MEETING ON DISADVANTAGED AREAS

in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan  
on Monday, December 10th at 8.00 p.m.

SPEAKER: Mr. Gerry Armstrong,  
Secretary Rural Development Committee I.F.A.  
T.D.'s & COUNTY COUNCILLORS INVITED  
All Farmers Welcome

## Sudden Death of District Justice

District Justice Patrick B. Kelly, Oak Lodge, Kilkenny died suddenly at his residence on Tuesday, November 27 and referring to the sad occurrence at last week's District Court in Dungarvan, District Justice W. F. O'Connell said that District Justice Kelly had sat in for him at the previous sitting of Dungarvan Court only a fortnight before.

District Justice O'Connell said that the news of his colleague's sudden death had come as a great shock to him. He was a young man who was well known to the members of the legal profession and his untimely death would be a great loss to everyone. He extended his

deepest sympathy to the bereaved widow and family in the great loss which they had sustained.

Mr. A. V. Maher, State Solicitor on behalf of the legal profession and Supt. R. McAndrew on behalf of the Garda Siochana associated themselves with the expression of sympathy.

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## Road Resurfacing A Major Improvement For Dungarvan

Joining in the general welcome of the present resurfacing programme in Dungarvan, Cllr. Billy Kyne paid tribute to the work of the Council's staff and other contractors which when completed will be a major improvement to the town.

"I have approached Waterford County Council in regard to one small area omitted from the original scheme and also asked that the New Line Road at St. Monica's Terrace with the entrance from Mary Street to Scanlon's Yard be included in this resurfacing programme" he said.

Cllr. Kyne went on to say that a major problem with the road alignment at St. Monica's Terrace has been identified by many mem-

bers of Dungarvan Urban Council in the past. Bearing in mind the overall programme he was pleased to be able to state that the junction at Crotty's Corner, Abbeyside was to be included in the schedule and the re-alignment at St. Monica's Terrace also was to be done.

"I would like to thank the County Council for agreeing to respond to the Urban Council's identification of these problem areas" said Cllr. Kyne.

## Feed the birds or they'll help themselves!

CHRISTMAS places so many demands on our time that it's fortunate that most gardens do not need much care in December.

Most plants are dormant and the gardener can easily stay on top of the clearing and tidying jobs required.

It is worth raking up leaves, not just because they will be far more useful and tidier on the compost heap. On the lawn they will cause yellowing and if you leave them too long on the bulb beds you risk damaging the sprouting heads when you rake the leaves up later.

### Stretch

Those plants that haven't battened down for the winter and are vulnerable to cold and frost should be protected with bracken and straw laid carefully around them.

Watch out for hungry birds as well. Stretch nets over the brassicas such as cabbage so that the birds don't feed their crops with yours!

A much better idea is to put up a bird table and feed them with scraps. It's great entertainment for the kids but don't stop feeding the birds once you've started or you will cause even worse hardship.

If the weather is fair then take every opportunity to continue digging and working in compost and manure, helped by the frosts and wind and weather which will break up the sods.

Avoid walking on damp soil and especially clay or you will undo all your good work by compacting the structure and disrupting drainage and plant growth - spread your weight by standing on a plank as you dig.

If you have any deciduous



By Pete Moss

trees which need lopping or pruning then now is a good time to wield the saw, cutting flush at the junction with the joining branch, thereby allowing the bark to quickly close the cut.

Fruit trees can also be pruned during the month and washed down with tar oil to deter pests such as aphids and scale insects in the summer to come, but do not prune stone fruits like plums and cherries or their sap will 'bleed' away.

Clear grass and weeds below the trees while they are restrained. This will both allow moisture to get to the trees in the growing season and also let you work in organic fertiliser.

### Rotten

Meanwhile, check on the fruit crop just harvested and throw away any rotten fruit. If many are going bad then they need better ventilation to prevent them ripening too quickly.

Surprisingly, there is some planting that can be done now and after the warm summers we have had lately it makes a lot of sense - the British Isles has once more become a wine-making country.

If you want to grow a vine for either fruit or wine then do it now. A good insurance is to establish the vine in a cool greenhouse where it can be trained outside as necessary, but gardeners in the South can grow vines in any warm sheltered spot.

# BIG ENTRY FOR OUR COLOURING COMPETITION

Winner of the "Leader" - Ben O'Neill sponsored colouring competition for the 1st prize of a giant Mitsubishi Teddy Bear was Adrian Kirwan, Fahafeela, Kilmacthomas with 2nd and 3rd prizes of blank Video Tapes, to Pamela Cunningham, Sleveen, Lackaroe, Youghal and Paul Veale, 6 McCarthyville, Abbeyside. Prizewinners can be collect their prizes at Ben O'Neill's, O'Connell Street, Dungarvan

Runners-up prizes of a large Ronnie Whelan poster were won by:-

Miceal Cowming, 3 Byrneville, Dungarvan; Margaret Moloney, Ballydorgan, Fermoy; Kieran Kirwan, Fahafeela, Kilmacthomas; Jackie King, Kilgobinet, Dungarvan; Raymond Connery, Shanakill, Aghlish; Jim White, Monarud, Dungarvan; Sean Walsh, 3 South Tce., Dungarvan; Brendan Mansfield, Sexton Street, Abbeyside; Sinead Kiely, Gortnadiha, Ring; Sheamie Whelan, 8 College Road, Ardmore; Michael Molumphy, 11 Marian Tce., Ballyduff Upper; Kenneth O'Reilly, Kilnagrang, Kilmacthomas; Avril O'Sullivan, Main Street, Clogheen; Miceal Power, Graigemoore, Modeligo; Tara Jane Boland, Scrahan, Kilmacthomas; Mary Ann Dalton, Eagle Hill, Ballinamult; Sharon Foley, 54 Murphy Place, Abbeyside; Alan Hackett, 16 Parklane Drive, Abbeyside; Marguerite Moore, c/o 10 Congress Villas,

Dungarvan; Christian Thomsen; Strandside North, Abbeyside; Adrian O'Donnell, Monca, Ardmore; Aidan Murray, 20 Byrneville, Dungarvan; Sarah Fitzpatrick, 4 Parklane Ave., Abbeyside; Eddie Fitzpatrick, 4 Parklane Ave., Abbeyside; Seamus Tobin, Ballyhamlet, Tallow; Shane Coughlan, Lacken, Cappoquin; Leigh Power, 43 Sea Park, Abbeyside; Aisling Moore, 38 Pinewood Lawn, Abbeyside; Michael O'Keefe, 45 Park Road, Lismore; Maurice O'Brien, Kilcalf, Tallow; Kevin McNamara, Inchinleamy, Ballyduff Upper; Moya Verling, 2 Newline, Abbeyside; Mary O'Brien, Ballysaggart, Lismore; Mark Landers, Town Parks, Lismore; Kevin Guiry, Dromore, Aghlish; Paul Norris, Kilgobinet, Dungarvan; Evanne Cullen, c/o 2 Emmet Street, Dungarvan; Claire Lennon, Sarsfield Street, Abbeyside; Gillian McNamara, 44 Springfield, Dungarvan; Helen Flavin,

Clarkstown, Ardmore; Eoin Ryan, Ballyneety, Dungarvan; Vanessa O'Donnell, Kilrush, Dungarvan; Timothy Hyslop, 30, Murphy Place, Abbeyside; Conor Hannon, Ballysaggartmore, Lismore; Paul Kenneally, Carronbeg, Clashmore; Michael Kiely, Kylemore, Ballycoe, Dungarvan; Ciaran Kiely, Kylemore, Ballycoe, Dungarvan; Thomas Joy, 40, Kyne Park, Abbeyside; Claire Joy, 40, Kyne Park, Abbeyside; William Murray, 20 Byrneville, Dungarvan; Andrew Drummey, 6 Kyne Park, Abbeyside; Caroline Dec, 7, Childers Estate, Dungarvan; Alicia Curtin, Rath, Kinsalebeg; Fiona Lonergan, 3 Priory Ave., Abbeyside; Vincent Tobin, Ballinroad, Dungarvan; Declan Fives, The Burgery, Abbeyside; Mary

Kiely, Gortnadiha, Ring; Derek Foley, 54 Murphy Place, Abbeyside; Jessica Kelly, Lackendarra, Ballinamult; Mark Landers, Town Parks, Lismore; Mary-Alice Flynn, Gurtapeaky, Ballyduff Upper; Patrick Flynn, Gurtapeaky, Ballyduff Upper; Paul Landy, 2 Abbots Close, Sea Park, Abbeyside; Ruth Landy, 2 Abbots Close, Sea Park, Abbeyside; Denis Dalton, Eagle Hill, Ballinamult; Thomas Dalton, Eagle Hill, Ballinamult; Nicky Stephenson, 17, Ashcroft, Abbeyside; Laura Cliffe, 14 Parklane Ave., Abbeyside; Orla O'Mahoney, Kilmurray, Dungarvan.

We congratulate all the prizewinners and thank all the children from all over the county who participated in the competition.

## County Wrenboy Championships

Entries are now open for the Co. Waterford Wrenboy Championships, which will be held in Crotty's, Leamybrien on the day after St. Stephen's Day, Dec. 27.

There will be a Senior and Junior Competition (under-17) and closing date is Tuesday, December 18. This event has grown from success to success in recent years and is now as much part of Christmas as the pantomime in some areas. First prize is the Liam

Clancy Trophy plus a valuable cash prize. In the Junior section, the victors will take away the Sean O hObain Shield. Above all, the craic will be great for young and old alike. Information, forms and rules from 73006, between 6/7 p.m. any week day.

## Try chicken - the way the Scots like it

MANY people still prefer a chicken for the main Christmas meal, and if you are one of them and are wondering what you can do with a chicken that's different, then worry no more.

On this page are two suggestions that are deliciously different and make a welcome change to the same old roast recipe that you've probably been having for umpteen Christmases past.

### Highland Chicken

- **Ingredients:**
- **Stuffing:**
- 25g/1oz butter
- 75g/3oz onion, finely chopped
- 2 sticks celery, finely chopped
- 115g/4oz medium oatmeal
- 1 tablespoon freshly chopped parsley
- pinch mixed herbs
- 2 tablespoons Drambuie salt and pepper
- 1 small apple, halved

- 1x1.6kg/3 1/2 lb British chicken, prepared for cooking
- 25g/1oz butter
- 1 tablespoon marmalade
- 3 tablespoons Drambuie
- 225g/8oz sausage meat
- 300ml/1/2 pint chicken stock
- 2 teaspoons cornflour

### Method:

● Prepare the stuffing by melting the butter in a pan, add the onion and celery



and cook until the onion softens. Stir in the rest of the ingredients and season with salt and pepper, allow to cool.

Place about two-thirds of the stuffing in the neck end of the chicken and secure the neck flap with a small skewer. Put the apple in the body cavity.

Put into a roasting dish and rub the rest of the butter over the skin. Put into a preheated oven 190°C, 375°F. Gas Mark 5 and cook

for 20 minutes.

Meanwhile warm the marmalade and rest of Drambuie until melted and pour over the chicken. Continue to cook for a further one hour, basting the chicken with the glaze every 15 minutes. If the skin browns too quickly, cover with foil.

Mix the rest of the stuffing mixture with the sausage meat and divide into six balls. Flatten with the fingers to make a patty shape

then mark each with a cross. Place in an ovenproof dish and cook during the last 30 minutes with the chicken.

To finish the dish, lift the chicken onto a warm serving plate, arrange the sausage meat patties around. Skim the fat off the juices then pour into a saucepan. Blend the stock with the cornflour, add to the pan and simmer to thicken, season if necessary.

Serves 6.

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# Dungarvan Leader

# Kilmacthomas Notes

**BANK ROBBERY**  
The local A.I.B. in Kilmacthomas was robbed by armed and masked raiders on Monday week last when at least three men got away with about £3,000. This came within 20 minutes of robbing Carrick's A.I.B. Bank, in which the thieves got around £8,000.

The robberies occurred between 4.30 p.m. and 5 p.m. and fortunately nobody was hurt. Gardai believe a burnt-out blue Opel Vectra found in a forested area near Stradbally was used by the raiders.

A year ago almost to the day, thieves struck at both banks in Kilmacthomas but these crimes were never solved. Gardai now believe there may be a link between the latest robberies and those of a year ago.

If anyone has any information about the robberies, please contact Carrick, Kilmacthomas or any other garda station.

**BIRTH**

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ned Flahavan, Kilnagrange, on the happy event, the birth of a baby boy.

**SALE OF WORK**

The annual Parish Sale of Work will be held on Sunday next, December 9 in the Temperance Hall, commencing at 2 p.m.

**BIRTHDAY**

Congratulations to Julie O'Donnell, Ballydwan, Kilmacthomas, who celebrated her eighth birthday on Friday last.

**KILMACTHOMAS BRIDGE CLUB**

Last week's Bridge Club winners were — 1st Catherine Touhy and David Kelly; 2nd Mrs. Moloney and partner; 3rd

Paddy O'Reilly and Anna Harney.

**ENGAGEMENTS**

Congratulations to Miss Marta Bowdren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Bowdren, Walshe's Place, and Mr. Michael Crowley, who announced their engagement last week. Congratulations to Miss Marie Fennell, Cappagh and Mr. Declan Mulhearn, who also announced their engagement recently.

**WON TURKEYS**

Congratulations go to the following who won turkeys in the daily Free Turkey Draw at Mulhearn's Super Save Supermarket last week:— Peg Phelan, Ballylaneen; Brid Power, Glenaphooka; Joan Dec, Milbrook Terrace; Nellie Casey, Faha; Nancy Walsh, Whitestown; Mary Cleary, Bonmahon, Myra Walshe, Union Road and Elizabeth Donnelly, Grenan.

**YOUTHS WIN**

The Kilmacthomas youths soccer team had a hard fought 2-1 victory over Seaview Celtic in Currabaha Park on Sunday morning last.

The scorers for Kilmac' were Joe Joy and David Whelan and the lineout was as follows:— Finbarr McCarthy, Alan Casey, Paddy McGrath, Trevor Whelan, David Whelan, Sam Battye, Patrick O'Reilly, Joe Joy, John Long, Darren Mulhearn, Nigel Griffin. Subs. — Colin Crotty, Colin Whelan and Jamie O'Byrne.

**SOCCER FIXTURES**

The following are the Kilmacthomas A.F.C. fixtures for the coming weekend: Saturday, December 8 — Under-13 League, Kilmac-

thomas v. Crusaders at Currabaha Park, kick-off 10.30 a.m.

Sunday, December 9 — Youths "B" League, Portlaw v. Kilmacthomas at The Paddock, Portlaw, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

**VICTORY FOR BALLYDURN**

Well done to local side Ballydurn on their thrilling victory of 1-7 to 0-9 over a gallant An Rinn side in the junior hurling "A" county final in Fraher Field, Dungarvan, on Sunday last. This was a thriller from start to finish and was surely the outstanding game of the entire playing scene this year.

**ON WATERFORD TEAM**

18-year-old David Kiely, Hillside Crescent, was a member of the Waterford senior football team that took on Wexford in Walsh Park on Sunday last.

## Dungarvan Athletic Club Notes

**MARK RADLEY WINS ALL-IRELAND MEDAL**

Local athlete Mark Radley won an All-Ireland gold medal as part of the winning Munster team at the National Juvenile Cross Country Championships in Ballybritt race course recently.

Mark, running in the boys U-13 2,000 metres event, finished 19th overall and was the sixth scoring member of the provincial team. In a tough and high standard race, Mark stuck to his task with determination and helped his team to win the All-Ireland for the second year in succession.



**STANLEY COOKERS — NOW OIL FIRED AND GAS FIRED — WIN PRESTIGIOUS TRAINING AWARD** — Waterford Foundry Ltd., makers of the Stanley central heating cookers, won the FAS National Training award for large companies. The award was presented by the Minister for Labour, Mr. Bertie Ahern, T.D., at a function in the Burlington Hotel, Dublin on Wednesday, November 28.

In accepting the award, Mr. Frank Cruess-Callaghan, Managing Director of Waterford Foundry Ltd., noted that the more advanced technology required in manufacturing oil fired and gas fired central heating cookers called for a high level of training. "With exports approaching 50% of sales, the most discerning of customers, both at home and abroad, now call for a standard of quality undreamt of in earlier years," said Mr. Cruess-Callaghan who went on to acknowledge the part played by the workforce in Waterford who now build oil fired and gas fired cookers which are market leaders worldwide.

● Picture shows Mr. Frank Cruess-Callaghan, Mr. John Lynch, Chairman of FAS and Mr. Bertie Ahern, TD., Minister for Labour.

# DUNGARVAN MART

There were 600 cattle, 200 calves and weanlings and 400 sheep on offer at Dungarvan Mart on Monday last.

There was a good firm trade for bullocks with no change in values from last week. Both beef and store heifers were a good trade and were up £1 to £2 per 100 kgs.

Sheep prices were up £1 to £2 per head on last week. A special Weanling Sale

will be held at Dungarvan Mart on Thursday, December 13. A Turkey Sale will be held on Thursday, December 20.

Beef bullocks made from £109 to £119.80. Store bullocks over 500 kgs. made from £97 to £119. Cont. to £126. 400 to 500 kgs. made from £95 to £126. Cont. to £128.50. 300 to 400 kgs. made from £96 to £116. Cont. to £127. Beef heifers made from £94 to £102.

Store heifers made from £90 to £98. Cont. to £101.30. Dry cows made from £50 to £73. Calves: Bulls made from £85 to £245.; Heifers made from £50 to £140.

Sheep: Butchers lambs made from £38 to £49 or from £2 under to £8 under. Factory lambs made from £30 to £39 or from £4 to £9 under. Store lambs made from £20 to £36 or from £5 to £10 under.

# Memories Of Growing Up In West Waterford

## — "The Kitchen Hooley"

The "kitchen hooley" was one of the great social outlets in rural Ireland in my young days. These were held to celebrate some special occasions such as the completion of the harvest, the home coming of a newly married couple or perhaps to bid farewell to some young boys or girls who were leaving home for the first time or returning to England after a holiday. Friends, close neighbours, relatives and people who helped in anyway were invited to these hooleys. They were always low key — just some dancing, singing and light refreshments. Maybe some of the older folk would have a game of cards in a quiet corner.

Then of course there was another kind of "kitchen hooley" which involved a "45 drive" for some prizes, the value of which was never important. There was dancing, singing and a sit-down tea. The fee to take part in the card games was 1/- and a further 6d for any subsequent entries. The fee usually defrayed the cost of the refreshments. These hooleys were open house and one went along whether invited or not. There was no objection to anybody and it was not unusual for people to come long distances.

To our parish they sometimes came from Inch, Mount Uniacke in East Cork and from across the Blackwater even. The youth from our parish also travelled to far away places to this type of enter-

tainment. The card games were played on the "knock-out" system — the winning pair from each table of six going forward to the next round. One or two men had to look after this, collect the fee and ensure that only winners went forward. It was not unusual for two close neighbours to hold a joint hooley — the cards and the dancing being held in one house and the refreshments being served in the other. This gave the younger folk an opportunity to engage in some romance while travelling from one house to the other.

The usual dances were the old Irish sets, the Barn Dance, the Four Steps, the Old Time Waltz, the Valeta and where space allowed the Siege of Ennis and the

Four Hand Reel. Music was provided free of charge by locals, many of whom played the melodeon. Some I remember were Johnny Donovan of Propogue, the O'Donoghue brothers of Killenagh, the McGrath brothers of Moorehill, Paddy Russell and Dinny Geary of the Greenroad, the Landers brothers from Camphire and indeed my own father was no mean performer. Paddy Crotty of Sleeveen and Andy O'Shea of Harrowhill played the humble mouth organ. Jack Mills of Kilwatermoy rendered some rousing tunes on the violin but probably the best of them all was a travelling musician who roamed the roads of West Waterford and East Cork. He also taught music to those who could afford to pay for lessons. His name was Paddy Carr. Paddy did not always appear but when he did he usually took over and played for hours. The hat was always passed around for Paddy.

**INTO THE SMALL HOURS**

Many old Irish ballads were sung at these hooleys. Some of the songs were well known and popular but there were

some not so well known, many of them of local origin. Many of these hooleys went on into the small hours of the morning and if they were held on a Saturday night it was not unusual for them to drag on until first Mass on Sunday. Indeed on occasions if the weather was bad some of the card players would return from Mass and play until tea time on Sunday. That would be a private game.

I well remember going with Frank Donovan to a hooley at Dalys of Inch where we won a gander. We brought the gander home with his head sticking out of a bag. As we came down Killenagh and up the Bay Road he could be heard honking around the three parishes. Neither of us wanted the gander so we put him up as a prize for a hooley to be held at Donovans. Before the winter was out he was played for many times and went the rounds of the parish until finally Tade Hennessey won him. Mrs. Hennessey killed him and had him for dinner on St. Patrick's Day. Tade said he was so tough that he must have been as old as Tim Daly himself! — M.M.



Old and new friends are about to give you a lot of sound advice, so take heed of what they say. This is very much a period when you are far too inclined to act on instincts and impulse and feel that in certain areas you have been manipulated, betrayed or simply taken for granted.



Now you can begin to think about the future and the career changes you know must take place early in 1991. At the moment you believe your workload to be excessive but there really are ways and means to streamline your routine and off-load certain responsibilities.



You are free and easy, more tolerant than usual; your jokes go down well. A wink from someone who finds you interesting will help make this a fun week at work. But, quiet evenings spent curled up with a good book or watching your favourite TV programme will suit you best. You're rather extravagant right now.



You now seem to be coping with so many intricate and highly sensitive problems both at home and at work but must continue to strive to find permanent solutions and in no way jeopardise your long-term financial security by opting out of agreements or contracts. Someone else's love affair will arouse strong feelings in your own heart.



Unfortunately, you now have to take a much more subtle and gentle line over all partnership and domestic issues, and if you want to get the support of others ring the changes or make property transaction; you simply cannot afford to put a foot wrong. You can pick up some good ideas from a friend's home.



Discount a great deal of what is said now. Others are misinformed and totally misguided if they think you can be dissuaded from continuing certain plans or projects. Even delays or frustrations over finances are not about to thwart or deter you from moving on. You may not qualify for a grant, social services, etc. — so look into the matter.



You may be asked to accept responsibility yet not given sufficient freedom to do things your way. By all means put out feelers and let others know that you are interested in a proposal. But it would be extremely unwise to conclude an agreement now while adverse aspects relate to both domestic and business affairs.



Money plays a specially important role in your life for the next few weeks. Unless a dispute over finances is resolved or a settlement of some kind can be agreed now you may have to wait until much later in the month before you can reopen negotiations. So why not give others what they seek and in the process become free to form new and more profitable alliances.



Something on television arouses your interest, and may prompt you to write a letter. Recent events and developments have placed an enormous strain on your physical reserves and you now need to take things at a much slower pace. Don't allow relatives or associates to sit back while you do all the worrying.



You have one major problem to conquer or with which to come to terms, but you really do need to realise that you are not alone and that others respect and admire all the self control and determination you have shown recently. If you run your own business, you may soon have a local competitor.



The seeds you are sowing now will grow into opportunities for your future career and ambitions. You can ask for and rely on the co-operation of those around you to make this a successful week. Add a touch of luxury to your decor. Money is earmarked for entertainment gadgets.



Trouble that has been dragging on comes to a head. It must be difficult and frustrating at times trying to change the opinions or ways of others. But you will eventually succeed if you continue to stand your ground over certain major issues and not be put off by emotional outbursts.

# How those stripes get into toothpaste



HAVE you ever wondered how that hard-boiled egg ever got into the middle of that veal and ham pie? Or those stripes in a tube of toothpaste? Or, for that matter, the lead in the pencil you are now chewing furiously?

These are just a few of the tricks of the trade we all take for granted without knowing how they are done.

Getting the eggs into a veal and ham pie is quite a complicated business.

First the yolks are separated from the whites and partially cooked in a long cylinder. The resulting 'rod' of egg yolk is placed in a wider cylinder and surrounded by the raw whites.

After a brief cooking, out comes the longest egg in the world. Veal and ham filling is then packed into a pastry-lined mould, the egg placed in the middle and more filling packed on top.

A few manufacturers still prefer to use ordinary hard-boiled eggs placed side by side in the middle of the meat.

To the uninitiated, getting those stripes into certain brands of toothpaste seems an impossibility.

Yet the secret of striped toothpaste is amazingly simple.

Inside the nozzle of the tube is a grooved plastic plug. The grooves are packed with the coloured

substance that makes the stripes and so the stripes are "painted" on the white toothpaste as it is squeezed through the nozzle.

Getting lead into a pencil is a trickier operation.

In fact the "lead" is really a mixture of powdered graphite and powdered clay, fired like china in a kiln.

Putting this mixture between pieces of wood requires 30 operations. First, matured wood is planed and grooved so that — when one finished piece is placed on top of another, the grooves form the hollow centrepiece.

Strips of graphite "lead" are placed in the grooves and the halves of the wood glued together and tightly clamped. Machines then cut and pain the pencil.

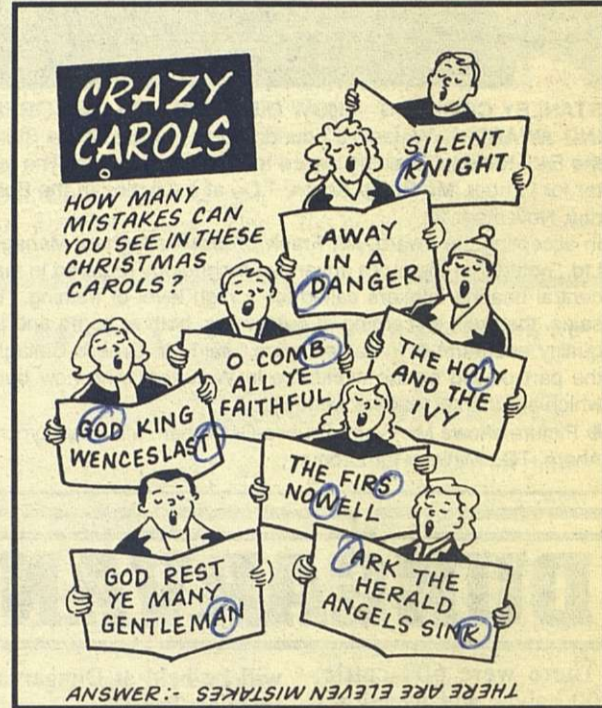
Last summer, most of us licked chunks of seaside rock. What's the name running through it — Blackpool? Brighton? — and how do you think it gets in the middle?

lengths with shears. The lettering keeps its shape during this rolling and stretching and remains readable right down the middle of the finished confection.

Everyone knows that popcorn is popped — but how? Pre-Inca Peruvians were reputedly the first to put corn over heat. They are amazed when it "exploded" to eight or 10 times its original size.

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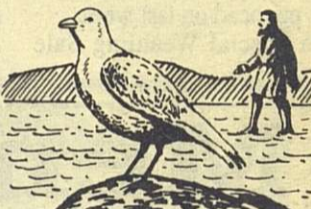
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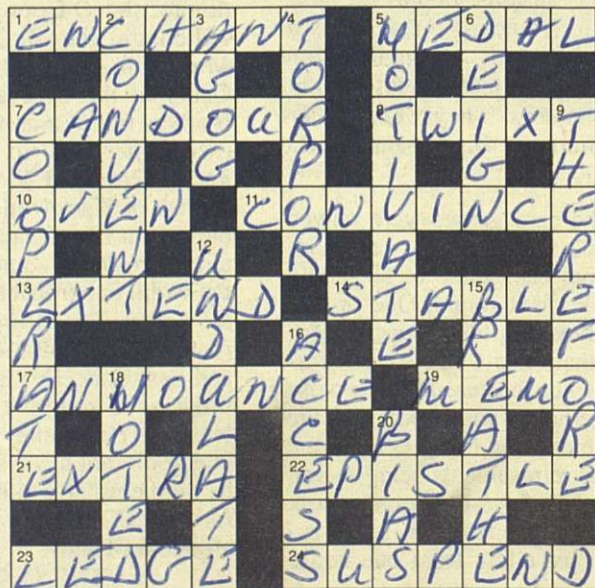
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- 5. Decoration (5)
- 7. Frankness (7)
- 8. Between (5)
- 10. Kiln (4)
- 11. Persuade (8)
- 13. Stretch (6)
- 14. Steady (6)
- 17. Declare (8)
- 19. Note (4)
- 21. Additional (5)
- 22. Lengthy letter (7)
- 23. Shelf (5)
- 24. Hang (7)

### CLUES DOWN

- 2. Nunnery (7)
- 3. Excited (4)
- 4. Dullness (6)
- 5. Impel (8)
- 6. Condescend (5)
- 7. Work together (5)
- 9. Accordingly (9)
- 12. Rise and fall (8)
- 15. Respire (7)
- 16. Entry (6)
- 18. Recorded (5)
- 20. Prejudice (4)

**SOLUTION: Across** — 1 Enchant. 5 Medal. 7 Candour. 8 Twixt. 10 Oven. 11 Convince. 13 Extend. 14 Stable. 17 Announce. 19 Memo. 21 Extra. 22 Epistle. 23 Ledge. 24 Suspend. **Down** — 2 Convent. 3 Agog. 4 Torpor. 5 Motivate. 6 Deign. 7 Cooperate. 9 Therefore. 12 Undulate. 15 Breathe. 16 Access. 18 Noted. 20 Bias.

## WEST WATERFORD NOTES

### BABY GIRL

Congratulations and best wishes to Liam and Geraldine Lenane, Clashmore on the birth of a baby girl, Mary, at the Erinville Hospital, Cork, a sister for Jessica and Bridget.

### SNOOPERS

#### DINNER DANCE

On this Friday night patrons and friends of Mary and Jim Fitzgerald, Kinsalebeg, Managers of Snoopers Bar in Youghal,

will attend their dinner dance in the Walter Raleigh Hotel and all are welcome along.

### CLASHMORE CHRISTMAS

On this Thursday night, December 6, all are welcome along to a free social night in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, for the launching of the cassette featuring the ClasKin Singers, which also includes contributions by special guests

Brendan Bowyer, Val Doonican, Hal Roach, Patrick Power, Gilbert O'Sullivan and Paddy O'Brien. The singers, under musical director Mary Dee, have gained wonderful experience from the recording of this cassette and we hope it will be an outstanding success. After the launch the cassette will be on sale at £5 and should prove a suitable gift for Christmas for many.

The official launch will be made by Mr. Dan Hurley, Waterford County Manager.

### PLOUGHING ASSOCIATION

This is a major week for social events in Clashmore and to bring the weekend to a close on Saturday night, Clashmore-Kinsalebeg Ploughing Association will hold their annual dinner dance in the Walter Raleigh Hotel with music by Cheers.

### CHURCH ARRANGEMENTS

Saturday evening Mass has commenced in Piltown. Mass will be celebrated each Saturday evening there at 6.30 p.m. and the usual Sunday morning Mass will be celebrated there each Sunday morning at 9.30 a.m.

The Saturday evening Mass will continue each week at 7.30 p.m. in Clashmore and again at 8.30 a.m. and 11 a.m. each Sunday morning. For the Feast of

the Immaculate Conception in Piltown, Mass on Friday at 6.30 p.m. and Saturday at 9.30 a.m. The normal Saturday evening Mass for Sunday at 6.30 p.m. and Mass again on Sunday at 9.30 a.m. In Clashmore, Mass on Friday evening at 7.30 p.m., Saturday 8.30 a.m. and 11 a.m., Saturday evening 7.30 p.m. for Sunday and Sunday morning 8.30 a.m. and 11 a.m.

Christmas Church arrangements in this column for Clashmore-Kinsalebeg parish will be printed over the next three weeks.

### A.C.T.

A full report will be given next week on the Aid Cancer Treatment street collection in Waterford City and the church gate collections last weekend.

### BIBI SHOW

Keep a note handy to remind you to watch the "Bibi" Show next Wednesday night, December 12 on RTE when our own already very famous choir the "ClasKin Singers" under their Musical Director, Miss Mary Dee, will make an appearance to promote their cassette "Clashmore Christmas." This appearance was organised by Choir Manager Rev. Fr. Billy Meehan, C.C. and all proceeds from the cassette will go to the Clashmore-Kinsalebeg Church Building fund.

## RECENT DEATHS

### Mr. Thomas Meehan

The death of Mr. Thomas Meehan, Boolavonteen, at his residence on Saturday, November 17 was the source of much sorrow and regret in the locality. A native of the area, Tom worked the land for most of his 65 years. He took a great interest in Sliabh gCua and followed all the major sports. He was a favourite with his friends whose company he enjoyed over a social drink in Dunne's and "The Halfway House." Despite his long illness, Tom remained cheerful up to the end. May he rest in peace.

We offer our deepest sympathy to his brothers John and Richard Anthony, sister Mrs. Mary Casey, London, and a wide circle of relatives and friends.

On Sunday evening, Thomas's remains were brought from the Kiely Funeral Home to Touraneena Church where they were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. M. Keogh, C.C., assisted by Rev. Fr. F. Lloyd, C.C.

Interment took place on Monday morning following Requiem Mass celebrated by Rev. Fr. M. Keogh, C.C. Rev. Fr. F. Lloyd, C.C., was also in attendance.

We mourn the passing of this well known and highly respected member of the

Touraneena community whose death leaves a void which will be impossible to fill.

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### Mr. Henry John Marshall

We record with regret the passing of Mr. Henry John Marshall, Boolavonteen, Touraneena, which sad event occurred at Cashel Hospital on Friday, November 30. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Wednesday, December 5 to Glasnevin Crematorium.

Full obituary next issue. (Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Dungarvan.)

### Late Elizabeth (Lizzie) Lenane

It is with deep regret we record the passing of Elizabeth (Lizzie) Lenane, Drohana, Cappoquin, which sad event occurred on Thursday, November 29 at Ardkeen Hospital. Removal was from the Drohan Funeral Home on Saturday evening to Ballinameela Church. Following funeral Mass on Sunday morning, December 2, interment took place in the adjoining cemetery.

Full obituary next issue. (Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Dungarvan.)

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## Dungarvan Museum Notes

On Thursday, October 18, the Museum Society annual general meeting was held on Lawlor's Hotel.

Congratulations to our new Chairman, Mr. Matt Connolly. The new Committee and Officers elected were: Chairman, Mr. Matt Connolly; Vice-chairman, Mr. William Fraher; Hon. Secretaries, Miss Ita White and Miss Mary McGrath; Hon. Treasurer, Mrs. Joan Griffin. Committee: Mrs. Joan Whelan, Mr. Jim Shine, Mr. Evan Griffin, Mr. Jack English, r. Paddy O'Dwyer, Mrs. Una O'Dwyer, Miss Caithlin Morrissey, Mrs. Bunda Cusack.

We had a packed house in Lawlor's Hotel on Monday, October 22 to hear a talk by Tadg O'Regan. Mr. O'Regan, a native of Abbeyside gave a fascinating talk on the history, lore and landscape of the Decies. His talk was accompanied by slides and several beautifully sung traditional songs. To finish Tadgh was persuaded by the appreciative audience

to sing "Dungarvan My Hometown."

On Saturday last, December 1, a small group visited the old library in St. Carthage's Cathedral, Lismore, courtesy of Very Rev. Dean Weekes. The library was begun in 1845 by Dr. Henry Cotton, Archdeacon of Cashel. It contains over 2,000 volumes. The library itself is a charming room with Gothic book shelves and coloured glass windows. We would like to thank Mrs. Glynis Stephenson, the archivist, for giving us such an informative talk on the collection.

We would like to inform the public that our Medal Exhibition is now closed. Many thanks to all those who loaned their precious medals, coins, etc.

The museum will be closed for the winter for re-organisation of the displays. We regret any inconvenience caused.

## President Mary Robinson Inaugurated As Uachtaran Na h-Eireann

President Mary Robinson promised a Presidency of justice, peace and love for her seven-year term when she was sworn in on Monday last as the country's seventh President at the simple but impressive inauguration ceremony which took place in St. Patrick's Hall at Dublin Castle.

Members of the government, led by the Taoiseach, Mr. Haughey, and the Council of State surrounded her as she made the Declaration of Office undertaking to maintain the Constitution of Ireland and uphold its laws.

President Robinson is the first woman to hold the highest office in the land and the youngest since the first, President Douglas Hyde, was inaugurated in 1938. She and her family, her husband Nick and three children, moved into Aras An Uachtaran on Monday as she succeeded former President Patrick Hillery, who has retired from public life.

The ceremony in Dublin Castle was attended by both houses of the



Oireachtas, members of local authorities, the judiciary, MEPs, some northern politicians, members of the Diplomatic Corps, representatives of the churches, her family and personal friends.

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- H Aretha Franklin — Respect
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- N Simply Red — Holding Back The Years
- O The Hollies — Bus Stop
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- Q The Strangers — Golden Brown
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- S Mud — Lonely This Christmas
- T Don McLean — Crying
- U Supremes — Stop In The Name Of Love
- V Steely Dan — Do It Again
- W Phyllis Nelson — Move Closer
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Last week's winners: Gonnait Curran, Kilrush, £76; Stephen Cliff, 2 Kilrush Park, £76. Snowball £76 shared.

Numbers drawn by Parents' Council Committee.

**Novenas**

A PRAYER TO THE BLESSED VIRGIN (Never known to fail) — O most beautiful Flower of Mount Carmel, fruitful vine, splendour of heaven, blessed Mother of the Son of God, Immaculate Virgin assist me in my necessity. O Star of the Sea help me and show me herein you are my mother. O Holy Mary Mother of God, queen of heaven and earth, I humbly beseech you from the bottom of my heart to succour me in this necessity; there are none that can withstand your power. O show me herein you are my mother. O Mary conceived without sin, pray for us who have recourse to thee (3 times). Holy Mother I place this cause in your hands (3 times). Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, light all roads so that I can attain my goal, you who gave me the divine gift to forgive and forget all evil against me and that in all instances of my life you are with me, I want in this short prayer to thank you for all things as you confirm once again that I never want to be separated from you in eternal glory. Thank you for your mercy towards me and mine. The person must say this prayer on three consecutive days. After three days the request will be granted. This prayer must be published after the favour is granted. — M.A.

NOVENA TO ST. MARTHA — (Never known to fail) — O St. Martha, I resort to thee and to thy petition and faith. I offer up to thee this light which I shall burn every Tuesday for nine Tuesdays. Comfort me in all my difficulties through the great favour thou didst enjoy when Our Saviour lodged in thy house. I beseech thee to have infinite pity with regard to the favour I ask (mention favour). Intercede for my family that all may be provided for in all our necessities. I ask thee St. Martha to overcome the dragon which thou didst cast at thy feet. One Our Father and three Hail Marys, and a lighted candle 9 consecutive Tuesdays and the above prayer made known with the intentions of spreading devotion to St. Martha. This miraculous Saint grants everything before the 9 Tuesdays are ended, no matter how difficult and favours granted if published before Novena is finished. Firm believer. — T.H.

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**Acknowledgments**

HADU — I, Birdie Cudihy, Ballinagoul, Ring, would like to thank all who sympathised with me following the death of my brother, Patrick Hade, Dublin. A special thank you to all who gave Mass cards, had Masses offered and to those who were so helpful and kind. Mass will be offered for your intentions.

WALSH — The family of the late James Aidan Walsh, Springfield, Cappoquin, wish to thank all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, flowers and those who attended the funeral, especially his colleagues who formed a guard of honour. A special word of thanks to friends and neighbours who helped so much during his illness. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

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# In Memoriam

**AHEARNE** — Tenth Anniversary — Treasured memories of Kathleen Ahearne, late of Town Parks, Lismore, Co. Waterford, who died on December 7, 1980.

Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Always remembered by your loving husband and family.)

**AHEARNE and VEALE** — Fortieth Anniversary — In fond and loving memory of our dear mother, Catherine Ahearne, Monastery Lodge, Dungarvan, who died on December 4, 1950 and 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.

(Inserted by Ada and Paddy, Terry and Jimmy.)

**BALDWIN** — Seventh 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.

Deep in my heart your memory is kept,  
To treasure, to love and never forget.  
(Sadly missed by his loving wife, Bessie.)

**COWARD** — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Harry Coward, late of 6 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on December 6, 1976. Mass offered.

Today I am thinking of someone I love,  
But I know he is happy in heaven above,  
Loving memories are all I have left,  
Of a father I loved and will never forget.

(Always remembered by his loving son Monnie, daughter-in-law June and grand-daughter Helen.)

**COWARD** — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Harry Coward, R.I.P., late of 6 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on December 6, 1976.

God came and stood beside your bed,  
He took your hand and gently said,  
You've suffered more than you can stand,  
You'll come with me to a better land.  
You had a smile for everyone,  
You had a heart of gold,  
You left the sweetest memories,  
The world could ever hold.  
(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Rita, grandchildren Julie and Martin, great-grandchildren Keely and Lea, London.)

**COWARD** — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Harry Coward, whose anniversary occurs on December 6, late of 6 Congress Villas, Dungarvan.

You left a place no one can fill,  
We miss you now and always will,  
Each of us in our own way,  
Have special memories of you today.

(Always remembered by your loving son Locky, daughter-in-law Kathleen, grandchildren and great-grandchildren Jonathan and Coife.)

**DOOCEY** — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Elizabeth, late of Graigue, Cappagh, who died December 2, 1980.

Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Never forgotten by Ena.)

**EGAN** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Elizabeth Egan, 10 Kyne Park, Abbey-side, who died on December 2, 1987. R.I.P.

December comes with sad regret,  
Of that day we will never forget  
You closed your eyes without goodbye,  
Memories of you will never die.  
(Always remembered by your friends in the Abbeyside Folk Choir.)

**FORBES** — In loving memory of my dear wife, Mary, late of Kilbeg, Tallow, who died on December 6, 1982. R.I.P. Masses offered.

Memories grow deeper as time travels on,  
We long for the smile and the face that is gone,  
We think of your sayings and picture your smile,  
We feel you're not lost but gone for a while.  
(Always remembered by her loving husband Jack.)

**MALLON** — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Bridget Mallon, nee Monahan, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan and Porttalbot, South Wales, who died on December 5, 1979. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P.

We cannot visit your grave today,  
For we are far away,  
This message comes with love to you,  
From far across the sea.  
To tell you how much we miss you,  
No words can ever say,  
Sometimes it seems a lifetime,  
Sometimes only a day,  
But deep within our hearts,  
You are never far away.

(Never forgotten by your loving sister Eileen and brother-in-law Michael.)

**MILWARD** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Jackie Milward of Chapel Street, Lismore, who died on December 5, 1989.

Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Inserted by your loving family.)

**MCCARTHY** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear mother, Julia Anne McCarthy, late of Ballinamuck, Dungarvan and England who died on December 7, 1989.

A gift in life so precious and rare,  
Is the love that a son and a mother can share,  
We shared that love, Mam, you and I,  
From the day I was born till the day that you died.  
The hardest thing in life to bear  
Is to want your Mam and she's not there,  
So forgive me, Lord, if today I weep,  
For a Mam I loved and wanted to keep,  
I was so proud you were my Mam,  
Thanks for all you've done,  
I pray that God has given you  
The crown you've truly won.

(Always loved and remembered by your loving son Michael, daughter-in-law May and grandchildren Martina and John, great-grandchild Maria.)



**MCCARTHY** — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Julia Anne, late of Ballinamuck, Dungarvan, who died on December 7, 1989.

I don't tell people anymore  
Just what you meant to me,  
Instead I cry my tears alone,  
Where no one can see.  
And so today I pray for you,  
That God will let you know,  
How lonely life is without you,  
Mam,  
And how we miss you so.  
(Sadly missed by your loving daughter Helen and Bill and William, John and Michael.)

**MCCARTHY** — 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.

Deep are the memories, precious they stay,  
No passing time can take away.  
(Never forgotten by your loving daughter Mary and grandchildren.)

**MCCARTHY** — Thirty-third Anniversary — In ever-loving memory of our dear father, Thomas McCarthy, late of 18 St. Thomas's Terrace, Dungarvan and UDC, who died on December 5, 1957, also our grandmother Catherine McCarthy whose anniversary occurs. On their souls sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P. Masses offered.

Your name is often spoken,  
Dad,  
Our thoughts are with you still,  
You haven't been forgotten,  
You know you never will.  
We know you are happy in your heavenly home above,  
On this your anniversary we send you all our love.  
Will kind friends who think of our Dad to-day,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Always in our thoughts and prayers — Kitty and Philomena.)

**PALMER** — Twentieth Anniversary — In loving memory of Bobby, 5 Keating Street, Dungarvan, who died on 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** — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Kathleen Power, late of 18, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on December 4, 1987. Mass offered.

A smile for all, a heart of gold,  
One of the best this world could hold,  
Never selfish, always kind,  
These are the memories you left behind.  
(Always remembered by your friends at Stafford Miller.)

# News of Town and Roundabout

## FRIARY SALE OF WORK

The annual Sale of Work in aid of the Augustinian Foreign Missions will take place this year on Friday and Saturday nights, December 7 and 8 in the Friary Hall at 8 p.m. each night.

Once again this year we have all the attractions of previous years: raffles, stalls and the ever popular wheel of fortune. All our prizes are up to the usual high standard, and we have so many that you are nearly sure to win one or two!

Saturday afternoon will be kiddies time. We are having our Fancy Dress Parade from the Square at 2 p.m. Santa is coming specially to lead the Fancy Dress Parade down Main Street, so why don't you dress up and join Santa and all the other young people to make it a monster fancy dress parade.

If you have any gifts or donations for the Sale of Work then you can give them to the collectors as they call on you or simply drop them in to the Friary

House. Bottles (full!) of any description are always welcome for our Bottle Stall.

So, make a note of it and put it in your diary — Friday and Saturday, 7 and 8 December — the Friary Sale of Work. We look forward to meeting you all in the Friary Hall on one or even both nights. (Advt.)

## MUSIC CLASSES

Boys and girls (aged 10 and upwards) interested in joining the Dungarvan Brass Band should call to the Bandroom on the Quay on Saturday night or Sunday morning or contact any of the band members.

## DUNGARVAN DARTS LEAGUE A.G.M.

The annual general meeting of Dungarvan Darts League will be held at the Park House on Thursday, December 6, at 8.30 p.m. All are welcome.

## HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 29 — 1, Kitty Greaney and Mary Phelan; 2, Kathleen

Browne and Sean Norris; jt. 3, Mary Riordan and Mel O'Connor, Louanne O'Connor and Ann Cass; 4, Mary McGee and Anna McGuinness.

## ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 27 — 1, Margaret Queally and Eileen Veale; 2, Joan Mansfield and Eithne Keevers; 3, Tom Keevers and Bro. O'Mahoney; 4, Rita Harnedy and Cass Dolan.

## DUNGARVAN BRIDGE CLUB

Results November 29 — 1, John Phelan and Winnie Power; 2, Ann McNally and Moyra Baumann; 3, Charles O'Doherty and Madge O'Keeffe; 4, Joan Mansfield and Kathleen Phelan.

## DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results December 2 — 1, Mimi Christopher and Bernie Twomey; 2, Mary Fleming and Mary Fenton; 3, J. J. Cullen and Billy Cusack; 4, Justin Spratt and Bro. O'Mahoney.

# St. Mary's Parish Dungarvan

## DEC. 7 — FIRST FRIDAY

Day of Devotion to the Sacred Heart. Mass in St. Mary's at 9.30 a.m.

## SATURDAY, DEC. 8

Feast of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Holyday. Masses: St. Mary's — Friday 7.30 p.m., Saturday 9.00, 10.30 and 11.45 a.m. Friary — Friday 6.15 p.m., Saturday 8.00, 10.00 and 11.30 a.m.

This solemnity recalls the preparation for the Saviour's coming at its origins and also the happy beginning of the Church in its beauty without spot or wrinkle. We celebrate Mary who from the first instant of her existence in the womb of her mother Anne was "by a singular grace and privilege of Almighty God, and in view of the merits of Jesus Christ, Saviour of the human race, preserved free from all stain of original sin."

## THURSDAY, DEC. 6

Pioneer Council Meeting

in Parochial House at 8 p.m.

## SUNDAY, DEC. 9

Evening Prayer of the Church in St. Mary's at 5 p.m. with Benediction.

## FRIARY SALE OF WORK

In Friary Hall on Friday and Saturday, December 7 and 8. Proceeds in aid of Augustinian Foreign Missions.

## FRIENDS OF ST. MARTIN

Tickets for Christmas Party will be distributed at St. Vincent De Paul rooms on Friday, December 7 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon, and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

Special Christmas Collection at all Masses this week-end. Envelopes have been distributed.

## WIDOW'S ASSOCIATION

Monthly meeting in St. Vincent De Paul rooms on Tuesday, December 11 at 8 p.m.

## Dungarvan Mart

### SPECIAL WEANLING SALE

will be held at

### Dungarvan Mart

On Thursday, December 13

at 11.30 a.m.

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### TURKEY SALE

will be held on Thursday, December 20

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# BALLYDUFF NOTES

## HAPPY EVENTS

Congratulations to John Joe and Maureen Hannon, Clonmel on the birth of a young daughter, and to Niall and Claire (O'Donovan) O'Flynn, Colligan, Dungarvan on their recent happy event.

## SCOR NA nOG

Congratulations to the Ballad Group on advancing to the County Scor Na nOg final to be held at Tallow on Saturday, December 15. The Figure Dancers, Music Group and Set Dancers were unsuccessful in their efforts to

advance to the County final at last Saturday night's divisional final held in Dungarvan.

## G.A.A. NOTES

The under-21 hurlers were lucky to draw with St. Marys/Modeligo in the Divisional Championship (B) final at Cappoquin on Saturday last. The final score was 1-10 each.

We led at half time by 1-6 to 0-4 with the goal coming from Owen Corcoran in the 23rd minute. We were still in front after ten minutes of the second half period, but within a three minute period St. Marys/Modeligo were on level terms. After 15 minutes the sides were still on level terms before our opponents went into a two point lead. Owen Corcoran pointed a 65 with four minutes left to play and Tom Feeney sent over the equaliser in the last minute of the game.

Scorers — O. Corcoran 1-7, T. Feeney 0-2, G. Hickey 0-1.

Team was: K. Martin, L. Feeney, D. Hickey, G. O'Keefe, M. Barry, F. Hickey, P. Murphy, T. Feeney, S. Hickey, O. Corcoran, G. Hickey, D. Flynn, G. Quirke, S. Feeney, J. Scanlon. Sub used: B. Bolger.

Referee: J. J. Landers, Cappoquin/Affane.

The replay will go ahead this Saturday afternoon, again in Cappoquin, with a 2 p.m. throw-in, to allow for extra time if required. Patrick Murphy is ruled out of the replay with a hand injury sustained in the drawn game.

We will have to show an improvement if we are to capture the title. We appeal for support for the team on Saturday and we wish them the best of luck.

## BALLYDUFF MACRA NOTES

Hard luck to Team C (John Kenny, Pat Roche, Niall O'Brien, Catherine Leamy and Noelle Leamy) and Team B (Pat Kenny, Paddy Ahern, Martin Kenny, Maeve Kenny and Brid Cunningham) on not winning their respective groups in the indoor soccer league played recently.

Team A won their group and go through to the semi-finals which will be held soon.

Next Saturday, December 8, a meeting will be held in the Hall at 9 p.m. All members and non-members are welcome to attend.

## COMHALTAS NOTES

Last weekend was again a busy time for members of the Branch. On Friday and Sunday nights we were involved in the show which will again be staged on next Thursday, Friday and Sunday nights. We filled a fifteen minute spot and got a great reception from the audience.

In the Scor competition

on Saturday night our dancers or musicians did not qualify but they performed well. We would like to congratulate Ballyduff's Ballad Group and Ballysaggart's Anne Carey in the Solo Singing who qualified for the County final.

It was back to Dungarvan again on Sunday for the Ceol An Gheimhridh finals. Our under-14 and under-18 Sets qualified for the Munster finals, as did two under-14 half sets.

Raymond Dempsey and Gearoid Berry qualified in the accordion and Raymond also goes forward in the banjo competition. Congratulations also to Anne Carey who will compete in the Munster finals (singing).

Next Sunday night our once monthly Irish Night will be held in Meaghers. Funds raised at these nights go towards subsidising the classes organised by the Branch, in particular the music class. Therefore, we appeal for support from anyone interested or involved in these classes.

## 45 DRIVE RESULTS

1, Kieran Fenton and Mick Coleman, Dan Brien and Paud Walshe; 3, Benny Daunt and Pat Roche, Mick Daly and Davy Feeney; Best of last six, Mary Kenny and Martin Kenny. Lucky tables, N. Leamy and M. Leamy, Liam O'Brien and Pat Flynn, Con Walshe and Sean Higgins. Raffle: Pat Ryan, Jim Leamy, Joe Lineen, John Casey.

## COMMUNITY COUNCIL

This year's Senior Citizens' Party will be held in the Hall on Sunday, December 16. A great evening is assured with plenty of food, drink, music and craic.

## Ballysaggart Notes

### G.A.A. NOTES

Race Nite — All is now in readiness for Ballysaggart GAA Club Race Nite in Meaghers on Friday night week, December 14. There are just a few horses left but if you don't get a chance to buy one, don't worry, you can get together with some friends and buy one for the valuable Auction Race on the night. First race 9 p.m. sharp.

Card Results — 1, Joe and Cissie Power; 2/3, Sean Griffin and John O'Gorman, Paddy Roche and Jim Daly; lucky tables — James Hyland and John Kennefick, Jo Lineen and Annie Neville, Bertie Neville and Pad Walsh. Raffle: Dave Fennessy, Pad Lineen, Bridie O'Brien, Don Lenihan.

## Dungarvan Sea Angling Club Notes

A very pleasant evening was had by all on Tuesday, November 27 last in the Village Inn with our annual prize giving providing plenty of entertainment.

The night started with the gathering of our friends, old and new, to help us celebrate. The skilful few were then presented with their prizes and this was followed by sandwiches, sausages and a great night's chat. Our thanks to Billy and Mary Fitzgerald for making the event so successful.

The Master Angler's prize, sponsored by John Torrence, was presented by him to John Molloy. The Lady Angler's prize, sponsored by the Village Inn, was presented by Mary Fitzgerald to Bernie Kenneally. The Bank of Ireland, represented by Mr. Gerry Cummins, presented prizes for the Greatest Number of Fish caught during the year to Don O'Connor, the Greatest Variety to George Young and the Greatest Number of Conger to Tony Crowe.

The Committee would like to thank everyone for their help and support dur-

ing the year and wish all our members, friends and sponsors a very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

## Dungarvan Badminton Club Notes

### DE LA SALLE BEATEN

Marie Kiersey's team beat De La Salle 3/1 last week. Nuala Murphy's team beat Dunmore 3/1 in Dunmore. Jim Kiersey's team beat Lismore 3/1 in Dungarvan.

### BALLYMAC' ARE ALL-IRELAND CHAMPIONS

Bernie Ryan's team beat a Ballinasloe team on Sunday last in the ladies football All-Ireland final. Well done Ballymac'!

## SCOR NA nOG

The Divisional Scor Na nOg finals were held in the presence of a capacity attendance at the CBS Hall, Dungarvan on Saturday night last.

The qualifiers for the county final to be held in Tallow on Saturday, December 15 at 7.30 p.m. are as follows: Rince Foirne — Madheilge, Sraibhaille (Peil); Althriseoireacht — Christine Uadha, Gaeltacht, Clodagh de

Paor, Dun Na Mainistreach; Amhranaiocht Aonair — Aine Carey, Baile Na Sagairt, Clar Ni Mhurchu, Dungarban; Nuachleas — Caislean Cuanach, An Gaeltacht; Trath Na gCeist — Dun Na Mainistreach, An Rinn; Ceol Uirlise — An Rinn (Iomaint), An Rinn (Peil); Baileid Grupa — Baile Ui Dhuibh, Dungarban; Rince Seit — Madheilge, Sliabh gCua.

## Dungarvan Student Wins National Art Competition

Bernard Queally, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Queally, 79 Springfield, Dungarvan and a student of Dungarvan Technical College, won first prize in an art competition sponsored by The Franciscan Community of Ireland. The competition was open to students both in the Republic and Northern Ireland and there were over two thousand entries.

Bernard also won second prize in the regional section which qualified him to enter the national competition.

At a prizegiving ceremony in The Franciscan Headquarters, Merchants Quay, Dublin on Sunday, November 11, Bernard was presented with a plaque and certificate and

Kieran Heffernan, Principal, Dungarvan Technical College, accepted a cheque for £500, awarded to the winning school. The theme of the competition was "Caring for Creation — A Work of Peace" and the prize money is to be used by the school to promote this concept.

## My Youth In Lismore

As I walk along the Blackwater Vale,  
Such beauty and such splendour,  
My thoughts drift back to days gone by,  
And times I will always remember.

My school-boy days come back to me,  
Those days of little worry.  
I see Br. Blake and Br. Dowd  
And my favourite Tommy Murray.

Out from school my friends and I,  
We'd stroll down Botany Hill,  
And talk about when we grow up,  
And dreams we would fulfill.

Sometimes we'd go through the Old Fair Field  
And come out at Harry Vaughan,  
We'd watch him shoe the horses there,  
I heard he starts at dawn.

It's home to get the lessons done  
And wait for Joe to call,  
'Twas in Church Lane where we would meet,  
For a few games of handball.

A stone flies out from Boyle's Field,  
On Maggie's roof it lands,  
She comes out and drops upon her knees,  
Saying 'I curse ye where ye stand.'

Sometimes I'd go to the golf course wood  
And find a few golf balls,  
I'd bring them back to Joe Dooley,  
A shilling for them all.

On Sunday morning after Mass,  
When all of us would meet,  
We'd play some games of pitch and toss,  
Down by the Old Mall seat.

The Hurt Wood was another place,  
Where we could make a shilling,  
We'd fill a gallon to the top  
And sell them to Babs Canning.

At the pictures on a Sunday night,  
I'd be there with all the gang,  
I remember 'Doc' Healy with his great big torch,  
Kevie Noonan and Jim Milligan.

Teasie Meade had a toy shop on the Main Street  
And so had Harold Cook,  
Muggy Pender had one in Ferry Lane  
That was always worth a look.

Ned Coleman who was liked by all,  
His face now I can picture,  
The best of meat you'd get from him,  
At John McGrath's, the butcher.

There were men called 'Hooten' and 'Jim Slog,'  
'Mick the Bird' and 'Johnnie Pool,'  
And Jack Dunne who sent us home again,  
When we were going to school.

At seventeen I left Lismore,  
My family and my friends,  
But I'll come back to settle down,  
Until my life there ends.

You can travel through the whole wide world,  
Meet people by the score,  
But you'll never meet the folk so kind,  
As the people from Lismore.

— J.C. (London and Lismore)

# LISMORE NOTES

## TRAGIC DEATH OF MRS. BRENDA BUCKLEY

A great sense of shock and widespread gloom was caused at news of the death of Mrs. Brenda Buckley, Parks Road, Lismore which took place unexpectedly after a very brief illness at Cork Regional Hospital on Friday last, November 30.

Mrs. Buckley (nee Mellor) from Passage East came to reside in Lismore following her marriage to Denis Buckley some five years ago and in that short period had won the esteem and friendship of all who knew her. Her death now at such an early age has come as a great shock to all and deepest sympathy is extended to her husband, to her infant daughter Laura, to her father, mother, brother and other relatives in their great sorrow.

A full obituary will appear in next week's issue.

## LISMORE P.T.A.A.

The presentation of Probationer, Full and Jubilarian Pins will take place on Friday, December 7, following the Vigil (7.30 p.m.) Mass in St. Carthage's Parish Church after which all pioneers, parents and friends will be welcome at a social evening in Lismore Hotel, commencing at 8.30 p.m.

## LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 21 — (Turkey Competition) 1st Teresa Doocey and Nora Willoughby; 2nd Joan Howard and Martha Keniry.

## WIDOWS ASSOCIATION

The officers of the National Association of Widows, recently presented their budget submissions to the Minister for Social Welfare, Dr. Michael Woods.

The submissions were discussed in depth at a meeting of the voluntary organisations who work on behalf of Social Welfare. At a Council meeting of the dependents N.A.W.I. held on Saturday, November 24 at the Two Mile Inn Hotel, Limerick (4 members from the West Waterford branch of the N.A.W.I. were present) attended by 200 delegates the submissions were adopted unanimously. The executive was requested to bring pressure to bear on the respective Minister to insure that the requests are implemented.

## SALE OF WORK

On Friday, December 7 at 8 p.m. in Church of Ireland Parish Hall, stalls, cakes, produce, bottle stall, jumbo, fancy goods, raffle, etc. (Advt.)

## BALLINVELLA NOTES

Results of "45 Nite" — 1st Bobby Mangan and Kathleen O'Connell; 2nd

and 3rd divided between Siobhan and Tom Fogarty, Bill Kennefick and John Bennett. Raffle — Emma Mangan, Mrs. J. Burns and Johnnie O'Gorman.

Best wishes for a speedy recovery are sent to Paddy Prendergast, Bridane, who is at present a patient in the Orthopaedic Hospital, Cork.

Next "45 Nite" will be on December 11 at 8.30 p.m.

## CONGRATS

Congratulations to Victor and Joyce Kingston, Ballinvella, on their recent happy event, the birth of a daughter.

## CHRISTMAS LIGHTS COMMITTEE

The lights will be turned on this year on Saturday, December 8 after 7.30 p.m. Mass. It is hoped that both choirs will sing carols at the crib and that Santa Claus himself will put in an appearance and switch on the lights. Your support would be greatly appreciated. Tickets are on sale in all the shops at the moment, so you might like to buy one or two lines and support the Lismore Lights Committee. The committee would also like to take this opportunity to thank everyone who gave subscriptions, bought tickets or helped in any way last year. — P.R.O.

## PUBLIC CONVENIENCE FOR LISMORE

It now looks almost certain that Lismore will be granted a public convenience in the town by Waterford County Council.

A great deal of representation has been made to the Council on this issue by local Councillors and by the Town Commissioners. There is no doubt that a new public convenience is a badly needed facility in the town.

At the Estimates Meeting, one of the most important meetings of the year — where money is tossed about, Clr. Willie McDonnell pressed hard for the provision of money to build a public convenience in Lismore. He said he could not support the estimates unless money was provided for the project.

The County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley said he would like to see the work going ahead and was in agreement with the proposal to build a public convenience in Lismore. The Council members supported this and the proposal was passed.

## LISMORE CONFERENCE OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Once again the annual church gate collection of the Lismore Branch of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will take place at all Masses on Saturday night and Sunday morning, December 8 and 9. Please give

generously, the need is as great as ever and funds are low.

## LISMORE G.A.A. NOTES

**Weekly Draw: Week No. 45** — £50 Mr. Bertie Neville, New Street, Lismore; £30 Miss Una O'Leary, Fernville, Lismore; Mr. Jimmy O'Gorman, Fernville, Lismore; £15 Mr. Kieran Fenton, 18 New Street, Lismore; £10 Miss Avril Hallahan, 15 Parks Road, Lismore; £10 Mr. Róry Phelan, Town Parks, Lismore. Promoter's Prize — John Flynn (jnr.)

The next draw will be held in The Red House on Monday, December 10 at 8 p.m. All are welcome to attend. (Advt.)



**Progressive 45 Drive** — Our next 45 drive will be held in Lismore Hotel on Friday, December 14 at 8 p.m. A great night is assured, so we hope to see you all there.

**Sympathy** — On Friday morning last we were all numbed into disbelief when we learned of the death of Brenda, wife of Denny Buckley, at a young age and after a very short illness. Since her arrival here about five years ago from her native Passage, Brenda had become a very popular member of the community. Her passing away has deeply saddened every one of us.

To her husband Denny, little daughter Laura, father, mother, brother and all her relatives, we tender our sincerest sympathy and pray that God will give them the strength to overcome their very great loss. May she rest in peace.

## LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

The final of the Winter League ended in a tie with Kevin Ryan's team winning on the breakdown. The team was K. Ryan, B. O'Gorman, M. Twomey, E. Power, B. Ormonde, J. Lenane, R. Paul, T. O'Sullivan, D. McGrath.

Results — East Cork Oil Winter League — 1st K. Ryan's team; Runners-up P. Norris's team. Plate winners were P. Norris jnr.'s team with K. Madden's team runners-up.

Sat./Sun., December 1 and 2 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st T. J. Murphy (11) 38 pts; 2nd D. Tobin (16) 37 pts; 3rd L. McDermott (16) 36 pts (back 9). Best Sat. - T. W. Murphy (4) 36 pts; Best Sun. - P. Norris (4) 36 pts.

Club Championship — Winner S. Beecher with K. Madden runner-up.

Golfer of the Year — R.

Culloo.

Jim Crowley had a hole-in-one at the 12th on Sunday.

Fixtures: Saturday and Sunday, December 8 and 9 — Christmas Hamper sponsored by Castlelyons Co-op.

Saturday, December 8 — Society Outing. Tee Res. from 10 a.m. to 11.15 a.m.

**Annual General Meeting** — At a well attended A.G.M. in the clubhouse on last Wednesday night the out-going captain Mr. W. Henry outlined the activities and the development of the club during the past year. He thanked the officers, committee, members and the ladies for their help and co-operation during the year and said it had been a very happy year for him.

The in-coming captain Mr. R. Culloo outlined his priorities for the coming year, the principal one being the advancement of an eighteen hole course.

The following officers and committee were elected:

President — Mr. B. Arrigan; Vice-President — Mr. S. Clancy; Captain — Mr. R. Culloo; Vice-Captain — Mr. M. Walsh; Hon. Secretary — Mr. M. O'Shea; Treasurer and Registrar — Mr. N. Walsh; P.R.O. — Mr. F. McCarthy; Asst. Treasurer — Mr. D. Murphy; Committee — (Ex Officio) S. Moynihan, W. Henry, S. Beecher, T. Doocey, P. Norris, M. Troy, D. C. Lee, W. Ronayne, P. Condon, K. Ryan, J. Hornibrook, J. Crowley.

## LISMORE LADIES GOLF NOTES

The winner of the 9 Hole Turkey Competition on Wednesday, November 28 was Anne O'Gorman (25) 20 1/2 pts.

The winner of the 9 Hole on-going competition was Anne O'Gorman (25) 22 1/2 pts.

The Annual General Meeting takes place on Sunday, December 8 at 3 p.m. We look forward to a full and lively meeting.

## LISMORE SOCCER NOTES

### Lismore Topple League Leaders LISMORE 2 KILLEAGH 1

Last Sunday morning we had a home game against league leaders Killeagh. This game was a very important one for Lismore as nothing less than a win was needed. The first half was a great half for the home side, winning a very sporting contest in all positions.

The defence was strong and stable, in midfield Pat Bennett and Barney Prendergast were in outstanding form winning everything in the air and up front our forwards ran

and challenged for every ball.

As the half time score of Lismore 2 Killeagh 0 suggests, every player gave 110 per cent commitment.

The second half was very hard fought with Killeagh coming more into the game. The Lismore defence was holding strong until about 15 minutes from time, when an unfortunate back pass ended up in the Lismore net, to give Killeagh a chance of getting back into the game.

All credit to Lismore they held out and were unlucky not to have had a couple of more goals before the final whistle. So Barney and Seamus Prendergast's goals won Lismore these priceless points.

We welcomed another member to the squad on Sunday in Keith Horni-

brook, who played a great game in goal. Well done to all concerned.

Lismore — K. Hornibrook, F. Power, D. Landers, B. Shanahan, P. Fitzgerald, B. Prendergast, P. Bennett, D. Landers, P. Quinn, S. Prendergast, K. Lawton. Subs. — S. Daly, P. Walsh.

Next Sunday morning we travel to Grange, kick-off 11.30 a.m. Players are asked to be at the monument no later than 10.30 a.m.

Committee members will be calling on those people involved in the Seaview Celtic Draw this weekend (who are paying monthly) thank you.

Finally we would like to express our deepest sympathy to Denny Buckley on the unexpected death of his wife Brenda last weekend.

## Kilrossanty Notes

### MISSION

The mission conducted by the Vincentians Fr. Jay Shanahan and Fr. Michael McCullagh, concluded on Sunday last after the 11 o'clock Mass in Kilrossanty. It was a wonderful fortnight for the people of Kilrossanty and Fewes, as large crowds attended the ceremonies every morning and night, all homes in the parish were visited by the two priests. Our sincere thanks to both of them for the successful mission.

### HOFFMANS PUB

#### TALENT

The video of the above final can be obtained from Mr. Michael O'Donnell, Graiguecush, 051/94539.

### I.C.A. NOTES

There will be an I.C.A. meeting in Kilrossanty Hall on Monday, December 10 at 8 p.m. We would like all members to attend as we will be having a small Christmas party after the meeting. There will be no team hostesses, so all members should bring their own goodies. The Christmas raffle will also be held on the night, so please have all counterfoils back.

A word of thanks to the members for making the Carriglea party such a success last Sunday, also to Crotty's Inn for the use of their premises and last of all Santa, who had lots of presents for the girls.

### HOSPITALISED

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to Mr. John Walsh Snr., Mahonbridge, who is at present a patient in Waterford Regional Hospital.

### OLD TIME

#### FOOTBALL MATCH

The video of the old time football match between Kilrossanty and Stradbally played on August 4 last will be shown in the G.A.A. Centre, Stradbally on Saturday night, December 8. Anyone who was involved in the game is welcome to go and see it.

### CROTTY'S INN

The ever popular Declan Nerney appears at Crotty's Inn on next Sunday night, December 9.

### SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. May Power of Briskey, on the death of her brother Robert Whelan, Bonmahon, who died recently.

## Causeway Tennis Club Notes

A special thanks to all the people who both helped in the organisation of the cake sale and contributed (and bought!) cakes. A total of £267 was made from the cake sale.

We regret to hear of the death of Joe Bailey, father of Ann Kelleher, a former ex-President of our club. We sympathise with Ann and her family at this sad time.

Last, but not least, all are welcome to our Christmas Party in O.B.'s Nite Club, on Thursday, December 6. Tickets are £5 each and are available from any committee member.

## BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

### NIRE GIRL TO PLAY FOR IRELAND

Jacqueline Harte, Knocknaree, Ballymacarbry, was the toast of the Presentation Convent, Clonmel, following her being selected to play for Ireland in international volleyball.

Jacqueline, who is seventeen is a leaving cert student at the Presentation Convent Secondary School, Clonmel. Since taking an interest in volleyball in first year in the Presentation, she has been part of the team that has won many major awards for themselves and their school. She was captain of the All-Ireland winning first year school team '87, she was again captain when the school won the All-Ireland junior "C" final in April '88 when they defeated Beaumont, Dublin in one of the best finals for years, she was also a member of the school team that won the All-Ireland Cadette "B" final defeating Balla, Co. Mayo.

Early this year brought her, her only disappointment when her team were beaten by a single point by Mercy School, Tuam, Co. Galway. The winning team went on to represent Ireland in Turkey. She was captain of the Clonmel team that won the National League Final last April. Jacqueline is captain of the school senior team that will contest the senior "A" final on December 8 against a Mercy team from Tuam.

She has been selected for the Irish team to play England in Limerick and on the Irish team for the European Internationals in Holland (Dec. 26 to 30). We congratulate this fine sportswoman.

### CALL FOR NEW BOOK LEASING PLAN

Deputy Theresa Ahearn, T.D., South Tipperary/West Waterford has called for the introduction of a pilot scheme to assess the feasibility of operating a school book-leasing arrangement as a substitute for the multi-million pound annual expenditure by parents. Deputy Ahearn says the scheme could reduce the cost of primary school books from an average of £30 per pupil per year to a possible £12 per pupil per year. She claims she is very disappointed that the Minister, Mary O'Rourke has chosen to avoid a discussion of this issue particularly in the light of the hardship caused in many households at this time of the year.

### I.C.A.

Congratulations to the Newcastle Set Dance team who recently won the Margaret O'Sullivan Trophy in the South Tipperary Federation set dancing competi-

tion held at Cashel recently. As well as the trophy they also received beautiful plaques.

The team were — Marjorie O'Flynn, Joan O'Dwyer, Eileen O'Gorman, Eleanor Walsh, Margaret Hally, Allie O'Sullivan, Verona Nugent, Margo Kelly, the trainer well-known to dancing Monnie Hallahan and musician Bob Keane (Melleray).

### NEW YEAR'S DAY RUN

A run on New Year's day is being organised by Pinewood United Soccer Club. It will take place from the Steel Bridge to Ballymacarbry Cross, a distance of three and quarter miles.

### ACCIDENT

Mr. John Desmond, Deerpark, Ballymacarbry, received facial injuries when his car was in collision with another car at Toureigh on the main Clonmel/Dungarvan road on Friday evening last.

### SOCIAL

The annual Pinewood Pharmaceutical Laboratories, Ballymacarbry social was held in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan and was a night enjoyed by all present. On next Saturday night, December 8, four clubs from the district hold their annual social at Lawlor's Hotel.

### NEW SPORT TO THE VALLEY

On Sunday last in the Nire Valley a new type of sport took off, it was a jeep driving test organised by Tipperary Light Car and Motorcycle Club. This event was run in conjunction with the Suzuki 4 x 4 championship, but it was not a round of the championship. A large crowd attended.

### LATE MR. ROGER O'RYAN

It is with deep regret we pen the passing of Mr. Roger (Sonny) O'Ryan, Castlequarter, Ballymacarbry, which sad event took place at St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel, on Saturday, November 24. A member of one of the district's most respected families, he was nephew of the late Michael O'Ryan, M.C.C. and near cousin of Cllr. Kieran O'Ryan, M.C.C.

In early life he was employed by the late Canon Peter Meskill P.P. He then emigrated to Australia and after spending some years down under he returned to England and some years ago when he retired he returned to his own native home at Fourmilewater. A true Christian he never sought the limelight but came forward only if he could offer a helping hand. No unkind or harsh word ever passed from his lips. An intelligent conversationalist, he was a gentleman to his finger tips. He loved the game of

25, the chat and a quiet

drink. That he will be sadly missed was evident at the removal of his remains from the Hospital Mortuary, Clonmel, to St. Laurence's Church, Fourmilewater when all walks of life were represented in the large concourse of sympathisers, paying their final respects to a Christian friend. On Monday evening Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his soul by his cousin Rev. Fr. Colum O'Ryan, C.C., after which he was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

To his relatives we tender our sympathy. Go ndeana dia troaire ar a anam dilis.

### SYMPATHY

Sympathy of the district is extended to our beloved Parish Priest Very Rev. Fr. Michael Russell, P.P. on the death of his sister Nora Meade, Lower Cork St., Mitchelstown. She was formerly of the well-known pub, "The Ramblers Inn." On Wednesday evening her remains were removed from O'Brien's Funeral Home to Mitchelstown Parish Church and on Thursday after Requiem Mass the funeral took place to Brigown Cemetery where interment took place.

### I.F.A.

The Annual General Meeting of Ballymacarbry Branch of the I.F.A. took place recently at the Oriol Bar, Ballymacarbry.

The following officers were elected:

Chairman — Dan O'Loughlin; Vice-Chairman — Con O'Loughnane; Hon. Secretary — Anthony Ryan.

Delegates to County Executive — Dan O'Loughlin, Anthony Ryan, Paddy Phelan, Michael Desmond; Jerome Ryan and Jim Phelan.

Delegates to County Commodity Committees: Animal Health — Jim Phelan, Dairy — Seamus O'Loughlin, Farm Business — Michael Ryan; Industrial — Michael Desmond, Livestock — San O'Loughlin; Rural Development — Anthony Ryan, Sheep — Jim Wall.

A discussion took place on the G.A.T.T. round of talks and its effect on Farm Incomes in the Disadvantaged Areas. Complete dissatisfaction was expressed at the exclusion of some townlands in the area from the submission being made to the E.E.C. It was decided to resubmit them and vigorously pursue their inclusion.

A meeting relating to Disadvantaged Areas will take place at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on Monday night, December 10 at 8 p.m. Speakers will include Mr. Gerry Kingston, C.A.O. and Mr. Gerry Gunning, Secretary I.F.A. Rural Development Committee. All interested are cordially invited to attend.

## DUNGARVAN RUGBY CLUB NOTES

# Dungarvan Back To Winning Ways

FERMOY 6 DUNGARVAN 21

This hard earned victory over Fermoy bore more significance for Dungarvan than would normally be attached to a friendly fixture, as it got the team back to winning ways after a somewhat indifferent spell over the last number of weeks.

The pack got down to their job from the start against a very strong Fermoy eight and secured some excellent ball for the backs, who moved the ball to good effect, scoring three tries and unlucky not to register another one or two.

The tries that were scored fell to Eoin Phelan, Eamonn Phelan and Jimmy Morrissey. Mark O'Connor converted one and kicked two penalties.

Team — D. Salmon, P. Queally, Eoin Phelan, Eamonn Phelan, P. McGrath, M. Brackett, M. O'Connor, J. Morrissey, P. Foley, J. Curran, M. O'Halloran, E. Lonergan, P. Mullaney, A. Curran.

### SECOND XV

That the final score in this friendly was 18-0 to Shandon, does little justice to a fine performance from the second XV at Ballyrandle on Sunday last.

Against a much taller and heavier pack the forwards played with great determination and the backs ran

well in possession.

Team — T. Condon, P. McGrath, D. McGrath, M. Shanley, M. Troy, P. Dunphy, S. Dower, L. O'Donnell, J. Power, K. Clarke, J. Curran, J. Morrissey, N. Hannigan, E. Spratt, T. Shanley.

### DRESS DANCE

Last reminder to secure your tickets for next Satur-

day's Dress Dance. Tickets are available from Brian Lineen or through any member of the committee.

### FIXTURES

The 1st XV have a free Sunday next week and that will be very welcome after all the travelling recently.

The position with the 2nd XV fixture v. Cappoquin is still not clear.

## Railway Athletic F.C. Notes

### UNDER-12 LEAGUE

#### Railway 3 Johnville 1

On Saturday last our under-12 team had City side Johnville at home in the league. We started very well but found it hard to break down a well marshalled defence.

Midway through the first half we got a goal when Eoin Bennett beat two players to make it 1-0. Johnville came out in the second half trying hard to get back into the game and they pulled back the goal, but we came straight back and scored two good goals to collect two very valuable points.

### UNDER-14 LEAGUE

#### Railway 3 Hibs 0

Our under-14 team kept their unbeaten run when they beat Hibs at home. We had to work very hard and ten minutes before the break Eamonn Murphy got

a great goal to get us off the mark. Our finishing was a bit poor but in the second half things started to go well and Brendan Landers and John Lynch got one each. Overall, it was a good performance.

Team — G. Arrigan, Martin Ormonde, Stephen Quinn, John Dalton, John Quarry, Tim Fitzgerald (Capt.), Ian Flynn, Eamonn Murphy, Michael Shanahan, John Lynch, Camain Radley. Subs — Alan Barry for Michael Shanahan (injured) and Brendan Landers for Ian Flynn.

### GET WELL SOON

Our club would like to wish a speedy recovery to our young under-12 player Shane Coughlan who was recently in hospital.

### FIXTURE

Saturday, December 8, at 11.30 a.m. — Under-13s home to Ballyduff.

## The Park Hotel To Sponsor Waterford Sports Star Awards

The Flynn family have recently announced the sponsorship of the Waterford Sports Star Awards. The Awards will consist of a monthly award to a person of persons deemed to have contributed most to sport in County Waterford for that particular month.

The monthly winner will receive a specially commissioned trophy at a presentation function to be held monthly in the Hotel.

All of the monthly award winners will then be in contention for "The Park Hotel's Waterford Sports Star Of The Year."

A selection committee will be picked to choose the monthly winners. Further details of this new Sports Awards Scheme will be announced at a special press conference to be held in early January 1991.

## Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

### RESULTS

Thursday, Nov. 29 — 1, J. Melody (12) 3 up; Saturday, Dec. 1 — 1, J. P. Hayes (11) 42 pts.; 2, J. Harty (11) 41 pts.; 3, J. Melody (12) 41 pts.; 4, K. Hogan (5) 40 pts. S.S. 69.

Sunday, Dec. 2 — 1, J. McGrath (18) 23 pts.

### FIXTURES

Thursday, Dec. 6 — 14 holes v. par; Saturday 8 — 18 hole s/f; Sunday 9 — 18 hole stroke hamper.

### LADIES BRANCH

Results — 14 hole s/f, November 27 — winner,

M. O'Riordan (19) 29 pts.; runner-up, P. Donnelly (20) 27 pts.

Home Alliance — November 27, 18 hole s/f — Section 1: K. Phelan (11) 33 pts.; Section 2: M. O'Riordan (19) 37 pts.; Section 3: C. O'Brien (24) 34 pts.; Best overall: B. Hayes (17) 33 pts.

Fixtures — Tuesday, December 4: 14 h. stroke; Tuesday, Dec. 18: Home Alliance; Christmas /New Year 9 h. stroke; 1st nine from Dec. 20 to January 21. Two cards. — PRO.

## County G.A.A. P.R.O. Back In Full Swing

The County's very popular P.R.O., P. J. Coleman is now back in full swing after his recent illness and it was good to see him in the Fraher Field at last Sunday's county final — looking forward again to a new year, where he will again be going forward as P.R.O. at County Convention in January.

Contrary to rumours, he is NOT going forward for any position at the Western Convention.

## Minnies Squash Club Notes

### LADIES CHALLENGE

On Monday of last week our girls hosted the return challenge against Waterford Crystal. First on court were Maeve Gildea and Breda Lenane. Maeve played great squash but Breda was the more experienced player and she won 3-1. In the most exciting game of the night, Sinead Byrne beat Mary Shalloe 3-2, going through three referees and under immense pressure, the girls displayed tenacious staying power.

Gail McCarthy and Linda Butler played very close games, the last of which went to 10-9 with an overall 3-0 result in Gail's favour. There was a similar final tally when Michelle Mernin beat Susan Brennan who played her heart out and made Michelle work for her points. The last game of the night saw Pat Clancy defeat Bernadette Dunne 3-1. So, overall, a very lucky night for Minnies ladies.

Next week I hope to have results of our return challenge against Kill, and on December 15 we look forward to a visit from Clonmel ladies.

### T.S.B. TOURNAMENT

During last week there were further contests in this series with the following results: Team K emerged victorious over Team L, with a 9-3 final tally. John Kelly had a walkover from Ann Wyley, Pa McGovern gained a 3-1 win over Liam Hansberry, Paul Breen clinched the match with a 3-2 score over Michael Gildea. Neither P. Finn v. L. Flynn nor Owen O'Mahony v. Martin Walsh were required to play.

When Team F met Team I on court 2, the number threes were first to play: Paul O'Brien defeated Pat Breen 3-1, Lar Walsh conquered T. Dalton 3-0 and Liam Moore had a 3-2 victory over Hank Regan. Therefore the games between Liam O Tuama v. Tommy Butler and Martin Moore v. Frank O'Donoghue were left unplayed. That night, Teams F and K qualified to go forward to the semi-finals.

Very much a one-sided contest was the tussle between Teams A and C, with Team A taking the laurels after four games. Michael O'Dwyer went under 2-3 to Michael Sheehan, but that sole sweet success was followed by three 3-0 results in favour of Team A when Michelle Mernin, Francis Power and L. Byrne beat Gail McCarthy, P. J. Murphy and Brian Beatty respectively. Not required to play were the number twos Lar McCarthy v. Jack Elstead. A closer contest was fought between teams B and J on court two. Jim Byrne defeated Peter Stem 3-0. E. Byrne lost 0-3 to T. O'Mahony. Pat O'Brien won his game 3-1 against Maurice Walsh while M.

Hayes was overcome 0-3 by Sean Power. P. Walsh overcame Jackie Sandford 3-1 which secured their place in the semi-finals.

### COUNTRY LEAGUES

Last Wednesday was a good night and a bad night for Minnies Country Leagues — good when they notched up 14-7 win over Tallow at the Brideside venue with the following results: Frank O'Donoghue won 3-1, Michael Sheehan likewise 3-2, ditto Ian McCarthy 3-1 and John O'Donoghue 3-0. Dave Touhy was unlucky in his final game and was just pipped with a 2-3 result.

The bad news is that we have bowed out of the Country Leagues for this season.

### TIPPERARY CRYSTAL RACKET BALL TOURNAMENT

The final of this event takes place at 7.20 pm. sharp on this Thursday night when Mick Fitzgerald's team which includes Jenny McGrath, Mary Donnelly, Eddie Moore and Frank O'Donoghue take on Seamus Connolly's five consisting of Siobhan Crotty, Paddy Walsh, Donal Verling and Sean Power. As both teams are evenly matched a close result is expected.

The committee is grateful to Tipperary Crystal for their generous sponsorship. Prizes for this event will be awarded during the pre-Christmas Social night on Thursday next at Minnies.

### PAT CULLINANE TROPHY

This coveted trophy in memory of our revered late colleague was won by Minnies on Saturday night. Details will be to hand in next week's issue. Till then go dte sibh slan.

## LADIES FOOTBALL

# Ballymacarbry Win Third All-Ireland Title

BALLYMACARBRY 4-8

ST. GRELLANS (BALLINASLOE) 0-3

The scoreline truly told the tale at sun-drenched Semple Stadium, Thurles, as Ballymacarbry turned in a superb display to overwhelm Galway champions St. Grellans and pick up their third All-Ireland title in four years. Right from the beginning there was no doubt about the outcome as the Waterford champions controlled the game. To be fair to the Westerners they never gave up trying, but never came to terms with their more experienced opponents.

Conditions were ideal on a perfectly calm day, with ideal under-foot conditions. Ballymacarbry's captain Ann Dunford won the toss and elected to play into the Kilinian end. St. Grellans were a much bigger and stronger team than Ballymacarbry but they lacked the mobility and scoring power to trouble the winners defence. Although St. Grellans attacked early on it was Ballymacarbry who opened the scoring after six minutes with a fine move involving seven players.

Noirin Walsh's free was flicked on by Ann Fitzpatrick to Aine Wall on the half way line. Aine passed in-field to Bernie Ryan who quickly found Marie Crotty. Marie lobbed the ball over a defender to her sister Fiona and Fiona found Catriona Casey almost on the end line. Catriona's centre was carefully side-footed to the net by Geraldine O'Ryan.

St. Grellans rallied but found the Ballymacarbry defence — particularly Regina Byrne, Martina O'Ryan and Noirin Walsh — in tremendous form. The high fielding of this trio was

outstanding. In the 13th minute Marie Crotty's long range free went all the way to the net but was ruled out for a square infringement. The resultant free out was sent over the bar by Marie from thirty yards. The Ballymacarbry forwards were at last finding their feet and from a long clearance by Martina O'Ryan, Catriona Casey found Fiona Crotty and she lofted a great point from the right wing.

The only St. Grellans forward who looked capable of scoring, Angie Manning, opened their account in the 24th minute, but two minutes later their defence was exposed by a move which again stemmed from a Noirin Walsh free. This time Ann Dunford gained possession and passed to Catriona Casey eighty yards out. Catriona set off on a solo run along the left wing, drew the corner back and passed inside to Geraldine O'Ryan. Geraldine's centre was hammered to the net by Marie O'Ryan to give Ballymacarbry a 2-2 to 0-1 lead.

In each of the five finals that Ballymacarbry have played they led at half time and they showed they were in no mood to let it slip, and

within a minute of the restart, Marie Crotty's lob was broken down by Geraldine O'Ryan to Catriona Casey, whose left-footed drive went inches over the cross-bar.

Noirin Walsh was injured after a mighty catch but continued on after treatment as Marie Crotty's free came back off the cross-bar. Ballymacarbry with Marie and Ann Fitzpatrick dominating midfield, were now in complete control and St. Grellans were confined to rare breakaways.

Marie Crotty and Catriona Casey added points and Fiona Crotty added another in the 48th minute. In the 52nd minute substitute Cliona Walsh blocked down the St. Grellans goalkeeper's attempted clearance, gained possession, but was floored. Marie Crotty's bullet-like drive from the resultant penalty went over the bar.

The Galway side rallied and scored two points from frees by Angie Manning, but Ballymacarbry finished with a devastating scoring spree. Marie Crotty's clearance out of defence found Fiona Crotty and a quick exchange of passes between Fiona, Marie O'Ryan and Aine Wall put Geraldine O'Ryan through and she duly found the net. Marie Crotty pointed a free and Aine Wall put the seal on a memorable day with another fine goal in the 59th minute.

While every Ballymacarbry player played her part on a day when the younger players came of age, Regina Byrne, Martina and Geraldine O'Ryan, Fiona Crotty and Noirin Walsh were absolutely outstanding and got good assistance from Marie Crotty, Ann Fitzpatrick, Catriona Casey, Sinead Walsh and Marie O'Ryan.

Ballymacarbry won the semi-final by 16 points and the final by 17, so there is no disputing their right to the title. With a very young team (six of them are under 17 years of age) they are going to be a force for a long time to come. Over the next three years the Munster champions will have home venue for All-Ireland semi-finals so the Waterford champions will not be easily parted from their title. In addition, there

are some very promising young players longing to make the first fifteen.

After the game the National President, Mary Wheatley made her last trophy presentation to captain Ann Dunford. Mary's three year term of office ends at next Spring's annual Congress. So, Ballymacarbry enter the record books as the first team to win three All-Ireland Club titles. From Club Chairperson, Brigid McGrath down to the last member of the panel, the commitment has been outstanding. Over the last five seasons they have won twelve All-Ireland titles in all grades — three club titles, four seven-a-side cups, two seven plates, two Community Games titles and twelve players played on the Waterford junior winning team in 1986. On the evidence of last Sunday's game they will be around for some time to come.

Team — Patricia Butler, Regina Byrne, Martina O'Ryan, Dolores Tyrell, Noirin Walsh, Sinead Walsh, Ann Dunford, Marie Crotty (0-4), Ann Fitzpatrick, Aine Wall (1-0), Bernie Ryan, Marie O'Ryan (1-0), Fiona Crotty (0-2), Catriona Casey (0-2), Geraldine O'Ryan (2-0). Sub Cliona Walsh, also Deirdre Wall, Michelle Walsh, Marie Fitzpatrick, Natasha Galvin, Catriona O'Gorman and Clare Ryan.

It was the first time ever that a ladies football game was broadcast live, with Galway Bay FM taking the initiative. Full marks to them.

### COUNTY BOARD

At the recent annual general meeting of the County Board the following officers were elected: Chairman, Michael Ryan (Ballymacarbry); Vice-do., Jimmy McGrath (Na Deise); Secretary, Eleanor Hickey (Sliabh gCua); Asst. Sec., Canny Ahearne (Sliabh gCua); Treasurer, Paddy O'Donnell (Na Deise); Registrar, June Whyte (Kilrossanty). Committee: Ger Moore (Kill) and Rosie Donnelly (Dunhill).

It was decided to hold a referees' course early in the new year and to make it compulsory for all clubs to supply at least one referee in 1991.

## Successful County Camogie Convention

The Waterford County Camogie Convention held at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, on Sunday last perhaps best epitomises the contentment and air of confidence that prevails throughout the Association within the Decies just now. Contentment whereby the delegates went about their business in a most workmanlike way, led by officers who encouraged rather than discouraged dialogue. Confidence in the future, which does not blind one to the many tasks that lie ahead.

In opening the meeting, the chairperson asked for a minute's silent prayer to mark the passing during the week of Mrs. Power who is daughter of Maureen, the present County Registrar and who is a long-standing member of the Association in the county.

**OFFICERS ELECTED**  
President., Rev. Fr. P. Cooney, C.C.; Vice-President, Mrs. Biddy McGrath; Chairperson, Mrs. Marie Pollard; Vice-chairperson, Miss Orla Flynn; Hon. Secretary, Mrs. Bernie Keane; Asst. Sec., Miss Jacqueline Hutchinson; Hon. Treasurer, Miss Mary

O'Loughlin; Co. Registrar, Mrs. Maureen Power; PRO, T. Cummins; Delegate to Munster Council, Miss Orla Flynn; Delegates to Munster Convention, Marie Pollard and Orla Flynn; Delegates to Congress, Chairperson and one other officer.

### MOTIONS

Of thirteen motions on the clar, four in the name of Butlerstown were lost for want of a seconder and three in the name of St. Saviours were withdrawn.

The following were carried:

That the Co. Board run leagues for all juvenile grades — St. Saviours.

Guidelines be drawn up for clubs to aid the PRO in order to promote a more positive image of camogie in the county — Butlerstown.

That in future all Provincial Council meetings be held at a venue central to all counties. — Lismore.

### NEW FACES

Perhaps it's worth noting that the new officers include two new faces: Miss Orla Flynn is quietly climbing the ladder and Mrs. Bernie Keane, who hails from a family steeped in the Gaelic tradition. Both will contribute immensely to camogie affairs this coming year.

# SOCCER SCENE

## DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C NOTES

### DIVISION 1B LEAGUE

# GREAT BOOST FOR BLUES

DUNGARVAN 4 KILMACKTHOMAS 2

A scintillating first half display of attacking football secured two vital league points for the Blues at Kilrush Park on Saturday evening last, over old rivals Kilmac'

This win should ease the Blues relegation worries and move them up the table and if they continue to play football of this quality, they could still have a major say in the destination of this year's title.

United began this game full of confidence, after last week's result and set about the visitors defence from the opening whistle. The visitors, usually such a tough nut to crack found themselves a goal down after just ten minutes after a brilliantly executed move. A good ball from Crotty found Wall who played the ball wide to Sheehan and the wingers cross was met by Egan who planted the ball firmly into the roof of the net for the opening score.

This was the breakthrough that Dungarvan needed and they took complete control from this point and played some fine football. It was no surprise when they increased their lead after 18 minutes, Burke's pass was headed on by Egan and the inrushing Sheehan fired home number two. The Blues threatened to overwhelm the visitors at this stage and went further ahead in the 25th minute, Wall's header released Egan on the right and his cross was brilliantly headed home by the centre-forward.

A quick break by Kilmac' almost brought them dividends when Power cut inside the defence and his fierce shot was superbly pushed over by Wall. The Blues seemed to lose their momentum towards the end of the half and with just five minutes remaining their citadel was breached. A long ball over the top was picked up by Power and he reduced the leeway just on the break.

The home side once again dominated the early exchanges on the change over and Kilmac's keeper made some excellent saves to prevent the Blues from running riot. Midway through the second half the issue was right back in the melting pot when Kilmac' scored their second completely against the run of play. A long ball from the back caught our defence square and with Wall stranded in no-man's land, the centre forward coolly lobbed the ball over his head into the net.

This gave the initiative to the visitors and they swept

forward in search of the equaliser but our defence held firm and with time running out Sheehan wrapped up the points for the Blues when he headed in Egan's cross.

Our defence of Burke, O'Sullivan, Wade and Cummins were solid all through, while behind them, Wall had one of his better games. Crotty and J. W. (who had his first full outing) worked tirelessly in midfield, while up front Wall, Sheehan and Egan all gave impressive displays.

Team — J. Wall, G. Burke, M. O'Sullivan, B. Wade, S. Cummins, J. W. Power, D. Crotty, L. Crotty, D. Sheehan (capt.), K. Wall, T. Egan. Res. — B. Kirwan for B. Wade, J. Walsh, F. Keniry.

Man of the Match — Martin O'Sullivan.

Referee — Tom Browne.

#### FIXTURES

Saturday, December 8 — Div. 2B League, Dungarvan v. Crusaders, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

Sunday, December 9 — Div. 1B League, Dungarvan v. Bohemians, kick-off 11.30 a.m.; Friendly, M.S.L. v. Abbeyside, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

#### SUBSCRIPTIONS

The annual sub is now due and only paid up members will be selected from this weekend.

#### DARTS & CARDS

The above competitions will continue on this Thursday and Sunday nights.

#### YANKEE DOODLE

No winner last week.

#### OLD FOLKS

#### CHRISTMAS

#### DRAW

The following are the lucky winners of the above draw which was held recently at the Club Pavilion:

John Delaney, 79 Congress Villas; Ml. Duggan, 59 Mitchel Street; Mary Fitzgerald, Emmet Street; Abbie Hayes, 3 Caseyville; Ml. Power, Bookshop, Mary Street; Tara McDonagh, c/o Hospital; Nell Fahy, Keating Street; Maria Hennessy, Ardmore; A. Power, Cappagh; J. Keane, 12 Hillview Drive; Mary Moran, Congress Villas; Liam Barry, Kilmacthomas; Mary Roche, 46 Caseyville; Caroline Crotty, c/o Tom Wall; Ann Street, 22 Kilrush Park; Trena Clarke, Clonea Road; Karen Murray, Ballinacourty; Joe and Mel Walsh, Parklane; B.

McGuire, Cathal Brugh; Muriel Healy, 1 St. Thomas Terrace; Ann Boland, c/o Merry's; Jimmy Sullivan, 4 Keating Street; Gillian Hayes, c/o Bakery; J. Lannon, c/o Telecom Eireann; Eugene O'Mahony, c/o Park House; Kieran O'Connor, c/o Co-op; Ann Power, Boreenatra; Mary Donnelly, 34 Boreenatra; Sev Baumann, Mary Street; Harry Walsh, 62 Congress Villas; M. O'Riordan, c/o Telecom Eireann; Jason Barry, 59 Childers Estate.



P. J. Power, Power's Coaches, Stradbally (on left) presenting a set of jerseys to Liam Simms, who accepted them on behalf of Dungarvan United A.F.C. Included also is Ger Wyley, Sportswear and Footwear, Dungarvan, who supplied the jerseys.

## MUNSTER SENIOR LEAGUE — DIV. 1

# Late Strike Sinks Determined Blues

DUNGARVAN UNITED 0 CROFTON CELTIC 1

Dungarvan played hosts to Crofton Celtic in this middle of the table clash on Sunday last and were narrowly defeated by a late and controversial goal, in a game that was rough and physical with both sides giving no-quarter and asking for none.

This game was a game where defences were on top and Dungarvan's back four were well marshalled by the very experienced Liam Foley. United had to soaked up some early pressure but Coward, Foley, Whelan and Hamilton responded well to the challenge.

The first real chance came after about 12 minutes when the visitor's left back picked up the ball on the halfway line, cut inside and fired a fierce drive that was brilliantly tapped on to the crossbar by Kealan O'Neill. O'Neill was called into action again on two occasions and he again made two top class saves.

Dungarvan began to settle down after this and with Johnny Hughes and Derek Lyons winning the middle of the field battle they in turn brought Ger Beresford and Martin Houlihan into the game. Alan Sheehan and Tony Hamilton were making inroads on the visitors defence, with Sheehan very unlucky on two occasions, as the visiting keeper was equal to his two fine efforts.

Kealan O'Neill again saved Dungarvan, when he turned a long range shot past the post, to keep the game scoreless. The first half ended with both sides trying to gain supremacy.

The second half started as the first finished with both defences on top, and the game was nullified for about 15 minutes. Then with 30 minutes remaining

Dungarvan went in search of the winner. They went close on two occasions with Alan Sheehan, who was by now playing a lone roll up front, coming close, when he fired across the face of the goal, but there was no one on hand to tap the ball home. Martin Houlihan also came close when he almost forced the ball over the line.

In a rare attack by Crofton Celtic, they broke through a very resilient Dungarvan defence and yet again O'Neill was on hand to make another top class save.

The game was coming to a close and both sides seemed settled for a share of the spoils. But with under three minutes remaining, a break up the right flank saw the winger fire in a cross that was forced over the line by the hand of the Crofton forward! The referee clearly unsighted gave the goal.

Dungarvan, try as they might, attacked in the remaining minutes and almost snatched the equaliser, when George Hamilton crossed to Alan Sheehan, but his header was just over.

Overall Dungarvan's performance was very pleasing and their work rate and effort throughout the game should have yielded better dividends for them. Their lack of getting forward on two occasions cost them certain goals and Alan Sheehan seemed to be

playing a lone roll up front.

Their performance defensively could not be faulted and the experience of Liam Foley in the centre of defence most have a lot to do with this. O'Neill was superb over the ninety minutes and was Dungarvan's man of the match. Their midfield fought hard all through but it was evident that they were more defensive than attacking. Alan

Sheehan once again had a fine game for United with Tony Hamilton also showing well.

Team — Kealan O'Neill, George Hamilton, Liam Foley, Willie Coward, Ber Whelan, M. Houlihan, Derek Lyons (capt.), Johnny Hughes, Ger Beresford, Tony Hamilton, Alan Sheehan. Res. — Brian Whelan (used), Mickey Hickey, David Sheehan.

### Ballinroad A.F.C. Notes — DIVISION 3B

## Ballinroad Give Poor Display

BALLINROAD 1 PARK RANGERS 3

Even the advantage of an early Les Delahunty goal failed to inspire Ballinroad in this vital league tie at Ballinroad on Saturday, November 24.

Ballinroad should have had this game wrapped up at half time but poor finishing and being completely outplayed in the second half, cost them dearly.

### UNDER-13'S

## Ballinroad Climb Table

ST. SAVIOURS 1 BALLINROAD 3

Ballinroad travelled to Ballybeg on Saturday, November 24 and turned in a top class display to gain two valuable league points. Ballinroad scorers were Nick Thompson, Jason Kavanagh and Sean Kelleher.

### SEAVIEW CO-OP DRAW

The second draw will be held next Saturday night, December 8 in Passage East at 9 p.m.

### GOOD WORKOUT

Ballinroad had a good workout against Dungarvan on Sunday morning last and the game ended in a 3-3 draw.

### FIXTURES

Under-15's at home to Bolton, kick-off 2.30 p.m.; Under-13's away to Bolton, kick-off 10.30 a.m.

# SOCCER SCENE



## ABBEYSIDE A.F.C. NOTES — DIVISION 1B

# TITLE CHASE HOTS UP

ST. JOSEPH'S 1 ABBEYSIDE 1

Abbeyside confirmed their title potential with a well deserved away point at unbeaten league leaders St. Joseph's on Saturday last. Much heralded St. Joseph's were left reeling by an Abbeyside team to whom reputations mean nothing. Indeed if the game was decided on shots on targets and general pressure the Villagers would have been easy winners.

Instead a bizarre goal by St. Joseph's coupled with some equally bizarre refereeing decisions meant a share of the spoils was the best Abbeyside could get.

St. Joseph's started off confidently enough with county hurling star, Crowley impressing, but soon Abbeyside shook them out of their stride with some fierce tackling and no small measure of skill. T. Wade, Jerome Kiely with a superb drive and Jim Kiely all had shots narrowly wide and J. O'Riordan had a header cleared off the line by Flanagan with McGovern, Curran and J. T. Kiely making inroads into the St. Joseph's defence it seemed only a matter of

time for the Reds to take the lead, but stout-hearted defending by the leaders kept the Reds at bay.

St. Joseph's had the upper hand leading up to half time, but great defending by M. O'Riordan, the cool head of Woods and Reynolds gave keeper K. Tobin a safe area. Tom Cahill after a slow start was now commanding the left and even found time to set the attacks in motion with some great passes forward.

The half ended scoreless and the second half began with Abbeyside on the attack and John Curran and T. Wade were unlucky with long range efforts. Jerome Kiely now commanded the midfield and was able to

set up many of Abbeyside's attacks. Then a free was given to St. Joseph's for a mysterious hand ball and from the resultant cross the ball was met by a St. Joseph's player who headed against the bar. The ball crashed off the bar and rebounded off another St. Joseph's player and into the net, for a totally undeserved lead.

This however stung the Villagers into action and two minutes later a move involving T. Wade, J. O'Riordan and Fran McGovern ended with Joe O'Riordan heading firmly past the home keeper to equalise.

Abbeyside went on the hunt for the winner and Fran McGovern was most unlucky when a splendid

drive crashed against the underside of the bar only to bounce out. Joe Riordan had a goal disallowed despite being clearly onside, a fact which the referee acknowledged but claimed another player was interfering with play. It is by such decisions as these that leagues are won and lost. However, the Reds need not feel at all despondent about dropping a point as it's a long league ahead and being a mere four points behind the leaders with the home tie to come, everything is still to play for.

Team — K. Tobin, M. O'Riordan, S. Woods, M. Reynolds, T. Cahill, J. Curran, Jerome Kiely, J. T. Kiely, T. Wade, J. O'Riordan, F. McGovern.

## CAPPOQUIN SOCCER NEWS

# Poor First Half Display Costs Cappoquin

MOGEELY 2

CAPPOQUIN 1

We lost our undefeated run to Mogeely last Sunday. We could claim to be unlucky but that would only be an excuse for a more than poor first half performance in which we found ourselves behind by two goals, both from mistakes too near our own goal. It must be said however, that the first goal was superbly finished.

Our second half performance was a big improvement and we were rewarded with a penalty after 70 minutes, which was converted by Philip Bergin.

For the remainder of the game we only attacked at times rather than keeping up constant pressure which was needed to break down the Mogeely defence.

Playing well for only one half of a game will keep us in Division 2 football for a long time. There will have to be a marked improve-

ment for our home game against Glenview next Sunday.

Team — M. Looby, L. Lacey, J. Cahill, D. Mason, P. Bergin, P. Cullen, F. Murray, M. Lacey, C. O'Leary, R. Walsh, S. Fraher. Sub. — C. Barry for P. Cullen.

Next Sunday we have our local derby game when we take on Glenview at home at 11.30 a.m.

## DUNGARVAN UNITED SCHOOLBOYS NOTES — T.S.B. U-12 LEAGUE

# Brave Effort Not Enough

DUNGARVAN 0 CARRICK 3

Dungarvan put up a very brave performance against a very strong Carrick team in this league game in Kilrush on Saturday last. Carrick who were a much bigger team started as if they would overrun the Blues, but had to wait until 2 minutes to the break before they went in front.

The Blues had the best of the early part of the second half but failed to score and in the last 10 minutes Carrick scored twice more to give them the points.

The young Blues should not feel too down hearted after this defeat as Carrick are league leaders and All-Ireland Community Games champions.

Team — B. Lonergan, P. Foley, M. Coles, J. P. Donnelly, D. Kelleher, M. Fitzgerald, L. Simms, D. Keating, V. Sullivan, D. Truman, S. Sheehan, D. Considine, K. Whelan.

### FIXTURES

Saturday, December 8 — U-13 Dungarvan v. Villa, kick-off 10.30 a.m.; U-15 Carrick v. Dungarvan, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

### UNDER-14 LEAGUE

## Dungarvan Win Exciting Encounter

VILLA 1  
DUNGARVAN 3

United travelled to O'Connor Park last Saturday morning and scored three goals which can only be described as coming out of the top drawer, in this pul-

sating and highly exciting game.

The game commenced evenly enough with both sides committing themselves well to the cause. United appeared to be gaining the upper hand however and made this pressure pay off after 25 minutes when some great play by Mark Hyslop saw him beat four players before delivering an inch perfect pass out to Owen Simms. With a fine first touch and from twenty yards out, "Simmy" fired a marvellous shot over the bewildered keeper and into the roof of the net.

This is how it stayed until the interval, which also spelled the end of the game however, for Mark Hyslop as he retired through injury. This didn't appear to upset the Blues too much as James Cooney was introduced and Ross Power was switched to centre-half. The game ebbed and flowed again as the second half resumed with United's defence of Philip Coles, Derek Foley, Ross Power Kevin O'Connor and James Sheehan between the posts all playing particularly well and with tireless play from Aidan Landers, Tommy Butler, Colin Walsh, "Simmy" and John Leni-

han, the Blues eventually got their just reward when some good interchanging between our midfielders set Philip Coles free and he fired an absolute gem of a shot from all of thirty yards and over the unsuspecting and helpless home keeper.

This fired up the home side as they now came into the game a lot more and eventually broke United's solid defence with a goal which resulted from their continuous pressure. The Blues were now on the rack with most of the play being played in their half. This had a counter-effect however, when, with ten minutes remaining on the clock, United broke free with Colin Walsh scoring a good goal, when he brilliantly held off two defenders before firing an unstoppable shot passed the keeper from ten yards.

This was a marvellous performance by Dungarvan on then whole with particular reference having to be made to the outstanding performance of Ross Power, who after switching to centre-back for the second half, played there as if he had never played anywhere else. A truly magnificent performance by all. Well done lads!

Man of the Match — Ross Power.

Team — J. Sheehan, P. Coles, K. O'Connor, D. Foley, M. Hyslop (inj., capt.), A. Landers, R. Power, T. Butler, C. Walsh, O. Simms, J. Lenihan. Res. — J. Cooney, S. Terry, D. O'Leary.

### UNDER-17 LEAGUE

## Better Display By United

DUNGARVAN 0  
SOUTHEND 2

Dungarvan went into this game with a scoreline of 10-2 fresh in their minds from the last time they met and were determined not to let it happen again. With a new manager in Tony "Briar" Wall at the helm they achieved that.

Dungarvan started well and with a little more punch up front they could have won this game. Southend took the lead from a free-kick after some slack goalkeeping by Alan

Landers gifted the Southend forward with a goal. This was the only score of the first half.

Dungarvan made two changes in the second half bringing on Peter Fitzgerald for Danny Laurence and David Morrissey for new signing Richard Hayes, and this seemed to be working well for a while until John Donnelly had to go off injured.

Southend with the extra man scored a second goal to kill off any hopes Dungarvan may have had of getting a draw. This was a very good performance from Dungarvan who were playing their first game in two months. All the lads can look forward to the rest of the season with enthusiasm after their display.

Man of the Match — Pa Drummy.

N.B. — Anyone interested in playing U-17 football, please be at the club on Tuesday (6 p.m.) and Thursday (6.30 p.m.) nights.

### DISCO

Underage disco this Friday night, December 7 from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Adm. £1. Also disco dancing competition. All are welcome.

## Grange United F.C. Notes

Grange travelled away to Modeligo last Sunday and put up their best performance of the season, but were unlucky to lose by the odd goal in three.

We had the better of the first half exchanges and at half time we led by 1-0, thanks to a Micheal O Domhnaill goal following a Declan Whelan free-kick after Martin Curran was fouled just outside the area.

Modeligo capitalised on two defensive errors in the space of five minutes at the start of the second half and this left Grange with an uphill battle and even though they created numerous chances they were not able to get the equaliser.

Best for Grange were Peter Roche, Declan Whelan, Martin Curran and Sean Wade, who made a welcome return after injury. But the star performer on the day must have been Anthony O'Sullivan, who made numerous good saves throughout the game.

Team — A. O'Sullivan, S. Wade, P. Brown, P. Roche, D. Whelan, D. O'Connor, M. O Domhnaill, N. Heaphy, M. Curran, P. Manahan, D. Drohan. Sub. — D. Mansfield for S. Wade.

### FIXTURE

Sunday, December 9 — Grange v. Lismore, at Grange, kick-off 11.30 a.m.

## Cluichi Na nGael

Rinn O gCuanach 0.9, Baile Ui Dhorain 1.7

Taimid claoidhte an t-seachtain so — faoi ualach broin agus feirge. Ca h-ionga san! An chraobh a bhí faoi dho buaidhte againn sciobtha uainn de aon chuilin amhain 0.9 do 1.7 — 9 scor in aghaidh 8.

Duairt me an t-seachtain seo caite againn go mbeadh an buadh ag an dream a ba mho a bheadh sasta imirt anama a dheanamh. Is mar sin a bhí. Is trua san, ach imirt anama a bhí ann. Tareis tri chluiche ta seachtar dar bhfoireann, Bilest, Carthach, Eoinin, Domhnall, Fionnbarra, Deaglan agus Tomas O Meachair fe churam dochtura. Gearanamar le Coiste An Chonndae, ach sin a raibh de mhaith dhuinn ann — shean An Coiste a fhreagarthacht.

Bionn cead cainnte, adeirtear, ag fear cailte na h-imeartha. Ta san againn, ach de an tuirthe dhuinn e. Nach beag mar chuiteamh iniú e ag na h-imeartha agus ag ar lucht leanuna. Airim daoine ag caint mar gheall ar an meas a bhíonn ar dhaoine a thugann sar-thaisbeantas agus ar an ngradam ata ag dul doibh san a dteipeann ortha ar eigin. Di ceille!

Nil gradam le gabhailt as aon nidh ach buaidh agus is baol na fuil an meon-aighe chuige sin againn. Dha mi siar bhíomar i gcomortaisi fe 12, 14, 16, 18, 21 agus soisear peil agus iomaint agus nior gabhamar go fiú ceann amhain diobh. Caithfidh an do chlaoidhteach imeartha, coist agus leantoirí bheith dirithe ar aon nidh amhain — iomaint agus peil agus buaidh, buaidh, buaidh.

N. O Murchadha, D. O Muirgheasa, D. O Murchadha, T. O Meachair, M. Mac Donnchadha, M. O Droma, S. O Corraoin, C. Mac Craith (0.1), D. O Riagain, E. O Crotaigh, P. O Crotaigh, E. O Corraoin (0.4), S. Mac Craith, F. Breathnach (Capt.) (0-2), N. Mac Craith (0.1).

P. Breathnach (0.1), S. Mac Craith, S. O Conduin, M. O hUallachain, D. O Conchubhair, M. O Faolain, M. O hAodha, B. de Faoit, T. O Corraoin.

D'imir Noel go maith agus Domhnall, Tomas agus Deuglan. Bhi failte ag gach aoinne roimh O Muirgheasa, togha fir. Bhi O Droma, mar is gna, amhaith. Dhein Carthach agus e leonta, cion beirte, i lar na pairce, ach fagadh an iomad le deanamh aige. Eoinin bhi se maith leis, nuair a tugadh go lar-pairce e, agus ghnothaigh se 4 chuilin breagh. Ni raibh an neart chun tosaigh ionainn. Raid Fionnbarra agus Nioclas isteach 3 chuilin aluinn agus bhi Seimin dithcheallach ach nior leor san. Ins na deich noiminti deirmeacha, agus an imirt againn, bhíomar sa t-sli ar a cheile os comhair cuil an fhreasabhraidh.

Ach treith de threithibh an daonai iseadh an dochas agus ta bliain eile ag teacht. Braithfidh toradh na bliana seo chughainn cuid mhor ar ar fhoghlumíodh o imeachtaí na bliana so. Aon achuinne amhain a bheadh agamsa isea na tabharfadh aoinne de na Sean-Fhionnduirí suas go ceann tamaill eile. Ta iarracht eile ionnta agus nil daoine chomh maith leo tagtha anios go foill. Ad multos annos.

Aonach Na Nollag — Beidh An t-aonach a chur ar an Domhnach 9adh la i h-Alla an Phobail, 2 a chlog.



Mr. Michael O'Shea, making a presentation on behalf of West Waterford Branch I.N.T.O. to Mr. Ned Power to mark his retirement from his post as Principal of Tallow N.S. Included are Mrs. Gretta Power, Mrs. Reena O'Shea and Mr. Tony Bates. (Photo: Rory Wyley)

## STRADBALLY G.A.A. NEWS

### WESTERN CHAMPIONS

On Saturday night last our figure dancers became Western champions, when they had a great win in Western Scor in Tallow. Our team of Karen Coffey, Sinead Cunningham, Mary Cusack, Deirdre Casey, Cora Barnes, Margaret O'Neill, Linda O'Mahony, Ann Cunningham, brought great success to the club and are now looking forward to the county final on December 15 in Tallow.

This was a great achievement for all concerned, with the hard work done, so now we look forward to the final.

### HARD LUCK ON QUESTION TIME TEAM

Our question time team of Martina McGrath, Jacqueline Carroll and Michael Barnes were in hard luck and can count themselves most unfortunate not to have made the county final.

### GOOD SHOW BY DANCERS

Our second team in the figure dancing did not make the county final but

in Fiona Barrett, Claire Ahearne, Gail Wade, Kerry Ann Weldon, Ann Marie Power, Martina McGrath, Martina Carey and Tracy Kett, we had good performers. And their day will surely come — with the good work they are doing.

### MUSIC BY "MATTIE"

Our two dancing teams got excellent back-up from Mattie Weldon, who has been a great help to all taking part in our musical and dancing lessons within the club. Keep up the good work.

### EARLY ROUNDS

Spare a thought for all our competitors who took part in the early rounds of Scor. They were all part of the teams — so well done to everybody concerned.

### ON C.B.S. COLLEGE TEAM

Well done to young Michael Barnes who had a great game with the C.B.S. team which were successful in the Munster semi-final recently. Michael is having a great year on this successful side.

### ON DIVISIONAL MINOR TEAMS

Three of our club players, Paul Foley, Oliver Costelloe and George Walsh were on the divisional minor teams which are presently playing every Saturday, which is proving to be a great success for our county minor selectors.

### HUGE SALE OF WORK

The club's Sale of Work last Sunday proved very successful, despite the many distractions. All the usual stalls were sold out, but the spinner proved a huge success and as well the timber was sold out. Great credit goes to all concerned particularly the ladies who worked and baked for this event.

Some of the lucky winners were — Mrs. Bowdren, Walsh Place, Kilmacthomas; Mr. Charles Dunford, Carrighilla, Stradbally; Mr. Joseph Curran, Seafield, Bonmahon, Christmas Cake to Ms. Maureen O'Sullivan, Island Stradbally. Full report next week.

### ON COUNTY TEAMS

Our club players were involved with the county teams last week. Tomas Gough was with the footballers plus Joe Curran as selector, with Pat Curran involved with the county hurlers.

### INTER-FIRMS ALL-IRELAND

On Sunday next, December 9, our two club players Pat Curran and Michael Coffey will be playing in the All-Ireland Inter-Firms final in Walsh Park. Both played leading roles in the semi-final last weekend in Dublin. Here's wishing them the best of luck.

### PRESENTATION OF UNDER-21 TROPHIES

Our club player Michael O'Brien received his county Under-21 trophy which he won with the county team recently. This was presented to him in Lawlor's Hotel. Our Club

Secretary, Michael Coffey is a selector on this county team.

### SENIOR SCOR

Senior Scor will shortly be with us, so I'm sure all club competitors will be getting ready. I have heard rumours that we could have a set this year — we hear that some are rearing to go?

### THE LATE MR. ROBERT WHELAN

The club lost one of its great servants last weekend, when Mr. Bobby Whelan was called to his eternal reward. Bobby was a great clubman down through the years and never lost interest in club affairs. His coffin was draped in the club colours and all club members were present on both occasions.

The club extends its deepest sympathy to his family and friends. May he rest in peace.

## Dungarvan Hockey Club Notes

### Dungarvan O, Harlequins O

On Saturday last Dungarvan played a home match against Harlequins. The first ten minutes were very even and Dungarvan knew they were in for a hard game. Dungarvan's team work soon put them on top with both Mary Ronayne at right inner and Tess Reynolds as right winger in great form.

Dungarvan's first chance went to Siobhan Kelly who hit the ball inches wide. Soon after this another chance from Christine O'Keeffe was cleared off the line. Martha Hartnett also failed to score from a lovely cross during the first half.

In the second half Dungarvan continued to dominate with the defence and midfield on top. A few great goalkeeping saves stopped Dungarvan from going ahead as the pressure was piled on. It just wasn't our day. Dungarvan continued to dominate until the final whistle but could not

get that goal.

From what we have seen of Harlequins, Dungarvan will have a tough cup match in two weeks time. The forwards will need to improve their goal scoring but at the end of the day we can still say our unbeaten run continues!

Best of Dungarvan were Claire Morrissey, Martina Moore, Mary Ronayne, Tess Reynolds. Player of the match: Tess Reynolds. Dungarvan Umpire: Louise Neylin.

Dungarvan: Avicé Kiely, Claire Morrissey, Angela Cashin, Bernie Power, Ann Bones, Mary Ronayne, Martina Moore, Ann Sweeney, Tess Reynolds, Martha Hartnett, Christine O'Keeffe, Siobhan Kelly, Paula Veale.

### SYMPATHY

Dungarvan Hockey Club would like to extend their sincere sympathy to our club member and friend Grainne Kelly on the sudden death of her father.

## Notai CLG An tSean Phobail

The club held its annual general meeting last Friday night in the dressing rooms. The large crowd in attendance was addressed by the Chairman Michael Hogan who gave a run down of the achievements of the club during the past year.

John Murphy, Secretary, said that while the club did not again achieve its prime objective of winning a junior title, it was still a considerable achievement to qualify from our group for a place in the quarter-finals. John did not seek re-election. He has spent five years as Secretary and said while he enjoyed his involvement in the club, he thought it was time for a change. Michael French, Vice-Chairman, did not seek re-election either. Maurice Wade, Treasurer, submitted a comprehensive

financial report.

The election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows: Joint Presidents, An t-Athair O Dalaigh and Charles Mansfield; Chairman, Michael Hogan; Vice-Chairman, John Murphy; Secretary, Martin Curran; Assistant do., Joe Salmon; Treasurer, Maurice Wade; PRO, Miceal Toibin. Committee: Bridie Walsh, Poilin Power, Tim Power, James Kirwan, Michael Mahoney, Michael Kelly.

It was agreed to field a junior football team and for the first time in years we decided to field a junior 'B' hurling team.

Football team captain, Declan French; vice-captain, Declan Whelan. Selectors for the football are: captain, trainer, Michael French, P. J. Mahoney and

Tim Power.

Hurling captain, J. Salmon; vice-captain, Martin Curran. Selectors: captain, trainer, Miceal Toibin and John Murray.

The results of the progressive 45 drive in the Marine Bar last Wednesday night were, on 10 games, A. Lenane and J. Morrissey. The jackpot is £300 on 12 games.

Last Saturday night our Scor team competed in the Western final in three competitions. We got through in two: Recitation and Nuachleas. Hard luck on our instrumental group who, nonetheless, did us proud.

We tender our deepest sympathy to Joe Gavan and family on the death of his mother who died recently. Go ndeana Dia trocaire uirthi. — Miceal Toibin, PRO.



# Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes

## REVIEWING A MEMORABLE YEAR

The glories of 1990 — and there were many — will be reviewed next Tuesday night at what we expect will be the best attended annual general meeting for many years.

The Conway Cup, the silver symbol of senior football supremacy in the Decies, will adorn the meeting. And why not after a wait of 36 long years to regain the coveted title.

I have not doubt there will be comprehensive reports from our chairman Paddy Fitzgerald and secretary Maura Curran, and treasurer Noel Sheehan. Discussion and debate will be on an "open house" basis, so those who may have something to say about the running of the club next year (or indeed about how it was run this year) will have ample opportunity to do so next Tuesday night.

## MASS

Preceding the Annual General Meeting at 7.30 will be the now customary Mass for all deceased club members. This year the Mass will be celebrated in St. Mary's Church, and as it is such an integral part of the A.G.M. occasion I hope there will be a big turnout.

## LOOKING A PICTURE

The stone picking has now been completed at our new playing grounds, and John McLoughlin and his team of volunteers are to be congratulated and thanked on a job of work exceedingly well done. Certainly we are indebted to them for all their voluntary help.

I took a stroll to the venue last weekend and I could only describe it as looking a picture. Believe me when all the work is done and we are ready to move in we will be moving to a "home" second to none.

This week it is hoped a start will be made in the tree planting which in time will act as a very effective shelter belt. Volunteers will again be welcome.

## PRESENTATIONS

Our three players who had a such a major input into Waterford's winning of the Under-21 football South-East league earlier this year received their trophies at a function in Lawlor's Hotel last Friday night.

The trio were Eddie Burke, John Ferncombe and Brian Dillon, all of whom are eligible for the Under-21 grade again in the coming year.

## THE BIG DRAW

Yes it's that time of year again and we should be ready to launch the annual

G.A.A. Co-op Development Draw around the middle of the month.

Through the generous support we have received in all previous draws we have been able to purchase our own grounds which of course are now at an advanced stage of development. Funds however, remain very urgently needed, and after the honour and glory we brought to the Old Boro this year by winning the senior football championship we are confident the townspeople will support this latest draw even more generously than they have in the past.



## FINAL MEETING

The executive committee had its final meeting of the year on Wednesday night this week when the finalisation of preparations for the A.G.M. took precedence.

It really has been a year of hectic activity for the executive, every member of which pulled his and her weight to the full. While not wishing to pre-empt the decision of the annual general meeting, I would hope none of the outgoing members will stand down — despite the tremendous workload being involved on the executive carriers. I'm sure too an enlargement of the committee would be possible for anyone genuinely willing to serve.

## SCOR NA nOG

Both our Western finalists in Scor na nOg at the

C.B.S. last Saturday night came through with flying colours and will now be the club standardbearers in the county finals which take place in Tallow's Community Centre on Saturday night week.

Claire Murphy represented us in solo singing, and her impressive rendering of "Michael" (a tribute to Michael Collins) won her a ticket to the county final.

Our ballad group too performed excellently and well deserved to go through. The quintet in the group are Catherine Wright, Sandra O'Mahony, Helena Clancy, Elva Kelly and Claire Murphy. Fine girls ye are.

## ON COUNTY DUTY

Despite defeat our three men on county senior football duty against Wexford last Sunday, Peter Ferncombe, Eddie Burke and team captain Dermot Callaghan all played well. Peter in fact emerged as top scorer for the side with 1-1.

Meanwhile next Sunday we have three of our hurlers in action in a county trial at Ardmore which is being sponsored by Waterford Crystal. The trio are David and Eddie Burke and Martin "Hud" Kelly.

## LATE BRENDA BUCKLEY

The sincere sympathy of everyone in the club is extended to Denny Buckley of Lismore on the tragic death of his wife Brenda last weekend after a brief illness.

On and off the field Denny has had many links with us and we have always recognised him for what he was — a great hurling goalkeeper and sportsman.

Ar Dheis Dé go raibh a h-anam dilis.

# Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Club Notes

## "GIVING A HAND"

County hurling coach, Peter Power has been in Abbeyside N.S. recently where he has been giving the boys "a hand" with their hurling. Peter returns for another coaching session on this Friday morning, December 7, between 9.30 a.m. and 12 noon.

## ST. AUGUSTINE'S MARCH ON

While on the topic of schools, last week we mentioned the progress of Dungarvan CBS, but omitted the name of our own Patrick Veale from the lineup. This week we focus our attention on the Friary College who in the past two weeks have had victories in

Munster hurling and football competitions.

In the football they just shaded it against Rockwell College (2-5 to 1-7), while in the hurling they were too good for Lismore CBS.

The club have quite a contingent of players in action in both codes, namely Johnny Shields, Gavin Breen, Eoin Murray, Brian Beatty, Alan Landers, Pat Ormond, Damian Cliffe and Jimmy Stacey.

Here's wishing both the CBS and Friary the best of luck in the remainder of the competitions.

## FOUNDATIONS BEING LAID

As the year draws to a close, it's heartening to

# Thirteen Man Ballydurn Side Just Shade Replay

## BALLYDURN 1-7 RING 0-9

The Ballydurn/Ring saga was finally settled at Fraher Field, Dungarvan, on Sunday last when three hours of gruelling hurling ended with Ballydurn being crowned junior "A" hurling county champions.

After two draws, last Sunday's tussle had to produce a winner, and on this occasion the Eastern champions proved best in a close and bruising contest as they shaded the verdict by a point.

Their win was all the more meritorious as they held on in a close finish having been reduced to thirteen men during the course of the game.

Just a minute before half time corner back Noel Harney was sent to the line and seven minutes from the end centre forward Jason Boland received his marching orders and in truth some other individuals were decidedly lucky to have been allowed finish the game.

The numerical disadvantage was overcome by Ballydurn who held on in a welter of excitement against mounting Ring pressure in the closing stages.

Played on a strength sapping sod both sides gave total commitment but on this occasion the winners proved the more durable on the day while Ring seemed to run out of steam at a vital stage in the second half.

The issue was again close and the score which ulti-

mately decided the game came in the eighth minute when Michael Hubbard goaled for Ballydurn.

This goal kept the Eastern side in touch in a first half dominated for the most part by Ring who were, however, anything but flattered by their narrow 0-5 to 1-1 lead at half time.

Finbarr Walsh stretched Ring's lead with a point four minutes after the change over and there were strong hopes of a Western victory. Within thirty seconds however Michael Hubbard shot a point for Ballydurn and the same player sent over three more minors without reply during a period of Ballydurn dominance.

A great point from Eugene Curran direct from a sideline cut in the 45th minute followed by a Carthac Mac Craith point a minute later brought the sides level again at 0-8 to 1-5.

Jason Boland pointed for Ballydurn in the 47th minute and John Harney shot over another point three minutes later to leave the Eastern champions two points clear.

It was a rearguard action for them for the remainder of the game as Ring fought for a winning score. Finbarr Walsh was unlucky in the 55th minute when his effort was taken off the line by corner back John Halley.

Two minutes from time Eugene Curran sent over a point from a free to leave just a point between the sides but despite further pressure Ballydurn held on to take the title.

Ring missed too many chances on the day to have any cause for complaint at the result for while the Gaeltacht side got match winning chances they lacked fire power up front and could have done with someone of the calibre of Ballydurn's Michael Hubbard.

Hubbard was the winners scorer-in-chief and as well was their man of the match. He got good assistance on the day from John Halley, Jim Harney, Peter Queally, John Harney, Jason Boland (until sent off) and Tony Boland.

Ring's best on the day were Donal Murphy, Miceal Drummey, Carthac Mac Craith, Eugene Curran and Eamonn Crotty.

Scorers: Ballydurn — M. Hubbard 1-4; B. McCormack, J. Boland and John Harney 0-1 each. Ring — E. Curran 0-4; F. Walsh 0-2; N. Og Mac Craith, C. Mac Craith and P. Walsh 0-1 each.

Ballydurn — B. Walsh; J. Halley, Jim Harney, B. Cummins; K. Dunphy, P. Queally, T. Kirwan; John Harney, D. Dunphy; M. Hubbard, J. Boland, P. Foran; B. McCormack, T. Boland, N. Harney. Subs. — N. Halley for P. Foran.

Ring — N. Murphy; D. Morrissey, D. Murphy, T. Maher; M. Drummey, S. Curran, M. Mac Donchadha; C. Mac Craith, D. Regan; E. Crotty, P. Crotty, E. Curran; S. McGrath, F. Walsh, N. Og Mac Craith. Subs — P. Walsh for Regan; S. Mac Craith for T. Maher; T. Maher for P. Crotty.

Ref. — J. M. Kelly.

## National Titles For Cappoquin/Ballinameela Athletes

History was made in Galway on Sunday week when our under-17 girls cross country team gave a brilliant performance in the National Cross Country final where they won second team prize, being narrowly beaten by Ballina, with Kilkenny City H.R.S. in third place.

Team members — Clair Maher, Corinna Walsh, Niamh Scanlan, Sinead Coughlan, Martha Cahill, Lorraine Maher.

## KIERAN WINS TWO NATIONAL MEDALS

In the boys under-17, Kieran Maher was our only athlete competing and as usual he gave a brilliant performance, winning two national medals — an individual medal and also being a member of the Munster Region team that won the gold. Well done to all.

**LIGHT WEEKEND PROGRAMME****Replay of the U-21 'B' Hurling Western Final Holds Centre Stage****Ballyduff and Modeligo/St. Marys To Meet Again**

Because of the fact that extra time must be played, if needed, in the replay of the Under-21 hurling final at Cappoquin, the Divisional Championships will definitely come to a close on Saturday next. The winners will meet the Eastern champions, St. Saviours at the Fraher Field on the following week-end, after which all playing activity will cease until the new year, as far as this Division is concerned. The only outstanding game apart from this is the replay of the Faha v. Newtown in-

termediate football final and this will be played on the following Sunday at Walsh Park.

The replay at Cappoquin on Saturday at 2.30 p.m. will hold centre-stage on a week-end of no other playing activity and if the clash compares with the good standard of skill and commitment displayed on last Saturday, the game will be well worth seeing.

**TRIAL**

The final hurling trial will take place at Ardmore on

Sunday and details of the respective panels for the game are listed elsewhere.

**UNDER-21 FOOTBALL TRIAL**

A total of 36 players have been notified for a County trial to be held at St. Augustine's College grounds at 2 p.m. on Sunday next. The idea is to select a panel to train for the defence of their South Eastern League title and it is expected that their first game will be played on December 30.

**Lismore's Great Achievement**

When the Lismore club won the county Under-21 hurling final after defeating Cnoc Sion in a tremendous game at Fraher Field on Sunday week, they established a unique record, that is not likely to be equalled in a long time, if ever.

It was the first time that the 'grand-slam' was achieved in the county and it certainly augurs well for the future of the club, who have been battling unsuccessfully to win a senior hurling title in recent times.

Here are the details of their many victories.

**UNDER-21 HURLING**

This is the only one of the five championships which is confined to the Western division and in beating Abbeyside by 7-5 to 0-4 in the final, Lismore took this title (Brother Sheehan Cup) for the tenth successive

time (1981 to 1990). This team was captained by William Cunningham.

**UNDER-14 HURLING**

Captained by Seamus Clancy, the club won this title for the seventh successive season in the West when they defeated Abbeyside by 4-6 to 2-4. In the county final they beat St. Saviours by 3-6 to 1-1.

In this grade, Lismore also won the Feile na Gael competition for the fourth successive season (their seventh in all) when beating St. Saviours by 6-3 to 1-1. This was their seventh

time representing the county in Feile na Gael.

**UNDER-16 HURLING**

When they beat Dungarvan in a tight final by 1-4 to 1-3, Lismore, captained by Paddy O'Donnell, took this title for their eighth successive year. Again it was St. Saviours who opposed them in the county final and the scoreline in favour of the Western champions, of 1-11 to 0-3 tells the story of that one.

**MINOR HURLING**

Lismore have won four of the last six county minor hurling titles, '85, '88, '87

and '90 and have won the last four divisional titles in a row. In the Western final this year, the side captained by Paddy Nugent beat Dungarvan by 2-21 to 3-5 before going on to defeat Roanmore by 1-12 to 2-7 in a thriller.

**UNDER-21 HURLING**

Captained by Paul Prendergast, who was the young hurler of the year in '87, Lismore captured the divisional title by defeating Cappoquin 0-6 to 0-7 and retained the cup which they won in the previous season.

Then came that memorable game against a splendid Mount Sion side which ended in a welter of excitement and giving Lismore their hardest won title of the year on a scoreline of 4-7 to 4-6. The excitement of players and supporters when their club secretary and county vice-chairman, Jimmy O'Gorman, presented the trophy, gave a clear idea of what winning the 'grand-slam' meant to the club.

As I have written at the outset it was a marvellous achievement and was something unique as far as our records go. As I have said on previous occasions, the groundwork for all these successes at underage level began in their hurling nursery at the C.B.S. Primary Schools and all credit to the great clubmen led by Rev. Brother Dormer and many others who took such pains to instil the skills of hurling into these young players, who must take Lismore to the top in the very near future.

We will all watch their progress to this end, with great interest.

**Divisional Minor Championship**

The special Divisional minor championship continued at St. Augustine's College grounds, Dungarvan on Saturday last.

In the first game West Waterford had to give way to a slicker Urban East side after a fast and exciting game of football. Final score: Urban East 2-14, West Waterford 2-10.

West Waterford team: Noel Downey (St. Olivers), Brendan Cullinan (Brickey Rangers), David Cullinane (Cappoquin/Affane), Glen Moloney (Clashmore/Kinsalebeg), Ger Ryan (Clashmore/Kinsalebeg), Stephen Morrissey (Nire), Brian Ronayne (St. Olivers), Anthony O'Sullivan (An Gaeltacht), Kieran Cullinane (Cappoquin/Affane), Seamus McGrath (Clashmore/Kinsalebeg), Michael Fenton (Clashmore/Kinsalebeg), Kieran O'Keefe (Shamrocks), Paddy Curran (Brickey Rangers), Wm. Cusack (Kilrossanty), Shay Harty (An Gaeltacht).

In the second game Mid County scored a narrow victory over the Rural East in a close fought and sometimes tough encounter. Final score: Mid County 2-8, Rural East 2-6.

Rural East — F. McCarthy (Kilmacthomas), P. Murphy (Ballyduff), P. McGrath (Kilmacthomas), D. Power (St. Marys), S. Larkin (Ballyduff), C. Kiely (Tramore), J. Lacey (Portlaw), D. Lonergan (Tramore), V. Murray (Rathgormack), C. Whelan (St. Marys), Ed. Power (St. Marys), A. Reynolds (Tramore), J. Guilman (Portlaw), Tim Cronin (Dunhill/Fenor), N. O'Brien (Tramore).

Mid County — Alan Landers (Abbeyside), D. Mulhearn (Kilrossanty), P. Foley (Stradbally), J. Burns (St. Patricks), B. Lyons (Dungarvan), J. Morrissey (do.), T. Morrissey (do.), J. Tutty (do.), Pat Ormond

(do.), F. Cunningham (do.), O. Costelloe (Stradbally), J. Stacey (Abbeyside), D. Cliffe (Abbeyside), B. McGrath (St. Patricks), N. O'Connor (Kilrossanty), Sub. W. Cusack.

The situation in the competition now is as follows: Mid County lead the table with four points, with Urban East and West Waterford tied on two points. But it is the closeness of the scoring differences that make this weekend's games so interesting: Urban East +1 (36 to 35) versus West Waterford 0 (28 to 28). Of course three teams could end up with four points, making scoring differences even more important.

West Waterford will make it difficult for Mid County, but the table suggests Mid County must be fancied. For the Rural East, places in the final County Minor football panel are still to be played for and they are sure to push Urban East all the way on Saturday.

**McGrath Cup**

When the open draw in the 1991 senior football championship was decided, the Munster Council decided that the change would not alter the format of the McGrath Cup competition and regardless of how Cork or Kerry fare, only the other four — Waterford, Clare, Tipperary and Limerick — will play in the cup competition.

The competition will be played on May 5 or 12 and the venues are: if Waterford v. Tipperary, at Dungarvan and if Waterford v. Clare, at Ennis.

**Munster Championship Fixtures 1991**

The Council recently appointed dates and venues for all the 1991 championships as follows:

**SENIOR AND JUNIOR HURLING**

Waterford v. Kerry, May 5, 1991 at Killarney; Limerick v. Clare, May 5, 1991 at Limerick; Cork v. Waterford/Kerry, June 2, 1991 at Thurles or Pairc Ui Caoimh; Tipperary v. Limerick/Clare, June 9, 1991 at Thurles or Limerick.

Senior final to be played on July 7, 1991; Junior final to be played on June 21, 1991.

**SENIOR AND JUNIOR FOOTBALL**

Kerry v. Clare, May 26, 1991 at Ennis; Limerick v. Tipperary, June 25, 1991 at Askeaton; Cork v. Kerry/Clare at Killarney or Ennis; Waterford v. Tipperary/Limerick, June 23, 1991 at Dungarvan or

Clonmel. Senior final to be played on July 21, 1991; Junior final to be played on June 28, 1991.

**UNDER-21 FOOTBALL**

Waterford v. Limerick, March 18, 1991 (Monday) at Kilmallock; Tipperary v. Cork, March 18, 1991 at Pairc Ui Caoimh; Kerry v. Waterford/Limerick, March 30, 1991 (Saturday) at Dungarvan or Ballylongford; Clare v. Tipperary/Cork, March 30, 1991 at Ennis or Limerick.

UNDER-21 HURLING  
Clare v. Limerick, June 19, 1991 at Limerick; Kerry v. Waterford, June 19, 1991 at Dungarvan; Tipperary v. Clare/Limerick at Ennis or Thurles;

Cork v. Kerry/Waterford at Kanturk or Pairc Ui Caoimh; Final on July 7, 1991.

**MINOR FOOTBALL**

Kerry v. Clare, May 8, 1991 at Magh Mhaen; Cork v. Limerick, May 15, 1991 at Kilmallock; Tipperary v. Kerry/Clare, July 10, 1991 at Clonmel or Limerick; Waterford v. Cork/Limerick, July 10, 1991 at Middleton or Tipperary.

**MINOR HURLING**

Cork v. Kerry, April 24, 1991 at Togher; Clare v. Waterford, April 17, 1991 at Tipperary; Tipperary v. Cork/Kerry, May 1, 1991 at Limerick or Thurles; Limerick v. Clare/Waterford, May 1, 1991 at Ennis or Thurles; Munster final on July 7 or July 17, 1991.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

## NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

# Disappointing Display By Footballers

WEXFORD 2-14 WATERFORD 2-4

The late withdrawal of Eoin O'Brien, Fintan O'Brien and Pat Walsh through 'flu and the non-availability of Carthac MacCraith and Peter Queally who were playing in the junior hurling county final left the county team almost decimated as they lined out against Wexford for their final pre-Christmas game.

Despite this unavoidable weakness in the team, it was Waterford who dominated from the start, but amazingly failed to score from some fine chances which came their way in the first quarter. Dermot

Callaghan might have had a couple of early goals after breaking through, but struck the upright with one — the second ball going wide. There were other inexplicable misses during this period and after 15 minutes the game was without a score.

The first came after a Wexford breakaway and Brendan O'Gorman sent to the net for the lead, which was totally against the run of play up to this point. When Peter Ferncombe goaled in the 17th minute Waterford had hopes of containing the visitors. Wexford, however, took over control at midfield and several Waterford switches failed to stem the tide that now seemed to be running against the home side. We did not score again during this half and at the break we were 1-1 to 1-0 in arrears.

Peter Ferncombe and Jim Maher both pointed after the resumption and a Waterford resurgence looked on. But it was Wexford who began to dominate from here on and their greater physical strength became a telling factor. In the 42nd minute Jim Maher sent wide when a goal looked certain and immediately after this, Wexford's Billy Dodd goaled after a great move involving a number of players.

Liam Daniels had our second goal in the 50th minute, but unfortunately at this stage it was too late as victory was beyond our reach.

Scorers: Wexford — B. Dodd 1-4; B. O'Gorman 1-0; P. Condon, J. Jevans, L. Rafter, M. Kavanagh and N. Fitzhenry 0-2 each. Waterford — P. Ferncombe 1-1; L. Daniels 1-0; J. Maher 0-2; P. White 0-1.

Wexford — G. O'Connor; P. Harrington, J. O'Gorman, J. Banville; B. Kirwan, J. Harrington, B. O'Gorman; L. Rafter, J. Roche; G. Waters, B.

Dodd, M. Kavanagh; N. Fitzhenry, C. Jevans, P. Condon. Subs. — M. Stafford for Waters; G. Halligan for Dodd; M. Furlong for Kavanagh.

Waterford — T. Brennan; P. Power, T. Walsh, E. Burke; L. Dalton, M. McGrath, T. Gough; L. Daniels, P. White; P. Ferncombe, D. Kiely, D. Callaghan; G. Walsh, J. Maher, P. Hynes. Subs. — M. Power for Kiely; J. McGrath for Maher.

Referee — Ml. Griffin (Clare).

## Senior Hurling Final Trial

The above sponsored by Waterford Crystal takes place on Sunday next, December 9 in Ardmore at 2 p.m.

(35 minutes a-side): Referee — John Moore.

SENIOR PANEL — Ray Sheridan, Pat Curran, Paudie Prendergast, Paul Murray, Stephen Burns, Brian Greene, Pat Ryan, Liam O'Connor, Damien Byrne, Billy O'Sullivan, Anthony Qualter, Niall Warren, Stephen Frampton, Jimmy Beresford, Ger Fitzpatrick, Daithi Foran, Shane Ahearne, Sean Cullinane, Eamonn Cullinane, Noel Crowley, Eddie

Nolan, Michael Walsh, Kieran Delahunty, Kevin McGrath, Pat Fanning, Noel Dalton, Eddie Burke, Martin Kelly, Paul Curley, Mark Corcoran, Owen Hickey, Liam Og Daniels, Brendan Crowley, Dave Barry, Pat Tobin, Eoin Dunphy, Joe Kennedy, Johnny Brenner, Paul Prendergast, Dermot Henley and Mossy O'Keefe.

All players to be in attendance by 1.30 p.m.

## Victorious Ballydurn

The battle for the 1990 junior hurling county title ended in a welter of great excitement when the Eastern champions, Ballydurn, held on to a single point lead to deny a gallant Gaeltacht team their first title in the grade. It was full-blooded stuff all the way and like the draw and first replay, no quarter was asked or given and the big crowd who turned up, many of them late because of some confusion about the starting time, will remember the hectic finish to this epic for a long time to come.

Many felt it a pity that there had to be a loser as An Rinn, having battled very courageously, looked like scoring that one point to make it yet another draw and sending the final into extra time.

The jubilation after the final whistle showed what winning their third county junior hurling title meant to

the Newtown based club, who will have very little time to celebrate because of their upcoming replay with Faha in intermediate football on Sunday week.

County Board Chairman, Frankie Cullinane presented the cup to the victorious team in the presence of hundreds of their delighted supporters.

## SCORES

N.F.L. Wexford 2-14; Waterford 2-4

Junior Hurling Co. Final Replay  
Ballydurn 1-7; An Rinn 0-9U-21 Hurling 'B'  
Ballyduff 1-10; Modeligo/  
St. Mary's 1-10

## Coaching Programme

Monday, December 10 — Modeligo N.S. 9.30 a.m. to 12.15 p.m.; Glenbeg N.S. 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Tuesday, December 11 — Ardmore N.S. 9.30 a.m. to 12.15 p.m.; Grange N.S. 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Wednesday, December 12 — Fewes N.S. 9.30 a.m. to 11.30 a.m.; Kill N.S. 12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Thursday, December 13 — Kilrossanty N.S. 9.30 a.m. to 12 p.m.; Clonea N.S. 12.45 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Friday, December 14 — Ballymacarbry N.S. 9.30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

## Under-21 Football Presentation

Trophies won by the county Under-21 football team in the South Eastern League, were presented to the players at a very enjoyable function held at Lawlor's Hotel on Friday evening last.

Members of the panel who were involved and county and Coisde Na Peil officials were present. Michael Brophy, team manager after thanking the members of the panel for their efforts and their dedication, announced that the majority of this panel will be available for next year.

The trophies were presented by P. J. Coleman, County P.R.O. on behalf of the Board.

## County Board Meeting

The December meeting of the County Board will be held in Dungarvan on Wednesday of next week and it will be the last of the present season.

The agenda will include an up-to-date report on the matter of the county hurling coach and there will be reports from the various committees.

Also on the agenda will be the appointment of county junior hurling selectors for the coming season. It is expected also that time will be allowed for a discussion on the format for the 1991 championships.

## Big Gate

The overall gate receipts for this year's junior hurling county final must surely have reached an all-time record. Big crowds turned up for all three matches and on last Sunday the receipts exceeded £1,500.

## Conventions

On next week, I will write a convention commentary and give as much up-to-date information as possible on the Western and county meetings which will be held in January.

## Sympathy

Our very sincere sympathy is extended to very well-known Lismore Clubman and player, Denny Buckley on the very sad and unexpected death of his young wife, Brenda, which occurred over the week-end.

Passage East born Brenda was an extremely popular young lady and her unexpected passing after a comparatively short illness came as a terrible shock to Denny, her family and many friends and it is understandable that the sad news was received with genuine regret and caused much grief all over the town.

Denny, who played in goal on the county hurling team, gave years of outstanding service to his club, both as a player and administrator and was deeply involved in the promotion of the game at juvenile level.

The entire Lismore Club as well as hundreds of sympathisers turned out for the removal of her remains and for her burial on Sunday morning. Ar dheis De go raibh a h-anam.

## John Moore Honoured



For his outstanding performance as referee in the 1990 Munster Senior Hurling final between Cork and Tipperary at Thurles in July, Waterford referee John Moore has been voted as referee of the year by the Munster Referees Committee.

John, whom we see as the obvious choice, will receive his award at a function to be held at the Ashling Hotel, Dublin on this Saturday night.

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