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Call For Government Action To Tackle Coast Erosion In Waterford

Fine Gael MEP for Munster John Cushman has called on the new government to take action to tackle the deteriorating problem of coastal erosion in county Waterford by giving it high priority in Ireland's next application for EC structural and cohesion funds. Mr. Cushman, who has raised this issue on a number of occasions at European level, was responding to the Eolas report which found that some 490 km of Irish coastline (including 29 km in Waterford) are in need of urgent attention and that a

total of over 1,500 km are at risk of erosion.

Mr. Cushman said: "Almost £5.1 million is urgently required to undertake immediate works on the Waterford coastline at over 20 different locations including Ballyvoile, Ardmore, Tramore, Whiting Bay, Cunnigar and Bonmahon.

Up to now the problem of coastal erosion has not been eligible for European funding because it has not been included in the Irish National Plan for EC assistance.

Having raised this issue on numerous occasions in the

European Parliament I met with the European Commissioner for Regional Policy, Mr. Bruce Millan, who assured me that if the Irish Government decided to apply for such funding in the future he would consider it sympathetically. I would therefore strongly urge the new Irish Government to give this problem high priority in the next National Plan to be submitted to Brussels in April, so that our Local Authorities can be given the necessary resources to protect our vulnerable coastline".



Pictured at the Waterford Gala Sports Star Banquet at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan last Saturday night are Sports Star cyclist Robert Power (centre) with his parents Cllr. Paddy and Mrs. Judy Power and Majella Butler and Annette and Paddy Power. —(Photo: Rory Wyley).

Top Achievement Award For Ardmore

The picturesque seaside village of Ardmore has done it again. Last year the local Tidy Towns Committee was

acclaimed when Ardmore won the national title in the 1992 Tidy Towns Competition as the cleanest, neatest

and tidiest town in Ireland. Now Ardmore, its residents and the members of the Tidy Towns Committee have received another major boost when they were announced as the winners of the prestigious Jury's Hotel Achievement Award for 1992 on last Monday night.

Certainly 1992 has proved a boom year for the West Waterford seaside town and the scooping of so many major awards should prove of enormous benefit to the tourist attraction of the resort in the coming season.



Young Man Fatally Injured In Fall

Martin Burke, aged 30 years of Clonea Upper, Dungarvan sustained fatal injuries when he fell some ten feet from a plank on which he was standing while engaged in repair work at the recently fire-damaged gymnasium attached to St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside.

The accident occurred at about 9.30 a.m. on Sunday morning last while Mr. Burke was operating an angle grinder, standing on a plank about 10 feet from the ground. He apparently overbalanced and fell through a perspex skylight before hitting the ground and sustained severe injuries to his head and neck.

He was rushed to Cork Regional Hospital but died there at 3 p.m. that evening.

His tragic death cast a great gloom over the entire area when the news spread on Sunday evening and deepest sympathy has been expressed to his father and the other members of the

family as well to his girlfriend Monika on their very tragic bereavement.

DUNGARVAN C.B.S. DEBATING TEAM

Members of the Dungarvan C.B.S. Junior Cert Concern Debating team (left to right) — Conor Curran, Anthony Cunningham, Shane Hayes (Captain) and Paul Cleary, who have reached the third round of the keenly contested Concern Debates Competition. The competition is designed to promote awareness of the relationships between First and Third World countries. —(Photo: P. Crowley)

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SCOR NOTES

The Munster final of Scor Sinnsear has been changed. It is being held in Millstreet, Co. Cork on Saturday, April 24.

As a result our local rounds and county final have been changed. The county final has been re-fixed for Saturday, March 20 in the Friary Hall, Dun-

garvan. The Western rounds will take place on March 6 and 13 in the Mercy Convent, Dungarvan.

The All-Ireland final of Scor na nOg will be held in the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin on Sunday, February 14. We wish the Stradbally figure dancers and Dunhill ballad group the very best of luck.

NOTICE OF RATES HAVING BEEN MADE

COUNTY OF WATERFORD

(County Health District of Waterford)

Notice is hereby given that the County Rates have been duly made on the property rateable thereto in the above-named County Health District.

The rate in the Pound for the ordinary expenditure of the County for the service of the year ending 31st December, 1993 is 3117.00 pence in the Pound, made up as follows:—

COUNTY CHARGES	PENCE
HOUSING AND BUILDING	106.58
ROAD TRANSPORTATION AND SAFETY	647.21
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ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	707.80
RECREATION AND AMENITY	222.59
AGRICULTURE, EDUCATION, HEALTH AND WELFARE	072.49
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES	914.45
TOTAL GENERAL RATE	3117.00

And whereas the Rates in the Pound for Town Charges specified in Column 11 of the Table below have been made respectively on the Town specified in Column 1 of the said Table.

TOWN CHARGES

Name of Town Col. 1	Rate in the Pound Col. 11
Tramore	124.54
Lismore	077.13

The said Rates will be collected with the above General Rate.

The Rate Books are now in my custody and may be inspected by any person affected thereby at the offices of the County Council between the hours of 9.00 a.m. and 5.00 p.m. exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays, and Bank Holidays; the said Rates will be payable from and after publication of this notice.

"Under Section 7(1) of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Acts, 1978, any person who is aggrieved at the failure of the rating authority to make him an allowance under that Act or who believes that he is entitled to a different allowance to that made to him, may within two months of the date of the making of the rate, request the rating authority in writing to grant the appropriate allowances. In case the request is not complied with within 28 days, the person may, within 4 months of the date of the making of the rate, apply to the District Court to have the appropriate allowances made. The above rates were made on 29th January, 1993. Any request in respect of them under Section 7(1) of the Local Government (Financial Provisions) Act, 1978 must therefore be made to Waterford County Council not later than 29th March, 1993. Any application to the District Court under the same provision must be made not later than 29th May, 1993.

Signed this 29th Day of January, 1993.

B. J. McNALY,
Runai Chonndae.

Arus Brugha,
Dungarvan.



Pictured at the Holiday and Leisure Fair with the Minister for Tourism, Charlie McCreevey, are Martin Dully, Bord Failte, Joe Palmer, Manager S.E.R.T.O. and the West Waterford Group at their stand.

Mother Tells Court Of Son's Fear After Sexual Assault

The mother of a six-year-old sex attack victim told District Court Judge Hogan at Dungarvan District Court last Wednesday that her son now has to sleep with the light on at night, is regularly soiling his bed, and is frightened every time he sees his alleged attacker.

A 15-year-old local youth appeared before Judge Hogan at the Court charged with sexually assaulting the six-year-old boy in the grounds of the Presentation Convent on July 29 last year contrary to Section 2 of the Criminal Law Rape Act 1990.

Garda Inspector Michael Blake told the court that the young boy was playing in the convent grounds when the 15-year-old youth pushed him to the ground and sexually assaulted him.

Judge Hogan expressed reservations about accepting jurisdiction in the case because he is not the permanent Judge for the Dungarvan court area.

However he commented on the great psychological trauma the six year old had suffered.

The Judge adjourned the further hearing of the case to the next court on February 10 when he asked that reports on the accused be furnished by the court welfare officer.

Jail Sentence For Break-Ins

In two break-ins on the night of January 6, a 29-year-old unemployed father of four stole property valued in excess of £4,000, Dungarvan District Court was told last Wednesday.

The court was told that all the property had been recovered.

Melvin Duffy, Skehacrine Court, Abbeyside, was sentenced to two concurrent four-month terms of imprisonment.

Letters to the Editor

The Editor, Dungarvan Leader.

SHAME ON US ALL

A Chara,
I suppose I'm daft and I should just have read it and departed. Nobody will be surprised, much less scandalised or ashamed, but the plaque commemorating the opening of the new road at the Sweep hasn't as much as one word of Irish. It wouldn't happen on a Welsh road. (Pardon me, there are 3 words, part of the blue emblem of the Co. Council and it takes some scrutiny to find them). What on earth was all the fuss about in 1916 and the following years? If the British were still here, at least we could blame them for all our woes.

What is wrong with us at all? Denmark is a smaller country than ours with soil much poorer, with no minerals and there they are "on top of the world," with a standard of living away beyond ours, and the most important point of all, they have retained their own language.

Quoting a recent letter in the Irish Times — "national pride and self confidence are the only foundation for a country's economic, artistic and cultural progress."

Shame on us all.
Mise le meas,
SIOBHÁN LINCOLN
Ardmore.
January 27, 1993.

New Manager For Bank Of Ireland Kilmacthomas

Bank of Ireland recently announced the appointment of Mr. Nicky Reynolds as Manager, Bank of Ireland, Kilmacthomas in succession to Dave Kelly who has just recently retired. Nicky knows Mid and West Waterford well having previously served as Assistant Manager in Dungarvan Branch for seven years up to 1982.

Since then he has been Deputy Manager in both Waterford City Centre Branches where he was responsible for Commercial and Agricultural Lending.

Although born in Cork, he was educated at C.B.S. Thurles which resulted in an



MR. NICKY REYNOLDS

interest in all sports but especially Munster hurling. Married with four children; his wife, Irene, is very well known in Bridge circles and is joint Honorary Secretary to the Waterford Bridge Congress.

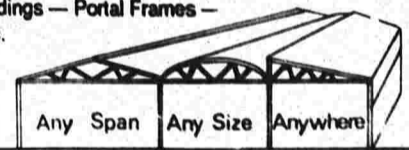


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SOLUTION: Across — 1 Bequest. 5 Wager. 7 Measure. 8 Teach. 10 Sure. 11 Starters. 13 Eulogy. 14 Salami. 17 Flattery. 19 Anti. 21 Leapt. 23 Clarity. 23 Humid. 24 Strayed. Down — 2 Quarrel. 3 Etui. 4 Treaty. 5 Waterway. 6 Grace. 7 Masterful. 9 Hostility. 12 Agitated. 15 Annuity. 16 Precis. 18 Alarm. 20 Lair.

Tony Browne Named As Park Hotel Sports Star Of The Year

A capacity crowd filled the spacious function room at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan last Saturday night for the 1992 Waterford Sports Star Banquet. Throughout 1992 a special committee selected a sports star for each month under a scheme initiated and sponsored by the Flynn family and the Park Hotel and speculation was rife as to who was to be named as "Sports Star of the Year" at the Banquet which climaxed the 1992 sports year.

At the outset, Mr. Pierce Flynn welcomed the guests and the many supporters to their second annual Sports Star banquet and on behalf of the Flynn family wished all a very happy and entertaining evening. A most satisfying, full-course dinner was then enjoyed by all, following which the formalities took place under the capable and experienced guidance of Mr. Miceal O Muirheartaigh, the well-known RTE Sports Commentator who was acting as M.C. for the second year in succession.

Fr. Pat Moran OSA, Chairman of the Adjudicating Committee of which the other members were Mr. John A. Murphy, Mr. Kieran O'Connor, Mr. Pat Haberlin and Mr. David Walsh, started the ball rolling by introducing An t-Uasal O Muirheartaigh who then took charge of the proceedings.

The twelve sports stars selected throughout 1992 were then introduced by Kieran O'Connor as follows: January — Brian Arrigan (soccer); February — Liam Lannen (rugby); March — John Treacy (athletics); April — Alfie Hale (soccer); May — Stephen Spratt (cycling); June — Robert Power (cycling); July — Paul Flynn (hurling); August — Sean Daly (hurling); September — Tony Browne

(hurling); October — Bernie Ryan (ladies football); November — Francis Connors (showjumping); December — Ben Cronin (rugby). With the exception of John Treacy who was represented by his twin sister Liz Bullen and Stephen Spratt who was represented by his father Bill Spratt (both of whom sent apologies for being unavoidably absent), all the other stars were present.

THE OVERALL WINNER

The climax of the function was reached as Miceal O Muirheartaigh went to the microphone to announce that the overall winner and new Park Hotel Sport Star of the Year for 1992 was Tony Browne who captained the Waterford All-Ireland winning U-21 Hurling team. The announcement was greeted with thunderous applause and the winner was loudly cheered as he went forward to receive the magnificent award which was presented by Mrs. Dottie Flynn in the unavoidable absence of the Minister for Sport, Mr. Liam Aylward who was to have performed the presentation.

Following the formal proceedings and the announcement of the overall winner, a most enjoyable night's dancing followed to music provided by Brass & Co.



The Park Hotel Waterford Sports Stars 1992 pictured at the Supreme Sports Star Award Banquet — (seated, left to right) Alfie Hale, Liz Bullen (representing her brother John Treacy, Pierce Flynn, Park Hotel, Tony Browne, Supreme Award Winner, Micheal O Muirheartaigh, M.C., Bernie Ryan, Paul Flynn; (standing) Brian Arrigan, Bill Spratt (representing son Stephen), Robert Power, Sean Daly, Ben Cronin, Liam Lannen, Francis Connors, Fr. P. Moran, Chairman Adjudicating Panel. (R. Wyley)

News of Town & Roundabout

DUNGARVAN DISTRICT EXECUTIVE FINE GAEL

The annual general meeting of Dungarvan and Abbeyside branches will take place at Lawlor's Hotel on Monday night, February 8 at 8.30 p.m., followed by District meeting. Intending new members very welcome. — Tom Power, Secretary. (Advt.)

"PERCY FRENCH — HIS MUSIC, LIFE AND TIMES"

An illustrated talk by Tadgh O'Regan (accompanied on piano by Aine O'Regan) on composer and balladeer, Percy French in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on Tuesday, February 9 at 8 p.m., sponsored by Dungarvan Museum Society. All are welcome. Admission £2. (Advt.)

ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results, January 19 — 1, Margaret O'Donnell and John Phelan; 2, Kay Shanley and guest; 3, Mary Fleming and Maura Brennock; 4, Chrissie McCarthy and Mary Fenton.

DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results, January 25 — E.W. — 1, Cora Kiely and Eileen Keevers; 2, Mary Spratt and Joan Casey; 3, Moira Ormonde and Doreen Keane; 4, Justin Spratt and Bernie Twomey. NS. — 1, Maureen O'Neill and Liam Power; 2, Mimi Christopher and Derry Twomey; 3, John Phelan and Billy Cusack; 4, Mary Fenton and Geraldine Murphy.

HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results January 28 — 1, Joan Colbert and Alice Butler; 2, Patsy Fay and Cait Egan; 3, Pauline Desmond and Mary Ellard; 4, Kay Shanley and Margaret Curran.

CUNNIGAR BRIDGE CLUB

Prize Night, January 20 — 1, Leo O'Donnell and John Phelan; 2, Joan Casey and Kay Kirwan; 3, Nellie Moloney and Máire Brennock; 4, Tommy and Alice Butler; 5, Terry Dempsey and Breda McCarthy; 6, Francie Prunty and Kathleen Browne.



Is there a Natural Heritage Area on your land?

A Natural Heritage Area is a place of special interest...to the land owner, to the nation and to science. It is part of the heritage we hand on to our children.

Such areas are special because they are the best remaining habitats for our wild plants and animals. These special sites are commonly found in areas that have remained in a relatively natural state - scrub, bogs, woodlands, seashore and rough grazing places. Without them many species would become extinct.

At present the Office of Public Works is carrying out a survey to locate and define the boundaries of these special areas. As a first step, we are reviewing the old Areas of Scientific Interest (ASIs) to ascertain whether they should be given Natural Heritage Area status. If an area of your land is involved in the survey, the Office of Public Works asks for your help and cooperation in this work.

When the survey is completed we will know a lot more about the unique natural heritage of our island.

New farming grants will be available for environmentally friendly management in Natural Heritage Areas, subject to conditions.



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ABBEYSIDE

VILLAGE TOPICS

THE BURGERSY AMBUSH

A CRITIQUE

A letter appeared in the Waterford News written by an officer who took part in the ambush and it concurs with the account I have given over the last number of weeks in all the essential details. It was a frightening night for the people living inside the town as they heard through the night the tramp of armed men, the screeching of lorries, the firing of shots and those living in the vicinity of the Park had to endure the discharging of Verey lights as well as the aimless discharging of rifles.

CAPTAIN THOMAS

There is a conflict of opinion as to whether Captain Thomas was released or whether he and the soldiers escaped when reinforcements came. When the question was raised subse-

quent to the ambush, Captain Thomas had a letter published in the papers stating that he and the soldiers escaped — that the guards left them when extra military came out from Dungarvan. The I.R.A. officer maintains they were released. It hasn't been possible to verify either story.

THE HOSTAGE

In the ambushed lorry there was a man named Dwyer, who was taken with the military as a hostage and his mysterious disappearance during the fighting was a matter of much speculation. It appears he went through the fields, made for the high ground, and eventually succeeded in reaching Kilrossanty, where his dishevelled condition gave rise to suspicion, but he was ultimately set free on his being recognised by a resi-

dent of Dungarvan.

CASUALTIES

There can be no question, however, as to the casualties. On the military side two were killed, Hickey and Redman and on the I.R.A. side Fitzgerald and Keating. However, the latter two would not have suffered injury had they not come round with others in the morning to reconnoitre the scene of the fighting when the military had been reinforced to a big extent. On reflection one must regard it as amateurish soldiering to return to the scene of an ambush which is normally a hit and run affair. Possibly the I.R.A. men thought that the high road fences of the time would afford them adequate cover.

[Photo of large monument at Tarr's Bridge]



A FUNNY STORY

The farm labourer had a bad rash that the village doctor had never seen before. He looked up his medical books but couldn't find anything like it. He went back and examined the patient again but without any luck. Then he had an inspiration.

'Tell me,' has asked, 'have you ever had this rash before?' 'I have that,' said the man.

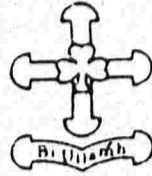
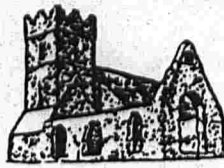
'Ah,' diagnosed the doctor with shrewd professionalism. 'you have it again so.'

THE PUT DOWN

He has but one principle, that of self-interest. He has only one desire, the desire to insult. He belongs to the school of lying, hypocrisy and cowardice.

[E. E. Cinq-Mars on Sir George Foster 1906]

Abbeyside Scout Notes



POET?

It's a number of years since we had a poem in the notes but this week eleven year old scout Pdraig Conroy of the Kestrel Patrol intends to put this right with this poem:

THE HIKE

Early in the morning at the crack of dawn

Five scouts awoke wearily with a yawn
After changing and packing their rucksacks with care

They handed out breakfast being careful to share.

Away with them now into the wilderness bleak

Up the shruggy mountain so barren and steep.

They hiked through the wilderness until lunchtime came

They lit a fire and cooked on the flame,
After eating a good meal they ventured away

All of the five scouts enjoyed their day.

GENERAL

On Sunday next our cubs travel to Mount Melleray Scout Centre to take part in the Regional Cub Quiz. We wish them well and hope they have an enjoyable day.

We hear the scouts had a smashing time playing soccer in the Den last Sunday. John Paul is advised not to take up the game of darts as his accuracy leaves a lot to be desired!

We look forward to seeing S.P.L. Conor putting his carpentry skills to the fore soon and we will all have a much nicer Wolf Patrol box to look at when we come into the Den.

TROOP MEETING

Last Saturday's meeting was full uniform and for some of the meeting it seemed as if we were at the cinema as the S.L. showed slides of the last two annual camps to Chalfont, the reason for this was to show scouts who had not yet made up their minds about this year's annual camp a chance to see what might be in store for them as a £15 non returnable deposit per head is due to be paid at next Saturday's meeting. Following the slides the Scout Promise and Law was the test being reviewed and S.P.L.'s Conor, Martin and Mark came up with some incredibly "hard" questions for this. The meeting finished with prayers and notices and the big news after the meeting was that the proposed weekend in Ballincollig has to be cancelled due to lack of interest, however the small number of people who had their name down will travel with the S.L. to Cork for a day.

Next week's meeting is mufti and the theme is computers.

DUBLIN CYCLE

All sponsor cards are now out and Fran, John and Robert are training hard and eagerly awaiting D-Day, February 21.

Abbeyside Pattern Notes

The Annual General Meeting of Abbeyside Pattern was held in Minnies on Thursday, January 28, 1993. The meeting began with the Chairwoman welcoming everyone to the meeting, followed by her address. During this she outlined the events of the year and concluded by thanking the many people who helped out in any way during the year. The election of officers followed and the positions were filled as follows:

Chairwoman — Charmain O'Brien; Vice-Chairman — John Hourigan; Secretary — Richard Power; Asst. Secretary — Breda Power; Treasurer — Jim Stacey; Asst. Treasurer — Marion Foley; P.R.O. — Pat Kenneally; Committee — Bunny Garcia, Rene Jordan, Billy Jordan, Tom Kiely Snr., Tom Kiely Jr., Aine O'Riordan.

The main decision to be made at this meeting was whether to hold a Pattern or not this year. After a lengthy discussion it was decided that a Pattern will be held only if sufficient funds have been raised beforehand. The amount of which is to be decided by the Treasurer. So now it's over to you to support the Pattern and remember it's never too late to get involved. — P.R.O.

PATTERN COMMITTEE EVENTS OF '92

Our year started off with a cead mile failte to our new patron Fr. Richard Doherty,

P.P. It was decided after several meetings that a Pattern Festival would not be possible for '92 because despite several public appeals no new members were forthcoming which left us with no option but to cancel our Pattern weekend.

However our committee were active throughout the year. Our first project was an invitation to Dr. Patrick C. Power, Historian and Author of "History of Waterford City and County" to lecture in Lawlors Hotel. He gave an inspired lecture on local and county history. It was very well attended and hopefully he will return at some further date.

St. Patrick's Day Parade — This featured a very splendid Viking Ship. It was a very colourful float and although we didn't receive a prize, it was a very enjoyable undertaking.

Family Fun Nite — In view of the fact that there was no fun and games at the Pond, or sports at McCarthyville or even an outdoor disco at the Pond we decided to hold a "Family Fun Nite" at O.B.'s Nite Club on August 13. This comprised of fun and games e.g. the nut race, rock the boat, balloon dancing, the cucumber roll and the ever popular limbo dancing where queues were endless. Music was supplied by Magnum who presented their own very spectacular "floorshow". The night was

rounded off with a 60's disco our popular W.L.R. F.M. D.J. Geoff Harris without his Carrie. At this point we'd like to thank Mr. Milo Corcoran of Heineken for all the fantastic prizes and sponsorship for the night.

Feast Of St. Augustine — On August 28 a special Mass was held at Abbeyside to celebrate the feast day of St. Augustine. Renowned tenor Mr. Michael Duffy sang during the Mass, some members of the church choir also sang appropriate hymns. Our grateful thanks to all who took part.

Teenage Disco — Several teenage discos were held at O.B.'s Nite Club which proved to be very successful.

Christmas Tree And Crib — The crib was blessed on Monday, Dec. 21 by Fr. Richard Doherty, P.P., carols were sung by children from Abbeyside School and conducted by Mr. P. Veale, Principal and music was provided by Mr. Finbar Keohan.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the committee for '92 for their dedication and commitment to Abbeyside Pattern and also to wish Emma Flynn our P.R.O. for the year the best of health for '93 and wishing the incoming committee of '93 all the very best

— Charmain O'Brien, Chairwoman '92.

Fined £200 For Driving An Uninsured £90 Car

A motorist driving an uninsured car which cost £90 to purchase struck a cyclist when the brakes failed, Dungarvan District Court was told last Wednesday. Unemployed father of four, Nicholas Power, 36

Childers Estate, Dungarvan, was convicted of dangerous driving, and driving without insurance at Kilrush, Dungarvan on May 1 last year. Garda Inspector Michael Blake said the brakes in the

defendant's car failed at a set of traffic lights, the car went across the road and collided with a cyclist who escaped with minor injuries. Power was fined £200 for uninsured driving and £50 for dangerous driving.

KILL NOTES

ST. MARY'S A.G.M.

On Friday night last, Jan. 29 the Annual General Meeting of St. Mary's juvenile hurling and football club took place in the Kill Community Centre, when another very successful year for the club was reviewed. The Chairman Tommy Hennessy got procedures moving before a very large attendance. The Secretary's report was very detailed and outlined all the activities of the year. The financial report showed the

club to be in a healthy position. The Chairman, in his lengthy address, pointed out very clearly that if more members didn't come forward to run the club that in a short time the club would find itself very short in manpower to look after the various teams. He thanked his fellow officers and all who helped the club during the year. Officers elected were:

Chairman — Tommy Hennessy; Vice-Chairman — Davy O'Brien; Secretary —

Jimmy Torpey; Asst. Secretary — Martin McNamara; Treasurer — Breda Kiely; Asst. Treasurer — Hannah Power.

A meeting of the selectors and committee will take place on February 10 in the Community Centre.

CONGRATULATIONS
Congrats' to Marie Dunphy, Lissahane, daughter of James and Ann Dunphy, on the announcement of her engagement to Brendan Skelly, Dublin, at the weekend.

ST. MARY'S PARISH DUNGARVAN

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5

[First Friday — Day of Devotion to the Sacred Heart]

Masses: St. Mary's — 9.30

a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Friary — 7.30, 8.00 and 10.00 a.m. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00 Mass until Holy Hour begins at 7 p.m. Mass at 7.30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

[Feast of St. Blaise] Blessing of throats at Devotions in St. Mary's Church at 7.30 p.m.

HOLY LAND

PILGRIMAGE 1994

[October and/or August] 11-day Tour. Cost £800 approximately. Interest on savings will be spread over the Group to reduce cost.

Begin saving now — at Parish Office, Parochial House, Thursday and Fridays 2 to 5.30 p.m.

The Holy Land, the Land of the Gospels, the Land of Jesus, draws pilgrims from everywhere. Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Galilee are known to you. After a tour of these places, the Gospels become

alive for you in a new way.

Charged With Possessing Cannabis Resin

When a garda member searched 20-year-old Brian Kirby, he was found to have a quantity of cannabis resin in his possession capable of making 44 cigarettes, Judge Hogan heard at Dungarvan District Court last Wednesday.

Kirby, unemployed, of 18 Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan pleaded guilty to unlawful possession of the cannabis at Killineen West, Dungarvan, on September 1.

Judge Hogan adjourned his decision until February 24 when he would have a court welfare officer's report on the defendant.

Must Pay Compensation Or Go To Jail

A 30-year-old unemployed labourer, Brian Needham, Boreenatra, Dungarvan, pleaded guilty at Dungarvan District Court last Wednesday to causing malicious damage to a restaurant window to the amount of £60 on September 16 last.

Judge Hogan sentenced the defendant to one month imprisonment but the warrant will not issue if he pays £60 compensation within four months and has no further convictions under the Criminal Damage Act within a period of 12 months.

ABBEYSIDE SCOUTS REMEMBER COBH 1959



Front row (left to right) — Anthony Cashman, Cyril Farrell, Michael Bulfin, Jimmy Duggan, Christopher Power, Bernard Shields, Dessie Smith; middle row — Kevin Mahoney, Jim Cullinane, Anthony Duggan, Brian Dunphy, Jimmy O'Dea, Maurice Cliffe, Dermot Bulfin, Tom Feeney, John Regan, Fintan Strain, Joe Mulcahy, John O'Dea; back row — Noel Browne, John Browne, Pat Breen, Frank Daly (hidden), Eddie Cantwell, Jimmy Breen, Fintan Condon, John Cliffe, Malcolm Clancy, Roger Cashin, Michael Hayes, Austin Cashin and John Cosgrave (seated).

BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

PROMOTION FOR BALLYMAC' MAN

Congratulations are extended to Dr. Daniel Thornhill, formerly of Curtiswood, Ballymacarbry on being appointed Secretary of the Department of Education. He received his early education at the now defunct Bennetts Church National School, Ballymacarbry. His father, the late John Thornhill, was a Forester in the Ballymacarbry/Russelstown area for many years.

TALKING THEIR WAY TO SUCCESS

Congratulations to the CBS High School, Clonmel, who are through to the Senior Schools All-Ireland quarter-finals of the Gael-Linn/AIB Irish Language Debating Competition for the first time in the history of the school. One of the team members is Eoin O'Sullivan, Russelstown, an outstanding member of the Fourmilewater minor hurling team who won county honours last year.

The debating team recently defeated New Ross CBS in the South East final. Other teams they defeated were Ursuline Secondary, Thurles, Lorels Convent, Kilkenny and CBS, Dungarvan. So wishing Clonmel well to make it to the All-Ireland on April 2.

RIVER CLEAN UP

A general clean-up of the river Nire will start in the near future. Over the years the banks of this famous river have become overgrown with trees and it is impossible to fish there, also it has become a dumping ground for many objects. We compliment those responsible for getting this job moving and would like to see the anglers able to stroll along the river bank and cast their lines with ease.

EARLY RETIREMENT SCHEME

Mr. Anthony Ryan, Knockalisheen, Ballymacarbry, Chairman Waterford Rural IFA Development Committee said last week that the Early Retirement Scheme contained in the Joint Programme for Government offers an important opportunity for a significant restructuring of Irish farming. But while he welcomed the present Government's decision he also warned that any new scheme must be attractive, simple to operate and not strangled by red tape bureaucracy.

The proposed new scheme which would be 75% financed by the EC, would include an annual payment of up to £3,500 plus £89 per acre up to an overall maximum of £8,700 per annum over 10 years for farmers who retire between the ages of 55 and 65 years. The farm being transferred by the retiring farmer must be passed on to a younger farmer who already owns or leases land and who with the benefits of the additional land would become more viable.

COMMEMORATION

On Sunday, January 24 the largest attendance to-date attended the 74th Annual Commemoration Ceremony held at the site of the Soloheadbeg Ambush. The ceremonies included a decade of the Rosary and a brief description of the actual ambush. The oration was given by Tomás O Baroid, Tipperary County GAA Secretary.

Seventy-four years and 27 Dail Eireanns have come and gone since the fatal shots that killed two RIC men were fired at Soloheadbeg.

G.A.A.

At the Mill Field, Ballymacarbry, on Friday evening, Dungarvan CBS defeated St. Clements, Limerick on the score 7-6 to 2-3 in an outstanding game of hurling in the colleges u/16 1/2. The game was refereed by Paddy (Tyler) Walsh, Fourmilewater.

LATE MR. WILLIAM ENGLISH

It is with deep regret we record the death of Mr. William English, Ballybeg, Grange, which sad event took place on Wednesday, January 20. Deceased was a member of an old and respected South Tipperary family and a man greatly respected for his kindness and sincerity. An outstanding neighbour, he was always ready to help those in need and was very much a part of the community.

Testifying to the esteem in which deceased and his family are held in the district, a large and representative cortege accompanied his remains on Thursday evening when they were removed to Grange Parish Church. On Friday morning Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of his soul, after which he was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. To his relatives we extend our sympathy.

LATE MRS. ALICE RYAN

Ballymacarbry and the surrounding district learned with regret of the unexpected passing of one of its best loved and most respected citizens, Mrs. Alice Ryan (nee McGrath), Glasha, Ballymacarbry, whose death took place on Wednesday, January 27, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel.

The deceased lady, in her late seventies, was relict of the late Matty Ryan, an outstanding footballer with his native Kilrossanty in the 20s and 30s and an overseer for many years with Waterford County Council. He predeceased her by some thirty years.

She was a very estimable lady of many charming traits of character. Her gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manners and unassuming disposition commended her to all fortunate enough to make her acquaintance. A caring neighbour, abounding in Christian charity, many now truly and justifiably grieve for the void Alice's sad demise leaves.

That her memory will be cherished was truly indicated by the large and representative gatherings of mourners and sympathisers who were present when her remains were removed on Thursday evening from the hospital mortuary at St. Joseph's, Clonmel, to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater where her remains were received and blessed by Very Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle.

On Friday morning Mass for the happy repose of her gentle soul was celebrated by Fr. Tobin. As the gifts were taken to the altar they included one of her most treasured possessions, the green and gold jersey of Kilrossanty that her late husband, Matty Ryan wore with distinction on many Gaelic fields in Waterford. After Mass she was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery in the presence of a huge concourse of mourners, reflecting the undoubted esteem and high regard in which she and her family are held over a wide area.

Sincere condolences in their sad loss are tendered to her daughters, her sister and brothers and her many other relatives.

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

The presentation of medals won by Fourmilewater minor hurlers (West and County) will be presented at a social to be held at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry on Saturday night, March 13.

NEW COUNCILLOR HAS BALLYMACARBRY CONNECTIONS

Mr. Sean Roche, Roanmore Park, Waterford and Mr. Paddy O'Callaghan, Tramore were unanimously selected to fill the vacancies on Waterford City Council and Waterford County Council respectively, created by the resignation of Deputy Brian O'Shea, consequent on his appointment as Minister of State at the Department of Agriculture and Food.

Mr. Roche, the nominee for the Waterford City Council seat, is married to the former Miss Mary Gallagher, Roanmore Tce., Waterford, whose father, the late Tom Gallagher, a native of Drumgorey, Ballymacarbry, was Labour Party representative on Waterford City Council for many years and was Mayor of Waterford in 1955, '56 and '57.

Mr. Roche, a retired psychiatric nurse, was attached to the staff of St. Otteran's Hospital, Waterford. A former Chairman of the local Nursing Section of the ITGWU, he was the Secretary on a number of occasions. He was also a delegate to the Waterford Branch for over 30 years and he has been a member

of the National Executive of SIPTU for the past 20 years and he has been a member of the Labour Party for 30 years and has travelled extensively throughout Europe including twice to Russia to Union conferences and seminars. His many friends in Ballymacarbry wish him well in his appointment.

CHIEF WHIP

South Tipperary/North West Waterford Dail Deputy Michael Ferris has been appointed Chief Whip of the Labour Parliamentary Party, it was announced last week. There was widespread disappointment in Labour Party circles in South Tipperary/North West Waterford last week when Deputy Ferris was passed over from the list of Labour Cabinet Ministers and Junior Ministers. The Deputy however says he accepted the decision of the Party leader.



Do you recognise this cottage or do you know why it is a famous landmark? It is a rear view photo taken by Tom Walsh. Watch out for next issue when we will publish the front view and tell you about it.

STRADBALLY NOTES

TIDY TOWNS A.G.M.

The elections of the Tidy Towns Annual General Meeting which was held last Wednesday night, Jan. 27 are as follows:

Chairman — George Crowley; Secretary — Eileen Roche; Treasurer — Sheila Corbett; P.R.O. — Fr. Ryan. The committee also remains the same.

The representation from other clubs in the area such as Scouts, Cubs, Brownies, Beavers, and Pipe Band was excellent and the local schools were also represented.

The guest speaker on the night was Mr. Julian Burckett, who gave a very informative talk on the National Parks of Ireland and how we should be working to

preserve them.

The Tidy Towns committee would like to thank Mr. Burckett and all who attended and look forward to their co-operation for the coming year.

HOT ROD

The Waterford Hot Rod Club are holding their first meeting of 1993 on Sunday next, Feb. 7 at the Pike, Dungarvan. Racing begins at 1.30 p.m. sharp and admission is £2 per adult and children are free when accompanied by an adult.

SCHOOL AROUND THE CORNER

Students from St. James' National School, Stradbally will appear on "School Around The Corner" hosted by Gerry Ryan on Sunday night, February 21, so keep that half hour free to see

children from our locality in action.

WHIST

A whist drive will take place in St. James' on this Friday night, Feb. 5 at 8.30 p.m. Admission is £2.50 and £2 for students with supper also served.

CUBS

This Sunday our Cub troop are travelling to Melleray to take part in a Regional Cub Quiz and we wish them all the best for this.

The Cubs were at Mass last Sunday along with the Scouts, Beavers and Brownies.

INVESTITURE

The date for this year's investiture is February 26 where new Scouts and Cubs, as well as new Leaders, will be invested.

PENSMAN Takes You Behind The SPOTLIGHT

CAN 'BURKIE'S BABES' MAKE IT 3-IN-A-ROW?

Sunday next, February will see an exodus of Dungarvan G.A.A. Club supporters to Walsh Park, Waterford where the question which has often been repeated over the past two months, 'Can Burkie's Babes make it 3-in-a-row' by winning the replay of the 1992 senior football county final will be answered. They will all, of course, be hoping that the answer will be in the affirmative!

It is, as our G.A.A. Correspondent, "Commentator", remarks in his columns elsewhere in their issue of the "Leader", unusual to have a football final played

in the Springtime but when Dungarvan and Rathgormack met in the final on December 6, the game ended with the sides all square, although the Old Boro' boys looked set to make it 3-in-a-row when they led by five points with only seven minutes to go to the final whistle only to be deprived of the glory by the do-or-die effort mounted by the Eastern side in the dying moments of the game.

The fifteen stalwarts who will be doing duty for Dungarvan again on Sunday next have come to be known as "Burkie's Babes" because of the close associ-

ation which Mick Burke, popular proprietor of Lawlors Hotel has with the training of the side. Incidentally the entire football county championship has been sponsored by Lawlor's Hotel and Michael Burke.

Apart from the fact that Dungarvan have proved themselves champions for the past two years and have set themselves the task of making it 3-in-a-row with a victory in next Sunday's replay, a win would be a wonderful way for the Club to celebrate the fact, that one hundred years ago in 1892, they were also County Senior Football Champions.

We must remember that next Sunday is the final of the 1992 championship.

Recalling the great excitement that prevailed in Lawlor's Hotel in October 1991 when the Club brought back the Conway cup for the second year in succession and celebrated with a great victory dinner a win on Sunday next will be truly magic for not only will it give the Blues another 3-in-a-row record but will be fittingly celebrating the centenary of the 1892 victory. So let's hope that it will again be a case of "Dungarvan Is Magic and Burkie's Babes"!

DO THEY REALLY REALISE THE DANGERS THEY CREATE?

Last Sunday night under the cover of darkness vandals went to work on dismantling one of the light standards at the traffic lights at the busy Causeway-Strandside North/South Corner at Abbeyside. Their efforts resulted in putting the lights on the standard out of action and until repairs are carried out traffic through this very busy junction will remain greatly disrupted.

But apart from the heavy vehicular traffic at the junction, the lights also protect the great flow of pedestrian traffic that passes over the very busy road and elderly people especially greatly rely on the lights to allow them to cross from one side to the other in safety.

The vandalism that took

place at the lights on Sunday night last cannot therefore be too strongly condemned as in addition to the traffic accidents which such interference can lead to, the lives of pedestrians are also put at risk.

Did any of those midnight cowboys who went to the trouble of damaging these traffic lights last Sunday night stop to think that their vandalism could have ended up causing someone to lose his/her life or cause vehicles to crash into one another, not to mention the high cost of the repair work required to make the lights operational again. They must be condemned out of hand as enemies of the public for such wanton and criminal destruction.

FEBRUARY 24 EXPECTED DATE FOR TOUGH BUDGET

It is believed that Budget Day is almost certain to be Wednesday, February 24, that is unless the 10% devaluation in the punt announced last week-end has thrown matters further out of gear.

Finance Minister Ahern has been having a number of tough sessions with government colleagues over spending cuts in the various

departments. It is understood that Mr. Ahern has told his Ministerial Colleagues that there is "no more money for anybody, anywhere" which underlines the general expectation of a tough and difficult Budget.

The Book of Estimates is due to be published this week and is expected to show the confines within which he will have to oper-

ate. However, there is little or no doubt that there will be no real tax relief in the year ahead and that the old reliables of cigarettes, drink and petrol will again be hit while some rises in VAT are also stated to be a possibility.

In brief we are being told to get out our hair shirts and to be prepared once again to further tighten our

belts.

But while the jobless figures continue to rise, there is one large grouping whose senior executives, managers and shop floor staff can look forward to even higher wages and better perks than ever this year. Indeed there will be no question of hair shirts for them.

We refer to the members of the Oireachtas, for following the recent pay increases which they very kindly granted themselves without a whittle of opposition, the men and women who run this country - the Cabinet, members of the Dail and Seanad - draw £5 million in salaries each year. But in addition to that, generous extras such as expenses, pensions and payments to advisers, secretarial staffs, and other perks, see the cost of the exercise soar easily to twice that amount.

So while this privileged group travels on the "gravy train", at the taxpayers expense, Joe Soap must do as he is directed and get his hair shirt ready and have another notch punched to tighten his belt to be ready for the hard times-ahead. Does all this make you think at all?!!

COUNTY COUNCIL CO-OPTION

The selection of Labour Deputy Brian O'Shea to be Minister of State at the Department of Agriculture in the new Fianna Fail/Labour Partnership Government has necessitated his resignation from the Local Authorities of which he has been a member - Waterford County Council and Waterford Corporation.

The Labour Party Constituency Council has already had a meeting to deal with Minister O'Shea's resignations and has selected their nominees to fill the vacancies that have consequently arisen. Mr. Sean Roche, Roonmore Park,

Waterford, has been selected to fill the Corporation vacancy while Mr. Paddy O'Callaghan, Tramore has been nominated to fill the vacancy on Waterford County Council.

Both nominations were, we understand, unanimous although we believe that there was some preference expressed for a nominee from the Kilmachomas area for the County Council but this never surfaced.

Following the last Local Elections the Fine Gael and Labour members of the County Council entered a five-year pact in regard to the Chairmanship of the

Council but in view of the new Fianna Fail/Labour Partnership in Government it will be interesting to see whether the County Council alignment in regard to the chair will now come under any strain. We have been reliably informed that such a strain is unlikely to happen as one of the sitting Labour members on the Council has stated that as the Fine Gael/Labour agreement was entered into on a 5-year basis he would feel bound to honour it for the lifetime of the present Council.

It will be interesting to see how things work out in the months ahead.

The Homes Of Donegal

This week in reply to a request from an old reader of the "Leader" who has lived in London for many years, our choice for the ballad corner is "The Homes Of Donegal." On receipt of the request we searched our files and found that on the last occasion that the words of this well-known song were published they had been sent in by the late Con Downey of Crushea, Ardmore who up the time of his death a few years ago was an ardent and loyal supporter of the "Leader." Go ndeana Dia trócaire ar a anam.

I just stepped in to see you all, I'll only stay a while,
I'm happy to see how ye're getting on, I want to see ye smile,
I'm happy to be back again, and I greet ye one and all,
For there's no place else on earth just like the homes of Donegal.

I want to see the happy faces smiling at the door,
The kettle bubbling on the crook as I step on the floor,
And then the teapot filling up the cup that's far from small,
Oh, your hearts are like your mountains in the homes of Donegal.

I love to sit along with ye and while away the night
With tales of yore and fairy lore beside the fireside bright,
And then to see prepared for me, a shake-down by the wall,
There's repose for weary wanderers in the homes of Donegal.

To see your homes on parting day of that I'll never tire
And hear the porridge bubbling in the big pot on the fire,
The lamp that lights the dresser bright and the big cloak on the wall,
It's a sight serene since last year seen in the homes of Donegal.

The time has come when I must go, I bid you all adieu,
The open highway calls me on to do the things I do,
And when I'm tramping far away, I'll hear your voices call
And please God I'll soon return again to the homes of Donegal.

RECENT DEATHS

Mr. Liam Duggan



It is our sad duty to place on record the death of Mr. Liam Duggan, London and formerly of Mitchel Street, Dungarvan who answered the great call on Tuesday, January 19 at a London hospital after a period of failing health.

The deceased was a member of a very well-known and popular old Dungarvan family. Prior to his departure to England, Liam was an employee of the Glenmore Dairies, Power's Brewery and a term at the Dicken's Leather Factory. While in employment in these concerns, he enjoyed wide popularity with management and fellow workers by reason of his gentle but jovial disposition.

Since he went to England over forty years ago he was an employee with the General Post Office where he also won for himself a legion of friends. Liam Duggan was a man who never lost touch with his beloved town of Dungarvan and its outlying districts and he and his wife Bridie spent their yearly holiday in the town he loved so well.

He was a man for music and song which was the highlight of his enjoyment while he was at home for his holidays. The deceased was also a keen follower of games, especially those of the GAA and in his younger days he had played for the local Brickey Rangers Club, a term which was well remembered by the club members at the obsequies.

To his sorrowing wife Bridie, his daughter Margaret, brothers Michael, Jimmy, Martin and Tommy, his

nephews, nieces, cousins, relatives and very many friends we tender our deepest and most sincere condolences.

His remains were flown into Cork Airport on Tuesday evening, January 26 and from there were removed to St. Mary's Parish Church with his coffin draped in the Black and Amber colours of the Brickey Rangers Club. While en route to the church the hearse observed a halt outside his old homestead, a home he loved so well. On arrival at the church his coffin was blessed and received by Rev. Fr. J. Kiely, C.C., assisted by Very Rev. Fr. J. O'Sullivan, Rev. Fr. G. Hickey, O.S.A. and Rev. Richard Geoghegan, St. John's College. Members of the Brickey Rangers acted as pall-bearers. Concelebrated Mass was offered on Wednesday morning the chief celebrant being Rev. Fr. C. Kelly, C.C. with co-celebrants Rev. Fr. M. O'Brien, C.C., Very Rev. Fr. P. Creed, Rev. Fr. P. Ahearne, C.C., and Rev. Fr. P. Carey, C.C. Also present were Rev. Fr. G. McNamara, C.C. and Rev. Fr. J. Kiely, C.C.

After the celebration of Mass the interment took place in the adjoining family plot, thus fulfilling his great wish to be buried in St. Mary's Cemetery. Rev. Fr. C. Kelly, C.C., imparted the final absolution at the graveside, assisted by the full choir of clergy. Suitable music and hymns were rendered during the Mass. Sacred hymns were sung by his niece Mrs. May Duggan-Fenton and the music was supplied by his friend Jim Duggan.

As the funeral cortege proceeded down through the church on its way to the cemetery his favourite party piece was played by Jim Duggan which was "The Old Rustic Bridge."

Very large attendances were present at the obsequies. Very many Mass cards were received and some beautiful floral tributes were placed on his grave.

Chief mourners — Mrs. Bridie Duggan (wife), Miss Margaret Duggan (daughter), Michael, Jimmy, Martin and Tommy Duggan (brothers), Thomas Keane and

family, Eddie Morrison and family (brothers-in-law), Mrs. Nan Hannon and family, Mrs. Tess Morrison and family, Mrs. Betty Hicks and family, Mrs. Mary Keane and family (sisters-in-law), and a large circle of nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and friends.

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

Late Mr. Terence Clarke

It is with feelings of sincere regret we chronicle the death of Mr. Terence (Terry) Clarke, Park Lane Drive, Abbeyside, which occurred during the early hours of Monday morning, January 25 at the Waterford Regional Hospital, having reached there only a matter of hours prior to his death.

The late Terry Clarke was husband of Mary (nee Wall). He had met with a serious accident some eighteen years prior to his death while at work in Dublin and from that time on he required special care and attention which was given to him by his loving wife at his home in Dublin and later at his residence in Park Lane Drive.

During the homily at his funeral Mass the celebrant Rev. Fr. P. Ahearne, C.C., gave particular mention to the care and dedication which was given to Terry by his wife Mary during his long illness.

The deceased was a native of Co. Meath where most of his brothers, sister and relatives reside.

His remains were removed on Monday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Augustine's Church, Abbeyside. Fr. P. Ahearne, C.C. recited the prayers for the departed at the Funeral Home and also blessed and received his coffin on arrival at the church.

Requiem Mass was offered on Tuesday morning for the repose of his soul and the funeral took place to St. Laurence's Cemetery, Ballinroad, where the interment took place. Fr. Ahearne again officiated at the graveside. Very many Mass cards, Mass certificates and letters of condolence were received and many beautiful floral tributes were placed on his grave.

Chief mourners — Mary Clarke (wife), James, Patrick and Anthony Clarke (brothers), Mrs. Margaret Carr (sister), John Wall, Philip Wall and Patrick Crosbie (brothers-in-law), Helen Lenihan, Margaret Whelan, Cissie Clarke, Noreen Organ, Bridie Greenberg (sisters-in-law) and a large circle of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

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

Late Elsie Power

It is with great sadness and regret we place on record the passing of the oldest lady in the town of Dungarvan and its outlying districts in the person of Elsie Power, late of St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan and formerly of Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan who answered the great call on Wednesday afternoon, January 27.

The deceased was a patient under the loving care of the Matron and staff of Joseph's for over sixteen years where she celebrated her 105th birthday last November. She was a lady who did appreciate the care she had received during her long hospitalisation with gratitude and always reminded her visitors of that fact. She was possessed of a high standard of education with an abundance of historical knowledge which she attained from her great love of reading.

The late Elsie Power will also be long remembered by her many friends and neighbours through her public house business which she conducted all her life at Wolfe Tone Road, then known as "Elsie's" and later as "The High Chapparral" when it passed to new management.

Her passing severs another link in the chain of time with by-gone days of old Dungarvan town, but she begins a new life in her heavenly abode which she always longed for, especially in recent times as the passing years took their toll more and more. May she rest happily in her everlasting home.

Her remains were removed from St. Joseph's on Thursday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church, after the Rosary was recited by the Matron of St. Joseph's and after the prayers for the departed by Rev. Fr. C. Kelly, C.C. On arrival her coffin was blessed and received by Fr. Kelly, assisted by Very Rev. Fr. J. O'Sullivan and Rev. G. Hickey, O.S.A.

Concelebrated Mass was offered on Friday morning for the repose of her soul. Chief celebrant was Fr. Kelly and the co-celebrants were Rev. Fr. Brendan Crowley, C.C. and Very Rev. Fr. P. Creed. Also present were Fr. O'Sullivan and Rev. Fr. J. Hooper, O.S.A.

After the celebration of Mass the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. Kelly again officiated, assisted by the full choir of clergy.

A large concourse of her nearest relatives and friends were present to pay their final respects and to pray for their departed neighbour.

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

Late Mrs. Catherine Looby

It is with sincere and deep regret we announce the death of Mrs. Catherine Looby, late of Lyreattin, Ballinamult, who died on Saturday night, January 30, at the Cottage Hospital, Clonmel.

Her remains were removed on Monday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church, Touraneena. Requiem Mass was offered on Tuesday morning and the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery.

Full report of obituary in next issue.

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

Mr. Martin Landers



It is with sincere regret that we record the death of Mr. Martin Landers, Lyreattin, Ballinamult and Aglish, Cappoquin, which occurred on January 20. He was Secretary of the Geraldines GAA Club and played on the 1983 county winning team. He was always helpful and hardworking. He worked in London for four years and returned just over two years ago when his mother became ill.

Following Rosary recited by Fr. Lucy, P.P., removal was from the Drohan Funeral Home on Saturday evening, January 23 to Aglish Church where the remains were received and blessed by Fr. Lucy, assisted by Fr. Fitzgerald, P.P. Members of the Geraldines GAA Club provided a guard of honour and the Readings were by Liam O'Donnell.

Following the funeral Mass on Sunday morning, celebrated by Fr. Lucy, assisted by Fr. Byrne, C.C., at which the Readings were by his brother P. J. Landers and John Hickey, the burial took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. Lucy officiated at the graveside, assisted by Fr. Doherty, P.P. in the presence of a large cortege. A guard of honour was provided by the 1983 Geraldines team. Appropriate music was provided by Grainne O'Connor and Paddy O'Brien.

The chief mourners were Kay (wife), Patrick (father), Ann, Margaret and Mary (sisters), P. J., Thomas and John (brothers), Sean (father-in-law), Ann and Una (sisters-in-law), Liam O'Donnell and Denis Lenihan (brothers-in-law), nephews, nieces, relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

Mr. Jim Power



The death occurred on January 21 of Mr. Jim Power, 5 Kyne Park, Abbeyside, Dungarvan. A native of Kinsale, he worked as a storeman for 15 years for H. Graepeal Ltd., Kinsale. In May 1977 he moved with his wife and family to Dungarvan and took up employment with Radley Engineering Ltd., as a storeman.

A short spell of illness overcame him during Christmas and he was swiftly taken from his family. This was a recurrence of an illness of 1982-1986 from which at that time he made a remarkable recovery. He was a family man and was totally devoted to his wife and children. He had a great sense of humour and was well liked by all who knew him. He will be sadly missed.

Removal was from his residence on Friday, January 22 to Abbeyside Church where the remains were received and blessed on arrival by Fr. P. Ahearne, C.C., assisted by Fr. Hyde, P.P., Kinsale. Following funeral Mass on Saturday morning celebrated by Fr. Ahearne, assisted by Fr. Murray, Prior, Carmelites, Kinsale, Fr. Kiely, C.C., at which the Readings were by daughter Teresa, and niece-in-law Shirley O'Mahoney, burial took place in Ballinroad Cemetery. Fr. Ahearne officiated at the graveside assisted by Fr. Murray.

The chief mourners — Ena (wife), Ellen (mother), James (son), Teresa (daughter), John (son-in-law), Bina (mother-in-law), Tim (uncle), sister-in-law and family, Sheila Carroll and a large circle of relatives and friends.

(Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

Mr. Martin Burke

With regret we record the passing of Mr. Martin Burke, Clonea Upper, Dungarvan, which sad event occurred on Sunday, January 31. Removal was from Drohan's Funeral Home on Tuesday to Garranbane Church. Following funeral Mass on this Wednesday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his father Tom, brothers, sisters, girl friend Monika and relatives we extend our deepest sympathy.

(Funeral arrangements were by Tom Drohan, Funeral Director, Dungarvan.)

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TALLOW NOTES

TALLOW FINE GAEL A.G.M.

The A.G.M. of Tallow Fine Gael Branch took place last weekend and was well attended. There was an unexpected warning from the Chairman Mr. John Leahy when he expressed concern at the voting trend in the recent general election and said if such a trend continues in future elections then a Fine Gael seat in the Lismore Electoral area would be vulnerable and could be picked up by the Labour Party.

Mr. Leahy said that Tallow Branch of Fine Gael is now 30 years in existence. It has had its ups and downs during that period but its greatest achievement was the election to Waterford Co. Council of a first ever Tallow based councillor namely Willie McDonnell in 1979 and its insurance that Cllr. McDonnell was successfully returned to the Council at each local election since then. The branch has played its part in gaining support for our Dáil Deputy, Austin Deasy in this area in all General elections.

The chairman pointed out that Tallow has done well during the past year with its new Fire Engine costing £80,000, the tarmac on the main street which cost £30,000 and £25,000 was spent on repairing footpaths. He said he was very glad to see the derelict houses in Barrack St., taking on a new look. The refurbishment of these will give the street a real face-lift. Improvements continue at Woodview Park and this is of great benefit to the place.

The meeting was attended by Deputy Deasy and Cllr. McDonnell and they were asked by the branch members to take up the following matters at Dáil and Council levels.

1. The removal of derelict houses at West St.;
2. The tarmac surfacing of West St. and Chapel St.;
3. The provision of a second public phone kiosk;
4. The provision of 4 new houses at Woodview Park;
5. The planned by-pass at Tallow Bridge to be completed.

Officers were elected for the coming year — Chairman; John Leahy, V. Chairman; Denis O'Brien, Secretary; John P. Barry, Joint Treasurers; Marion Forbes and Maurice Geary, P.R.O.; Fiona McDonnell.

TALLOW AND DISTRICT ANGLING CLUB NOTES

On Friday, January 29, 1993 Tallow and District Angling Club held their Annual General Meeting at the Bridge Bar. The Chairman, Michael Delaney, welcomed all to the meeting and stated that he was very pleased to see such a good attendance. A good representation of youth attended as well as the not so young from Tallow and District and as far away as Middleton. This indeed is very encouraging for the club. Various discussions and different topics such as restocking and the erecting of foot bridges. The club is very active in attracting tourist to fish on the River Bride. A lot of work was carried out last season to make access to the River Bride more attractive and with new foot bridges installed it makes it easy for people to get from one field to another. A very sincere thanks to the landowners for their help and co-operation during the past season and we look forward to

their continued support this season.

We will ask all fishermen, boys and girls, please do not drop litter on the river banks, after all if it were not for those landowners fishing for us would not be possible. Treat the landowners with respect and they will treat you accordingly.

Thanks also to Gina and Alan for all their help in promoting the club and for the use of their premises for meeting.

Fees for the coming season are — Adults £7 and Juveniles £2.50. Day permits £4 available from The Bridge Bar, John Forde and Dan Delaney.

Officers elected for the coming season are:

Chairman — Michael Delaney; Vice-Chairman — John Henley; Hon. Secretary — Tadhg McCarthy; Asst. Secretary — David Henley; Treasurer — Alan Silver; P.R.O. — Richie Pratt.

Full list of committee members will be published later. — R. Pratt P.R.O.

friends and neighbours. Other assisting clergy were Very Rev. Canon C. Condon, Very Rev. Canon Thornhill, P.P., Youghal, Rev. Fr. Magnier, Knockanore, and Rev. Fr. Kelleher, P.P., Conna. Masses were also offered during the week for the happy repose of her soul by Fr. Pat Condon, C.C., Ardfinnan and Fr. Gerard Condon, Doneraile.

To her husband Sean, daughters Patricia and Carmel, brothers John and Jim, sisters-in-law, nephews, nieces and relatives we extend deep sympathy. May her gentle soul rest in peace.

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Last week's results were as follows — Peg Sullivan, Lismore; Joan Mernin, Villierstown; Mary Buckley, Woodview Park; Mena Mulcahy, Woodview Park; Mrs. Buckley, Lismore; Noreen Hartigan, Conna; Jim McCarthy, West; Marion Forbes, Woodview Park; Charlotte Fuller, Parkdota; Declan Daly, Parkdota; Margaret Giles, Tircullen; Johnny Deedy, Dungourney; Betty Buckley, Woodview Park; Sinead, U.S.A.; Nora Morrissey, Villierstown; Margo Roach, Fermoy; Mrs. Geary, Cappoquin; Mrs. O'Mahony, Kilcronat, Ballynoe (£100); Mary Pratt, Woodview Park; Mary McGlenn, Conna; Cathleen Rumbley, Conna.

Next week's jackpot is £500 on 53 calls or less. . . .

BALLYNOE NOTES

A social organised by the Church body for all those who helped in any way during the year in the churches of Ballynoe, Conna and Glengoura was held at Conna Community Centre last Friday night. It comprised such people, men and women who acted as collectors, ministers of the Eucharist, readers, choirs etc., and with partners as well as a large crowd assembled there and with television abandoned for the night rapport reached a high pitch, in a real homely and happy atmosphere. Fr. Kelleher, P.P., welcoming everybody, praised the people for their commitment to the churches in various ways during all the years and said it was a great source of encouragement to us to work so well together and he paid tribute to his two curates Fr. Strich, C.C., and Fr. Lomesney, C.C., who were present for their dedication. It was deemed an appropriate occasion too, to give recognition to Pat Lee of Aghern, who for several years has consistently swam 10 miles of the Blackwater, from Castle-townroche to Fermoy each Christmas morning and has raised an enormous sum of money for various charities including local ones, and a beautiful table lamp was presented to him by Michael Joyce, Chairman of Conna Community Council amidst loud acclamation. Songs, recitations and instrumental items were contributed during the night, and refreshments were served lavishly by many helpers, and for the dancing a specially augmented band of Willie Kearney (junior), Willie Kearney (senior), John Noonan, Liam Walsh, Chris O'Mahoney, Mrs. Walsh and Margaret Mellerick gave of the best, agus is fada linn go mbeidh a leithead againn aris, le congnamh De.

A NAOMH BRID, GUIDH ORAINN

A strong band of grá has existed between the Irish and Saint Brigid or Mary of the Gael as she is styled in the Annals. The daughter of Dubhthack she and her mother saw her early life at Foughart Co. Louth. As a young girl her generosity to poor and downtrodden was remarkable, and when she came to Kildare and founded her community and church there she still maintained that great love of Gods poor. To this day, in spite of recessions, violence, wars and other distractions she has always remained in the minds of the Gael, and it is still interesting to note that the old custom of putting out the cloth or brat Bride was observed by many last Sunday night the Eve of St. Brigids Day February 1st. Many cures are attributed to the touching or wearing of this cloth.

BRIDE VIEW UTD A.F.C. NOTES

Red House League

Mixed Fortunes for United

Bride View Utd 4 Youghal 0

Utd. short some regulars for this game came out on top after a very dour opening 30 min in which neither side had a worthwhile shot on goal. The turnabout came in the 35th minute when the homeside were awarded a penalty after a Mark Geary shot was handled in the box by a Youghal defender, Gerard Hogan made no mistake from the spot kick and this goal separated the sides at the break.

Youghal tried hard to get back on level terms after the break and stand in keeper Tomás McCarthy brought off a marvellous save in the 53rd minute to keep Utd. ahead. However, Bride View increased their lead in the 69th minute when John Joe Henley set up Dermot Henley for the latter to shoot home. It was all Utd. now and the third goal came in the 84th minute when Dermot Henley set up David Henley to score from close range. Dermot set up Mark Geary for Utds. fourth goal in the 87th minute and Youghal were glad to hear the final whistle as the homeside were rampant at this stage.

Overall another good win for the homeside which will keep the pressure on the top two teams in the group and who knows anything can happen in the run in: Utd. have two more homegames in the next two weeks one in the league and one in the cup.

Utd. — T. McCarthy, D. Henley, G. Seil, J. Mackintosh, K. Murphy, G. Hogan, M. Hartnett, M. Geary, D. Henley, J. J. Henley and D. Flaherty. Res. — E. Cusack and M. Henley.

Cappoquin 1 Bride View Utd. 0

Our division two side dominated this game but failed to convert the numerous chances that fell to them. They even missed a penalty in this game as well as hitting the post on a few occasions.

At the break the sides were level both still waiting for the opening goal. The second half saw Utd. on top with John Doyle breaking through the home defence but his shot came back off the crossbar. Colin Cunningham was unlucky in the 40th minute and both Mickey Curley and Barry Murphy both went close.

Against the run of play Cappoquin scored and so they grabbed both points. A good display this from a very young Utd. side who deserved to get one from this game.

Utd. — B. Sheehan, D. Doyle, J. Sheehan, K. Aherne, M. Aherne, B. Murphy, O. Aherne, C. Cunningham, G. Doyle, M. Curley, S. Barry. Res — G. Fitzgerald

Lotto — Yes the first lotto draw takes place this Wednesday February 3rd in the Corner House Bar at 9.30 p.m. The club would like to thank the people who have bought a lotto ticket for this draw. The response has been tremendous. Don't forget to buy your lotto ticket for next Wednesday nights draw February 10th.

Seaview Celtic Co-op Draw — All money for this draw must be in by this weekend for what is the final draw.

U-13 Challenge Game — Bride View Utd. 1 Valley Rangers 4 — Our U-13 side short some players went down to a very strong Rangers side. Rangers were two goals up at the break but William Henley pulled one back for the homeside just 2 minutes into the second half. Rangers grabbed two more goals to run out convincing winners. It was a brave performance by this very young homeside.

Utd. — W. Conroy, O. Morgan, B. Power, P. Murray, D. Howard, J. Peascod, P. Cronin, s. McCarthy, R. Cronin, P. Cronin, M. Ryan. Res. all used — D. Beecher, M. McGrath, S. Cronin, C. Sullivan P. O'Brien, O. Fitzgerald and A. Tobin.

Our u-13 league starts this Saturday. Players will be told of draw and time during the week. Draw took place last Monday night in The Red House Bar. The U-16 league kicks off on Saturday week.

Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup — Yes it all happened in The Red House Bar, Lismore on Monday week last when both of Utd's. teams were last out of the cup and so they meet one another in the cup quarter final. It's a first for the club and maybe it's appropriate for a little bit of history to be created as the club celebrates its 21st anniversary. It's the talk of the town and it should attract a huge crowd to the Tallow venue for what should be a tremendous game of football.

Fixtures for Sunday 7th February Red House League — Division One: Bride View Utd. v. Cappoquin, K. Off 11 o'clock. Division Two: Araglen v. Bride View Utd., K. Off 11 o'clock.

P.S. Because Tallow races are on on Sunday both our games kick off at 11 o'clock. Players please note time.

U-13 League Saturday February 6th — Fermoy v. Bride View Utd., K. Off 2.30 p.m.

West Waterford Notes

DEATH OF MRS. NORA GODSIL

On January 15 the death occurred of Mrs. Nora Godsil, Inch, Killeagh, aunt of Balt Curran Coolboa, Clashmore. Nora's funeral took place to Inch Church and following Requiem Mass on Sunday Nora was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

TIDY TOWNS

As the present FÁS scheme in Clashmore village in association with Clashmore Tidy Towns Committee comes to an end, we would like to compliment the workers who have done so much work in highlighting the historical buildings and natural amenities of the village. Well done to all of you!

It is hoped more workers will be available for another scheme to continue the wonderful work presently in progress.

G.A.A. 45 DRIVE

As the weekly 45 Card Drive continues in Clashmore on Monday nights the results of last week's cards were as follows. Winners of 9 games were Roger Hynes and Brian Foley, 2nd prize Paddy and Nell Foley, 3rd prize Jack Douris and Willie Ronayne. Best of the last five Joseph O'Keefe and Paddy Hurton.

BINGO

Congratulations to Anne Seward and Margaret Long who won £10 each in the National Bingo Game. Bingo continues as usual every Tuesday night in aid of Clashmore G.A.A. Club.

RECOVERING FROM AN OPERATION

Get well wishes are extended to Eoin Power, Clashmore presently recovering after an operation.

GET WELL WISHES

Continued good wishes are extended to Mrs. Maureen Mason, Ballycurrane, Clashmore who has been in hospital in Cork for the past two weeks. Good wishes are sent to you Maureen from all your family and friends.

BABY BOY

Warmest congratulations to Majella (nee Hallahan) and Michael Foley, Piltown on the birth of their baby boy recently.

DECIES DART CLUB

Congratulations to Seán Sheehan who was winner in our Sunday lunchtime tournament on the 31st and to John Kape who was runner-up. We had three away matches last week. On Thursday night we travelled to Dunnes in Tournameena and drew with the club. On Friday night we went to Knockanore but were defeated. Last Sunday several members of the club participated in the singles competition in Dick Lawlors in Cappoquin and had a very enjoyable evening. We play

the Cruiscín Lán (Villierstown) this week at home in the league cup.

IN HOSPITAL

Presently in hospital in Cork is very popular Clashmore publican, Tommy Beresford, The Rising Sun. Every good wish is extended to you Tommy from all your family and friends. Hope to have you back in action soon again.

ENGAGED

This week we extend our congratulations to Pat McKenna in Belgium (formerly of Graigue, Aghlish) on the occasion of his engagement to Miss Anne Marckx, Polderstraat, Belgium recently. Pat and Anne plan to marry later this year and we wish both every happiness in life together.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Continued good wishes are extended to Angela McCarthy now home having spent a few days in hospital.

DEATH OF MRS. NAN POWER

The death occurred of Mrs. Nan Power peacefully at her home at Ferrangarrett, Ardmore on Thursday last January 28th. Formerly of Bawnacommeragh, Kinsalebeg, Nan was a member of the well-known Power family. Her late brother Jackie was a well known member of the farming community here in West Waterford and her brother Tommy was one of the renowned "Whippers-in" with the West Waterford Hunt in which he continues to have a vested interest.

Nan was a very popular and respected member of staff at The Cliff Hotel, Ardmore until her retirement.

Her remains were taken to Ardmore church on Friday evening and following Requiem Mass on Saturday Nan was laid to rest in Ardmore cemetery.

We wish to extend our deepest sympathy to her brother and sister, nephews, nieces, relatives and many friends.

DRAW

Later this month the first of twelve monthly draws in aid of the Decies G.A.A. development fund will be held. Some tickets are still available from Eamonn Lombard, Noel Nugent or any other member of the club. For a small investment of just £5 per month and with some valuable prizes on offer our local club and the G.A.A. throughout the county will benefit especially the young members through schools coaching etc.

WINNER AT CARRIGTWOHILL

We proudly report the highlight of the week on Sunday last when Ed. O'Rourke, son of Pat and Elma O'Rourke, Clashmore Village rode "Trimage" to victory in the Pudge Deehan and Gaelic Bar Adjacent

Hunts 5-year old Maiden at Carrigtwohill Point-to-Point.

This was Ed's first ride in a point to point and what a fantastic achievement for this young Clashmore man in his first race.

All the locals who attended were thrilled to be present as M. O'Brien's "Trimage" and Ed crossed the finishing line and the many people who placed a few pounds on Ed were exceptionally pleased with their financial gain.

Congratulations Ed on your victory and we wish you every success in the future.

JUVENILE PARISH LEAGUE

It was a crisp dry day for the final of the Clashmore-Kinsalebeg Juvenile G.A.A. parish league. What an exciting final it was! All who came along to support the teams were not disappointed. The first match for 3rd place got underway at 2 p.m. when Ulster captained by Joseph Keogh played Munster captained by David O'Keefe. Ulster showed their true colours in this match and the half time scores B. McGrath 1 goal, Joe Keogh 1 point, B. McGrath 1 goal, for Ulster. Ulster 2-1 Munster 0.

In the second half Ulster once again dominated the match with scores from P. Troy 1 goal, T. Burke 1 goal, A. Dunne 1 goal. Munster C. Allen 2 points. Giving Ulster their first win of the league with a full-time score of Ulster 4-2 Munster 2-0.

The second match the final Leinster v. Connaught got underway at 3 p.m. Both teams were on equal points on the league table going into the final and both teams had all to play for. Leinster captained by Patrick Troy failed to score in the first half while scores from R. Ryan 2 points, G. O'Rourke 1 goal, P. Mansfield 1 point and S. Kenneally 1 goal gave Connaught captained by Roger Ryan a half time score of 2-3 to Leinster 0.

In the second half Connaught continued to dominate the match and despite scores from Ed. Beresford 1 point, A. Murray 1 goal and B. Dunne 1 goal for Leinster, Connaught stretched their lead with a goal from S. Allen and S. Kenneally and a point from P. Mansfield, giving a win to Connaught with a score of 4-4 to Leinster 2-1. Well done to all of you it was a very exciting league.

The Juvenile Club would like to thank all of those who worked to make this years parish league such an outstanding success.

A special word of thanks to team coaches Timmy O'Keefe, Liam O'Rourke, Roger Hynes, Brendan Griffin and referee Liam O'Donnell.

All our players who took part received a tee shirt and the winners the Connaught

team received a pair of football shorts these were sponsored by Mossie Curran, The Decies Lounge, Clashmore.

JUVENILE CLUB A.G.M.

The A.G.M. of the Clashmore/Kinsalebeg Juvenile G.A.A. Club was held in the Clubhouse on the 23 of January 1993, following an opening address by the chairman. A detailed account of the club finances was given by Treasurer Eamonn Beresford the bottom line was most impressive and showed the club to be in a good financial state going into 1993. The major part of our clubs income was obtained from the great success of our Juvenile Club Calendar. A very impressive and detailed account of the Clubs activities over the past year was given by Club Secretary Liam O'Rourke the high point being the success of our u-16 team in winning the county hurling title.

The Chairman Declan O'Keefe in his address thanked all those who had helped in any way in the running of the club for the year. He expressed a special word of thanks to the team coaches and selectors who did a fantastic job in 1992. The chairman also thanked all the sponsors who purchased advertisements in our 1993 Juvenile Club Calendar.

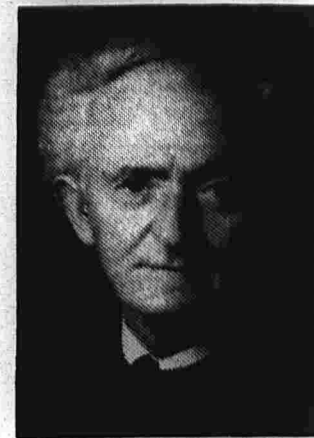
The following officers were elected for 1993 — President; Rev Fr. O'Gorman (P.P.), Chairman; Declan O'Keefe, Treasurer; Eamonn Beresford, Secretary; Liam O'Rourke. Committee Members — Michael O'Neill, Mary Fleming, Jean O'Keefe, Jimmy O'Keefe. Michael O'Neill was also appointed to represent the Juvenile Club on the Senior Club Committee.

COMMUNITY GAMES COMMITTEE-1993

The following officers were elected for 1993 at the A.G.M. on Wednesday last — President; Rev. Fr. M. O'Gorman, P.P., Vice President; Rev. Fr. G. O'Connor, C.C., Chairman; John Trihy, Vice-Chairwoman; Teresa Foley, Secretary; Bernie Fleming, Asst. Secretary; Christine Coughlan, Treasurer; Marie Guilly, Asst. Treasurer; Anne O'Rourke, P.R.O.'s; Christine Coughlan, Bernie Fleming. Committee — Kay Ledingham, Edmond Ledingham, Mary Connery, Helen Trihy, Rosemarie O'Halloran, John Foley.

Despite the trojan work done each year by this small body of people for the young people in this area they did not get the support they deserve at their A.G.M. Community Games offer our young people a chance to compete in events which would not normally be available to them. The officers and organisers deserve much more support from parents.

Percy French — His Life, Times And Music



Tadgh O'Regan

Well-known Abbeysider, Tadgh O'Regan, presents a public illustrated talk on the life, times and music of Percy French, composer and balladeer, in Lawlor's Hotel on Tuesday, February 9 sponsored by Dungarvan Museum Society. Best known for his recording of the Mai O'Higgins composed "Dungarvan My Home Town". Tadgh, in 1990, drew a capacity attendance to his "The Decies In Song and Story" also presented by the Museum Society.

Tadgh's subject on this occasion is Percy French, composer, entertainer and painter. Born in Clooneyquinn, Co. Roscommon in 1854, he graduated at Trinity College, Dublin in 1881 in civil engineering and was appointed Drainage Surveyor in Co. Cavan by the Board of Works. Early compositions include "Abdul The Bulbul Emir", "The Mountains of Mourne" and while in Cavan "Come Back Paddy Reilly To Ballyjamesduff" and "Phil The Fluter's Ball". In 1888 French joined a Dr. Collison in writing and producing a musical comedy "Knights Of The Road" at the Queen's Theatre, Dublin and thus began a long and successful career as songwriter and entertainer with Collison as partner. They toured Canada, the U.S.A., the West Indies as well as playing in England and Ireland. His compositions range from comedy as in "Are Ye Right There, Michael, Are Ye

Right" — the subject of a legal action by the West Clare Railway Co. — and "Donovan's Daughter in Ballyporeen" to the pain of emigration in "Cutting The Corn in Creeslough Today" and "Paddy Reilly" the heartbreak following a departed loved one in "The Woods Of Gortnamona" and love of home in "Have You Ever Been To Drumcollogher". Percy French was also a talented watercolourist and as a young engineer spent his spare time painting the scenery of the midlands and his works are highly sought at art auctions at present. Among his subjects is a fine study of Dungarvan. He moved to London in 1890 and died at Formby, Lancashire in 1920. His life has been the subject of the musical "The Golden Years" staged by Dungarvan Choral and Musical Society in 1976. Tadgh O'Regan will be accompanied on piano by his daughter Aine. (See Advt.)

Abbeyside Girl Guide Notes

LADYBIRD AND BROWNIES

Both Ladybirds and Brownies alike were busy this week with "Anti-Litter" posters. It is hoped that everyone will take heed and keep it clean!

GUIDES

It has been a busy week for Abbeyside Guides. On Thursday at our meeting, some time was spent organising the equipment for the indoor cook competition. While an 18 year old visitor left Laura singing! In between a stalking game kept the company quite and content for a while.

PATROL INDOOR COOK COMPETITION

Last Saturday afternoon we held our annual Indoor Cook competition. Our examiner as usual was S.L. Brian Mulvihill, who took this difficult task in his stride. Soon the Den was filled with the aroma of a variety of dishes. The meals were prepared quickly and quietly by all patrols and soon it was time

for the all important tasting. All the food was edible but some was a bit cold. A certain swan provoked a lot of interest. A high standard of hygiene and team-work was kept throughout and this was evident in the markings. The final results were close and the marks all round were high. Eventually the winners were announced and congratulations are due to the Kingfisher Patrol under the leadership of Elizabeth Kirwan. Thanks are extended to the 4th Waterford for equipment provided, and to Brian for all his help.

SCOUT SPONSORED CYCLE

All Ladybirds, Brownies, Guides, etc. should be filling their cards at this stage. We appreciate that money is tight at the moment, but we can assure you that all monies received will go to good use. So give as much as possible, and cards should be returned (full with loads of money!) as soon as possible! — Jack.

Cappoquin Notes

CAPPOQUIN AND DISTRICT DART LEAGUE

Lindsays captured their third title on the trot last weekend when they travelled to the Village Inn A. This is indeed a great achievement by Lindsays. The Village A were runners-up while at the bottom of the table we have a play off for relegation between Lawlors and the Overflow Inn.

Kereen took the title in the second division with a 6-2 win in the Curiscin and booked their place in the first division next season. The Village Inn B were runners-up to Kereen.

The singles took place in Lawlors last Sunday in front of a packed house. Eighty-four hopefuls lined up at the start of the day but without reigning champion James

Scanlon who would have been chasing three in a row. After an evening of some excellent darts it was down to the semi-finals. In the first semi it was John Joe Maher and Dick Lawlor with John Joe going through after an epic battle. In the second semi it was Mick Ryan and Tom Cahill with Mick going through.

The final was an excellent game between two very experienced players but it was Mick who won through in the end to take the title. Mick is indeed a worthy champion as he played some superb darts throughout the day. The league would like to thank Dick Lawlor and all who helped on the day.

AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN G.A.A. NOTES

Bereaved — Sympathy is extended to our esteemed member and former player Jimmy McGrath on the death of his nephew Mr. Martin Burke who died in a tragic accident over the week-end.

County Draw — We are now in the last week for selling tickets for the 1st of the big county draws. The Committee are satisfied with the sales to date but feel that there are still a number of our supporters who may wish to join. We would urge our promoters to see to it that contact is made with every household in our area: No stone must be left unturned to secure the maximum return from this most attractive venture.

Meeting — A meeting of the Executive Committee will be held at Walsh's Hotel on next Friday night at 8 p.m. All members are requested to attend.

County Trials — In recent weeks club players have been involved in County Trial matches - At under 21 Hurling level Kevin Wilkinson, Martin Reddy and Pat Monahan travelled from our club to Ardmore.

At the recent Minor Hurling Trial in Lismore Frank McLoughlin, Billy Tobin and Eddie Hickey participated.

Convention Delegates — Club delegates who attended the recent Western and County Conventions were as follows — Western - Denis McGrath, Jack Cullinane and Eddie Fraher.

County - Denis McGrath, Ml. Byrne, Paddy McGrath.

Regradings — Team Selectors met last Saturday night to decide on regradings. Our crippling injury list last year forced the selectors to upgrade a good number of players. Hopefully we will not have the same problem this year and we will be able to field in all affiliated grades, at full strength.

Work In The Field — At our last committee meeting our Chairman Ml. Fraher informed the meeting that the recent storm had caused some damage to the safety nets behind the goals in the main pitch and also the juvenile pitch. He asked for volunteers to lend a hand to rectify the problem. So anyone wishing to help give their name to any committee member and a specific date can be arranged to carry out the work.

All-Ireland Final Appearance — By virtue of their victory over Letterkenny recently Waterford Regional College have qualified for the Freshers All-Ireland Final. Their opponents in the Final will be Limerick Regional College. Local player Ciaran Cullinane is the Waterford goalkeeper and has turned in some great displays for his college. We wish Ciaran and his team-mates the best of luck in the Final, in Clonmel next Saturday.

Videos — We learn that Videos are now available of our Western and County Intermediate Football Finals. Contact our Chairman Ml. Fraher for full details.

CAPPOQUIN TIDY TOWNS A.G.M.

The Annual General meeting was held at the C.Y.M.S. Hall on last Thursday night and the following officers were elected — Chairman; Denis McCarthy, Vice Chairman; Tom Feerick, Secretary; Aideen Hill, Asst. Secretary; Nora Flynn, Treasurer; Pat Casey, Asst. Treasurer; Kate Kelleher.

Committee with special responsibilities for the various parts of the town were elected as follows — Melleray Road; Oliver Croke, Upper Shanbally; Wm. O'Donoghue, Lower Shanbally; Wm. Gallagher, Barrack St.; Michael O'Doherty, Upper Main St; Anthony Prendergast, Lower Main St.; Paul McCormack, Castle St.; Maura Greene, Green St.; Helen Cunningham, Cooke St.; Esther Prendergast, Mill St.; Irene Cahill, Church St. Mce. Noonan, Mass Lane; Julie Keane.

Other committee members elected Seán Mason, Ollie Wilkinson, Jim McGrath, Paddy Foley, Mary Foley.

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

Where was Jackie Foley's workshop. Answer next week.

ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S QUESTION

The late Willie Sargent.

CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME NOTES

Beef Stockjudging — On Sunday 23rd of January a team consisting of, Edward Cahill, Liam Houlihan, Tom Cliffe and James Meagher took part in the beef stockjudging held in Cappagh. Well done to Liam Houlihan who came third in the Junior section.

Club News — On Saturday 30th of January a large group of club members took off to the Coliseum sports-bowl in Cork for a game of Quasar and bowling, everyone who went had an enjoyable time and vowed to go again.

New Members — We would like to welcome our new members, Richard Prendergast, Daniel O'Donnell, Liam Houlihan, James Fenton, Sandra Flynn and John Walsh who joined the club in the past month. New members are always welcome. P.R.O.

CAPPOQUIN GIRL GUIDES

We travelled to Waterford last Sunday to St. Josephs Church, Newtown, for our annual Diocesan Mass. It was a lovely ceremony. Well done to Nessa Landers who sang a solo beautifully; to Celine O'Shea who said a prayer of the faithful and thanks to Shirley Landers who was a Minister of Eucharist.

Thanks to all the girls who went.

Thanks also to everyone who supported our disco last Friday night in the Cats. It was a very successful night.

We will have a break this week and Guides will commence next Tuesday 9th February. Reminder: First Friday Mass this Friday 5th February. P.R.O. Grainne Flynn.

CAPPOQUIN TROUT ANGLERS NEWS

Our representatives travelled to Mitchelstown on Sunday last to attend the A.G.M. of the Munster Regional Trout Angling Council. It was very reassuring to listen to the opinions of true fishermen who have experienced similar problems as ourselves. C.T.A.C. was welcomed by Dan Quill. We are glad to let it be known our affiliation went through unopposed and we look forward to the start of our season. We will be organising the "fly casting" classes for young and old, and we will give further details next week. P.R.O.

AFFANE A.F.C.

We were at home to Cappoquin last Sunday and lost by two nil. We had the advantage of the wind in the first half and started well with a lot of position but once again we failed to take advantage of some excellent scoring chances while Cappoquin took advantage when they got a chance and were one up at the break.

They got their second six minutes into the second half when we failed to pick up a Cappoquin player who was give a free header at goal from a corner. Both sides had chances after this but it remained two nil until the end.

Team — T. O'Sullivan, K. Reddy, M. Browne, L. Costin, T. Mansfield, T. Ormonde, F. McCarthy, J. Crotty, E. McGrath, T. Hennebry, T. Stapleton. Sub — J. Corcoran for T. Ormonde.

IN HOSPITAL

We wish a speedy recovery to Mrs. Kathleen Whelan, Ballyhane who is at present a patient in a Cork Hospital.

CAPPOQUIN F.C.

Cappoquin A 2 Affane 0
I think it would be fair to say that this was hardly our most convincing performance of the season. However, we secured both points with a goal in each half. A looping header by John Morrissey from a Gossie Mason corner ended up in the top corner for our first and Eugene McLoughlin added the second midway through the second half.

Affane to their credit battled hard to try and salvage something from the match but our lads held out to secure two valuable points. Best for us were Shane Fraher, Eamonn Costin and John Morrissey. This win keeps our hopes of League honours very much alive and maybe with a little bit of luck and better commitment from our squad we might just get back up there with the front runners in the next few weeks.

A word of thanks to the Affane club whose co-operation in switching the match to their home ground was very much appreciated.

Team — Liam Morrissey, Eamonn Walsh, Shane Fraher, Eamonn Costin, John Morrissey, Brian Murray, Pat Monahan, Garry Morrissey, Eugene McLoughlin, Gossie Mason (Capt.), Joe Walsh. Sub — Len Coleman for Joe Walsh.

Cappoquin B 1 Brideview B 0

To say we were fortunate to take full points from this

fixture would be an understatement. We rode our luck on a number of occasions, Rhiney Walsh cleared off the line in the opening minute of the game as did Ken O'Donnell and Darren Mason in the second half. Micky Curley saw his first half penalty well saved by our keeper Ciaran Cullinane and Brideview also hit the upright. On reflection we were delighted to steal both points even though our performance left a lot to be desired.

To be fair to Brideview they are a much improved side since our last meeting in Tallow, which we won comfortably 3-1. Perhaps they caught us by surprise on Sunday but, as the saying goes it's the result that counts and we clinched two very valuable league points.

The vital goal was scored in the 55th minute of the game by Dean Morrissey, he slotted the ball home from ten yards after some good work by Dave Power and Charlie Barry. Best for us on the day were Billy O'Shea and Dave Power whose performance in particular was outstanding.

Team — Ciaran Cullinane, Liam Lacey, Eddie Budden, Ken O'Donnell, Darren Mason, Dave Power (Capt.), Rhiney Walsh, Anthony McCarthy, Dean Morrissey, Billy O'Shea, Charlie Barry. Subs — Conor O'Leary, Eddie Dee, Seamus McCarthy.

Waterford G.A.A. Supporters Club News

BACK TO WORK AGAIN

A belated happy New Year to all our members and followers in the county, but, it's back to work again for the club. The first executive committee meeting was held on January 13 at the Clonea Strand Hotel, and was a successful and efficient get-together. There is much to be done if the club is to support our county teams of all codes, and 100% commitment of all is essential.

FINANCIAL REPORT

C. O Dubhlainn submitted an Income Statement and Balance Sheet showing the financial affairs of the club to be healthy and strong for the period to December 31, 1992. A copy of the accounts had been sent to the County Board Auditors, O'Neill, Foley and Co. and we are in apple-pie order.

WALSH PARK FLOODLIGHTING

Glad to report that the Walsh Park floodlights are now installed, and, we understand, working. The club had agreed to pay £1,800 towards the cost of this project, and a cheque has been already passed on to the County Board for this sum. It is hoped that these lights will ensure that the dark nights will no longer be a burden on our county teams who wish to train at Walsh Park.

COUNTY JUNIORS

A request for financing of 6 weight-lifting sessions for the county junior hurlers was agreed at the last meeting and a cheque for £120 has since been issued.

JOB PLACEMENT

Working quietly in the background is our Job Placement Sub-Committee, and some success has already been achieved. The club is always glad to do whatever possible to assist members of the G.A.A. to find work despite the monumental task that this represents.

COUNTY SENIORS

Subject to approval the club has also agreed to pay for 20 P.E. sessions for the senior hurling county team, which will involve a total outlay of £700.

MARY MEADE

Our best wishes for a speedy recovery to full health go to Mary who, unfortunately, is still hospitalised at the Waterford Regional Hospital. Mary, we wish you good health and may you soon be back on your favourite seats in Walsh Park and Fraher Field.

Ever thought of having banana with bacon



There are a number of unlikely combinations in cooking, but we bet you have never considered banana and bacon as a complementary duo? This recipe will quickly become a family favourite.

BANANA BACON

A fruity stuffing for gammon steaks makes a quick delicious dish.

Ingredients:

- 4 gammon steaks
- 1 banana, chopped
- 4 oz (110g) fresh white



breadcrumbs
2 oz (50g) almonds,
halved and toasted
zest and juice 1/2 orange
salt and pepper

Method:

Cut the rind from the gammon steaks and snip at intervals to avoid

the edges curling. Mix the remaining ingredients and spread over gammon. Fold over and place in an ovenproof dish. Bake at gas mark 6, 400 deg F., for 35-45 mins, until cooked. Serves 4.

Dungarvan Musical & Choral Society Notes

"OKLAHOMA"

Countdown to opening night, February 8. One week to go. Everybody and everything is ready, just the final polishing to bring up the gloss. Since last September all have been working in top gear to present a show worthy of the Society and acceptable to our audiences. This they have done and when you have seen the show you will agree that all the hard work has been well worth while, they have achieved what they set out to do.



Musical Director
Greg Scanlon

It may be cold and grey outside, but inside the Friary Hall Theatre all is warmth, colour, excitement and expectation, eagerly awaiting the raising of the conductor's baton, the opening of the curtain to reveal the lovely sets and backdrops and the commencement of "Oklahoma." This is it, the magic is there. For a few hours forget the punt, the mortgage and enjoy the frolics of the folk from "Oklahoma." You will be delighted with the music, the singing, the dancing, the fun, the intrigues. There is nothing like live entertainment.

Do show your appreciation by flocking to the Show. Monday night is 'Family Night' and families may avail of the reduced admission prices.

"Oklahoma" is a show suitable for all the family, from the children to the granny — what little boy wouldn't be thrilled with the cowboys, the rough and tumble and the sharp shooting and the little girls and the not so little girls will just love the ballet, the lovely costumes, the glorious

colour, and yes, the handsome cowboys and farmers too.

Granny — all the grannies will identify with 'Aunt Eller,' tough and strict, with a finger — granted a good natured finger — in every pie, yet with a gentle concern for all her extended family.

We are looking forward to bringing our show to you. Join us any night during the week February 8-13 inclusive — you will enjoy it. See advertisement and posters for details of booking, etc. — PRO, Mary.



Producer
Michael O'Donoghue

Dungarvan Youth Club Notes

CLUB 2000

Well Christmas is over and we are all settling in again at the club. Over the last three weeks we have enjoyed very successful club nights. The first club night after Christmas we travelled to Clonea for our second attempt at bowling. It turned out to be a lot better than our first attempt and without doubt the star of the night was Donna.

Our last two club nights have, thanks to Philip Duggan, been brilliant. Philip brought along his paints and brushes and showed us all how to blend colours, etc. Finally we were ready (or so we thought) to start painting. There was more paint on some of the members faces than any where else but to our surprise some were not bad at all.

We discovered a few young Picasso's in the club and we are now hoping to follow it up with more classes. It was nice to see Fr. Kiely pop in, and to his credit got his paint brush and joined in.

This week Vincent Burns from Aisiri will be with us again and I believe he has a surprise for Marie and her gang. It should be another great night.

VALENTINE'S DISCO

We are holding a special Valentine's disco on Friday, February 12. So far three clubs have informed us that they will be coming. As a result we will have tickets on sale soon. The crowd will be restricted so get your tickets fast. Only those in possession of a ticket will be allowed into the hall.

Finally get well soon to Kathleen, we look forward to having you back with us soon.

New Images Youth Club

LEADERS

While I reported last week that there was some rumblings about new leaders joining the leadership team, I am glad to report that we have two new leaders, one lady and one gent, namely Michelle Truman and Michael Wright, two very experienced and enthusiastic people. So, a big welcome from leaders and members and let us hope your stay will be long and happy.

CLUB NIGHT

On last Thursday night we held a very successful Treasure Hunt around the town centre and surrounds. We had four very energetic and enthusiastic teams taking part and with Michelle Truman's team winning, what

an opening night for this lady!

On next Thursday night a full programme is planned with a quiz to start with and an entertaining game of "Charades" to finish. This could be another successful night.

MEMBERSHIP

With the two main expenses now being insurance and affiliation, all membership monies are to be paid in the next two to three weeks, from leaders and members alike. Without insurance we could not operate, so this is a very important issue.

If there are any more adults or teenagers out there who have Thursday nights free (8 to 10 o'clock) we would be only too delighted to have you come along.

Until next week — PRO.

Some important dont's when you prune



PRUNING is vital to ensure that your shrubs and trees look good and healthy and produce quality fruit and blooms in the coming year.

And February is a crucial month for this unpopular job, so wrap up warm and try to wear some gloves, even if they do make the pruners harder to use.

The golden rules when pruning are not to:

- cut too close to the bud — you risk damaging it
- cut too far above the bud — you risk fungus and infection in the stump
- slope the cut towards the bud because it will channel water and cause rot and decay
- use cheap and cheerful pruning shears. A good strong quality pair will make the job easier by giving good leverage and cutting power, which means less tiredness in the hands and a much cleaner job.

Roses should be your priority and you can vent any anger at having to prune by being particularly hard on hybrid tea (HT) roses, which need a severe pruning to no more than nine inches above ground. Even those which have been newly-planted should be treated in this way.

Floribundas and climbers need less drastic action — lopping by a third is about right.

Remember that in most cases, you are aiming for a cup shape and must clip

away shoots likely to grow and clutter the middle of the rose.

When pruning climbers you must favour strong shoots which can be trained horizontally without interference with others. This simple rule should ensure a good and showy display.

As you work through your stock, check that the graft union sits just below the soil and roots are firmed in after any loosening caused by the winter wind and weather.

In particular, make sure that new plants are securely staked against the winds and that established roses are fed with a proprietary rose fertiliser or given a top dressing of well-rotted compost over the next few weeks.

February is your last chance to prune apple and pear trees — you should really be on to less woody types such as blackberries, which need drastic pruning to avoid deterioration into a prickly tangle producing a lighter and more inaccessible crop.

Cut shoots back to the second bud above ground and apply the same method to raspberry, gooseberry and currant.

Many other varieties in the garden may need pruning back now as well. The rule of thumb is to trim any deciduous (broad leaf) variety which flowers after May.

—Arthur Hines

O.N.E. Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Dungarvan Branch of O.N.E. was held recently and the following officers were elected:

Chairman — Dick McAilister; Vice-Chairman — Thomas Egan; Secretary — Richie Walsh; Treasurer — Con Hayes; Asst. Treasurer — Bill Sheehan; P.R.O. — Paddy O'Neill.

The meeting ended when the Chairman called for a minute's silence as a mark of respect to the members and relatives of members who had passed on in the last twelve months.

The next meeting is on Friday, March 5 at 8 p.m.

Dungarvan Comhairle Ceantair Fianna Fáil

A meeting of the above was held in Lawlor's Hotel on Thursday, January 28. Eleven Cumann were present. The Director of Elections gave a report on the General Election and expressed regret at the loss of a seat and a Junior Ministry.

A fundraising event in the form of a Race Nite will take place in the near future. Further details from Nuala Ryan, UDC, 058-43584.

Get well wishes were extended to Kevin Finn who is hospitalised at present. A vote of sympathy was extended to the Tobin family and the Wade family on their recent bereavements.

BALLYDUFF NOTES

BALLYDUFF PRESENTS "OUR TOWN"

If it is Ballyduff's aim to stage the unusual, devoted followers will not be disappointed by the talented group's offer for this year's Annual Drama Festival in March, namely, "Our Town" by Thornton Wilder. As is customary, there will be three performances of the play prior to the actual festival. This provides against possible disappointment later as usually the nights of the festival are heavily booked well in advance.

"Our Town," said to be Thornton Wilder's most important play, is an affectionate and thought provoking recreation of small town American life at the turn of the century. Set in a New Hampshire village, it holds within the unfolding of ordinary everyday living, a sense of pain and laughter and an unceasing search for an understanding of the heart's endless struggle with the mind in its attempt to unearth deeper significances to life and living.

In his choice of play, award-winning producer Bill Canning again reveals his intense understanding of theatre as a mirror in which the ordinary, often indeed mundane trivialities of life are magnified to cosmic changing realisms.

The huge cast of almost thirty are presently busily rehearsing and invite you, with much pleasure, to what will surely be a rivetting evening of experience and entertainment. There is no doubt you will be both challenged and confronted, and who knows, perhaps your thinking on the real meaning of life and living, forever changed. Certainly, be prepared for the unusual.

BALLYDUFF MACRA NA FEIRME

It was soccer all the way this week with our soccer league final taking place on last Friday night. Seamus Cunningham, with all his training and early nights was not able to overcome the fearsome challenge of Tom Kearney who ran out a 3-0 winner. Well done, Tom, better luck next year Seamus, you will need it.

We also had sent two teams to Dungarvan last Sunday night. Our teams performed well, but just didn't get there. A special word of thanks must go to Catherine Leamy who was the only girl who travelled and played six games. We would also like to thank Michelle and Clare for helping us out.

Our public speakers go into action this week — best of luck to them. Our disco dancers are all practicing hard for competition. Finally, two of our members were seen recently in Cork checking out Mothercare, maybe the date will be sooner than we think.

A club meeting will be held this Friday night in the hall at nine o'clock sharp, with items of major impor-

tance to be discussed. All members and new members welcome.

BALLYDUFF PIONEER NOTES

On Sunday last a large crowd travelled to Pallasgreen for the Munster Readoirf semi-finals. Sadly, Martina Twomey was unable to travel due to illness. I am glad to say that Raymond Dempsey and Theresa Noonan have qualified for the Munster Readoirf finals to be held in Freemount on next Sunday, February 7. We wish Raymond and Theresa the best in the finals.

Anyone interested in table quizzes, both junior and senior, please contact Bridie Murphy or Theresa Noonan.

BALLYDUFF N.S.

PARENT ASSOCIATION
At the invitation of the Ballyduff Upper National School Parents' Association, Dr. Moloney, Psychologist, will give a talk on the topic of "Your Growing child" in the School Hall at 8.30 p.m. on Thursday, February 4.

BALLYDUFF 45 DRIVE

Results of last Wednesday night's 45 drive in St. Michael's Hall are as follows — 1, Lar Sheehan and Willie Whelan; 2 divided between Bill and Bridie Flanagan, Bobby O'Neill and Joan Hannon, Benny Daunt and Pat Roche, Liam and Michael Leamy, Tom and Michael Carroll. Lucky tables: Billy Higgins and partner, Dave Walsh and

Sean Twomey, M. Coleman and M. Hickey. Raffle winners were Larry Byrne, Manus Geary, Mary Morrissey and Mary Hyland.

LINDSAY'S DARTS

Last Friday we clinched the league title for the fourth successive year in Aglish. Needing just two games for victory we achieved just that by taking two of the first four games. A great night was had by all with the cup being filled and emptied a few times.

The club would like to congratulate Mick Ryan of the Overflow on winning the singles. Also well done to two of our own throwers, Paddy Corcoran and Gerry Scanlon on reaching the quarter-final stages. The club will play Lawlor's this Friday in Cappoquin in the first round of the League Cup.

BALLYDUFF G.A.A. NOTES

The club is participating in the Deise Development Draw. Anyone who wishes to join may do so by getting a ticket from any member. The tickets are £5 a month or £60 for the year.

The club would like to sympathise with the family of the late Paddy Clancy who was a former player and a great supporter of the club throughout the years.

We would also like to wish the best of luck to Ger Hickey and Tom Feeney who are both currently training with the county u-21 hurling team.

Lismore Notes

C.L.G. LIOS MOR

Minor Hurling Trial — The following Club members attended a minor hurling trial at Knockanore on Sunday last at 11.30 a.m. — Peter Barry, Dan Shanahan, John Roche, Emmet Quann, James O'Connor, David Bennett and Ollie Dowd, due to sickness, Brendan Ormonde was unable to attend.

We are delighted to report that Paddy O'Donnell and Kieran O'Gorman have been selected to the County U-21 panel. Sean Daly, August winner of the Park Hotel Sports Star Award was one of four members of C.L.G. which attended the Park Hotel last Saturday night. It was a great honour for the Club to be represented by Sean in the Waterford Supreme Sports Award for 1992.

Deise Development Draw — Sale of tickets are going well. We are very happy with the response from the public those of you who would like to participate in the draw and have not yet been approached should contact any committee member.

Lismore/Ballysaggart Juvenile A.G.M.

Officers elected — President; Mossie Hyland, Chairman; John Heneghan, Vice-Chairman; Michael Clancy, Secretary; Bro. J. L. Dormer, Registrar; Bro. J. L. Dormer, P.R.O. Kevin Ryan. Committee; All present at the meeting.

Selectors — Minor: Billy Ormonde, Donal Shanahan, Billy Cunningham, Michael Clancy. Under-16: Michael Clancy, Donal Shanahan, Billy Ormonde, Billy Cunningham. Under-14 Hurling: John Heneghan, Joe Tobin, Sean Prendergast, John Flynn. Under-12 Hurling: Bro. Dormer, Billy Ormonde, Joe Tobin.

DEATH OF MICK REGAN IN LONDON

One of the most outstanding hurlers that ever played for Lismore and his county - Mick Regan late of 52 New St., Lismore recently died in Acton, London. Mick as he was popularly known returned every year for the All-Ireland Hurling Final. While in London he played with the Brian Ború. at a recent meeting of the Committee a vote of sympathy was passed to his wife Peggy.

LISMORE GOLF CLUB

Last week-end brought mild and dry conditions. The first rays of spring and also some inspired golf. Tom Cahill with a tremendous 25 pts. was this weeks overall winner. The Burgessanchor man had to birdie the 9th to edge out local Toyota dealer Jimmy Hornibrook who also had a wonderful 25 pts. James Bennett filled 3rd position with 24 pts. After 2 rounds of the Dave Feeney sponsored Spring league it looks very like a three horse race with Mossie Walshs team sharing the lead, with Seamus Beechers team with John Flynn's team chasing them and closing the gap to 2 pts. in third place.

James Bennett, Mossie Walsh and Jim Nugent did most to keep Mossie's team at the top. Dave Barry, Ted Keniry, Jim Cashman were the big three this week for Seamus. Sonny Landers, Dave McGrath and Mick

O'Grady did most for James Flynn's team and close in on the leaders. Congratulations to club member, Niall Twomey and his wife Shiobhan on the birth of their baby boy. "A caddie for daddy".

Fixtures — 3 round Spring league continues Monday 1st Feb. - Sunday 7th. Saturday 6th Feb. South East league in Lismore. Tee reserved 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

No green fees Saturday 6th or Sunday 7th February. Presentation of all outstanding prizes Saturday 13th February 9 p.m. sharp.

Results 25th Jan - 31st Jan — 1. Tom Cahill (12) 25 pts. last 6; 2. Jim Hornibrook (12) 25 pts.; 3. James Bennett (16) 24 pts.

Spring League 2nd round — 1. S. Beecher 289 1/2 pts.; 1. M. Walsh 289 1/2 pts.; 3. J. Flynn 287 1/2 pts.; 4. K. Ryan 287 pts.; 5. J. Power 274 1/2 pts.; 6. R. Ormonde 264 1/2 pts.

LISMORE LADIES GOLF

Results — Wednesday, January 27 — 9 Hole Stableford — 1st Mary Herlihy (36) 19 pts; 2nd Siobhan Moroney (33) 16 pts (last 3).

Fixtures — 9 Hole Ongoing, 2 card aggregate continues until February 9. Spring League commences on Wednesday, Feb. 10. Teams posted on notice board.

KILROSSANTY NOTES

SUCCESSFUL A.G.M.

The 108th Annual General Meeting of Kilrossanty G.A.A. Club took place in their Clubrooms Leamybrien last Friday night with a large attendance. The meeting was preceded by Mass celebrated by Fr. John O'Brien, C.C., for deceased members and friends, the clubrooms were also blessed. In his report the Chairman said even though it was not a great year on the field but that the club had undertaken lots of improvement in the field and the clubrooms and had hosted a great night for the four in a row recipients. The Treasurer gave a run down on the expenses and income during the year. The following officers were elected for the coming year — President; Fr. Ml. Frawley, P.P. Vice Presidents; Fr. John O'Brien, C.C., Sean Ormonde, Jimmy Power, Jimanone Power, Des Prendergast, Pete Veale, Mike Walsh, Sean Baldwin, Pat Walsh, Dick McGuire, Jimmy Maher, Chairman; Pat Prendergast, Vice Chairman; John Kiely, Secretary; Ger Walsh, Assnt. Sec.; Registrar; Greg Fitzgerald, Joint Treasurers; Nicky Hayes and John Kiely, P.R.O.; Pa Walsh, Underage Chairman; Brian Kirwan, V. Chairman; Roger O'Connor, Underage

Secretary; Roger Power, Assnt Sec.; Paddy Dee, Underage Committee; Tom Keating, Pat Keating, Tom Prendergast, John V. Walsh, John Power, Tony Coffey, Nora Kirwan, Pat Quinn, Pat Cunningham, Senior Selectors; Pa Walsh, Sean Lennon and John Kiely, Trainer; Johnny Kirwan, Assnt. Trainer; Pa Walsh, Junior Football Selectors; Tom Keaver, Pierce Whyte, Johnny Kirwan, Junior Hurling Manager; John Power, Senior Football Captain; Tom Behan, Vice Capt.; Brian Whelan, Under 21 Hurling and Football Selectors; Tom Keating, Pat Quinn and Johnny Kirwan, Delegate to County and Western Board; Jimmy Maher, Groundsmen; Jimmy Maher and Jimanone Power. More details next week.

HOME

Welcome home to Jimmy Moroney, Briskey after spending the last six weeks in England visiting his relatives.

HOSPITALISED

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to John Comyn Kilcomeragh, Sean Flynn Shanbally, Mary Mullaney, Ballykerogue who are all hospitalised at the moment lets hope all three are restored to full health as soon as possible.

HOLIDAYS

On a two week holiday in America are David and Marie Walsh. Waterford Marie is the former Marie Lonergan of Leamybrien. S.V.P.

This meeting will be held in Fews this Thursday night at 8 p.m.

WINNER

Once again Jim Shanahan had the winner on Saturday in Naas when Pharfetched won the Donadee Hurdle. Well done Jim.

CARDS WINNERS

John Kiely and Tom Casey, Brian Kirwan and Pierce Whyte on nine games. Best of last five; Mar and Babs. Lucky Table; Tom Keating and Anthony Mulhearn. Last Game; Robbie Whelan and Sean Lennon. Raffle; Tommy Carey and Mary Quarry

I.C.A.

The I.C.A. ladies of Kilrossanty had their annual social last Monday night in the Gold Coast. By all accounts all enjoyed the lovely meal and afterwards danced the night away to Pat Tobin plenty of spot prizes and we had lots of songs rendered. All in all a good night. The Feb. meeting will be held in the hall next Monday night at 8 p.m. sharp hope to see all members back after the festive recess.

Dungarvan Ladies Football Club News

The Annual General Meeting of the ladies football club was held recently. The following are the officers and committee elected for the coming year:

Chairwoman — Margaret Cunningham; Secretary — Fiona Fitzgerald; treasurer — Jackie Murphy; P.R.O. — Oliver Duggan; Registrar — Geraldine Foran; Committee — Kay Kirby, Rose Fennell, Bridget O'Mahony, Karen O'Connor, Joanne Daly, Fenella O'Flynn, Michelle Power.

A players meeting was held for all members and intending players on Thursday, January 28. Minor training will be held every Saturday morning at 11 a.m. in the G.A.A. Field. The junior team training will commence on Tuesday, February 9 at 7.30 p.m. sharp. New members are more than welcome.



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ARIES



Mar 21st - April 20th

This week make getting on with people your major priority. Don't demand but make fair request for the personal freedom you need right now. Professionally it is time to set realistic goals but ensure that you remained flexible. A social gathering at the week-end proves particularly enjoyable. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 301.

TAURUS



April 21st - May 21st

Often people misread you as a "tough cookie," someone who can take the knocks and roll with the punches. Behind that armour lurks a soft heart. This week be more prepared to show your softer side and to admit to the occasional problem or headache. You'll be pleasantly surprised at the support and attention you get. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 302.

GEMINI



May 22nd - June 21st

Beware of listening to gossip. Check everything back to source and don't believe everything you hear. Financially this is a positive phase of upward trends and lucky breaks. During this period why not put a little away for that inevitable racing day? Get ready for a technical hitch. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 303.

CANCER



June 22nd - July 23rd

Physically and emotionally you feel drained — perhaps due to Mars backward motion through your sign. This is set to change on the 15th when Mars alters direction allowing a new flow of energy. Until then, be patient and accept limitations. An old friend or flame returns on the scene and adds a little spice to life. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 304.

WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 5th

LEO



July 24th - August 23rd

Don't get too angry when someone leaves you waiting. Not everyone is as punctual or as organised as you! Romantically life has been rather quiet — perhaps because you have been so busy in other departments. As pressures lift and life is less hectic you will find you have more time for love. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 305.

VIRGO



August 24th - Sept 23rd

Professionally you are right on target — making the moves that will get you noticed and promoted. Watch out for opportunities and if necessary be prepared to change tack. A romantic week culminates in a passionate week-end spent in the arms of someone special. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 306.

LIBRA



Sept 24th - Oct 23rd

Financially it is time to actively improve your situation rather than continue to rely on optimism and wishful thinking. Get on top of money matters — before they get on top of you! An old problem can now finally be eliminated during this progressive phase of cutting ties with the past. Be free — no longer bound by old constraints. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 307.

SCORPIO



Oct 24th - Nov 22nd

An unusual gift or generous gesture takes you by surprise. Don't look for hidden motives. Be grateful and prepared to return the compliment. At the moment someone is being a little nostalgic, remembering you and old times. Don't be surprised if you get a card or a call out of the blue. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 308.

SAGITTARIUS



Nov 23rd - Dec 21st

Allow your plans to be influenced and even determined by practical financial considerations. Build firm foundations rather than pursue ambitions recklessly. In love relationships ensure that you have the personal freedom you need. A sagittarian can't remain "trapped" for long. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 309.

CAPRICORN



Dec 22nd - Jan 20th

Socially this could be an exceptional period if you can bring yourself to place other obligations on a back burner. Be prepared to be seen as a little less than responsible in the eyes of others — you've carried the can for long enough. Relax, unwind and put yourself first for a change. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 310.

AQUARIUS



Jan 21st - Feb 19th

Love is in the air so don't let the opportunity slip through your fingers. A promising relationship could accelerate into something more permanent — if you're ready for it! Cash flow is looking more secure so spoil yourself with a little well-deserved luxury! For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 311.

PISCES



Feb 20th - March 20th

Relationships continue to be a major issue — be honest and bring feelings out into the open. At work, don't accept more responsibility than you can handle. Keep pressures at a minimum. Impulsive behaviour could lead to bad errors of judgment, especially in financial matters. For a more detailed analysis call: 1550 151 312.

Each star sign has its own number which readers can phone should they wish a more in-depth reading of the horoscope.

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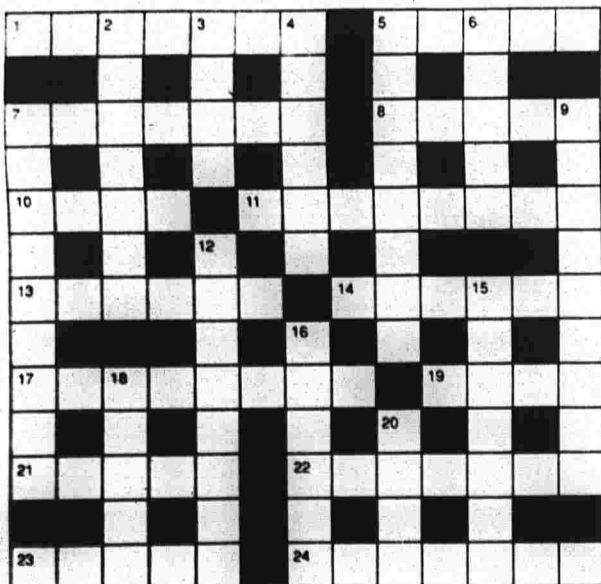
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19 Against (4)
21 Jumped (5)
22 Make clear (7)
23 Most (5)
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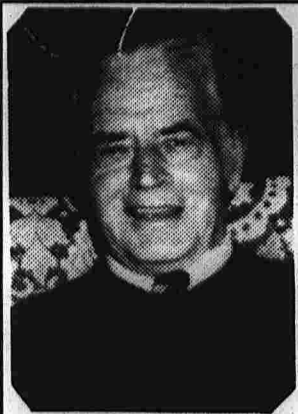
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No length of time can take away,
Our thoughts of you from day to day,
Though absent you are always near,
Still loved, still missed, still very dear.
We remember a smile we would love to see,
And a hand we would love to touch,
We remember a voice we would love to hear,
And a husband and father we miss so much.
In God's care you rest above,
And in our hearts you rest with love,
Your name is often mentioned,
Our thoughts are with you still,
You have not been forgotten,
You know you never will.
Hoping you are happy in your heavenly home above,
Today is your anniversary and we send you all our love.

(Always loved and never forgotten by your loving wife Marion and sons John, Michael, James, Paul, daughters Maureen, Breda, Jean, Annette, Marion and Kathy and family.)

COLEMAN — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Dad, Michael Coleman, late of 10, Parks Road, Lismore, who died on February 5, 1992.

A father is a special gift,
One you think will stay,
You never think the day will come,
That he will pass away.
We never said goodbye, Dad,
Perhaps it's just as well,
For I never could have said goodbye,
To a father I loved so well.

(Remembered by your daughter Jean, son-in-law Antone, granddaughters Shirley and Jan and grandson Tony.)

CONDON — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear dad, Edmond Condon, late of Parkdota, Tallow, who died on February 4, 1982. R.I.P.

No length of time can take away,
Our thoughts of you from day to day,
Though absent you are always near,
Still loved, still missed, still very dear.

(Always remembered by your loving son Jim, daughter-in-law Peggy and family.)

CONDON — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear dad, Edmond Condon, late of Parkdota, Tallow, who died on February 4, 1982. R.I.P. Masses offered.

You can only have one father,
Patient, kind and true,
No other friend in all the world,
Will be the same to you.
When other friends forsake you,
To father you will return,
For all his loving kindness,
He asks nothing in return.
As we look upon his picture,
Sweet memories we recall,
Of a face so full of sunshine,
And a smile for one and all.
Sweet Jesus take this message,
To our dear father up above,
Tell him how we miss him,
And give him all our love.

(Always remembered by your loving son Michael, Margaret and family.)

CONDON — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of David Condon, Helvick, Ring who died February 3, 1991. R.I.P. Mass offered.

A Mass, a prayer are all I can give,
These you shall have as long as I live.

(Fondly remembered by your wife Mary and family at home and away.)

CONDON — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of David Condon, Helvick, Ring who died February 3, 1991. R.I.P. Mass offered.

We did not see you close your eyes,
We did not see you die,
All we know is that you are gone,
Without a last goodbye.
(Fondly remembered by your loving daughter Catherine and son-in-law Michael, U.S.A.)

FITZGERALD — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Anastatia Fitzgerald, Killadangan, who died on January 29, 1983.

(Always remembered by your loving family.)
(Anniversary Mass on Saturday, February 6, at 7.30 p.m. in Kilgobinet.)

GRANT — In fond and loving memory of Paddy John Grant, formerly of Ballymacarby and Greta Grant, Caseyville, Dungarvan whose anniversaries occur at this time.

(Fondly remembered always by Martin and family, Caseyville.)

MESKILL — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Dennis Meskill, Castle Street, Cappoquin, who died on February 4, 1982. R.I.P.

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

O'CONNOR — Twenty-first Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband, Michael O'Connor, late of Ballinaha, Tallow, who died on February 7, 1972. Mass offered.

Kind friends who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by your loving wife Liz, daughter Noreen and son Rich.)

O'CONNOR — Twenty-first Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Michael O'Connor, late of Ballinaha, Tallow, who died on February 7, 1972. Mass offered.

In God's care you rest above,
And in our hearts you are always there,
Your name is often mentioned,
Our thoughts are with you always,
You have not been forgotten,
You know you never will.

(Always remembered by his loving daughter Maura, son-in-law Tom and grandchildren Rachael, Elizabeth, Kate, Michael, Martin and Thomas.)

O'CONNOR — Twenty-first Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Michael O'Connor, late of Ballinaha, Tallow, who died on February 7, 1972. Mass offered.

Your loving nature,
Your heart of gold,
These are the memories,
We tenderly hold.

(Always remembered by your loving son Thomas, daughter-in-law Geraldine, grandchildren Stephanie, Elizabeth, Michael, Róisín, Ciara, Peter, Martin, Paul.)

POWER — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of Alice Power, 21 Boreenatra, Dungarvan, who died February 3, 1987.

(Always remembered by her loving husband Gusto and family.)

STREET — Nineteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of Bobby Street, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who died February 7, 1974.

Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(From your daughters, sons and grandchildren.)

YOUNG — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband, Michael Young, of 53 Murphy Place, Abbeyside, who died on February 2, 1979.

Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Sadly missed by your loving wife, Nellie.)
(Anniversary Mass, Abbeyside Church, Thursday, February 11, at 10 a.m.)

YOUNG — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my father, Michael, late of 53 Murphy Place, Abbeyside, who died on February 2, 1979.

They say time heals all sorrow,
And helps us to forget,
But time so far has only proved,
How much we miss you yet.
(Always remembered by George, Kathleen and grandchildren.)

YOUNG — Fourteenth Anniversary — In remembrance of Michael Young, 53 Murphy Place, Abbeyside, who died on February 2, 1979.

May the God of love and mercy,
Care our loved one who is gone,
And bless with consolation,
Those left to carry on.
(Never forgotten by Geraldine, Breda, Donal, Richard and families.)

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

WALSH — The sons, daughter and relatives of the late Molly Walsh, 12, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes, travelled long distances to be with us and who called personally. A special word of thanks to Fr. McNamara, Fr. Power, P.P., Fr. O'Sullivan, Dr. Brady and the nurses who attended her; the Matron and staff of the District Hospital; Sr. Baptist, Dinny O'Brien, Patrick O'Brien, Christy O'Brien, Rita Kiely, Mary Murphy, Ann Fehilly, Margo Fraher, Carmel Murphy. Trusting this will be accepted by all as a token of appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for their intentions.

FITZGERALD — The family of the late William Fitzgerald, Killadangan, would like to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them on their recent bereavement; those who attended the funeral and burial; those who sent Mass cards and messages of sympathy. A special word of thanks to the Matron and staff of St. Joseph's Hospital and to Dr. O'Sullivan; to his kind neighbours in Killadangan who helped him in so many ways over the years, and to the loyal friends and relatives who visited him both at home and in hospital. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

FLYNN — The wife and family of the late William Flynn, 24, Caseyville, Dungarvan, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes and who called personally; also those who attended the funeral and burial. A special word of thanks to Fr. Hickey, Dr. O'Mahoney, Nurse Mary Lonergan, Pat Wade, Garda Siachana and Billy and Nora Walsh. Trusting this will be accepted by all as a token of appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for their intentions.

O'CONNOR — The wife and family of the late Patrick O'Connor, Towns Parks, Lismore, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sent Mass cards, floral tributes; those who attended the funeral and burial. A special word of thanks to Dr. Griffin of Ardkeen and Dr. O'Mahony, Lismore and all the nurses and staff of the hospital. Trusting this will be accepted by all. As a token of appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

Birthday Remembrance

MONAHAN — Birthday Remembrance of the late Matthew (Macka) Monahan, whose 29th birthday occurs February 1.

Quietly with love your memory we treasure,
Missing you always, forgetting you never.
(Your loving wife Mary and daughter Louise.)

MONAHAN — Birthday Remembrance of the late Matthew (Macka) Monahan, whose 29th birthday occurs February 1.

Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Never forgotten — Mam, Dad, Wesley, Mattie and family.)

MONAHAN — Birthday Remembrance of the late Matthew (Macka) Monahan, whose 29th birthday occurs February 1.

Never more than a thought away,
Loved and remembered everyday.
(Auntie Eileen and Michael)

MONAHAN — Birthday Remembrance of the late Matthew (Macka) Monahan, whose 29th birthday occurs February 1.

Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Your loving brother Thomas, Tracey, Samantha and Ross.)

MONAHAN — Birthday Remembrance — In loving memory of Macka Monahan, on his 29th birthday on February 1.

A heart of gold, a life so true,
Loved and remembered by all he knew,
Always willing, helpful and kind,
What beautiful memories he left behind.
(From his brother Tony, Claire and family.)

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CUNNINGHAM — The wife, sons, daughters, sister and relatives of the late Patrick Cunningham, Gawn, Leamybrien, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes and who called personally; also those who attended the funeral and burial. A special word of thanks to Fr. Frawley, P.P., Fr. O'Brien, C.C., Dr. Griffin, Nurse Sheehan, Tom Drohan, Funeral Director. Trusting this will be accepted by all as a token of appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for their intentions.

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MONAHAN — The wife, daughter, parents, brothers, sisters and family of the late Matthew Monahan of 36 Congress Villas, Dungarvan, wish to thank all those who sympathised with them on their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, floral tributes and those who attended the funeral and burial and those who travelled long distances to attend. Also we would like to thank the Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Club, the Eire Óg and Dungarvan GAA Clubs; Nuns, the Gardai, Kiely's Undertakers, kind neighbours and friends and all those who helped us at this time of sadness. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

Touraneena Notes

SET CLUB NEWS

Our junior set dancers took part in the Munster semi-final of the Readoiri (Pioneer) competitions in Pallasgreen last Sunday. They danced a fine set and must have been very disappointed with the result. They seemed to be the better set on the day but the luck just wasn't with them. Congratulations to the group on their fine performance. The group was: Cathal Dunne, Kieran McCabe, John Flynn, Shane Cliffe, Marie Cliffe, Regina Hickey, Grainne Kearns and Michelle McCarthy. Better luck was with the girls from Modeligo who competed for the Touraneena Pioneer group in the Figure Dancing section. They haven't had too much luck recently but everything came right for them on Sunday and they now move on to the Munster Final which will be held on Sunday next in Freemount in County Cork. Congratulations also to all the successful participants from the Newcastle/Four-milewater Pioneer region. They are through in the Recitation, Novelty Act and Senior Set dancing section. We wish all competitors the best of luck.

SLOGADH

We wish all the groups competing in the set dancing section of Slogadh next Saturday the very best of luck.

WALK

Thanks to everyone who helped in any way to make the sponsored walk such a success.

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NOVENAS

THANKS TO ST. CLARE for favours received. — N.A.

THANKSGIVING — May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, adored and glorified throughout the world, now and forever. Amen. Say six times a day for nine days, it will be answered. Publication promised — long overdue. — VAC.

POWERFUL NOVENA — May the Sacred Heart of Jesus be praised, honoured, adored and glorified throughout the world, today and forever more. Amen. Say this prayer six times daily for nine days and your request will be granted no matter how impossible. Publication promised. Favour granted. St. Jude pray for us. — A.F.P.

PRAYER — Jesus, who has said, ask and you shall receive, seek and you shall find, knock and it shall be opened to you, through the intercession of Mary, thy most holy mother, I knock, I seek, I ask, that my prayer be granted. (Make request). O Jesus who has said, all who ask the Father in My name, He will grant you. Through the intercession of Mary, Thy most holy mother, I humbly and urgently ask Thy Father in Thy name that my prayer be granted (Make request). O Jesus, who has said, heaven and earth shall pass away, but my word shall not pass, through the intercession of Mary, thy most holy mother, I feel confident that my prayer will be granted. Make request. (Make request). Novena to be said every hour for nine consecutive hours for one day. Publication must be promised. Request granted. — M.

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 this my necessity. O Star of the Sea help me and show me therein 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 my 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 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 three consecutive days. After three days the request will be granted. This prayer must be published after the favour is granted. — VAC.

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Clonea Bowling Club News

HEINEKEN INTER-PUBS TOURNAMENT

This week saw the second round matches played and new leaders have emerged from the bunch. Tigh an Cheoil (Patsy and Fidelma Horsom, Donna and Noel Hackett) have taken over from last week's leaders who were Downey's (Albert Power, Carmel Cooney, John Reynolds and Hildegard Stöber).

Round three will be an important week for all teams as it will be vital to get a good score going into the final week. Playing well for the Jolly Tinkers is Liam Clancy and Tina Moore for Minnies, Brian Dillon is also bowling well for the Shandon Arms.

LADIES MORNING
 January's winner of the ladies ladder is Margaret

Kiely who took over the top spot towards the end of the month. Well done Margaret. If Margaret keeps bowling as she is now she will be hard to beat, but anything is possible.

Final placings for January are as follows:— 1 Margaret Kiely, 2 Joan Moloney, 3 Breda Bannon, 4 Ivy Ahern, 5 Nancy Daly, 6 Patricia Donnelly, 7 Eileen Gwin, 8 Hanna Walsh, 9 Monica Dwane, 10 Bridget Power, 11 Mary Looby, 12 Pauline Desmond, 13 Kay Veale, 14 Mary Radley, 15 Sally Walsh, 16 Peggy Hanrahan, 17 Helen Dunne, 18 Kathleen Murray, 19 Joan Phelan, 20 Mary Foley, 21 Margaret English.

All continue to enjoy the complimentary coffee and chin-wag afterwards.

JUNIOR BOWL SCORES

Scores for this week are — 1 Michael Murray 108; 2 Joseph Walsh 103; 3 Monique Hogan 82; 4 Mary Kiely 62; 5 Julie Walsh 58; 6 Seamus Shields 48; 7 Henry Shields 48.

Well done to you all. There are some nice young bowlers emerging from this group. See you next Sunday morning.

Crystal Soccer Notes

SHARE OF SPOILS FOR CRYSTAL St. Saviours 2

Dungarvan Crystal 2
 In our case last Sunday evening it was a case of a point lost rather than gained, considering the amount of possession we had in this game. With the unusual kick off at 2.30 and the very muddy and slippery conditions this encounter was never going to be a classic by any stretch of the imagination.

Although we got off to a flying start when L. Shanley headed on well for Kidney to dispatch an angled drive past the Saviours keeper to make it 1-0 after 12 mins. After we scored though we just seemed to think that we were going to coast it when, in all fairness to Saviours they rallied themselves well and put us under considerable pressure. They had their best chances to equalise from the penalty spot but a double save by the impressive D O'Connor denied the breakthrough. Saviours though were eventually to get their reward when the striker beat our offside trap to charge in and score from close range past O'Connor who got a hand to it but couldn't prevent the goal. It made the half-time score 1-1.

With some stiff talking during the interval we came out a different team, but due to a lapse in concentration we found ourselves 2-1 down after 15 mins of the restart. We knew then that we had to call on all our re-

sources to try and get back in the game. It didn't seem as if we were going to get back in the game when chance after chance went begging. D. Jordan and the unlucky L. Shanley were unlucky not to be on the scoresheet with some of their efforts. We finally equalised when a through ball by W. Halpin was met cleanly by T. O'Grady who shot past the advancing keeper into the corner of the net.

We could now sense a victory on the cards when we

really put the Saviours team under pressure. L. Shanley had a few shots that were just off target and Kidney was unlucky with a header. In the final minute, T. O'Grady won a corner, which he flighted in only for M. Whelan to see his thunderous header rebound off the upright much to the relief of the Saviours keeper and defenders who had no chance of stopping it if it was on target. Eventually the clock ran out to make it 2-2 at full time.

In our recent games we

have shown good form but our inability to put the ball in the net has cost us clearly. Hopefully we will rectify that in our future games. Next Saturday we play host to Tramore A team in the cup, and lets hope that we have as good a run as we have had in the T.S.B. cup this season.

Team — D. O'Connor, K. Sheehan, S. Prendergast, T. Sheehan, D. McGovern, W. Halpin, M. Whelan, T. O'Grady, Kidney, L. Shanley, D. Jordan, P. Early, E. Meaney.

Dungarvan Crystal Sports & Leisure Club

SQUASH COMERAGH OIL TOURNAMENT

On Monday night Ray Moore's team were in against Ger Foley's squad, with victory going to Ger's team much to the relief of an out of bounds no. 1. Game of the night was Joe O'Brien's 3-1 win over Dan McCarthy. Other scores here were Mary Shalloe 3 Eamon O'Doherty 0, Ann Henneby 3 Paul Veale 0, Don Shields 0 Joe O'Brien 3.

On court 2 saw Pat Terry in against Dermot Kelly and this game turned into a real cliffhanger. At no. 5 Tom Fitzgerald played* Ml. Fitzgerald and with Tom leading 2-0 and 7-2 up in the third he looked safe, but a fantastic fight-back by Michael saw him score a great 3-2 win. At no. 4 John Whelan had a comfortable 3-0 win over B. Byrne. Playing at no. 3 Helen Kirby had a brilliant 3-0 win over John Keane. Game of the night here was at no. 2 between Paddy Walsh and Gerry O'Connor, with both players giving their all in search of victory with Paddy eventually winning 3-2. This meant that no. 1 Pat Terry only needed to win one game against Dermot and he really had to fight like never before to secure victory for his team with Dermot taking the first 2 games but Pat eventually took the third set to put his squad through to the next round.

On Wednesday the first real shock of the tournament saw the defeat of what looked on paper as the team most likely to reach the final, when P. J. Murphy's squad were sent packing after the first 3 games. At no. 5 Paul Keane had a great 3-0 win and if this player can maintain his progress to date, there is no doubt he can go on to develop into a player of real class. At no. 4 Kenneth Power, displaying class and confidence way beyond his years, defeated Sharon Foley 3-0. At no. 3 Denis O'Brien had a great 3-2 win over Emmet Byrne to send Pat Cullen's team through.

On court 2 Frank O'Donoghue's squad were in

against Kevin Moore's squad and here great wins by Liam O Tuama at no. 1 over Georgie Hamilton and a fantastic 3-0 win by Eileen Fennell over Tony O'Mahoney formed the basis of overall victory for Kevin Moore's team. Other scores here were David Cunningham 3 Vincent Tutty 0, Eoin Simms 3 Michael Power 1.

SNOOKER LEAGUE

When this league started 12 weeks ago nobody could have foreseen the undoubted success it has turned out to be with a fantastic battle developing over the past 4 weeks for the top spot. The handicap system ensured that all the top players had to produce top form no matter what the opposition. In the end just 4 points separated the top 6 players with victory going to Garvan O'Riordan with a total of 30 pts out of a possible 36. Garvan put together a fantastic run of

form when after an indifferent start he put together a string of 10 wins in a row to win by just 1 point over David O'Riordan. In third place a further point behind Ml. Ferncombe surprised many losing just one game. The real surprise packet was Cormac Veale who defeated a strongly off form Sean Byrne in a play-off for 4th and fifth place. Following on the success of this tournament another league is now due to start so check fixture chart for full list of games to be played.

LADIES COUNTRY LEAGUE

The team travelled to Castlelyons on Monday night and scored a great 12 points to 6 win. On duty were no. 1 Ann Dunford, no. 2 Linda Butler, no. 3 Bernadette Dunne, no. 4 Bridget Duggan and no. 5 Breda Lenane.

More next week — The Doyler.

Dungarvan Athletic Club Notes

WINNERS IN WEST-MEATH

The Irish Juvenile 'B' Cross Country Championships were held in County Westmeath last Sunday and our young athletes made the long journey worthwhile with individual, club and county success to their credit.

The Waterford team had a great victory in the Girls U-13 race and Deirdre Travers was a scoring member on that team by virtue of her fine 10th placing in the race. This was Deirdre's best run to date and she fully deserved her All-Ireland medal. Our club team finished fourth in this event with Majella O'Leary having a great run in 38th place. Our other scorers were Cliona Curran (34th), Christine Sheehan (62nd), Lorraine Hayes (70th) and Paula Keohan (90th).

Michael Kiely showed he is returning to his best form after his recent illness when he finished an excellent sixth in the Boys U-13 race and Tim Mullins' dedication to training was rewarded he finished 20th and he was

also a scoring member of the Waterford team that won the All-Ireland Inter County title. Our other finishers were Ronan McCarthy (53rd) and Eoin Hayes (80th), both of whom showed good club spirit to ensure that we had a club team represented on the day.

Geraldine Kiely was our highest finisher on Sunday when she came fourth in the Girls U-15 championship. The county team finished second and included on this was Niamh Harty who ran well in fifteenth place. Our club team did very well to finish third in Ireland and our scorers were Georgina Early (35th), Aileen Hogan (40th), Dolores Noonan (49th) and Andrea Travers (54th). All-Ireland medals are hard to come by so all these girls can be very happy with their efforts last Sunday.

In the Boys U-15 race Darren Healy finished in the middle of the bunch and in the Boys U-17 race Dermot Hickey and Damien Travers ran well to finish 18th and 26th respectively.

Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

MEN'S RESULTS

Thursday, Jan. 28 — 14 Hole Stableford — 1st P. Sarsfield (13) 36 pts; 2nd S. Power (10) 35 pts. Saturday, Jan. 30 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st T. Fennell (14) 41 pts; 2nd M. Morrissey (15) 39 pts; 3rd K. Cusack (9) 39 pts; 4th M. Boyle (18) 39 pts; C.S.S. 39. Sunday, Jan. 30 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st M. Morrissey (15) 41 pts; 2nd J. Norris (15) 37 pts; 3rd M. Curran (20) 37 pts; 4th J. P. Hayes (11) 35 pts; C.S.S. 39 N/C.

FIXTURES

Thursday, Feb. 4 — 14 Hole Stableford. Saturday, Feb. 6 — 18 Hole Stableford plus Spring League. Sunday, Feb. 7 — 18 Hole Stableford plus Spring League.

Street League — Kilmac' team takes the lead after the 1st round with 182 pts, the Captain's team close on their heels with 181 pts, 3rd Master McGrath 172 pts, 4th Glenbeg 169 pts, 5th Park Lane (A) 167 pts, 6th Western Bay 166 pts, 7th The Burgery 162 pts, 8th Park Lane (B) 159 pts. Second round to be played this weekend, Feb. 6/7. Can Kilmac' hold their lead?

LADIES RESULTS

Tuesday, Jan. 26 — 14 Hole Stableford — Winner, Maeve Morrissey (26) 29 pts. Well done Maeve on winning this competition



"I thought I'd make it a bit fairer."

FIXTURES

Tuesday, Feb. 9 — 14 Hole Stableford. On running 9 Hole, 2 cards to count, back nine, closing date is Feb. 24. Away Senior Alliance please note change of venue (was Clonmel) now changed to Callan on Feb. 9.

Congratulations to Michael Fitzgerald on becoming a grandad with the birth of a grand daughter.

Prize night Jan. 31 — Nice to see a good turnout of ladies and men to receive their prizes and support their club.

Wednesday, Jan. 27 — Meeting held in Park Hotel regarding fundraising. As was reported last week our fundraising is going well, we have, I believe, almost reached our target, thanks to all our members who have supported us so far. Any

member that can help to support this venture, please do so, as we can use all the funding possible at this time. At the moment we are in the middle of negotiations with Bank people, when this is completed, we will then call a members meeting. All outstanding subscriptions should be in by Feb. 1 to meet the outgoing commitments of our transitional year, also any outstanding levies to be kept up to date.

If you would like to purchase a tree with your name on it, at Knocknagranagh, you may do so by putting your name on the tree list on the notice board and pay £20 at the bar.

Meeting for all committee members at the Park Hotel on Wednesday, February 3 at 8 p.m.

Cumann Lúthchleas Gael Na Rinne

AN CRUINNIÚ BLIANTÚIL — 6ú FEABHRA

Calling all those in the parish who are interested in the games of hurling and football and their promotion! Tagaigf go dtí Halla an Phobail ar oíche an tSatharn seo chugainn ar a 8 i.n. Beidh an AGM de Chumann Lúthchleas Gael na Rinne ar siúl ann. The turnout of members and all interested persons at this annual forum for discussion of club affairs is a measure of the well-being of the association within the parish.

Is ag an gcruinniú seo atá sé ceadaithe don ghnáthbhall agus do na himreoirí iad féin a chur in iúl agus a dtuairimí a nochtadh.

Any club is as strong, or as weak, as the sum of its individual members and their involvement in and commitment to club business. Is "thuas seal thíos seal" a bhíonn cúrsaí an chlub mar a bhíonn cúrsaí an tsaoil i gcoitinne. Progress and success mean different things to different people. Is grúpa ilghnéitheach sinn le buanna iomadúla. Let's pool all the resources and ideas available to us to make our club one of the best, in every aspect, in 1993. Má tá rud eigin le rá agat, tar go dtí an cruinniú seo agus abair é! Let it be representative of all shades of opinion. As sin ticiofaidh fás agus dul chun cinn ceart. Bímis uile ann!

PAINÉAL FAOI-21 AGUS NA MIONÚIRÍ

Bhí deire seachtaine ghnothach ag na mionúirí. Ar an Satharn seo chaite bhí slua maith acu i láthair i bPáirc Uí Shíocháin nuair a bhí trialacha peile ar siúl do pháineal an Chontae — taobh an Iarthair. Is cúis áthais agus onóra dúinn gur iarr roghnóirí an Chontae ar Oifigigh na Rinne an faiche againne a chur ar fáil don ócáid. Toisc e bheith ar bharr an chnoic, tá an draenáil cuíosach maith ann agus an dromchla den fhaiche réidh go leor don am seo den bhliain.

I dtosach báire, thaispeáin na himreoirí go raibh siad pas beag "meirgeach," ach, de réir a cheile, tháinig siad isteach air. I láthair ón nGaeltacht bhí Lorcán O Muirí, Seán Uada, Risteárd O Fionnagáin, Éamonn de Paor, Éanna de Faoite, Micí Joe O Céitinn, Dearán O Dróma, Colin O hArta.

We are hoping that three or four, at least, of those who presented themselves for trials will be recalled for this coming weekend's activities, which may take place also in Ring.

It looks as if any of our minor members will not be concerned with further hurling trials. The East/West trials were held last Sunday and none of the Gaeltacht players were recalled. Gabhaimid buíochas leis na buachaillí ón bparóiste a

ghlac páirt iontu agus le Micheál O Tóibín a thaisit leo go dtí na háiteanna éagsúla.

Under-21 footballing activity has commenced also, with Western area trials comencing in Bushy Park on Saturday morning last. Beirt o chlub na Rinne a bhí i láthair ag na trialacha seo — Séimí Mac Craith agus Eamonn O Crotaigh.

Gheofar scéal amach anseo faoi cé a bheidh ar an bpainéal Contae sa pheil agus san iománaíocht. Go neirí ádh libh go léir.

AN GHAELTACHT — FAOI-21

Is iad Dúngarbháin na céilí comhraic a bheidh againn sa chéad bhabhta eile den chomórtaí. Tá an club sin gnóthach go leor faoi láthair ag ullmhú don athimirt de Chraobh Shinsear an Chontae. Ach, nuair a bheidh sé sin thart acu, beidh siad ullamh dúinne. I ngan fhios do na himreoirí sa Rinn, cailleadh seans iontach chun cleachtadh éigin a bheith acu nuair nach raibh siad i láthair i mBaile na Martra, i gCo. Chorcaí, an Domhnach seo chaite, chun cluiche a imirt

lena gcomhpháirtithe i gClub na Gaeltachta, an chéad chluiche in sraith-chomórtaí a d'eagraigh club na hEochaille. Dhá fhoireann ó Chorcaigh agus dhá fhoireann ó Phortláirge a bhí le bheith páirteach ann. Thaisit imreoirí ón Sean Phobail agus ón Áird Mhór go dtí an ionad ainmnithe ach ní raibh foireann acu. Gabhaimid leathscéal leis na daoine gur chuireamar as dóibh de bharr ar ngan a bheith i láthair, ach ní raibh a fhios ag na himreoirí faoin gcluiche. 'Sé an trua é gur chaillamar an seans do thrí chluiche sa sraith.

QUIZ BÓIRD — AR SON FOIREANN PEILE NA gCAILÍNÍ

Is mian le Coiste Peile na gCailíní a mbuíochas a chur in iúl le gach éinne a thug cabhar agus tacaíocht doibh sa Tráth na gCeist ar an Aoine seo chaite. Ocht gcinn deag de bhoird a bhí lán acu. Bhain na daoine a bhí i láthair ard-taitneamh agus sásamh as an oíche. Our gratitude is due to all who helped to organise the event. Go gcúití Dia bhur saothar.

Cunnigar Pitch & Putt Notes

LEG OF LAMB TOURNAMENT

Last Sunday saw a big turnout for our Sunday competition. With conditions perfect low scores were expected, and we were not disappointed either. This week's winners were Lenny Duggan and Tess Dalton with a fine score of 55 nett for the 27 holes. This was third time lucky for Lenny as he had finished second in the previous two tournaments. He was suitably matched with the very popular Tess, who is always a consistent performer in these fourballs. Congratulations to both. Second place went to Jessie Landers and Percy Walsh, Percy will be looking to emulate Lenny's feat next week as this was his second runners-up spot in a row.

CLUB OUTING

Last Saturday saw a number of us take the journey down to the wonderful Ferrybank course. On a day perfect for pitch and putt some excellent scores were returned for both the fourball and the singles. The first round of fourballs saw the inform duo of Paul O'Regan and Paddy O'Neill just pipping Killian Power and Mike Daly with a score of 39 1/2 nett for 18 holes. But Mike and Killian were not to be outdone as they captured the second round with another fine score of 39 nett.

The most eagerly awaited round of the day was the

single. This proved to be a very popular win for Pat Power. This turned out to be one of the best performances as he reliably informed us that it had been three months since he last played the game. It also proved fruitful for Killian Power as he registered the first of two holes-in-one. Mike Daly later matched that with one on the third hole on his way to winning the nine-hole game which rounded up our day. Once again we would like to thank Ferrybank for their hospitality, it was very much appreciated.

Please note that anybody

wishing to put their name forward for our league team can do so in the clubhouse. It would also be advisable to inquire about the club outings as we will be travelling to all the courses involved. Names have to be in before 5 p.m. on Saturday for the leg of lamb tournament.

On the membership front it's great to see so many new names on the sheets. You are also reminded that the eight week payment plan will end on February 28, all membership will then have to be paid in full. — Shout Fore

STRADBALLY G.A.A. NOTES

WHIST NIGHT

The whist night on Friday, February 12, will be to help pay the expenses of Scor. It has been a great year so far with our young figure dancers winning the Munster title and will be competing in the All-Ireland in a couple of weeks time. Success does not come cheaply so let's hope we will have a big turnout, on the night.

PLAYING FRONT

While most of the club's players are still taking it easy at this time of year some are involved with the county teams, while others

are attending minor and under-21 trial games. Now that we are in the month of February it will not be too long before we are all back on the field. With a lot of effort and a bit of luck we might have a few championships under our belt this time next year.

DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

We have had a good response from every one and the club would like to thank one and all for their generosity. If you still have not got a ticket do not delay as time is running out.

St. Patrick's G.A.A. Notes

OFFICERS ELECTED

The following officers were elected recently for 1993 — President, Johnny Lynch; Chairman, Johnny Landers; Vice-Chairman, Michael Cass; Secretary, John Kiely; Asst. Secretary, Marian Kiely; Treasurer, Michael Power; PRO, Michael Cass; Asst. PRO, Catherine Walsh; Membership Officers, Paddy Ryan and Colette Flynn.

Committee: Michael Walsh, Kevin Walsh (Coolnasmear), John Nugent (Snr.), John Nugent (Jnr.), Paula Nugent, Willie Fraher, James Dalton, John Ryan, Claire Byrne and Patricia O'Brien.

TRAINING RECOMMENCES

With the coming of Spring, training is back on the agenda and slowly a new season is beginning. Preparation of teams will be good news for our boys and girls.

UNDER-10's

Under-10's will have hurling indoor training in Kilbrien Hall on Friday week, February 12 at 7.30 p.m. These skills sessions for our beginners were very successful last year and most enjoyable for the boys and girls. All are welcome.

UNDER-14's

Football training for this group at Bohadon will be on this Sunday, February 7 at 2.30 p.m. This team will be taking part once again in the Brickey's Tournament which is a feature of the early season calendar.

LADIES FOOTBALL

Minor players began training last Saturday and are now getting down to business in preparation for their season.

DISCO

There is a whisper about a disco coming up, but we await developments at the end of the month.

U-21 HURLING COUNTY TRIAL

In addition to Kevin McGrath and Michael Dunford who were on last year's victorious panel, Kevin Walsh of Coolnasmear now joins these players for the 1993 panel.

CONGRATULATIONS

Pat Morgan and Mairead Casey won first and second prizes respectively in their sections of the Credit Union Painting Competition.

FINANCE

The draw tickets are selling very well and support for our ticket sellers has been excellent. All tickets must be returned to Marian Kiely by February 10. Our Treasurer, Michael Power reported at the AGM that it cost close to £3,000 to run the club last year, while our income was almost £3,700.

CARDS

Winners on last Thursday night — winners on 11 games, E. Kelly and A. Walsh; winners on 9 games, T. Byrne and P. O'Brien; Lucky tables, T. Nugent and Michael Ahearn, and C. Quinlan and M. Kiely. Raffle: J. Hallahan, M. Flynn and M. Dalton. (Jackpot now stands at £280.)

ATHLETICS NEWS

Waterford Seek National Intermediate Title

The Buckler National Intermediate men's and women's and vets cross country championships will be staged in the Friary College, Abbeyside this Sunday and Waterford followers will have more than a passing interest in the men's race as the county team will be seeking to win their first national title in recent times.

These championships were also held in the Friary a few years ago and great credit is due to course designer Bro. Patrick Lennon that the Abbeyside venue has been chosen again to stage these prestigious races. The event brings together the senior stars of the future in the intermediate races and on the other hand the senior stars of the past, including many former national title holders and internationals in the highly competitive vets race.

WATERFORD ALL OUT

Waterford's previous success in these championships was in 1974 when Ray Treacy outpaced Eamon Coughlan and Gerry Kieran to win the intermediate title in Belfield, Dublin. The county team finished third on that occasion and this Sunday present the county's best opportunity of matching and hopefully surpassing those results. These particular Waterford runners have shown great character this season and various combinations have seen the Munster Novice, Intermediate and Senior team titles being won as well as the latter two individual titles in the persons of Michael Halley and James Sullivan.

Waterford have upset the form book to date this season and they will be all out to do likewise this Sunday. With their large annual selections, the 'old reliables' Dublin, Cork and Tipperary in addition to the ever consistent Donegal and the Leinster strongholds Laois, Offaly, Westmeath, Wexford and Kilkenny will provide the main opposition. If all the Deise athletes run to their best form, and this will have to be the case, then the All-Ireland title can be won. The same applies to Waterford A.C. in the club event.

The County Team is — James Sullivan, Michael Halley, Sean Foley, Liam O'Reilly, Jimmy Mulligan, Kieran Maher, Charlie Foley, Eamon Halley, Michael Furlong, Michael Nugent, Geoffrey Halley, Tom Murray, Frank Walsh, James McGuire.

LIVELY CONTENDER

Munster senior cross country champion, James

Sullivan is a lively contender for the individual title. He finished fourth last year when the championships were stage in Ballinakill College, Co. Laois. James is running better than ever at the moment and strong local support will do his chances and the county team efforts the world of good.

1992 Results — 1 P. Matthews (Dublin); 2 B. Murphy (Dublin); 3 J. Burke (Westmeath); 4 J. Sullivan (Waterford); 5 F. Boylan (Monaghan); 6 P. Murray (Mayo).

Team — 1 Dublin (95); 2 Cork (185); 3 Tipperary (200); 4 Donegal (228); 5 Offaly (298); 6 Kilkenny (311).

Club — 1 Dunderum, South Dublin 84; 2 St. Joseph's, Kilkenny 137; 3 Donore Harriers, Dublin 145.

WOMEN'S RACE

At the recent Munster senior championships in Ennis, Elaine Fitzgerald, Waterford A.C. finished fourth and taking this as a guideline, she should give a good account of herself on Sunday. Elaine is just out of junior ranks and this weekend's championships is an ideal race for her.

SCHOOLS CROSS COUNTRY

The County Waterford & Nestle Secondary Schools cross country championships will be held at the Friary College, Duckspool this Thursday, starting at 1.30 p.m.

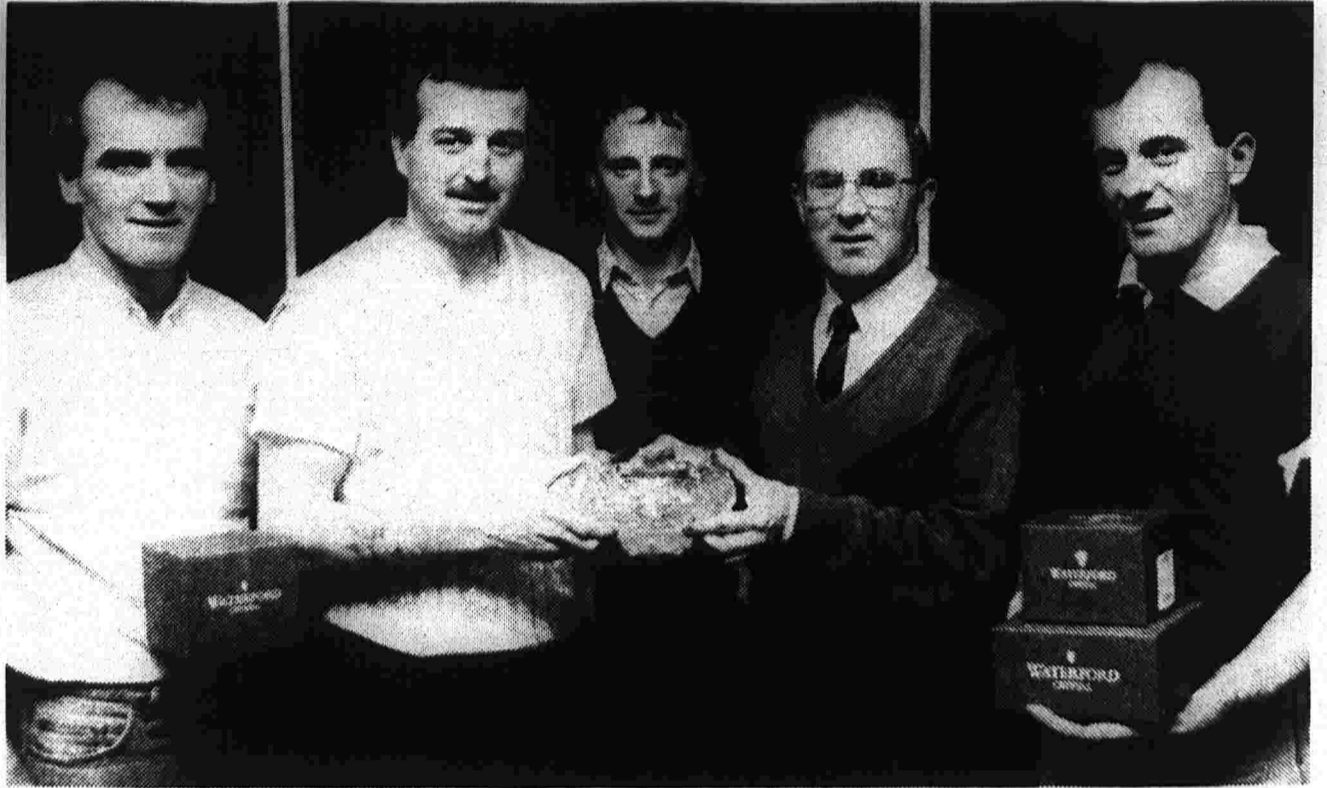
The four age categories for boys and girls include minor, junior, intermediate and senior races. The competitive standard at these championships is rising annually and a number of last year's schools went on to record provincial and national successes. Equally important is that the number participating each year is on the increase, reflecting the upsurge in interest in athletics in the schools of our county in recent times.

The eight race programme begins this Thursday with the minor girls race at 1.30 p.m.

MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Munster Nestle Schools cross country championships will be held in the Friary College on Saturday week, February 13 beginning at 12 o'clock. Waterford winners last year included Ard Scoil na nDeise (minor girls) and St. Augustine's College (minor boys) while St. Declan's College, Kilmacthomas went on to win the minor girls national title.

Dungarvan Crystal 10k Road Race



Mr. Monnie Hallahan, Personnel Manager, Waterford Crystal Ltd., Dungarvan, presenting Finbarr Kelly, Race Director, with sponsorship for their forthcoming 2nd Annual Road Race to be held on Sunday, 14th February. Also included is the organising committee of Kevin Moore, Gerry Cantwell and Liam O'Dwyer. —(Photo by Deisephoto).

On Sunday, February 14, the second running of the Dungarvan Crystal 10k Road Race takes place starting at 2.30 p.m. When this race was first held last year it was generally expected to provide for nothing more than a training run and time trial for all the locally-based athletes, but such was the interest shown by clubs from Limerick, Cork, Waterford, Tipperary and Kerry that this event now seems destined to become an integral part of the annual running calendar for all the top athletes in Munster.

Certainly when Race Director Finbarr Kelly first suggested the idea of organising such an event he could not possibly have envisaged the participation of such top quality athletes taking part and the level of interest and tremendous competition it has generated within the local athletic clubs who have been involved in some vigorous training sessions in preparation for the race.

The race course itself is ideally suited to producing some fast times and with part of the route along the Cork by-pass road and through Springfield, should make for greater local involvement for spectators and runners alike. The event is being jointly sponsored by Dungarvan Crystal (who will sponsor the first and second in the men's and ladies race with magnificent pieces of Waterford Crystal) with the rest of the individual placings and team prizes being kindly sponsored by Dungarvan Crystal Sports and Leisure Club.

At this early stage it is impossible to predict the overall winners as entries will only be taken on the day of the race, but already indications are that entries will be significantly up on last year when 120 runners took part,

with victory going to international runner Robert Costello, Limerick AC in an incredibly fast time of 30.17, this after a tremendous battle from start to finish with James O'Sullivan, Waterford AC, who finished second in a time of 31.40. In fifth and sixth places the St. Finbarr's pair of Eric Crockett and Frank Morrissey came home in a time of 31.43, so it is obvious that anyone who has serious ambitions about winning, they are going to have to produce something special on the day.

While the race for overall victory will be in progress, I have no doubt the battle for first local athlete home will be no less intriguing, with last year's winner Gerry Cantwell out to prove once again that he is without doubt the supreme athlete on the local scene. However, he will not have it all his own way with the veteran Michael Roche, Jason Travers, Colin Lyons, J. J. Wright, Martin Sandford, Paul Keating, Mark Radley, Liam Rossiter, Tiger Kiely and Race Director Finbarr Kelly who will no doubt challenge him every step of the way. Certainly, in-form Liam Rossiter must pose a real threat to Gerry but college star Mark Radley and "local beginner" J. T. Kiely are my prediction to be in the shake-up at the finish.

The ladies race should provide us with a local winner as Liz Bullen is in unbeatable form right now and with Helen Dwyer out injured at present the challenge to Liz is not as serious. However, Mary Sheehan, East Cork and Clair Maher, Ring AC, should provide her with a reasonable challenge.

The Junior Race provides us with athletes of the highest calibre with colleges

stars Mark Radley, Derek Kenneally and Darren Drummy all looking likely winners.

However, at the end of the day it's not all about winning and the real test for some will be to compete and complete the course or to achieve a personal best time and it is here the real enjoyment of the race should be witnessed with "the Ring quartet" of Drummy, Young, Drohan and Geoghegan promising some fun along the route.

The race is due to start at 2.30 sharp, so all intending to run are advised to have registered before 2 p.m. Registration takes place at Dungarvan Crystal complex

beginning at 1.15, so come along early. Changing and shower facilities will be provided for all runners at the complex.

5K WALK

In conjunction with the race a 5 km. walk will be held starting at 2 p.m. Entry fee for the walk is £2 with all proceeds going to the West Waterford Hospice Movement. This association is deserving of all our support so come along and take your Sunday walk and at the same time support a most worthy cause. All who take part in the walk will be entered in a draw for a very special prize of Waterford Crystal.

JUVENILE CROSS COUNTRY

Waterford Win Three Irish Titles

The All-Ireland 'B' Juvenile cross country championships were held in Moate, Co. Westmeath last Sunday and the county's juveniles enjoyed great successes, winning the boys and girls U-13 team titles and the U-13 individual title in the person of Olga Cronin (Tramore A.C.).

The county's representatives made the long journey worthwhile and the various clubs combined well to record some encouraging successes. Pride of place must go to the Cronin sisters, Olga and Lisa who finished first and second in the Girls U-13 race. They laid the foundation for a great county team victory supported by the athletes from K.C.K., Dungarvan

and Ring/Old Parish who finished third, fourth and fifth respectively in the Inter Club event.

The Boys U-13 team matches the girl's achievement with a top class performance and they were led home by Dungarvan's Michael Kiely in 6th position. Ring/Old Parish did very well in this age group to win the silver medals in the club championship.

Waterford figured prominently in the Girls U-15 race as the county won the silver medal and Ring/Old Parish and Dungarvan finished second and third respectively in the club event. Leading Waterford athlete in the Girls U-17 race was Noreen Harty (Ring/Old Parish) who finished in a very fine fourth position.

MINNIES SQUASH NOTES

JUNIOR NEWS

We begin the notes this week by giving our junior section top billing. As in all other sections of the club this season the junior section seems to be getting bigger and bigger. On a very recent visit to the weekly Sunday morning coaching I was astounded to see so many extra new faces — long may it continue.

Our next junior tournament, very kindly sponsored by Michael Moloney Hardware, Bridge Street, is currently posted and at the time of writing there are well over fifty names. To try and run a tournament over one weekend with that number would be extremely difficult, so Youth Co-ordinator Mary Coffey informs the PRO that matches will begin on Sunday mornings from 12 to 3 p.m. with the final scheduled provisionally for Sunday, February 28. All juniors are requested to check noticeboard on Sunday morning next for full details.

Next weekend, February 6-7 sees the club send its biggest number of young prospects to Cork City for the Munster Closed and Underage trials. It's a tremendous credit to our youth co-ordinators Owen O'Mahoney and Mary Coffey that the following, Paul O'Brien, Michelle Mernin, Kenneth Power, Ian Power, Paul Veale, John Wade, Emmett Byrne, Donncha O'Dea, Brian McNamara, Sharon Foley and Susan Mullen, all travel to Cork in the hope of qualifying to play for our province.

Keep up the good effort and dedication, juniors, after all, you are the future of the club.

OPEN '93

As I write, the entries are coming in from far and wide for our Annual Open Weekend, which takes place this year from February 12 to 14. A special early thanks to Joe Mulcahy who has been working tirelessly over the last few weeks as he attempts to assemble the strongest field in the history of the event. Also very busy is our head chef Sean Power who is currently assembling his squad for the very valued and appreciated job of feeding the troops.

Entries close this Friday night and if you haven't entered yet you may do so by phoning President, Ray Moore at 41029 (9 a.m. - 6 p.m.) or Anne Henneby 43198, after 6 p.m. The club is hopeful that all local players will support the draw.

ALLROUNDER LADDER UPDATE

Our Ladder League which now boasts ninety players is running very smoothly and on behalf of all the club I would like to compliment organiser Michael Gildea for the very efficient and professional way in which he has the event flowing.

The current section of the ladder finishes on Monday, February 8. This will be followed by one final section at

the end of which the top 24 will be played for. This year, as a complete change, to qualify for the top 24 you have to be in the top 24 points winners. So whether you're in Div. 1 or Div. 18, you have a chance to qualify for this special event.

The current top five on the ladder points table are (1) Eamonn Power 52, (2) Tony O'Mahoney 49, (3) Evelyn McAvinie 48, (jt. 4) Pat O'Brien and Donncha O'Dea 47 pts. So there's plenty to play for at the top of the leaderboard.

A couple of notable performances in the last brace of games were: Div. 1, Pa McGovern 3, Francis Power 1; Div. 4, Barry Griffin 3, Pat Breen 2; Div. 10, Willie Brown 3, John Power 1; Div. 11, Evelyn McAvinie 3, Noeleen Tobin 0.

TSB BANK NEWS

Our current team tournament sponsored by the TSB Bank, Grattan Square, is now at its semi-final stage with Kevin Moore's team against Tom Landy's team and Eamonn Power against Dave Tuohy's team. Last weekend proved extremely busy with three courts in use on Tuesday night and all four in use on Thursday night.

The pick of the action of Tuesday night saw young Patrick O'Doherty have a very exciting winning debut as he beat Eva Quinlan 3/2. Pat Keane was put to the "pin of his collar" as he narrowly beat Margaret Browne 3/2. Emmett Byrne scored an impressive 3-1 win over John Reynolds, while Owen O'Mahoney won the vital third set against John Cliffe to bring his team through.

On Thursday night, Tom Higgins was in powerful form as he very convincingly beat Beany Byrne 3-0. Richie Duggan beat John Reynolds in a very thrilling five-setter on court two, while Dermot Kelly got the vital opening set against Michael O'Mahoney which was to prove the clincher and sent Dave Tuohy's team through. (Dave beat Pat Cullen 3-0). In the mother and son clash, Kenneth Power beat Annette 3-0. In a very hard hitting ball-breaking match at number three Paul Breen narrowly defeated Michael Tutty 3-2 (two games going to 10-8).

The final is on this Thursday night at 7.20. All are very welcome for what looks like will be a very close ending to a very exciting tournament.

BEGINNERS' NEWS

Our Wednesday night beginners section is also going from strength to strength with a further six recruited over the last two weeks. To cope with the huge demand, a second court will again be in use this week. To allow more individual attention a special booking sheet will be used so beginners can book their time for the following week. Don't forget, newcomers are always welcome, as are experienced players who might like some tuition or just to come along for a chat

and a cuppa and join the gang. Remember, all are welcome.

TEAM SCORES

Our veterans defeated Fermoy 3-2 at home on Wednesday night last with victories for Michael O'Mahoney (3-0), John Foley (3-0) and Maurice Walsh (3-0), while at four and five Denis O'Brien and Pat Breen were defeated 3-0.

Our ladies Country League team got their campaign off to a maximum start as they defeated Fermoy 5-0 on Monday night, January 25th. Our team on the night were (1) Michelle Mernin 3-0, (2) Annette Power 3-0, Colette O'Mahoney 3-0, Noreen Tobin 3-0 and Maeve Gildea 3-0.

FRIENDLY TIMES

Last weekend was a very busy time for the club with two friendlies. On Friday night Pat O'Brien, Pat McGovern, Liam Byrne, John Reynolds, Frank O'Donoghue, Mary Curran, Deirdre Fennell and Anne McGrath travelled to Castlelyons where they put up a very good battling performance. While on Saturday night Pat O'Brien, Paul O'Brien, Pa McGovern, Maurice Walsh, Ray Moore, Michelle Mernin, Anne Henneby and Mary Coffey travelled down to Dunhill where again a spirited set of performances were viewed. It was a double night of celebrations for club captain Maurice Walsh for as well as a fine 3-2 victory over Richard O'Mahoney he scooped a prize afterwards on the dart board. Thanks to our travelling supporters for their vocal support — club mascot Paudie Organ was in fine vocal support as he treated us to some fine singing. Special thanks to Castlelyons and Dunhill for the fine spread they laid on afterwards. We look forward to the return legs in a few weeks time.

21st ANNIVERSARY TOURNAMENT

To mark the club's 21st anniversary a special fun tournament will be run approx.

at the end of March start of April with 22 teams, one representing each president of the club. It is hoped to get as many as possible past and present players to participate so all you former players you have been given notice, get the cobwebs off those Maxplies and hopefully we will see you all in this fun event to mark the club's anniversary. More details will follow later.

OTHER NEWS

For those wondering about the construction upstairs over courts one and two we can reliably inform you that it's the new recreational suite which is getting the finishing touches and will be completed very soon — Paddy got so many complaints from president's wives and girl friends about the amount of time they spend at the club that it's hardly worth their while going home — so "voila" he built the presidential suite. Cheers Paddy.

It seems a wee bit of confusion is arising over the nights for the dressing rooms. Isn't that right Michelle, John and Vincent. Well for all your diaries it's sauna night for men on Monday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday while the ladies have it on Tuesday, Wednesday and Sunday.

Our next team tournament open to both members of the Crystal and Minnies and sponsored by Hoffmans Lager closes for entries on next Tuesday night, Feb. 9th at 8 p.m. So come on all you squashers, follow the bear to Minnies and let's break the ton barrier again.

Finally, thanks to regular PRO Margaret Browne for her excellent notes every week and to all club members, may I thank you all for your tremendous support and enthusiasm for all events this season. The club is really booming and buzzing again the way it used to be before and the way it always should. Minnies squash club is back and definitely alive and kicking. — *(The Detective)*.

INDOOR ATHLETICS

Joe Gough Wins National Double

The indoor season is in full swing at the moment and Waterford athletes are showing that like their outdoor colleagues they can match the best at national level.

None more so that Dungarvan born Joe Gough who last Sunday week won the Vets 400 metres and 800 metres All-Ireland double at Nenagh, Co. Tipperary. This is excellent running by Joe whose times would have done justice to the senior championships themselves. A further double was won by Martin Hearne (Waterford A.C.) in the 60 metres and 200 metres sprint finals.

B.L.O.E. trials were also held in Nenagh last weekend and victories were recorded by Sinead Keogh (Tramore), David Murphy (St. Paul's) and Derek Hayes (Dungarvan). On Sunday last John Hallissey (Ferrybank) did very well to finish 3rd in the All-Ireland senior multi-events championship.

FIXTURES

Feb. 20/21 — National Junior Championships and National Relay Championships; Feb. 27/28 — Munster B.L.O.E. U-15 to U-17 Championships; March 6/7 — National B.L.O.E. Championships.

CYCLING

Robert Power Joins New Club

Robert Power has left Cidona Carrick Wheelers to join the Paddy Buckley Blarney team for the coming season. Pat Crowley confirmed the new signing last week after Cidona revealed that they had accepted, with regret, a letter of resignation from Robert Power when it came before them.



"There is no animosity or antagonism of any sort," explained Cidona Club President, Tom Sheehan, former President of the NCA. "We are very sorry to see him go and we would like to be the first to wish him well. We regard him as one of the country's outstanding young cyclists. We are proud of what he has done for the club and we are also very pleased that we have been able to play a part in his development over the past six years."

Blarney solicitor, Paddy Buckley sponsored the club for the past three years and that sponsorship was renewed again when it came up for review in December to reinforce one of most exciting relationships in Irish cycling.

The club provides riders with clothing, gear like tubulars and they also operate a generous incentive scheme with separate bonuses for weekend and midweek wins.

"To say we are offering riders huge sums of money to sign for us is a lot of rubbish," Pat Crowley insisted. "We have a good bonus scheme for our riders, provide them with the essentials and we pay their expenses to the various races. I have been around cycling and cyclists for the past 30 years and I know what their needs are."

"We have the best sponsor in the country and it is in our interest to see that he gets value for money. We are looking forward to having riders of the calibre of Robert Power riding for us this year and we will have at least one other prominent personality in our ranks."

Robert Power is undoubtedly one of the best cyclists this country has produced in recent times — stylish in the mould of Stephen Roche. Despite being plagued by back trouble last year he won a total of 16 acres — his last one being the Paddy Buckley Christmas Criterium in Blarney when he beat Sean Kelly amongst others.

Highlight of the year was undoubtedly his win in the Grand Prix of Essex when he not only beat the top English amateurs but ten of their top professional riders in an exciting contest.

He won the John Hearn Memorial in Carrick-on-Suir and shared the classics with Limerick man, David Hourigan, before going to the Barcelona Olympics where he was involved in an horrific accident while out on a training spin.

He will ride alongside Brendan McLoughlin, Ger Madden, Tommy Madden, Niall McCarthy and the other new signing, Michael Creedon, stage winner in the junior tour, runner-up and a stage winner in the Blarney 3-Day.

Their first outing will be in Blarney on March 7 when Blarney CC promote the Kiely Cup. Robert Power won this race two years ago. He will then travel to the Grand Prix of Essex in defence of his title.

FORMER CLUBMATE'S TRIBUTE

Evergreen Bobby Power, his long time mentor, paid tribute to Robert and wished him well for the future. "We had a lot of good times together but the one thing about him was that, even in recent years, he was always prepared to listen to advice and to look for it. We worked well together — my head and his legs — but it was Paddy Power who guided him through his formative years. Last year he played a major role in my Rás stage win and that repaid a lot of favours. To me winning a stage in the Rás at that point in my career was very important and I will never forget what he did for me."

"The club are sorry to see him going but it has happened before when we lost riders like Stephen Spratt and Anthony O'Gorman. The club has always been of paramount importance. We will have good riders again," he said.

DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C.

MUNSTER YOUTHS CUP (4th Round)

Blues Bow Out In Cup Thriller

JOHNVILLE 3 DUNGARVAN 2

In one of the best games of youth football this scribe has seen for years our youth team went down by the odd goal in five to a very strong Johnville side at the city venue on Sunday morning last. The game was played on a surface which can only be described as a "glue pot" and as a result good football was ruled out. But for sheer endeavour, determination and a will to win this brave performance by Dungarvan will be hard to surpass this season and they can count themselves most unfortunate not to have got a result from this game.

Dungarvan opened strongly and carried the game to the fancied home side. This was rewarded after 12 minutes when good work by Conor Murphy and John Power saw Micheal Downey's shot parried by the keeper and Michael Donnelly was on hand to slot the ball home. However, three minutes later a rather harsh penalty decision on Conor Murphy resulted in Johnville getting back on parity. After this both sides settled down and the exchanges were even with both sets of defences dominating. So at half time the scores were still deadlocked.

Again after the restart the Blues pushed forward and had Johnville pushed back in their own half. However, the home side were always dangerous on the break and in the 55th min. we were caught on the counter-attack and Garry Power found

room on the right and scored with a low drive to the corner of the net. Micheal Downey and John Power both went close before we got the equaliser with 19 minutes remaining. Michael Donnelly chased what looked to be a lost cause as the ball ran back to the keeper, but in attempting to kick the ball clear it struck the in-rushing Donnelly and flew into the net. It was no more than the Blues deserved as they more than matched Johnville at this stage of the game.

Disaster struck with 9 mins. remaining when a move broke down on the right and the Johnville forward shot low under keeper Morgan Cummins' body. Brian Elstead replaced M. Donnelly and the Blues tried everything to get an equaliser, but they could not break-down a very strong Johnville defence and had to give best

to the home side who turned what few chances they had into goals.

So ended a truly great game and all Dungarvan players, although disappointed at losing, can hold their heads up with pride. We have no doubt that their chance will come again next year when this squad will be more experienced having played at this level for two years.

Johnville will now represent Waterford in the 5th round of the Munster Youth Cup, where their progress will be watched with great interest. We wish them the best of luck.

Referee for the game was Peter O'Connor.

Dungarvan — M. Cummins, B. Flynn, D. Wall, M. Hyslop, F. O'Rourke, C. Murphy, R. Finnegan, T. Kiely, J. Power, M. Downey, M. Donnelly. Res. — B. Elstead for M. Donnelly; E. Donnelly.

DUNGARVAN UNITED DIV. 1A

United Continue To Struggle

DUNGARVAN 0 VILLA 2

Dungarvan's first team entertained Villa at Kilrush Park on Sunday afternoon last and had to give way to the visitors after a hard and uncompromising 90 minutes.

The first half was stalemate with Dungarvan's defence in command and they were in total control of all of Villa's onslaughts. Dungarvan on the other hand did not create any clear cut chances and it look for a long time as it the game was going to end in stalemate.

Midway through the second half Villa got the breakthrough when United's keeper made a reflex save but the ball broke to the in-

rushing midfielder who made no mistake from close range. Dungarvan's heads went down at this stage and Villa were in total command and were it not for Dungarvan's defence, who battled bravely throughout the game, Villa could have added to their tally. Villa killed off the game 10 minutes later when their centre forward headed powerfully home from close range.

Dungarvan, to their credit, tried to press forward but when they lost the services of David Mulvihill, who was giving his marching orders, so ended their chances of any revival.

Dungarvan have now lost

two on the trot and what makes the defeat even worst is that Hibernians, the title contenders, also had a hiccup over the weekend, drawing with Bolton.

Dungarvan are away to Johnville on Saturday next and they will have to get something from this game to keep them top of the division.

Dungarvan — Alan Landers, Gary Burke, Willie Coward, Billy Coleman, Pat Tutty, Billy Sheehan, Jeff Allen, John Donnelly, Tommy Pratt, David Mulvihill, Alan Sheehan. Res. Darrell Donnelly for B. Sheehan; Pepe Ferncombe for J. Allen; Kieran Foley.

DUNGARVAN UNITED DIV. 3B LEAGUE

United March On

SOUTHEND 0 DUNGARVAN 0

Dungarvan dropped only their second point of the season in this encounter with Southend at their venue on Saturday evening last and indeed this was only the first time all season that we failed to score.

In this game Dungarvan played probably their best football of the season but our old enemy "squandermania" also chose this game to make an unwanted appearance. Such was the Blues dominance in this game that "Oscar" in goal hardly touched the ball a half dozen times and certainly did not have one notable save to make.

The Blues entered this fixture without the services of Johnny Hughes, Pat Mulcahy and "Beefy" through injury and illness and were forced to play Killian Wall (who had been having a great run up front) in midfield, but this did not seem to upset the visitors as they

tore Southend to shreds from the outset. It seemed only a matter of time before the floodgates opened as Simms, Donovan, Ferncombe and Wade all squandered chances, but the best chance of all came just before the interval, a neat one-two between Cummins and Ferncombe released Wall and he squared the ball across the face of the goal and the inrushing Simms shot into the keepers arms with the goal at his mercy.

Within seconds of the restart the Blues almost got the breakthrough, good work by Crotty and Cummins put Wall clear and his far post cross was headed into Donovan's path but his first time shot cannoned off the post and away to safety. Minutes later a Whelan corner was headed on by O'Sullivan and once again Donovan was unlucky to see his effort go just wide. Dungarvan lost Wall at this

point and was replaced by Paudie Flynn and he showed some nice touches down the right flank. This just was not to be the Blues' day as they created and missed several good chances and their frustration was summed up just before the end when Walsh's cross found Wade and his superb volley flew inches wide.

Misses apart, this was a great display of football by Dungarvan and they can look forward with confidence to their next outing away to Kilbarry.

Man of the Match — Stan Cummins.

Dungarvan — Cormac Whelan, Stan Cummins, Martin O'Sullivan, Ber Whelan, John Walsh, Dave Crotty, Benny Wade (capt.), Killian Wall, Alan Simms, Thomas Donovan, Michael Ferncombe. Res. — Paudie Flynn for Wall; Kealan O'Neill.

DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C. NOTES**RESULTS**

T.S.B. U-16 League — Johnville 0 Dungarvan 1; Div. 3A League — Dungarvan 2 Hibernians 1; Div. 3B League — Southend 0 Dungarvan 0; Div. 1A League — Dungarvan 0 Villa 2; Munster Youth Cup (4th Round) — Johnville 3 Dungarvan 2.

FIXTURES

Schoolboy: Saturday, Feb. 6 — U-13 T.S.B. League, Dungarvan v. Villa, kick-off 10.30 a.m.

Junior: Saturday, Feb. 6 — Marquis Cup — Garda v. Dungarvan 'A', kick-off 2.30 p.m. Div. 1A League — Johnville v. Dungarvan, kick-off 2.30 p.m.; Div. 3B League — Kilbarry Rangers v. Dungarvan, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

SEAVIEW CELTIC DRAW

The fourth and final Seaview Celtic Draw will take place in Brady's Lounge, John's Park, Waterford on Saturday, February 13 at 9 p.m.

BOUNDARY WALL

We understand work will commence very shortly on the boundary wall between ourselves and the Kilrush houses. It seems continuous representations by our club and the residents has at last paid off and the Urban Council are to move in this week.

We thank all who have

helped in securing this wall which will give much needed privacy to the residents adjacent to our club ground, with whom we have always had an excellent relationship.

MEETING

A meeting of the Executive Committee will take place in the clubhouse on this Thursday night, February 4 at 8.30 p.m. Also a schoolboy meeting will take place the same night at 8.30 p.m.

CARDS

One winner of our progressive 45 drive on Saturday night last — Michael Foley and John Maher, on 12 games. Jackpot is £160 on 15 games this Saturday night at 8.30 p.m. sharp.

Get well wishes to Monsignor Lannen who is at present in hospital from all his friends at the card sessions on Saturday night.

YANKEE DOODLE

Congratulations to Paul Veale, McCarthyville, Abbeyside, who scooped the £820 jackpot on Sunday night last in our weekly draw. Paul is son of Jim Veale, Chairman of the Pipe Band, and is a regular subscriber to our Yankee Doodle draw. Winning numbers were 1 and 55. Jackpot goes back to £100 on Sunday night.

SPORTS QUIZ

Just a reminder to all those

sporty minded people and the not so sporty minded people (Stalky) that the club will hold a Sports Quiz on Thursday, February 18 in the Clubhouse. Teams will consist of four people (£10 per team) and the top prize is £100. There will also be lots of spot prizes, so come along and have the craic and you could win £100.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy to the Downey family, KilmacThomas, on the sudden death of Michael Downey on Monday last. His son Micheal is a prominent member of our youth side. May the Lord have mercy on his soul.

DUNGARVAN UNITED DIV. 3A LEAGUE

Great Win For Battling United

DUNGARVAN 2 HIBERNIANS 1

This second win for the Blues has been a long time coming, but it could not have come at a better time with our cup game next on the agenda.

Dungarvan went a goal down early in this game when some slack defending left the Hibs. centre forward with an easy chance to put them one up, against the run of play. Continuous pressure by the Blues brought them back on level terms when

John Tutty finished off a good move between our midfielders and our forwards.

The Blues wasted some good chances before half time to take the lead and these chances will have to be taken if we are to progress to the second round of the cup.

The second half produced very few patches of good football and it was not until the final ten minutes that

the Blues got the winner they deserved. A great tackle by Liam Sandford saw him win the ball and play a good pass for Darren Drummy to run on to, his shot gave the keeper no chance. But the best was yet to come, when Darren produced his best move of the game when he celebrated his goal with the Drummy shuffle.

Next Saturday we take on Garda away in the first

round of the cup and we could not have got a harder draw than the cup holders. This is our most important game of the season and we will need to improve one hundred per cent if we are to succeed here.

Dungarvan — K. Drummy, T. Duggan, P. Hayes, M. Hickey, A. Donnelly, J. Mulcahy, J. Foley, P. J. Drummy, L. Sandford, J. Tutty, D. Drummy. Res. — V. Tutty (used); J. Power.

PINEWOOD RANGERS FC NOTES

Last Sunday saw us travel to Kilrush Park, Dungarvan to play league strugglers Glenview Celtic. This game was to be played in Ballybrien but due to poor weather conditions our home pitch was unplayable. One goal by Noel Ryan in the first half and two by Mike Guiry in the second half saw both points secured.

We kicked off playing into a very strong wind and from the kick-off it was clear Glenview were going to make us work hard for both points. However, only brave goalkeeping by the Glenview keeper at the feet of Kieran Hallahan stopped us going a goal up after 5 minutes. A good effort by Mike Guiry just went over after 8 minutes. Noel Ryan went close on two occasions, his first effort creeping just wide of the left hand post and his second, a powerful

**Pinewood 3
Glenview Celtic 0**

header, coming back off the cross bar and cleared to safety by the Glenview defence.

Our first goal came following a solo run by Kieran Hallahan which took him past the Glenview defenders and his powerfully struck shot came back off the cross bar and was tapped in by Noel Ryan. Glenview barely troubled us in the first half but a mishit clearance by a Pinewood defender almost left the scores level at half time.

The second half saw us add two more goals which were both scored by Mike Guiry. His first goal came after 48 minutes when he controlled the ball beautifully inside the Celtic penalty area and struck a powerful shot over the head of the

keeper into the top of the net. Mike's second goal followed soon after when a poor clearance fell to him about 16 yards out and he placed his shot wide of the Celtic keeper.

With about 10 minutes remaining Kieran Hallahan was brought down inside the area and awarded a penalty which he took himself, but unlike last week his fine shot was magnificently saved by the keeper at full stretch. Late in the game Kevin Crotty went close but was denied once again by the keeper. Final score: Pinewood 3, Glenview Celtic 0.

Best for Pinewood — Kevin Mulcahy, Seamus Ryan and Mike Guiry.

Next week we travel to Grange. Last time out Pinewood won 3-1 and we hope to repeat this performance next Sunday.

RED HOUSE LEAGUE

Mogeely Shock Killeagh

Mogeely shocked Div. I leaders Killeagh by beating them 1-0 last Sunday morning. This was Killeagh's second defeat in twelve games and it cut their lead at the top to just two points over Valley Rangers, who have two games in hand over them. Elsewhere in Div. I there were wins for Bride View A, Cappoquin A and Inch. In Div. II leaders Pinewood kept the title charge firmly on course with a 3-0 win over Glenview Celtic, Cappoquin B defeated Bride View B, Grange defeated Piltown, Ardmore and Araglen drew as did Glenview United and Modeligo.

never in danger of losing here. N. Ryan and M. Guiry (2) were their scorers.

Grange 2 Piltown 1

Grange won this game by the narrowest of margins. Piltown went ahead but Grange fought back through S. Curran and P. Manahan.

Glenview United 0 Modeligo 0

A very valuable point dropped here by Glenview. This result leaves them a point behind Cappoquin in the chase for promotion.

FIXTURES

[Sunday, February 7]

Div. I — Lismore v. Inch, kick-off 11.30 a.m. Ref. M. O'Neill; Affane v. Killeagh, kick-off 11.30 a.m. Ref. D. Lyons; Mogeely v. Valley Rangers, kick-off 11.30 a.m. Ref. L. Fitzgerald; Youghal v. Ballyduff, kick-off 2.30 p.m. Ref. P. Marks; Bride View A v. Cappoquin A, kick-off 11 a.m. Ref. P. Marks.

Div. II — (all games 11.30 a.m. kick-off) — Araglen v. Bride View B, Ref. N. O'Donoghue; Grange v. Pinewood Rangers, Ref. R. Rodgers; Piltown v. Glenview Celtic, Ref. T. Griffin; Glenview Celtic v. Ardmore, Ref. J. Foley.

RESULTS

Ballyduff 1 Inch 3

Inch were surprise winners here. J. Treacy put them ahead in the fifth minute, B. Cotter equalised for Ballyduff in the ninth minute, R. Deane put Inch back in front in the twenty first minute and N. Griffin made it 3-1 on the half hour.

Cappoquin A 2 Affane 0

A goal in each half earned Cappoquin the points here against neighbours Affane. E. McLoughlin and J. Morrissey were their scorers.

Valley Rangers 2 Lismore 0

Two first half goals by S. Buckley clinched the points here for Valley and keeps them very much on course for the title whilst pushing Lismore deeper into the relegation battle.

Mogeely 1 Killeagh 0

A shock defeat for Killeagh here by a Mogeely side that struggled at the start of the season but have now won their last three league games thus lifting them out of the relegation spots. Ahead at half time, they defended staunchly in the second half to secure what could prove to be a very valuable brace of points.

Bride View A 4 Youghal 0

No trouble for Bride View here, one up at half time through a G. Hogan penalty in the 35th minute, they added three more in the second half to run out comfortable winners.

Cappoquin B 1 Bride View B 0

Cappoquin had to work hard here to collect the points but a single goal late in the second half did the trick and keeps them very much on course for promotion.

Ardmore 1 Araglen 1

A goal apiece and a point apiece was probably the fairest result in this mid-table clash.

**Pinewood Rangers 3
Glenview Celtic 0**

One up at half time, Pinewood were

Railway Athletic F.C. (Cappoquin) Notes

UNDER-12 LEAGUE

Our Under-12 team travelled to play Seaview on Saturday last and no referee turned up for the game, so the game did not go ahead.

UNDER-16 LEAGUE

Railway 3 Bolton 3

Our Under-16 side were away to Bolton on Saturday last and we had a very hard game. We found it very hard to settle down and minutes later we were two down. Just before half time Jim O'Connor got one for us.

Just at the start of the sec-

ond half Bolton got another goal, but our lads kept to their task and Eamon Murphy scored from the penalty spot and with only five minutes remaining we got the equaliser from the boot of Eamon Murphy. Overall it was a good point.

YOUTHS LEAGUE

Railway 8 Park Rgs. 0

Our youth team were also away on Sunday last and they had an easy win over a weak Park Rangers side. Alan Gilligan got three, Conor Prendergast (2), Paul

McLoughlin (2) and Greg Reddy got one to keep us on course for the league title.

THANK YOU

Our bus broke down on Saturday last and we would like to thank the people who stopped and brought our lads to the game and also to Dungarvan United who collected the remainder of the teams, thank you.

FIXTURES

Saturday Feb. 6 — Under-13 League away to Red Star, kick-off 10.30 a.m. Bus leaving at 9 o'clock.

United Teens Gain Revenge

On Saturday last the Blues under-16 teens played away to table toppers Johnville and came away with a great result. The Blues had just the full team and were under great pressure from Johnville but they held firm through the whole game.

The Blues nearly scored when given a free kick just outside the box but M. Hyslop had too much time on the ball and wasted the chance. With Landers, Butler and Fennell playing well, our front two of Power and Cooney were getting plenty of the action.

However, just before half time the best scoring chance of the half fell to Johnville but they wasted it and it was still nil-all at the break.

In the second half the Blues tried a lot harder to take the initiative but they soon found themselves down to ten men when our right back came off injured. Even this failed to dishearten them as they still swept forward in search of that important goal. With seven minutes left they got the breakthrough they deserved. A long clearance from Cliffe was headed back by a Johnville defender to mid-

slot home the resultant penalty kick for what proved to be the only score of the game.

This was a great allround team display and a first clean sheet by Conor

Fitzgerald in goal. Ivan Sheehan also impressed.

Team — C. Fitzgerald, M. Kelleher, I. Sheehan, B. Cliffe, C. Walsh, A. Landers, M. Hyslop, T. Butler, W. Fennell, R. Power, J.

Dismal Weekend For Ballinroad

**Ballinroad 0
Ballyduff 2**

Ballinroad's inconsistency was again very much in evidence on Saturday last when they went down 2-0 at home to Ballyduff in the Div. 3B League.

Ballinroad were short three key players going into the game and with many players playing out of position, were always in trouble against a visiting side who took the two chances that came their way.

With the cup competitions looming, Ballinroad will need to show a huge improvement if they are to get anything from a disappointing season.

Ballinroad — Reynolds, Murray, Dwyer, R. Burke, Mahoney, B. Burke, Boland, Foley, McCarthy, Sheehan, Tobin. Res., Mulcahy for Dwyer (inj.), Fraher.

Referee: Jimmy O'Neill.

DIV. 4B SIDE HEAVILY BEATEN

**Kilbarry Rangers 5,
Ballinroad 1**

This side had a good run recently, collecting 4 points out of a possible 6, but they were brought down to earth with a bang on Saturday last when crashing 5-1 to city side Kilbarry Rangers. This was a very poor display and again a lot of work needs to be done for the cup.

Mickey Organ scored Ballinroad's goal from the penalty spot.

Ballinroad — Barrett, Lynch, Keane, Crotty, Mullarkey, Fitzgerald, McGovern, Foley, Hayes, Dugan, Power.

FIXTURES

Div. 3B away to Southend, Sunday, February 7; Div. 4B at home to Kilmacow, Saturday, Feb. 6, 2.30 p.m.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to the Burke family, Clonea on the tragic death of Martin.

LEAGUE TABLES

DIVISION 1

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Killeagh	12	8	2	2	29	13	18
Valley Rangers	10	6	4	0	14	2	16
Brideview 'A'	13	7	1	5	33	21	15
Cappoquin 'A'	12	6	3	3	28	18	15
Inch	12	5	3	4	17	17	13
Ballyduff	10	4	3	3	12	13	11
Mogeely	13	4	2	7	17	19	10
Youghal	13	4	1	8	19	30	9
Lismore	10	3	2	5	13	21	8
Affane	13	1	1	11	9	38	3

DIVISION TWO

Pinewood	11	10	1	0	48	4	21
Cappoquin 'B'	12	7	4	1	30	12	18
Glenview United	11	7	3	1	26	14	17
Grange	11	8	0	3	34	18	16
Araglen	11	5	3	3	19	14	13
Modeligo	13	3	3	7	26	29	9
Ardmore	12	2	4	6	13	25	8
Brideview 'B'	10	3	1	6	13	19	7
Piltown	13	3	1	9	17	35	7
Glenview Celtic	12	0	0	12	4	59	0

This should be a cracker as Grange are still in with a chance of promotion and are well capable of inflicting a defeat on leaders Pinewood.

Piltown v. Glenview United

United need to win this one and on form should collect the points.

Glenview Celtic v. Ardmore

Celtic may collect a point here as reports suggest they are improving.

UNDER-13 LEAGUE

Fixtures for Saturday, Feb. 13 — Fermoy v. Bride View, Ref. D. Lyons; Valley Rangers v. Ballyduff, Ref. E. O'Shea; Youghal v. Lismore, Ref. T. Griffin. (All games to kick-off at 2.30 p.m.)

DUNGARVAN HOCKEY CLUB NOTES**Dungarvan Move Closer Towards Title**

DUNGARVAN MINOR 'A'3 CLONMEL 0

When Dungarvan met Clonmel earlier in the season the score line was 0-0. This was going to be a measure of whether Dungarvan had made progress since then.

Dungarvan started in great form and soon showed that they meant business and had overcome the disappointment of last week's cup match. Within the first ten minutes their non-stop pressure paid off when Anne Brennan scored a very good goal, which was her first for the club. Dungarvan continued to attack down the right, creating numerous chances. Midway through the first half a ball was passed from Anne Brennan to Karen Dempsey who controlled it and struck a beautiful shot at goal from the edge of the circle. The half time score read 2-0 but could have been a lot more if Dungarvan had taken advantage of the chances that they created.

In the second half Dungarvan continued to put on the pressure with Anne Brennan and Tess Reynolds, in particular, making some fine shots at the Clonmel keeper. This pressure eventually paid off when a short

corner was played to Mary Ronayne, who beat two players before finishing a lovely move to score.

This was a fine performance by Dungarvan. Good team effort. Player of the Match — Tess Reynolds.

It is great to see an increase in the number of supporters who have been turning up to see these matches. All the players appreciate this support and I am sure the supporters appreciate the hockey played by this very good Dungarvan team.

Thanks to Ann Bones for umpiring.

Team — Cathie O'Mahoney, Rosine Foley, Avive Kiely (capt.), Siobhan Kelly, Nollaig Sheehan, Mary Ronayne, Martina Moore, Karen Dempsey, Lucinda Fraher, Anne Brennan, Tess Reynolds.

JUNIOR HOCKEY

Groups 2 and 3 are travelling to Newtown on Saturday next, February 6. A special training session for these groups will be held on Friday, February 5 at St. Augustine's College hockey pitch. Times as follows: Group 2 — 2 to 5 p.m.; Group 3 — 5 to 6 p.m.

Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's G.A.A. Notes**COUNTY TRIALS**

An another year gets underway the county selectors are at the moment having county trials from which they will select their panels. The best of luck to the following who are going for trials:

Under-18 Football — Ollie Power and Aidan Fitzpatrick; Under-18 Hurling — Eamon Lonergan; Under-21 Football — Raymond Ryan and David Whelan; Under-21 Hurling — John Patrick Fitzpatrick and Raymond Ryan; Junior Hurling — John Hallinan.

BADMINTON CLUB'S 25TH

We would like to congratulate the Touraneena Badminton Club on celebrating 25 years of badminton with a function at Clonea Strand Hotel on Friday night last. The County Badminton Board presented a clock to the club who are the fourth oldest in Waterford and the oldest rural club.

THREE CLUBS MEETING

A meeting of Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's, Modeligo and Naomh Brid committees will take place this Friday night in the Modeligo Community Hall at 9 o'clock. The meeting is called at Naomh Brid's request.

COUNTY AWARD

As the county awards were announced at the County

Convention, we would like to congratulate Paul Foley of Stradbally, who was named the Underage Footballer of the Year. Paul's mother is daughter of the late Jack and Bridie Whelan of Knockboy. What a good year Paul had.

County Under-21 Football

On Saturday last the county under-21 football selectors held their first trial game at Bushy Park, under the watchful eye of coach Larry Tompkins. Thirty five players were present to play in what proved to be a very fast and competitive encounter. Some players gave impressive displays, but of course it will be over two days that players will be judged.

The second trial game will take place this Saturday, February 6 again in Bushy Park, starting at 11.30 a.m. sharp. All players who attended last Saturday as asked to attend again this Saturday.

Our thanks to the Brickey Rangers Club for providing all the players and officials with soup and sandwiches.



BALLYDUFF 1956/57/58 WEST WATERFORD JUVENILE HURLING CHAMPIONS — Back row (left to right): Pats Walsh, Eugene Hickey, Tom Keane (R.I.P.), Maurice Moloney, Danny O'Neill, Jim O'Neill, Dave Whelan, Seanie Flynn, Dermot Canning; front row — Paddy Barry, John Hickey, Jerome Cummins, Paddy Jim Feeney, Frank Whelan, Paddy Jer Feeney.

Shamrocks G.A.A. Notes**MINOR HURLING TRIAL**

West Waterford 3-8 East Waterford 2-13

Played at our ground on Sunday last, in ideal weather conditions, a very good game between two well-matched sides was the result. Following the game a panel was picked to represent the county. Three of our players took part in the trial, Michael Ryan, James Baldwin and Barry Hogan. All three played well and we are hoping that they will make the panel.

Also representing us at the weekend in trials were Declan Butler and Martin Murphy in u/21 football, also Henry Nicholson, Kieran Murphy and James Baldwin in minor football.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The annual general meeting of the Shamrocks Club will take place on Friday night, February 12 at Sham-

rock Inn, Knockanore, following 7.30 Mass at Knockanore Church for all members living and dead.

COUNTY DEVELOPMENT DRAW

We are getting a very good response from our supporters for ticket sales and with 45 per cent of the money from the draw coming back to the clubs we are hoping to generate funds to start an extension to the dressing rooms. The first draw will take place on the last week in February and all money should be sent to Johnny Baldwin, our Co-ordinator next week.

ANNUAL SOCIAL

The annual social will take place on Friday night, February 19 at Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal. It was to have been held last November but was postponed owing to the death of the late Jimmy Tobin.

Fixtures 1993

With development work due to begin at Fraher Field this year it is likely that the venue will have to close for quite some time. This will mean that matches which are normally played there will have to be fixed for other venues in the division. Happily now we have a far greater number of grounds suitable for games than we did have when the venue was closed for several months, some years ago.

In view of the pending and unavoidable closure, it is possible that the Western

Board may try to have as many games as possible played before the builders move in. The plans are ready, planning permission has been sanctioned and now it is a matter of money becoming available to do the work, which will include the erection of a stand to accommodate a reasonable number of patrons.

Hopefully the plans will include the installation of a telephone which is a very necessary facility at all grounds where crowds assemble.

St. Olivers G.A.A. Notes**SOCIAL**

A great night was had by the 210 people who attended the St. Olivers social at Dungarvan's Park Hotel last Friday night. On the night the U-21 football team were presented with their Western and County champions medals by trainer Daithi O'Brien, and the members of the U-16 County football championship winning team were presented with their medals by trainer Paddy Corkery. Fr. Pat Fitzgerald and Fr. Finbarr Lucey, P.P. were the club's guests at the function, which went on well into the small hours of Saturday morning. The club wish to thank The Park Hotel for providing the fine meals, and Batty Prendergast for supplying the great music.

ST. OLIVERS LADIES A.G.M.

The Annual General Meeting of St. Olivers ladies football club was held last Thursday week at St. Mary's Hall, Aglish. The following officers were elected:

Chairman — Fr. Finbarr Lucey; Vice-Chairman — Michael O'Brien; Secretary — Mary Guiry; Asst. Secretary — Pat Ronayne; Treasurer — Marie Keane.

Matches will be commencing in March. This year we hope to enter a junior team. Anyone interested can contact any one of the above.

We would like to thank our sponsors throughout the year, and a special thanks to B.A.D. (Ballinacoola/Aglish Dramatics) for giving us raffle proceeds at one of their very successful plays.

TREASURER

Congratulations to the treasurer of St. Olivers, Tony Morrissey, who was recently elected as treasurer of the Western Board.

IN THE PANEL

Congratulations and well done to Laurence Maher who has been selected for the Waterford minor hurling panel. The Deise side's first outing in the Munster championship will be against Cork on April 7.

Letter to the Editor

To The Editor, Dungarvan Leader

WATERFORD G.A.A.

Dear Sir,

We have had a period of intense criticism within the G.A.A. by certain people of others and by groups of other groups. This is not good. Different people have different roles to play and all must do so for the overall good of the county. Every interested individual can choose a role to play and contribute to the overall good. The G.A.A. as an organisation needs to be strong within itself and at the same time to be open and accessible to the public.

The skill levels in hurling, football, camogie and ladies football are high among primary school pupils and is so right up to adult level. With continued proper coaching and management the county can look forward to a decade of unprecedented success at all levels. The only ones who can obstruct the achievement of this dream are ourselves.

Let's look at the good traits in one another and give praise, encouragement and support to one another.

Yours in sport,
Seamus Fitzgerald.

ACC BANK MUNSTER COLLEGES HURLING

Dungarvan CBS Advance To Semi-Final

Dungarvan CBS 7-6 St. Clement's, Limerick 2-2

Dungarvan CBS under-16¹/₂ hurlers advanced to a Munster semi-final clash with Mount Sion after a big win over St. Clement's College, Limerick at Ballymacarbry on Friday last.

Raymond Lynch opened the scoring with a goal for the CBS in the 5th minute. St. Clement's followed with two points from frees. Brian Power from play and Darach Breathnach from a free had points for the CBS before St. Clement's had a goal in the 18th minute to level the scores. Another goal in the 28th minute gave the Limerick side the lead, but CBS struck back quickly with a goal from Brendan Conway on the stroke of half time.

The Limerick side's defence caved in the in the second half and the Dungarvan forwards added five

more goals.

Best for the CBS were Kenny Walsh, Darach Breathnach and Kieran Curran in defence, Michael Murray and Garbhán Flynn at midfield, with Brendan Conway and Vivian Loneragan being the most impressive of the forwards.

Scorers — Brendan Conway 5-2, Raymond Lynch 1-0, Dermot Kiely 1-0, Darach Breathnach 0-2 (1 free and 1 65), Brian Power 0-1, Garbhán Flynn 0-1.

Dungarvan CBS — Trevor O'Mahoney (Dungarvan), Kenneth Walsh (St. Patrick's), Trevor Galvin

(Dungarvan), Jonathan Moore (Abbeyside), Brian O'Donovan (Abbeyside), Kieran Curran (Dungarvan), Darach Breathnach (Gaeltacht), Michael Murray (St. Oliver's), Garbhán Flynn (St. Patrick's), Vivian Loneragan (Naomh Bríd), Dermot Kiely (Kilrossanty), Brian Power (Dungarvan), Raymond Lynch (St. Patrick's), Brendan Conway (Dungarvan), Colin Breathnach (Gaeltacht).

Subs — Francis Tobin (St. Patrick's) for Brian Power (55th minute), David Ryan (St. Patrick's) for Colin Breathnach (55th minute).

DUNGARVAN G.A.A. NOTES

DRAW

These are very busy times for the Club Executive. At the moment we are promoting the Deise Development Draw. This is a very good draw, with valuable prizes, including cars, holidays, etc. Anybody wishing to purchase a ticket at a cost of £60 or £5 per month for 12 months, please contact any member of the committee as soon as possible.

TRIALS

Members of our club took

part in trials at the weekend for minor hurling and football and under-21 football.

COUNTY FINAL

Next Sunday the long awaited replay of the county football final versus Rathgormack goes ahead at Walsh Park. The panel has been very active in their preparation for this game, and we are hopeful that the Conway Cup will once again rest in the 'Old Boro' for another year. A bus will

leave from outside the C.B.S. at approximately 12.45 p.m. On behalf of the members of the club we wish the boys in blue the best of luck on Sunday.

LOTTO

The weekly Lotto numbers drawn on Sunday night were 6, 5, 19. No winner. Next week's jackpot is £300.

In view of the club's participation in the county final, next week's draw will take place on Monday night instead of Sunday.

ABBEYSIDE/BALLINACOURTY GAA NOTES

UNDER-AGE A.G.M.

There was a large attendance present at our under-age annual general meeting at the clubhouse on Friday evening last, a turn-out which indicates the huge level of interest in under-age affairs at present.

Committee Chairman, Tony Mansfield, after welcoming all members thanked his fellow officers and praised the efforts of all those who helped make 1992 such a successful year for the club.

Treasurer, Larry Cliffe presented an excellent report which clearly showed good sensible control over our financial affairs.

A wide ranging and comprehensive report by Secretary, Pat Moore was highly commended by all. In the course of this, the Secretary stated that "In a year which saw the fortunes of our county teams soar it adds greatly to my pleasure to present to you a detailed report on our activities in 1992. The success of our county under age teams has given us all a tremendous lift and in Abbeyside/Ballinacourty we are particularly

proud of the fact that our club provided Tony Mansfield as a major part of the outstanding u-21 All-Ireland victory and both Brian Beatty and Patrick Veale to play their part in the march to the Munster minor triumph. Like all clubs in the county we played our part in those famous successes."

LADIES FOOTBALL

The meeting also congratulated our ladies football section under Chairwoman Breda Cleary on winning our very first under-14 county title while Nollaig Sheehan was congratulated for her part in Waterford's win in the All-Ireland under-16 championship. A first All-Ireland medal for the ladies section.

Officers and Committee elected for 1993 — Chairman, Tony Mansfield; Secretary, Pat Moore; Treasurer, Larry Cliffe. Committee: Pat Ryan, John Kelleher, Peter Flynn, Tom Whelan, Matt Carey, Tommy Treacy, Donal Verling, Johnny Burns, Joe Cleary.

DEISE DRAW

Tickets for this draw are proving to be a big seller. Promoters are reminded to

return all tickets to club coordinator Bernard Shields as soon as possible.

PREPARING

In preparation for the coming season team managers for our numerous teams were announced at recent club and under-age committee meetings. The managers have responsibility for nominating their own selectors whose appointments will be announced during the week.

Team Managers are: Senior/Junior Football — Greg Fives; Intermediate/Junior Hurling — Tony Mansfield; U-21 H/F — Pa McGovern; Minor H/F — Pat Moore; U-16 H/F — Joe Cleary; U-14 H/F — Pat Ryan; U-12 H/F — Larry Cliffe; U-10 H/F — Matt Carey.

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Lenihan and family on the death of Jerry Clarke.

BEST WISHES

Best wishes are extended to clubman and scheme supervisor Tommy Treacy who is currently hospitalised. All in the club wish this very popular and hard-working committee member a speedy recovery.



RATHGORMACK N.S. — Nicola Cahill, Kieran Kennedy and Emmet Guiry learning one of the basic hurling skills during coaching visit. No doubt all there will be cheering Rathgormack in Sunday's senior football final.

YOUNG HURLING PROSPECTS

This week we go to Tallow N.S., where the basic skills are always good. Mr. Billy Sheehan is school Principal.

Ann Marie Henley, 9 years old, 3rd Class — Ann Marie looks forward to visits and is very interested in camogie. Her brother David is a very skilful hurler with Tallow senior hurlers. Her favourite player is Tony Browne.

Sarah O'Brien, 10 years old, 4th Class — Very spirited little girl with very good basic skill. Very competitive

in mini-games and is a good striker of the ball. Her home is in Barrack Street. Favourite player Paul Flynn.

Karen McCormack, 11 years old — Karen's father comes from Cork but she says she supports Waterford. Loves camogie, she always wears a helmet during coaching sessions, well behaved and always interested. Favourite player Tony O'Sullivan (Cork).

This school won the inaugural camogie blitz last year.

County Minor Hurling Panel

Following a final county minor hurling trial at the Knockanore venue on Sunday last, the selectors have named a panel of players to commence training for the Munster championship game v. Cork on April 7.

The panel is: Abbeyside — Dwaine Moore, Michael Enright; Ballygunner — Darren O'Sullivan, Tony Carroll, Mark Dempsey, Darragh Laphorne; Dungarvan — J. J. Ronayne,

Kieran Curran; De La Salle — Fergal O'Brien, John Deegan, Liam Hearn; Cappoquin — Frank McLoughlin; Portlaw — Ger Harris, Anthony Kirwan; Fourmilewater — Michael Connolly; Mount Sion — Alan Robinson, Roy McGrath; Tallow — J. P. Grey; Dunhill/Fenor — David Burns; St. Patrick's — Alan Walsh; Passage — Barry Walsh; Shamrocks — Michael Ryan; St. Oliver's — Laurence Maher; Tramore — Liam Partridge, Niall Geary; St. Saviours — Alan Kelly, Derek McGrath, Morgan Kinsella; Lismore — Brendan Ormonde, James O'Connor, Peter Barry, Ollie O'Dowd, Emmett Quann and Dave Bennett.

Training is due to commence on tonight (Wednesday) in Dungarvan and it is hoped to play Clare (away) at the weekend. The panel will be further reduced following a number of challenge games.

A total of 109 players attended five trials (East and West) over the last three weekends.

The selectors would like to thank the Ballygunner, Clonea, Lismore and Shanrocks clubs and St. Augustine's College for making pitches available for the trial games and Pat Moore, Roger Casey, Dessie O'Leary and John Kelly for refereeing the games.

Western Bord na nOg Notes

The first delegate meeting of the year takes place on Monday night, Feb. 8 at Lawlor's Hotel at 8 p.m. sharp.

Meeting Agenda — Under-14 and Under-16 championship format and Under-14 and Under-16 divisional selectors.

£5 per club and £5 per team affiliation fees are due on the night.

Training for the Gleeson Cup will commence shortly. Please have names of players wishing to participate in as soon as possible.

TRANSFERS
Please have all transfer requests in on the night of the meeting as they can only be dealt with on the night.

Phelan Cup Semi-Final

The first semi-final of the 1992 Phelan Cup between St. Saviours and Gaultier will be played at Tramore on Saturday next at 2.30 p.m.

With Dungarvan and Rathgormack tied up in championship, the other section of the competition is held up.

PETER POWER'S SCHOOLS COACHING

Monday 8th February — Clashmore and Ballycurrane
Tuesday 9th February — Stradbally Boys and Stradbally C of I
Wednesday 10th February — Glenbeg and Carriglea
Thursday 11th Feb. — Dungarvan C.B.S.
Friday 12th February — Clonea

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Lawlor's Hotel Football Co. Final Replay Should Be An Epic

Champions And Challengers Both Confident Of Victory

A football county final in the Spring is unusual, although not unique here in Waterford where several county finals have spilled over into the following year in times gone by. It is not the kind of situation that pleases the two clubs involved and understandably so, because trying to keep fit and tuned up during the



DARREL DONNELLY
Dungarvan's full-back

mid-winter period is not exactly what they would wish. Neither is it the best situation for the game as it is not all that easy to regenerate the kind of support and enthusiasm normally associat-

ed with one of our show-piece games that is being played so long after the season has ended.

Having said all that, I'm still quite sure that those who were present at the hectic and exciting drawn final will not miss out on this intriguing replay which takes place between county champions Dungarvan and the challengers Rathgormack at Walsh Park at 3 p.m. on Sunday next.

In an effort to have the ground in good condition for the replay, no activity has been allowed at the venue since the drawn match and with the goals having been re-sodded, the underfoot conditions should be satisfactory.

After the drawn match, the crowds left the ground wondering about what would happen when the leg-weary players came back 'refueled' and reorganised for the replay and it is not an exaggeration to say that this kind of speculation has gone on for the two months interval.

The analysis of the rough and tumble, foul-ridden and

sometimes dramatic drawn game played on December 6 last was interspersed with so many "ifs" and "buts" that the mentors and back-room people in both camps were confused when trying to determine the cause of their failure to win. Both are satisfied that they should have won. The patrons are agreed that neither should have won and that is the reason we are now going back to find the answer.



Dungarvan's centre-back EDDIE BURKE

Over the past few weeks both have been back in training and challenge games have been played. Dungarvan had outings against Skibbereen and Bishopstown and Rathgormack have played a couple of Tipperary club teams.

Reports tell us that players on both Dungarvan and Rathgormack performed very satisfactorily and there were no complaints about injuries or other problems when the selectors sat down to choose their teams over the weekend.

Neither side is anxious to have the lineout announced, but the expectations are that both will show little change from the teams which clashed in the drawn game. Declan Power who was sent off for Rathgormack and Sean Power who was under suspension for the final, will both be back on their side and there may be one other change. Pat Fahy will be in goal with Tom Hassett, Declan Power and Eoin Gleeson in the full-back line and Dan Crotty, Brendan Curry and Denis Hassett forming the half back line. Regular midfielders Martin Power and Donie Crotty will surely

be given a vote of confidence to operate in this vital sector.

There may be changes in attack to accommodate the return of Sean Power, but certain to command a place will be Joe Murray who performed so very well on the last day, Ger Power, Finbarr Crotty, Declan Whelan and Tom Dee. I was told that a couple of the substitutes played well in the challenge games with the club and are under consideration also.

It will come as surprise if there are changes on the county champions side and it is generally expected that the selectors will give a vote of confidence to the team which lined out for the drawn game.

THE RESULT?

The problem of forecasting the result now is a bit more difficult than when the first meeting of the teams was previewed. Everyone got it wrong then as no one had predicted that the sides would finish level. Dungarvan were favourites, even though Rathgormack had beaten them in the league section of the championship. The view in the immediate aftermath of the game was that the county champions Dungarvan should have prevailed, especially as they had held a commanding five points lead going into the final seven minutes of the game. Whether they had relaxed their effort because of overconfidence at that stage or whether it was because of a few tactical mistakes in using the ball or not using it advantageously, when their



DEREK LYONS at midfield for Dungarvan

defence was under enormous pressure in the dying minutes, is something that will be argued for a long time. Not only did they look good enough to win, but they certainly seemed to have it won, and I know that even the huge Rathgormack support believed that the final was lost when in the minutes before their grandstand finish Dungarvan allowed themselves to get caught.

I feel sure that their astute backroom team will have taken those matters on board when planning their strategy for the replay. Another matter which might have been a factor is that the underfoot conditions following the heavy rain which fell in the days leading up to the game, were not in their favour and never help a team who play their brand and style of football.

The forecasters tell us that conditions on next Sunday will be better and if this is so and the reigning champions are allowed to play the kind of football which enabled them win their two titles, they must certainly be in with a splendid chance.



MORRIE FERNCOMBE in the half line of attack

Dungarvan club won the 1892 title and what a wonderful record it would be if they captured the same title, exactly one hundred years later.

David O'Connor will be in goal for the champions and their full line will be Dermot Dee, Darrell Donnelly and Martin Houlihan. In the half line will be Bobby Lyons, Eddie Burke and team captain Martin Sheehan will be given a vote of confidence and David Burke and Derek Lyons will again very likely man the centre-field positions.

In attack, Peter, Morrie and John J. Ferncombe, Ger Beresford, Denis McGrath and Dermot Callaghan will endeavour to do better than the seven scores which they got in the drawn match. (This was the smallest number registered by the team in the past two seasons).

RATHGORMACK

The news from the challengers camp is that they are ready and rearing to go. Typical of their club policy, they are keeping a low profile and revealing no secrets about their planned match strategy. Having closely examined the video of the drawn game, their astute mentors will no doubt have taken careful note of the mistakes which cost them a couple or more scores. They feel that they could have won in December and attribute their defeat to a number of factors, including the lack of county final experience. This they reckon won't be a problem now that their men have 'gone through the mill' so to speak. They reckon also that having beaten Dungarvan by four points in the league section and played a draw in the final, when playing without full forward Sean Power, they will field far more confidently on this occasion.

Like all other interested people, I cannot predict with any confidence what the final result will be, but from experience I know that very often replays turn out to be different from drawn games and sometimes go one-sided. This one could be won decisively by one or the other and while this would be regarded as a surprise, the records would not see it as being anything extraordinary. There are exceptions of course, as we saw in the 1989 final when after Kilrossanty and the Nire playing an 0-7 draw and then Kilrossanty, who were reigning champions at the time, coming back to take the title by a single point (1-4 to 1-3).



GER BERESFORD Dungarvan's corner forward

The replay then can go either way, but my opinion is that if circumstances allow the champions Dungarvan to turn on the style in the way that they are able to do, then they can put the icing on the cake by scoring the longed for hat-trick.

PATHS TO THE FINAL

Dungarvan	1-14	Clashmore	0-7
Dungarvan	1-10	Dunhill	0-10
Dungarvan	0-11	St. Saviours	1-5
Dungarvan	1-6	Rathgormack	0-13
Dungarvan	1-7	Ballinacourty	1-5
Dungarvan	0-9	Gaultier	2-8
Dungarvan	4-13	Nire	0-7
Dungarvan	3-8	Stradbally	0-8
Dungarvan	2-5	Rathgormack	1-8
	13-83		5-71
Rathgormack	1-11	Clashmore	0-8
Rathgormack	0-13	Dungarvan	1-6
Rathgormack	1-10	Gaultier	2-5
Rathgormack	0-14	St. Saviours	2-5
Rathgormack	1-6	Ballinacourty	0-9
Rathgormack	4-7	Dunhill	0-7
Rathgormack	0-8	Kilmacthomas	0-7
Rathgormack	1-8	Dungarvan	2-5
	8-77		7-52

Dungarvan's scoring average is approx. 1-11 per game while Rathgormack's average is approx. 1-10 and both have an average of 0-9 against.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Football Snippets

It is now just eight years since a team from the Eastern end of the county won a senior football title. This was achieved by Tramore when they won the 1984 centenary county final.

Kill were the last club to achieve a hat-trick of wins in successive years, (1966, '67 and '68).

Only three clubs have won five titles in a row in senior football. These were Clashmore (1903 to 1907); Dungarvan from 1926 to 1930 and Stradbally won their five-in-a-row between 1940 and 1944.

Kilrossanty won four in a row in the years 1949 to 52,

as did Dungarvan from 1945 to 1948.

After De La Salle had won their four senior football titles in a row (1933 to 1936) no team from their division won the championship for another sixteen years, 1937 to 1952. Mount Sion (1953) were the club to break the deadlock when winning the first of their five football championship titles.

Amazingly in the sixteen years of Western dominance all the titles were won by just three clubs, Dungarvan 6, Kilrossanty and Stradbally had 5 each.

Of the 105 senior football championships played to-

date, 70 have been won by Western clubs and 35 by clubs from the Eastern division.

There were no county football championships in the years in 1889, 1900 and 1914.

Six of the fourteen senior football clubs, Nire, Sliabh gCua, Kilmacthomas, Butlerstown, St. Saviours and Gaultier have never won a senior title.

Just ten years ago the football championship changed in format and a record total of 28 teams played in the qualifying rounds. Intermediate teams were included, but only a

small number of the lower grade teams survived after the first round. The major shock of that season was when unconsidered Erin's Own defeated and K/O'd the famous Mitchel's team in the qualifying round by 2-8 to 1-7. Butlerstown who won the intermediate championship put paid to the hopes of the Mitchel's winning that one. The senior title was won by Stradbally in that year.

The total gate receipts for football in that championship (1982) was £9,768. This year they were £17,000 with the drawn final to be played.

SENIOR HURLING CHALLENGE

Waterford Totally Outplayed

KILKENNY 4-17 WATERFORD 0-8

This challenge game in aid of Somalia which was played in Nowlan Park, Kilkenny, can really only be put down as a good practice game, as it yielded little by way of a meaningful contest.

A very much under-strength Waterford team were outplayed by a stronger Kilkenny side, whose forwards were in their usual devastating form.

This they displayed in the opening quarter as John Power scored a superb brace of points and Ray Heffernan from a free, P. J. Delaney and Adrian Ronan were all on target to open up an early five point lead.

John Meaney, making a welcome return after an absence due to injury, then opened Waterford's account from a 35 metre free and during their only period of dominance points from Noelle Crowley in the 20, 25 and 30th minutes narrowed the gap to only two points (0-6 to 0-4).

However the Noresiders then came thundering back with Ray Heffernan sending

over the bar twice and Pat Hoban finishing a Heffernan free which had been saved by keeper Ray Whitty, to the net to leave them 1-8 to 0-6 ahead at half time.

The resumption of play brought the Deisemen little joy as Heffernan yet again sent the sliotar between the uprights and only minutes later both Jamsie Brennan and P. J. Delaney capitalised on mistakes by the Waterford defence by hitting the back of the net.

Billy O'Sullivan's excellent point came as little compensation as the Kilkenny forwards again went on the rampage, scoring a further 2-5 without reply, before substitute Tony Browne found Waterford's only other scores, two points in the last quarter, while the Black and Ambers went on to finish with four more points in as many minutes.

A special mention has to be given to the sterling defence put up by brothers Sean, before retiring injured and Eamonn Cullinane who had a very good hour.

Scorers: Waterford — N.

Lights At Walsh Park

Lights have now been installed at Walsh Park and have been switched on to enable county team training to be done at night time. The county hurling panel will train in the venue, commencing next week after the county final. The cost of the installation was shared by the County Board and the Supporters Club.

MEETING

There are rumours that two, or probably three surprise transfers will come before the new Western Board when delegates assemble for the first meeting of the year, at Dungarvan on tomorrow, Thursday night. The new Board Chairman Ollie Wilkinson takes over at this meeting from the retired Jimmy O'Gorman. Tony Morrissey will be present as the new Treasurer and Paddy Walsh comes in as Vice-Chairman. Having disposed of affiliations, transfers, regradings and the election of a new Disciplinary Committee, it is expected that the clubs still involved in the outstanding Under-21 hurling and football championship games, will be given the dates and venues for those games.

Crowley 0-3, T. Browne 0-2, J. Meaney, B. O'Sullivan and N. Dalton 0-1 each. Kilkenny — P. Hoban 1-3, R. Heffernan 0-5, P. J. Delaney 1-1, J. Power 0-3, J. Brennan 1-1, A. Prendergast 1-0, A. Ronan, T. Murphy, M. Lawlor and C. Carter 0-1 each.

Waterford — R. Whitty, S. Cullinane, D. Byrne, E. Cullinane, P. Walsh, P. Fanning, D. Foran, N. Crowley, E. Brennan, F. O'Shea, L. O'Connor, B. O'Sullivan, J. Meaney, S. Daly, N. Dalton. Subs. — P. Tobin for S. Cullinane; T. Corcoran for Brennan; P. Prendergast for O'Shea; B. Greene for O'Connor; S. Ahearn for Meaney; T. Browne for Dalton.

Kilkenny — M. Walsh, J. Walsh, P. Dwyer, L. Simpson, L. Keoghan, P. Phelan, B. Hennessy, M. Phelan, M. Walsh, T. Murphy, J. Power, R. Heffernan, A. Ronan, P. Hoban, P. J. Delaney. Subs. — M. Lawlor for P. Phelan; A. Prendergast for Hennessy; M. Morrissey for M. Walsh; J. Brennan for Ronan.

Western Minor Trial

The final Western football trial takes place on Sunday next, Feb. 7 in Stradbally at 11 a.m. After last weekend's very successful trial when some 47 players attended, this final trial should give the selectors a good account of their Western players for the county panel.

Players please note 11 a.m. start.

All-Ireland Football Medals

Many times over the years we have heard the question asked about the number of All-Ireland football medals held by Waterford men. Of course Waterford have never won a national football title, so by some people this query was received as being a kind of joke.

The records show however that five Waterford men have between them won a total of twelve All-Ireland football medals.

Tommy Healy of Clashmore won one, Hugh Hillard of Lismore won three as did Tomsie Walsh of Dungarvan and Mick Curry of Rathgormack. (Walsh and Curry won their medals with Dublin in 1906, '07 and '08). Hillard and Healy also won their titles when playing with Dublin. The great Roddy Kirwan of Kilmacthomas who was recognised internationally for his athletic accomplishments and who played with Clonea, won his two medals with Kerry.

Injury

County team corner-back, Sean Cullinane sustained a broken hand in last Sunday's tournament match against Kilkenny and as a result the Passage player will be out of action for some time.

Trials

Training and trials for most of the county panels continued over the weekend when seven of the eight teams were being exercised at different venues.

At Nolan Park the hurlers lost in the charity match when well beaten by the champions, Kilkenny. Also Waterford played Kilkenny in senior football and recorded a big win on Sunday morning.

Both the Under-21 footballers and hurlers were training on Saturday and again there was a very big turnout for both. The hurlers were in Stradbally and the footballers were training in Bushy Park where Larry Tompkins was down to see them and give a talk.

Over 40 turned up for a minor football (West) trial at Ardmore and the minor hurlers were also in training on Sunday.

Never before have we had such a huge attendance at training in January.

Supreme Sports Star Award

Congratulations to Tony Browne, Mount Sion, on having won the very prestigious award which was presented at the Park Hotel Banquet on Saturday night last. The Under-21 All-Ireland hurling captain was chosen from a list of twelve sports stars who had been chosen, month-by-month from various sports over the past year and judging by the reception given to the announcement by the panel of judges, it was a most popular decision.

Tony has Under-16 and Under-21 medals with his club as well, of course, and the 19 year old player has his Munster and All-Ireland Under-21 medals. He certainly displayed his fine leadership qualities when captaining the county team to ultimate glory.

Other Fields

This year we will see the official opening of the Dungarvan club grounds which are now practically ready. This spacious and very well laid-out club property is one of the finest in the county and is certainly a great credit to the people responsible and who have worked very hard to have it in its splendid condition as we saw when we recently paid a visit there. The grounds have been used for training for several months as have the clubhouse and modern dressing rooms which are situated on the Western Bay side of the property.

The Brickeys, too, who have a splendidly laid out field have their club dressing rooms, etc. now completed and this as well has been in use for quite some time. This beautiful property has accommodated several divisional board championship games throughout last year and is due to be officially opened in 1993. There are now almost 50 club grounds in the county.

WHAT THE MINORS COST

The "Dungarvan Leader" was quoted on W.L.R. last week when a Dungarvan lady rang the station to express surprise about what it cost our minor hurlers for their trips to Dublin, etc. Listeners to the popular Deise A.M. programme made some good and interesting points, but just in case anyone got the notion from listening to the programme that money was lavished out recklessly, let me hasten to say that this was certainly not the case. It has long been the policy of the county board to have their travelling teams accommodated in what are recognised as being

top-class hotels (like most other counties who feel that their players are entitled to this sort of treatment) and as most people will appreciate, the cost of staying overnight in such places is enormously expensive in these days. So is the cost of travel for a large party doing a return trip to Dublin for both occasions (semi-final and final). In this case the costs were the subject of negotiations with the hotel management before the place was booked. It would therefore be wrong for readers/listeners to get the idea that the cost was outrageous or abnormal.



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IFA Milk Quota Protest In Waterford

IFA's National Dairy Committee Chairman Mr. Michael Slattery has called for a strong turnout of dairy farmers from the South Eastern counties of Waterford, Kilkenny, Wexford, South Tipperary and East Cork at IFA's milk quota protest which is being held in Waterford City on Monday next, February 8. The protest is being organised outside the Department of

Agriculture Offices in the city to impress on Farm Minister Mr. Joe Walsh the importance of getting the 4.5% temporary suspended quota restored to Irish dairy farmers or, failing that, to get ongoing compensation for the reduction. Farm Minister Walsh is attending a Council of Farm Ministers' meeting in Brussels the day after the Waterford protest.

Kilmacthomas Notes

BIRTHS

Congratulations go to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Power, Portlaw, on the birth of a baby girl which happy event occurred recently. Mrs. Power is the former Nollette Walsh, Whitestown, Kilmacthomas.

Congratulations also to Mr. and Mrs. Declan Mulhearn, Mahon Bridge, on the happy event, the birth of a baby boy.

KILMACTHOMAS BRIDGE CLUB

Results from last were — 1st Mary Casey and Maureen Power; 2nd Padraig Kirwan and Tessie Cusack; 3rd Catherine Touhy and Joan Behan.

WON TOP PRIZE

Congratulations to Maureen Power, High Street, Kilmacthomas, who won top prize of 50 bales of briquettes in the draw at Mulhearn's Super Save Supermarket, The Square, last week. Keep the home fires burning Maureen!

NEW CAR

We wish many happy years of motoring to Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Flynn, The Hill, who purchased a new car recently.

IN HOSPITAL

We wish a speedy recovery to Mr. Michael Dunne, Union Road, who is at present a patient in Waterford Regional Hospital. We hope to see Michael out and about again in the not too distant future.

"PHARFETCHED"

Another great victory was scored by "Pharfetched", owned by Jim Shanahan, Ashtown, when he won the Donabea Hurdle by eight lengths at Naas on Saturday last at odds of 6/4.

KILMOGANNY HARRIERS BALL

Many locals attended the Kilmoganny Harriers Ball in Jury's Hotel, Waterford on Friday night last.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

A big welcome home from family and many friends to the popular Raymond "Barney" Burns, Keating's Bar, Main Street, having spent some weeks in a Dublin Hospital. We now wish Barney a speedy recovery to full health and hope to see him out and about again in the not to

distant future.

PRAYER MEETING

Devotees of Padre Pio kindly come to your monthly meeting on Thursday next February 4 at 7.15 p.m. in the Convent Chapel. Rev. Fr. Michael Duggan will attend and Padre Pio mitten will be available.

FUND RAISING NIGHT

A big fund raising "night out" in aid of St. Declan's Community College Parents Association will be held in Crotty's Lounge, Leamybrien on Friday night, Feb. 12. Music will be supplied by the popular Gerry Walsh and Dallas.

LABOUR PARTY

The local Labour Branch held a very enjoyable night at Power's Bar on Saturday night last. Secretary Margaret Scurry presented Brian O'Shea with a beautiful piece of Deise Crystal, which is manufactured in Kilmacthomas, to mark his appointment as Junior Minister. Our thanks to Kieran and Rita for the use of their premises.

3 Months For Dungarvan Youth Who Ran Out Of Chances

A 19-year-old youth was sentenced to three months detention at Dungarvan District Court last Wednesday after being told by Judge Hogan that he had run out of chances.

Thomas Fraher, 6 St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, pleaded guilty to causing malicious damage to a window to the amount of £100 at the hair salon of William Walsh, Grattan Square on August 14 last.

Two garda witnesses told the court they had seen the defendant smash the hair salon window with his boot.

After being told that Fraher had previous convictions going back to 1987 and had also been given community service in lieu of a sentence, Judge Hogan imposed a three-month detention sentence on him.



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