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panding Irish companies in the IDA backed International Services Sector which was launched last week.

Speaking at the launch, Mr. Ruairi Quinn, T.D., Minister for Enterprise and Employment said, "To-day is an important milestone in the Government's drive to

develop a strong group of Irish companies in the international services sector. The 25 new and expanding companies represented here to-day have agreed business proposals with the IDA which will produce 437 new high calibre jobs."

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Pictured at the IDA launch (l. to r.) — were Sean Donnelly, Executive Director, IDA, Ciaran Geoghegan, Microchem Laboratories of Dungarvan, the Minister for Enterprise and Employment, Ruairi Quinn T.D. and Anita Geoghegan.

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Nick, a native of Waterford, joined A.I.B. Bank in Ireland during the mid '70's and subsequently moved to Britain in 1977. Having worked there over the last 16 years, he has managed a number of sizeable Branches, the most recent being in Glasgow.

Educated at De La Salle in Waterford, he is married with 4 children and is a keen all round sportsman. He has a particular interest in both hurling and football and is also an active golfer.

During his stay in Britain, Nick was involved with the Waterford County Association in both London and Birmingham.

£1.64 Million Allocated For 1993 Housing Construction Programme For Co. Waterford

Local housing authorities have been notified by the Minister for the Environment Mr. Michael Smith, T.D. and Minister of State Mr. Emmet Stagg, T.D. of the financial allocations for their 1993 housing programmes.

The allocations total £94.7 million, an increase of £28.2 million or over 42% on the corresponding allocations for 1992 and will fund programmes including housing residential caravan parks for travellers, remedial works to existing local authority

houses and the provision of bathrooms.

A sum of £818,000 has been allocated to Waterford Co. Council for housing construction while Dungarvan Urban Council has been allocated £229,000 for housing construction, £50,000 for the provision of caravan parks for travellers; £500,000 for remedial works and £50,000 for the bathrooms programme.

This brings the total allocation under the 1993 programme for Co. Waterford to £1,647,000.

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West Waterford Notes

VOICE OF CLASHMORE

At present the "Voice of Clashmore" is enjoying a fantastic following and on Saturday night last, April 17 at the Decies Lounge, eight singers took part in the first semi-finals and the four going forward from here are Ml. Lynch, Ml. Baker (Jnr.), Catherine Foley and Anita O'Malley. They will now take part in the final on May 2.

The second semi-final will be held this weekend at McSweeney's, The Old Still. Here Jimmy Ivers, Pat Leahy, Pat Mc-

Carthy, Michael Baker, Olivia Maher, Eddie O'Reilly and Maura Joyce will sing. Music will be provided by Reflections and once again it promises to be an enjoyable night.

Our thanks to the McCarthy family and everyone who helped make the first semi-final a success. All had a very enjoyable night. Congratulations to our raffle winners, 1st Josephine McGrath, 2nd Mary Queally and 3rd Joan Keane.

SET DANCING

On Saturday night last Clashmore ladies set dancers achieved a well earned victory in the annual Set Dancing competition in Knockanore. The team have worked hard over the past few months and though they were well placed in competitions this was their first victory of the season. The girls were presented with the Laurence Foley Perpetual Trophy. The team and their faithful band of supporters were still celebrating on Sunday.

We extend our congratulations to the ladies, Christine Dee, Annette O'Keeffe, Janice Dee, Sinead Dunne, Paula Dunne, Ciara O'Connell, Caroline Foley and Teresa Joyce. It was a fantastic victory and we wish all continued success.

Thanks to Mossie and Veronica Curran. Practice continues every Monday night from 7.30 p.m. to 9 p.m. and all are welcome along.

DEATH OF JAMES FLYNN

On Good Friday, Jimmy

Flynn of Monatrea, Kinsalebeg, died unexpectedly at his home. The entire area was shocked and saddened to hear of the death of this very active outgoing man who had attended the Easter services on the previous day.

Jimmy was a quiet unassuming man who worked hard and took great pride in his work. Throughout his life Jimmy was a very popular and highly respected farm manager at the Jameson farm. He will be deeply and sadly missed by his family and by everyone in the neighbourhood.

On Easter Saturday evening Jimmy's remains were taken from his home in Kinsalebeg to the Church in Piltown where the prayers were recited by Rev. Fr. Maurice O'Gorman, P.P. who was assisted by Rev. Fr. Gerald O'Connor, C.C.

On Easter Sunday morning following Requiem Mass in the Hall which was filled to capacity with family relatives and friends who came to pay their last respects to this great man whom they held in their

highest respect, Jimmy was laid to rest in the nearby Piltown cemetery.

Our deepest sympathy is extended to his wife Kathleen, his daughter Sheila Coady, his sons John, James, Bibi, Pat and Martin, his sisters Julia Flynn and Joanne Merrigan, all his family relatives and friend on their sad loss.

HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Continued good wishes are extended to Cora Kennedy, Kinsalebeg, who is now home from hospital and out and about again. Hope to see you at the cards Cora soon. Best wishes from all your friends.

RECOVERING FROM INJURY

Get well wishes are also extended to Mick Dunne, Ballyheeneey, Clashmore who is presently recovering from a leg injury. Hope to have you back on your feet quickly, Mick.

BABY BOY

We wish to extend our congratulations all the way to Tipperary to a former Tinnock man, David Dewick and his wife Ayna, on the birth of their little boy, Brenton.

AGLISH GYMKHANA

Next week we will have a detailed report on Aglish Gymkhana which was held on Easter Sunday and despite many days of heavy rain prior to the day, conditions were very favourable thanks to Mr. Jerry O'Brien who kept the field well for this occasion. All heavy traffic had to park on the road to avoid problems later in the day. People quickly overcame this inconvenience and all enjoyed some excellent jumping.

PARISH MISSION

Next week starting on Sunday, April 25 and going on all week to Saturday, May 1 the parishes of Ardmore and Grange will be graced by a Parish Mission. Two Redemptorists Fathers, Fr. Denis Luddy and Fr. Barney Cahery will conduct the Mission.

On Sunday night, April 25 the Mission will commence in Ardmore at 7.30 p.m. and Grange at 8 p.m. Throughout the week each day from Monday to Friday the early morning Mass and a short talk will take place at 7 a.m. and end at 7.30 a.m. The second Mass each day will be celebrated at 10 a.m. This will be followed each day by the Evening Mission (Ardmore 7.30 p.m. and Grange 8 p.m.) During each evening mission we will have a special talk, prayer and Benediction. This is a very special time for all of us to take time out to relax and look at our lives and maybe sort out problems which we continue to put on the long finger. A time to reflect and pray. You will not be sorry you went.

CLASHMORE/ KINSALEBEG G.A.A. 45 DRIVE

At our special Easter Monday night card game in Clashmore seven pairs shared in the prizes. Winners on eight games were Nell Foley and Helen Hurton; on six games each were Moss Cunningham and Paddy Lynch, Joy O'Byrne and Chrissie, Noel Nugent and Mrs. Coughlan, Joseph O'Keeffe and Paddy Hurton, Paddy and Nell Foley. Best of the last five were Batt Curran and Eamonn Meehan.

GOAL POSTS

During the strong winds recently the goal posts in our G.A.A. pitch here in Clashmore were damaged. Temporary posts have presently been erected and they will be replaced later this week. Thanks to many of our members who came to the field to assist with the repairs.

LADIES FOOTBALL

Congratulations to our U-16 team who played Old Parish in the league on Saturday night last.

A big word of thanks to all the teams who took part in our table quiz on Thursday night last. The highest score of the night was attained by the primary schools winning team, Ballycurrane. Team members here were Teresa O'Halloran, Margaret Foley, Brian Dunne and Declan Hickey. In the secondary schools section the winning team were Deirdre O'Rourke, Orla O'Connell, Freda Trihy and Annette O'Donovan. In the adult section the winning team were Margaret Dunne, Stephen Dunne, Richard Torney and Denise Torney.

Congratulations to all of you and a special word of thanks to our Quizmaster Mary Fleming who did an excellent job.

CLASHMORE/ PILTOWN PARISH NOTES

The Annual Lourdes Collection took place last weekend and was a great success, the committee would like to thank all those who contributed so generously.

Also on next Saturday night, April 24 after Mass in Piltown there will be a Cake and Variety Sale in the Hall in aid of the Lourdes Fund. The Hall will be open from 6 p.m. to accept goods.

There will be a Social Evening in the Deise Lounge on Saturday, May 15 in aid of the Lourdes Fund at which a raffle for valuable prizes will be held. The social will also celebrate the 25 years of the Lourdes Committee here in the Parish and it is appropriate that this year there will be four people sent from the parish, the biggest number ever.

Piltown Foroige and Clashmore Senior Foroige meet this Friday, April 23 at 8 p.m.

The Clashmore and Piltown Foroige Disco which was held on Wednesday, April 14 was in aid of the Lourdes Fund. It is nice to see our young people helping out.

RINGS

On this Friday night, April 23 a rings singles tournament will be held at The Rising Sun, Clashmore in aid of the Lourdes Fund. Anyone wishing to take part in this traditional game is welcome to do so.

Waterford Macra Na Feirme Notes

CAPPOQUIN HOSTS FOUR FINALS

Cappoquin Macra na Feirme hosted the four variety competitions in Lalor's Lounge, Cappoquin, last Friday, April 16. All events were keenly contested, particularly the Ideal Bachelor Section where there was a large number of members involved.

Carmel Leamy (Ballyduff) captured the Miss Macra title; Catherine Leamy won the Queen of the Land; Pauline Fleming (Kinsalebeg) was crowned Miss Blue Jeans and Ideal Bachelor was Philip Cusack (Gaultier).

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Last Sunday, members of

Kinsalebeg Macra planted trees near the strand in Ardmore. Also present were members of the local tidy towns committee.

KINSALEBEG DEFENDS NATIONAL TITLE

Kinsalebeg's senior public speaking team defend the title that they won last year in Kilkenny, at the Ferrycarrig Hotel, Wexford this Saturday night. We wish this team, consisting of Mary Fleming, Edel Smiddy, Caroline Smiddy and Geraldine Veale, all the best in this final.

Termonfeckin, Co. Louth and Abbeyleix, Co. Laois provide formidable opposition to the Waterford team. — Liam Hallahan (Co. PRO.)

KINSALEBEG MACRA NA FEIRME

On Easter Sunday night many club members headed to Waterford for a night out with the Gaultier Club. First stop was Ned Kelly's Pub and then everyone headed to the Bridge Hotel where an enjoyable night was had by all.

Our three bright sparks in the club namely, Hugh McGrath, Conor Beausang and Fergal O'Brien, took part in the County Welding Competition last Wednesday night in Dungarvan.

Last Friday night many club members headed to Cappoquin to take part in the "Miss Blue Jeans", "Miss Macra, Queen of the Land" and "Bachelor of the Year" competitions. Congratulations to club member Pauline Fleming who won the "Miss Blue Jeans" title.

Last Sunday the club donated trees to the Ardmore Tidy Towns Committee. The tree planting ceremony took place at the Park in Ardmore.

Best of luck to club member Tony Keane who is representing the county in the All-Ireland final of the Beef Stockjudging Competition which is being held in Roscommon on Wednesday, April 21.

Also best of luck to our senior public speakers who are taking part in the All-Ireland final in Wexford next Saturday night. The team consists of Mary Fleming, Edel Smiddy, Caroline Smiddy and Geraldine Veale. Their topic is "Does the press reflect of set standards?"

Leader CROSSWORD

QUESTIONS ON PAGE 14

SOLUTION: Across — 1 Spicy. 4 Saved. 8 Ion. 9 False. 10 Venus. 11 Lip. 12 Cured. 13 Endorse. 16 Steady. 19 Eclair. 23 Feather. 26 Urban. 28 Cur. 29 Toast. 30 Image. 31 Due. 32 Delve. 33 Rodeo. Down — 2 Idler. 3 Yielded. 4 Sniper. 5 Vivid. 6 Donor. 7 Waste. 9 Focus. 14 Owl. 15 Ski. 17 Tie. 18 Aft. 20 Courier. 21 Rinse. 22 Arcade. 23 Fated. 24 Award. 25 Hotel. 27 Brand

New Painting Of Master McGrath



Author Charles A. Kiely required a quality picture for the cover of his forthcoming book about the celebrated Irish greyhound Master McGrath but could find nothing suitable from a little amount of archive material that has managed to survive from that era so he commissioned the wild life artist Brian Tovey to paint one for him.

Using old pictures and photographs collected dur-

ing seven years of research a detailed and accurate picture of Master McGrath was gradually constructed. The result is perhaps the best likeness of the great dog ever produced on canvas even though he died 121 years ago!

Master McGrath was whelped (born) just outside of Dungarvan in 1866. He showed little early promise and was nearly given away but it was decided to give him

one last chance and it was in this last trial that he excelled himself. He was sold to Lord Lurgan in 1868 and the following year he became a national hero when he carried off Irelands first victory on English soil when he won the prestigious Waterloo Cup. Lord Lurgan was urged to enter him again the following year and 12,000 spectators stood on Altcar Plain to watch him duly oblige a second time. In 1870 he was entered for a third time and he suffered his only defeat when he ran onto the frozen river Alt and went straight through the ice into the freezing waters and was nearly drowned. He was in such a miserable state that Lurgan vowed he would never run him again. However, in 1871 he returned and won the Waterloo Cup for a record third time and became a worldwide celebrity.

Queen Victoria commanded Lord Lurgan to bring him to Windsor Castle so that she could meet him, probably the only time an animal has been granted a royal audience.

Master McGrath died of pneumonia on Christmas Eve 1872 in Lurgan, Co. Armagh. During his short life he lifted the spirits of the Irish people in a time when they had little to be cheerful about.

A very fine colour litho reproduction of the painting has been produced by Arden Publishing and is available by mail order. Each print has been individually inspected and signed by the artist. Charles A. Kiely's book will be on sale later in the

music, Irish dancing, bands, humour — all the ingredients that made up a spectacular parade. A wonderful tribute to the organisers and business firms involved.

I would like to say my thanks to the Pipe Band for inviting me along. To Fr. J. Kiely for his warm words of welcome. To Carrie Crowley of WLR FM for her kind interview. To Michael Ryan of RTE for their coverage of the parade — a recognition so richly deserved.

A very special word of thanks to the Brass Band for their playing of "Dungarvan — My Hometown" in front of the reviewing stand. A memory I will treasure.

Lastly, to all my friends who so warmly welcomed me home, my thanks and my good wishes.

MAI O'HIGGINS.

LETTERS to the EDITOR

To The Editor,
Dungarvan Leader.

"I thank God in Heaven
For choosing for me,
My old Hometown,
Dungarvan
My home by the sea."

The prayerful last lines of my song of home echo their heartfelt meaning more and more each time I visit the hometown.

To come home is always a joy, but on occasions such as being a guest of the Dungarvan Pipe Band on the Viewing Stand for the St. Patrick's Day Parade, is very special indeed, giving me the honour of meeting friends and viewing the parade from that vantage point.

I felt very proud of my town as I watched the superb presentation of colourful floats, the rousing

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Kill Notes

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

Our deepest sympathy is extended to Brendan Gallagher and family, Castlecroick, Dunhill on the recent death of his father Pete Gallagher, Union Road, Kilmachthomas.

GOOD LUCK

Best wishes to local Bonmahon dancers who represent Waterford in the Munster Final of Score this weekend. The final takes place in Thurles and the dancers are Olivia and Lorraine Dwan, Avril Dalton, Eilis Lennon, Carmel Mulhall, Michelle Hennessy, Caroline O'Rourke and Margaret O'Neill. The very best of luck girls and we hope you go on to Millstreet and the All-Ireland final.

ST. MARY'S G.A.A.

U-11 Hurling — On Saturday last, April 17 the U-11's took on Ballyduff/Butlerstown in the first round of the City League. The boys played their best but lost to a stronger team.

KILL G.A.A. NEWS

The junior footballers took on Kilrossanty in a challenge last Sunday in preparation for the championship. Their first match is this weekend against Killure.

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ABBEYSIDE

VILLAGE TOPICS

OUR LOCALITY

The Civil War — More Buildings Burned

In early August the Free State Troops approached Dungarvan from Waterford. This blowing up of the bridges at Ballyvoile was one strategy used by the I.R.A. to impede that advance. The Republicans also evacuated from the barracks at Dungarvan Castle and set fire to all the buildings therein.

The Republicans also let it be known that they intended to burn the Coastguard Sta-

tion at Ballinacourty where the Marines had been stationed during the War of Independence. Forcible representations were made to the I.R.A. to spare these buildings but to no avail. It was stated that the burning of the coastguard dwellings was a military necessity and hence they were burned on August 9, 1922. Only the walls and chimneys remained intact as can be seen from the photograph. This

building was later renovated by Dungarvan Golf Club and was their clubhouse for many years until it was accidentally burned down a few years ago.

The troops of the Free State Army entered Abbey-side and Dungarvan on the 16th August, 1922. The Republicans had evacuated completely beforehand and the people of the area were relieved when the expected battle did not come off.

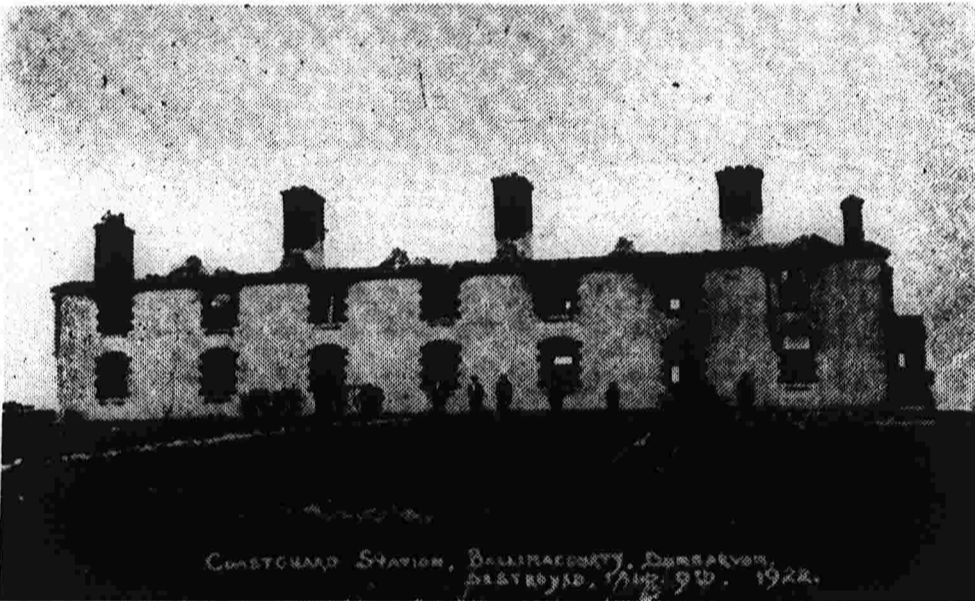


Photo shows Ballinacourty Coastguard Station Burned

ABBEYSIDE GIRL GUIDE NOTES

NOTICE BOARD

This week, meetings will return to normal and we hope to see everyone attending as details of future events will be discussed. Guides don't forget your gardening tools!

A BUSY WEEKEND AHEAD!

Mother And Brownie — And we're off! The weekend is near, the programme is planned, the bags are packed and we're practically ready to go. We're meeting in Melleray at 11 a.m. on Saturday morning (April 24) for a fun filled weekend. Don't be late.

REGIONAL SCOUT MASS

Guides don't forget Sunday, April 25, meeting at the Den at 2 p.m. to travel to Stradbally. Full dress uniform. Be there.

GUIDE ANNUAL CAMP

Waterford — July 18 to 24. Camp fees now being collected.

A FUNNY STORY

'Listen to all the booing,' said the Abbey playwright's friend on the first night of the new play.

'There's some clapping,' said the author with optimism.

'Don't fool yourself. That's for the booing.'

THE PUT DOWN

He has the lucidity which is the by-product of a fundamentally sterile mind. . . . Listening to a speech by Chamberlain is like paying a visit to Woolworth's; everything in its place and nothing above sixpence.

Aneurin Bevan (1897-1960) on Neville Chamberlain.

In the depths of that dusty soul there is nothing but abject surrender.

Winston Churchill on Neville Chamberlain.

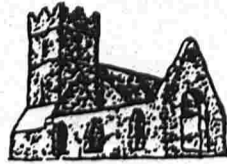
Abbeyside Scout Notes

SCOUT NEWS

Last week being Easter school holiday time all patrols undertook a hike of some type. Unfortunately due to the prevailing weather of the particular day some patrols had to alter their plans along the way such as the Tigers and Panthers who had planned to cycle to Cruachan. John Phelan's Panthers got the furthest on this route before deciding "discretion was the better part of valour" and finished the hike with an overnight stay in our own den going home at six thirty p.m. to watch "Home and Away" on T.V. and returning to the den to play Michael's "Game Boy". Colin O'Connor's Kestrel Patrol probably had the shortest hike and the Guinness Book of Records will be in touch shortly! Meanwhile Conor Foley's Eagles had an adventurous and exciting hike to Ballyvoile taking in such sights as the Railway Tunnel which proved a bit frightening for Conor and Michael Fives. At the Court of Honour on Saturday night when the hike logs were being read out it certainly raised a laugh to hear of the antics of the different patrols.

Last Saturday's troop meeting was full uniform and we had Ciaran Walsh pay us a visit. Indeed he kindly spoke to the troop regarding his job/studies which he is in the middle of at the moment in Wales. We say thanks to Ciaran and wish him well for the future.

Next Saturday's meeting will be a "mufti" one as uniforms will need to be spick and span for the Regional Mass



in Stradbally on Sunday the 25th. We will be leaving the den along with the cubs at 1.30 p.m. Transport will be provided.

Everyone is reminded about the Bosnian Utensil Appeal being taken up before the Mass, so please everyone bring along something, preferably unbreakable, for this worthy cause.

GENERAL

Now that Tomas K. of the Wolf Patrol has got his "L" plates for the lawnmower the grass cannot grow fast enough. All we need now is for Christine to get a present of a nice, colourful pair of wellingtons and we'll be all set for anything!

Last week we had a visit from a scout from the late 60's early 70's era when Ronan Campbell paid a surprise visit to the den. Ronan scouted under the leadership of the late Padraig De Burcha and held fond memories of his association with the 4th Waterford. It was nice to see him looking so well and we look forward to seeing him again in the future when he is in the area.

Finally we end by sending best wishes to the Brownies for a successful Mother and Brownie Weekend this Saturday and Sunday. — Scribe

Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Notes

WINNING START

The intermediate hurlers got their campaign off to a winning start against Ballydurn on Saturday evening last at the Lemybrien venue. Although we notched up an impressive scoreline, a noted improvement will have to be made for our future games. Our next opponents are Erin's Own.

The team was — E. Murray, A. Ryan, Ml. Collins, J. Mahoney, T. Walsh, J. Healy (capt.), D. Ryan, S. McGrath, D. Cliffe, G. Smith, I. Kiely, J. Walsh, D. Sheehan, G. Collins, P. Veale. Subs. — K. Killigrew, B. Beatty, J. Shields.

NEW JERSEYS

It was the first occasion for the hurlers to don their new jerseys, kindly sponsored by Healy Builders, and it was only fitting that captain Jimmy Healy led the lads to victory, getting the strip off to a winning start.

This win must now be build on, the progress achieved to date can only be improved on with greater attendance at training.

SENIOR FOOTBALL

This weekend all attention



in the club switches to football with the senior and junior footballers in action. The seniors face Stradbally on Sunday evening in Lemybrien, throw-in 7 p.m. The "Reds" have had the better of the exchanges in meetings between the sides in recent years but preparations have been excellent and everybody is aware that the battle for honours in this game will go down to the wire.

Unfortunately injuries have also taken their toll on the football panel with doubt hanging over the availability of Michael Riordan, Brendan Landers, Conor Clancy, Liam Shanley and Bernard Gorman.

Our second string team are in action against the Nire on Saturday evening in Colligan.

Although we had a good year in junior in 1992, everyone is mindful that we

fell to the Nire men at this hurdle last year, and we are anxious to make up for that disappointment.

ON THE BANK

It was nice to see so many club members and supporters in attendance at Lemybrien to shout on the hurlers. Hopefully this great club spirit will continue this weekend, it will be badly needed.

LOOKING WELL

Many comments were passed on the excellent job done on the driveway by the FAS workers last week. All over the grounds it is quite noticeable that much pain staking work has taken place.

Now that the long evenings are with us, the club grounds are in use almost every evening, and one man who is ever present is Jimmy O'Leary, first to arrive and last to leave, Jimmy is on hand to ensure the facilities are available and everything is running smoothly for all the club teams.

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to Vincent Byrne, well known former club player, on the death of his brother in England.

Army Band In Dungarvan Sports Centre

Tonight (Wednesday) the Band of the Southern Command will give a recital in Dungarvan Sports Centre. Admission is free and the recital will start at 7.30 p.m. This event is part of their

programme of Free Public Recitals and they make a welcome return to the Dungarvan venue after over three years.

The programme is a varied one, with something to please

all tastes and their hour and a half programme has proved very popular in the past.

The event promises to be a most enjoyable one and the fact that admission is free is a major bonus.

TOURANEENA NOTES

ICA

There was a great turnout for the demonstration on Aloe Vera Products which was held in the local hall last Tuesday night.

Everybody enjoyed the night and learned some more about the exceptional qualities of the Aloe Vera plant. Terrie would like to thank the ICA and all the ladies who supported her on the night.

The ICA generously provided refreshments and to round off the night a raffle was held and the winners were as follows: Alice Burke, Ellie Fennell and Ann Power.

FÁS

The local hall is undergoing a facelift at the moment with extensive repairs being undertaken. New windows and doors have been fitted, walls are being newly plastered, kitchen facilities are being installed and new floors are also being laid down.

A big thank you to Tommy and Declan, Joe and his partner and Jackie and Siobhán for all their hard work and to everybody who has helped in any way in the transformation of these historic buildings.

On Saturday a number of parishioners came along to tidy the park and plant some new shrubs. It's great to see the 'new look' taking effect. Well done.

NEW POSITION

Congratulations to Tom Whelan, Kilcooney, who has been appointed Assistant Farm Manager at Belmont Hospital, Waterford.

SCHOOL QUIZ

Congratulations also to Modeligo School Quiz Team who got second place in the Cadbury School Quiz in Waterford recently. The team was Catherine Fitzgerald, Newtown, Brendan O'Connell, Woodhouse, J. Cashman, Rockfield and Walter O'Grady, Dyrick.

TOURANEENA BADMINTON NOTES

As we near the end of the badminton season for this year the Touraneena Club have a lot to be proud of. Our 6th Division team proved better on the night

when they came up against a very strong Dunmore team in Ring in the final of the cup on Thursday last, April 15. It was looking dubious when our first men were beaten well but the ladies came to the rescue and the final score was 4/1. So well done to the team, who were: Aidan McGrath, Seanie Kearns, Tom Whelan, Jacqui Ahearn (Capt.), Marie McDonald, Alison Queally.

Our 4th Division team bowed out to a very strong Dungarvan side in the semi-final of the league, again held in Ring. Some great badminton was played and Touraneena were just pipped at the post by Dungarvan who went on to win the final. Our team was: Pat Cliff, Michael Gleeson, Eamonn Loneragan, Paula Connors (capt.), Geraldine O'Ryan, Alison Queally.

Well done to our 2nd Division team who brought off the double for the first time in years. They came up against a very strong Tallow team in the final of the league and with some great skill and determination they came through with a 4/0 score. So, with the league under their belt they were determined to make the double.

They travelled to Ring on Wednesday, April 14, to meet Waterford 3 in the final after a meritorious win over Dunmore in the semi-final. Some great badminton was seen and again Touraneena came out on top with a 4/1 win. The team was (for the league) — Pat Hearn (capt.), John Hallinan, Pa Hallinan, Mary Wall, Orla Butler, Karen O'Sullivan, and for the cup it was Tom Power who captained the side instead of Pat Hearn.

Our 5th division team are now in the semi-final of the cup. In the last round they travelled to Dunmore and were beaten 4/2 and on the return game they had a 5/0 win over them. We wish them the best of luck when they play Ballyduff in the coming week in the semi-final. That team is: John Dalton, Gerard Dunford,

Brian Fahey, Nuala Power (capt.), Theresa Butler, Jacqui Ahearn.

Congratulations to Mary and Tom Flynn, Kilcooney on the birth of their fourth child, a baby boy, Peter. We wish Mary all the best and hope to see her back in training very soon!

The County Badminton Social is due to be held in Lawlor's Hotel on Saturday, May 1. All who would like to attend please give names to any committee member.

There will be a committee meeting held shortly and all committee members are asked to attend. You will be informed in due course.

The Touraneena Club would like to take this opportunity to thank Orla Butler for travelling from Cork for all her matches. We would never have made the double without her.

PRESENTATION TO CHURCH

On Saturday, March 13, Maurice and Peg Dalton had the great pleasure of presenting Fr. Michael Power, P.P., Touraneena, with a set of green altar vestments on behalf of the Foley family of Boston, USA. The vestments were hand-made in the home of Peg and Tom Foley in Boston by the Sisters of the Poor. Peg Foley (nee Boyle) was born and raised in Knockmeal. She married Tom Foley who originally came from Knockmeal Upper. After their marriage in Touraneena Church they set off for the USA. They settled in Boston where they ran a hotel.

Peg and Tom were regular visitors to Ireland and kept in touch with Touraneena by letter from Peg Dalton. Peg Foley (nee Boyle) was a first cousin to the Dalton family of Kilcooney. Tom Foley was a brother of Mrs. Hallinan, Half Way and schoolmate to Maurice Dalton. Tom and Peg Foley both died in March 1992.

Fr. Power celebrated Mass in their memory and on behalf of their family and friends on Tuesday, March 16. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a n-anamacha.

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Bridge Results

HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

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ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB

Results, April 6 — 1, Cass Dolan and Eileen Frost; 2, Lily Lineen and Mary O'Dea; 3, Jim Prendergast and Margaret Queally; 4, Sally Walsh and Teresa Ryan.

Results, April 13 — 1, John Phelan and Geraldine Murphy; 2, Cass Dolan and Carmel O'Sullivan; 3, Mai Mernin and Jenny Kiely; 4, Maureen Brennock and Phil Barry.

DEISE BRIDGE CLUB

Results, April 19 — 1, Helen Russell and Maureen O'Neill; 2, Brid Killigrew and John Phelan; 3, Cora Queally and Jonathan Cullen; 4, Nuala O'Donovan and Helen McCarthy.

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BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

RECENT DEATHS

LATE MR. THOMAS NUGENT

We offer our deepest sympathy to the relatives of Mr. Thomas Nugent, (Rosario), Barrack Street, Ardfinnan, whose death occurred on Friday, April 9. He served as an officer with the 2nd Motor Squadron, Cathal Brugha Barracks, Dublin and later served in the RAF for a number of years.

On Saturday evening his remains were removed to the Church of the Holy Family, Ardfinnan. On Sunday evening Requiem Mass was offered for the repose of his soul after which the funeral took place to the new cemetery, Ardfinnan.

LATE MR. PATRICK McGRATH

It is with deep regret we record the recent passing of Mr. Patrick McGrath, Curraheenavoher, Ballymacarbry. Deceased, a member of an old and respected West Waterford family, was truly one of nature's gentlemen, possessed of a friendly, good-humoured and generous disposition. His unassuming wit, rich fund of anecdote and remarkable facility in recalling and relating experiences of years gone by, held the fortunate listener enthralled and endeared him to all with whom he had contact. A thoughtful neighbour, he was always ready to lend a helping hand as required and he is deeply and justifiably mourned by all who held him in the warmest regard.

The measure of the esteem and high regard in which deceased and his family are held was clearly indicated by the representative groups of mourners paying their final respects to a dear friend at the removal of his remains from O'Donoghue's Funeral Home, Clonmel to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater on Monday evening. On Tuesday morning Requiem Mass was offered for the repose of his soul, after which he was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery.

To his brothers we extend our sympathy.

PRETTY WEDDING

The wedding took place in St. Mary's Church, Newcastle, on Saturday, April 3 of Martha, daughter of Mr. James Coleman and the late Mrs. Bridie Coleman, Middlequarter, Newcastle, and Pat, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Beardmore, Station House, Cahir.

The celebrant of the Nuptials was Very Rev. Fr. Jim Mulcahy, P.P., Knockanore (cousin of the groom) assisted by Fr. Con Kelleher, C.C., Newcastle. The bridesmaid was Miss Mary Burke (friend of the bride) and Mr. Sean Sunderland (friend of the groom) was best man. Music and singing for the occasion was provided by the Newcastle Youth Club. The reception was held at the Rectory House Hotel, Dundrum where a large number of family and friends had a most enjoyable evening's entertainment.

We wish Martha and Pat, who are honeymooning in Moscow and Dubai many years of health and happiness.

ROMANIAN BOUND

A County Waterford student is planning to travel to Romania this summer to put her speech therapy skills to work in an orphanage in the east of the country. Pictures of Romanian babies and children in orphanages after the fall of the Ceausescu regime prompted many Irish families to adopt babies and to support charities which aimed at improving conditions in the many orphanages there.

Now Fiona Hegarty of Kilmacoma, Clonmel, hopes to be among the latest Irish volunteers to travel to Romania with the Dublin-based organisation "Babies of Romania" which runs two orphanages there.

Fiona is a final year speech therapy student at Trinity College, Dublin and intends to go to Romania with four fellow graduates after completing her exams in the summer, probably on July 5.

She needs to raise £800 to cover her travel expenses, her keep during the six to eight weeks she will spend at the orphanage in Necoesti and for vaccinations that she will need.

She plans to raise some of

the money at college but will also be hoping for support in Clonmel and she is beginning her fundraising efforts with a sponsored cycle during the next couple of weeks. Fiona decided to volunteer for the work in Romania after hearing a lecture in college from another volunteer who had just returned from there and where she heard that speech therapists were needed. She had always been interested in voluntary work.

There are 125 children in the orphanage in Necoesti, many are orphans while others are handicapped children whose parents are unable to take care of them, or children whose parents cannot afford to look after them. Conditions in the orphanage are poor. It is crowded with no running water and limited electricity, and Fiona will experience very warm weather conditions when she arrives there in July.

The children need basic care as well as stimulation. Recently a speech therapist spent some time at the orphanage and started a programme of assessing all the

children, which Fiona and other therapists hope to continue. She will learn some of the basics of the language on tape and will pick up more when she arrives in Romania.

The majority of the children themselves, aged between 18 months and 16 years, do not have high levels of language because they have been so institutionalised.

ANNUAL NIRE FUN RUN

The Nire Annual Fun Run took place on Easter Monday. The following were the winners: 1, Billy Fox, Clonmel (27.55); 2, Alan Whyte, Ballymacarbry (28.15); 3, Gerry Cantwell, Dungarvan (28.37). Over 40's: 1, John Joe Wright, Dungarvan; 2, Maurice Tobin, Grange, Fermoy. Club event: tie between Tony Condon and Owen Wall. Boys under-16: 1, Raymond Boyle, Ballinamult; 2, Thomas Morrissey, Glasha; 3, Thomas Doocey, Curtiswood. Boys u-14 — 1, Brian Wall; 2, Michael J. Wall. Girls u-14 — 1, Nicola Moore, Dungarvan; 2, Lisa Looby. Schoolboys — 1, Joseph Whelan, 2, Shane Walsh. Schoolgirls — 1, Theresa Dalton; 2, Marian Ryan.

Team event — 1, Frank Bolger, Tom Connolly, Sean Curry, Liam O'Driscoll; 2, Tony Condon, Pat Phelan, Eoin Wall, Alan Whyte. Wheelchair event — William Hally.

Raytex/ICA National Baking Competition Finalist



At the final of the Raytex/ICA National Baking competition in Dublin were (from left to right) — John Costigan of Raytex, Breda Phelan, federation president, Waterford ICA, the winner Ann Power, Touransena, who represented Waterford in the final, Monica Prendiville, national president, ICA, Branda Costigan, Maria Mullins, Contest Secretary, Waterford ICA.

PENSMAN Takes You Behind The SPOTLIGHT

First Visit Of Asgard To "Dúngarbhán Na Seana-Bhád Seolta"

A note from Donal Walsh, Dungarvan advises us that subject to weather and tidal conditions permitting, the Sail Training Vessel Asgard will make her first visit to Dungarvan on Friday next, April 23 and will remain in the harbour for approximately 24 hours during which she will be open to the public.

She will be skippered by Captain Tom MacCarthy of Cork who has given her ETA (estimated time of arrival) at Dungarvan Quay as 1800 hours which is approximately the time of high water in the harbour.

Asgard is owned by the State and is involved in the Sail Training Scheme operated by Coiste an Asgard. Under this scheme young people over 16 years of age are given the opportunity to go to sea on a traditionally rigged sailing ship. While on board they learn much about the sea and sailing and of course about themselves and their companions as during a cruise the trainees live together in the confined space of the vessel and share the many tasks and activities associated with the running of a sailing ship.

Every year from early Spring to late Autumn, Asgard carries out a programme of cruises each of one to three weeks duration. Most involve visits to ports in Britain and France but during the Summer Asgard visits many more ports in Northern European waters and usually participates in

the International Races of sail training vessels. Occasionally there are voyages to more distant shores. In 1985 Asgard visited the US and in 1988 she participated in the Australian Bicentenary celebrations 'done under.'

On this the first visit of Asgard to Dungarvan, it is of interest to note the historic background of the original Asgard, a gaff rigged ketch, designed and built in Norway in 1905 which was the wedding present of Dr. and Mrs. Hamilton Osgood of Boston, USA to their daughter Mary on her marriage to Erskine Childers, father of the late President Childers. The name Asgard is an old Norse word meaning "Home of the Gods."

In 1914, Asgard with Erskine and Mary Childers and four others on board, sailed to the North Sea to collect a cargo of guns which had been bought in Hamburg for the Irish Volunteers. After a difficult voyage the cargo was landed at Howth on July 26, 1914. Asgard was sold by Mrs. Childers in 1926 and passed through several

hands before being purchased by the Irish Government in 1961 because of her historical associations.

The new Asgard, a beautiful brigantine was designed specially for sail training purposes by the late Jack

Tyrell and built in Arklow and commissioned there by former Taoiseach, Charles J. Haughey on March 7, 1981.

This should put readers in the picture when Asgard makes her maiden visit to Dúngarbhán na Seana-Bhád Seolta on Friday next and let us pray that conditions will be favourable enough to enable the visit to take place.

Who Are Our Champion Whingers!

Someone asked the other day during a private discussion on the present economic conditions in the country who the top whingers in our society were and the consensus was that the farming organisations were the champions but only a short head in front of the teacher trade unions.

There is no week that we don't hear the farmers complaining — even though the Central Statistics Office have stated that farming incomes have gone up by 16 per cent.

All last week the daily newspapers carried detailed reports from conferences held in different parts of the country by the INTO, the ASTI and TUI.

There were stories about teachers suffering from stress, about burnt-out teachers who sought to have their teaching activities reduced to 22 hours per week, and about teachers who were unable to cope with the pressures they had to deal with.

On reading all these reports one might be forced to wonder if teachers were the only people affected by stress. However, there's stress in every job and, worse still, can there be any greater stress than that brought about by unemployment and inability to get work which is, unfortunately, so commonplace nowadays.

Even if teachers are as stressed as they claim they are, they have, unlike the rest of us, plenty of holidays in which to recover!

And while on these problems enunciated at the various trade union teacher conferences last week we heard no comments on the results of that recent survey carried out by 150 leading Irish employers according to which the vast majority of school-leavers cannot communicate properly in writing. The survey carried out for the Irish Business and Employers' Confederation (IBEC) revealed that only one in every 10 employers was satisfied with the current standards of "written communication skills" of school-leavers. Isn't this a rather serious comment on our education system and something that should command more urgent attention than the effects the present teaching regime is alleged to have on those engaged in the profession.

Already the results of the Minister's visit to the Constituency appear to be on the move as Ógra Fianna Fáil, the Party's Youth Organisation has announced the holding of a public meeting in Waterford City on May 1 while it is also planned to hold the first AGM of Lismore Ógra Fianna Fáil on the same date to which all young people in the 16 to 25 age group in the West Waterford area are invited to attend.

It would appear that the Fianna Fáil Party will leave no stone unturned to win back the seat in Waterford which they claim they should never have lost but it would equally appear that the opportunity to do so will not present itself for another four years.

said that the Party's determination to regain the Dáil seat lost in last November's general election was matched by the Party's determination and confidence in its ability to do so. He said that every aspect of organisation and strategy would be looked into in the most minute detail. "We are determined to win back the second seat in Waterford and our campaign starts tonight," Minister Brennan stated.

Asked who would be targeted in their drive to regain the last seat, Mr. Brennan said that it would, most likely, be the Progressive Democrats.

Following the Press Conference the Minister addressed a meeting of the Comhairle Dáil Ceannair.

FIANNA FÁIL CAMPAIGN TO WIN BACK DÁIL SEAT

Following a day-long visit to the Waterford Constituency last Thursday, Mr. Seamus Brennan, T.D., Minister of State who has been allotted the job as National Director of Organisation for the Fianna Fáil Party held a Press Conference at the Park Hotel in Dungarvan.

Throughout the day, the Junior Minister held meetings and consultations with leading members of the Party throughout the Constituency. He was accompanied by Fianna Fáil General Secretary Pat Farrell, Dáil Ceannair Chairman Mr. Paddy Kenneally and the Party's lone Dáil Deputy in the Constituency, Mr. Brendan Kenneally.

Speaking at the Press Conference, Mr. Brennan

What About Our Nesting Birds?

Passing through the countryside in recent weeks we noticed a good deal of roadside hedge cutting going on. It struck us that now that we're into the bird-nesting and hatching season it is not a very appropriate time for this type of activity.

This is the time of the year that our little feathered friends need peace and quiet as they build their nests in the hedgerows and not have the process of nature disrupted by the mechanical hedge trimming machines.

Perhaps it is a job that might be carried out earlier in future years before the bird-nesting season commences.

God Be With You Kerry

Obviously prompted by the ballad we published in this corner last week about the Dingle Puck Goat; we have received a request from another reader for the words of another very well-known beloved Kerry ballad "God Be With You Kerry."

This nostalgic old song recalls times gone by in "The Kingdom" and has always been a great favourite with the sons and daughters of Kerry wherever and whenever they come together for special occasions.

Oh, God be with you, Kerry
Where in childhood I made merry,
You could hear the fiddler tuning up
And resining his bow.
At the crossroads we were dancing,
At our colleens shyly glancing
Just like our dads and mothers did,
In Kerry long ago.

Chorus:
Now my heart is sad and dreary,
In my dreams I see my Mary,
With her golden tresses flying
And her cheeks a rosy glow;
In her joy I hear her singing,
And Bill Halpen's fiddle ringing,
As he played the "Stack of Barley,"
In old Kerry long ago.

We'd call down to Mary's dairy,
With our hearts so light and airy,
At the churn we'd take a turn,
Till the butter sweet would flow.
To the kitchen we'd retire,
And pick out the biggest liar,
To tell us fairy stories of
Old Kerry long ago.

Chorus.

Then we'd stroll home by the moonlight,
And our colleens waists we'd hold tight,
To save them from the fairies in
The raheens down below.
Then we'd say goodnight and kiss them,
We'd go home and say God bless them,
The sweethearts of our childhood days,
In Kerry long ago.

Chorus.

RECENT DEATHS

Miss Margaret Mulcahy

It is with the greatest regret we record the death of Miss Margaret Mulcahy, Lisfennel, Dungarvan, which sad event occurred on Friday morning, April 16, at the Mary Mount Private Nursing Home, Cork, after a protracted illness. She was in her early fifties.

The deceased was a daughter of the late Thomas and Catherine Mulcahy, late of O'Connell Street, Dungarvan and was a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath who were attached to the business life of the town for many years. John himself was the Borough Engineer of the town and its boundaries.

The late Margaret Mulcahy was a gentle and retiring person who made very many friends during her lifetime. To her sorrowing brother Tom, sister Catherine, aunts, nieces, sister-in-law, cousins, relatives and friends we tender our deepest condolences.

Her remains were removed on Saturday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home after the prayers for the dead were recited by Rev. G. McNamara, C.C. to St. Mary's Parish Church where on arrival the coffin was received and blessed by Fr. McNamara, assisted by Mons. P. Lannen, Very Rev. J. O'Sullivan and Rev. G. Hickey, O.S.A.

The last Mass on Sunday morning was offered for the repose of her gentle soul and the interment then took place immediately afterwards in the adjoining family plot. Fr. J. Kiely, C.C., was celebrant of the Mass and also imparted the final absolution at the graveside, assisted by Very Rev. P. Canon Queally, P.P., Clonmel and Fr. G. Hickey, O.S.A.

Large and most representative attendances were present at the obsequies. Very many Mass cards were received and some beautiful tributes were placed on her grave.

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

Mrs. Peggy Browne (nee Brennock)

Deep and sincere regret was occasioned at the announcement of the death of Mrs. Peggy Browne (nee Brennock), O'Connell Street, Dungarvan and late of Beaumont Lawn, Ballintemple, Cork, which occurred peacefully in the loving care of the Matron and staff of Drumhills Private Nursing Home, Dungarvan on April 17, after a duration of illness.

The late Peggy Browne was a teacher by profession and had taught in many local areas which included terms at Kilkalf, Tallow, Touraneena, Garranbane, and she retired from teaching at Ballinacourty National School, where she was Principal.

She was a wonderful teacher and had imparted a sound academic knowledge to her former pupils, many of whom now hold key positions in life. The deceased was a member of a very old Dungarvan family who were attached to the business life of the town at Grattan Square. She was relict of Maurice Browne who predeceased her by some years and was mother of Pat Browne who now holds a teaching post at the Secondary School at the CBS North Monastery, Cork and is a sister of John Plunkett Brennock, retired now from the Irish Army School of Music.

We tender our sincere condolences to her son Pat, brother, daughter-in-law, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, grandnephews, grandnieces, sisters-in-law, relatives and friends.

Her remains were removed on Sunday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to St. Mary's Parish Church and on arrival were blessed and received by Rev. C. Kelly, C.C., assisted by Fr. Gerard Brosnan, O.S.A., Augustinian College (cousin of her late husband, Maurice), Rev. Fr. Leahy, O.S.A., Galway, Mons. P. Lannen, Very Rev. J. O'Sullivan, Rev. G. Hickey, O.S.A. and Rev. J. Hooper, O.S.A.

Concelebrated Mass was offered on Monday morning for the happy and eternal repose of her gentle soul. Rev. C. Kelly, C.C. was chief celebrant and co-celebrants

were Ven. Archdeacon Long, P.P., Kenmare, Rev. G. Brosnan, O.S.A., Augustinian College, Very Rev. Fr. O'Donnell, O.S.A., Rev. J. Power, O.S.A., New Ross, Rev. P. Ahearne, C.C., Abbeyside and Rev. Fr. Moran, O.S.A., Augustinian College.

Also present were Fr. Treacy, O.S.A., Fr. J. Hooper, O.S.A., Fr. G. Hickey, O.S.A. and Rev. Bro. Edward Byran, CBS, North Monastery, Cork. After the concelebrated Mass the interment took place in the adjoining family plot. Fr. Kelly officiated at the graveside, assisted by the full choir of clergy present. Readers at the Mass were Miss Sheila Browne, Miss Mairead Browne, and John Plunkett Brennock. The Bidding Prayers were read by Mrs. Margaret McConnell, Mrs. Brid Rafter and Donal Brennock.

Chief mourners — Pat Browne (son), Maurice Browne, Sheila Browne, Mairead Browne (grandchildren), John Plunkett Brennock (brother) and a large circle of nephews, nieces, sisters-in-law, grandnephews, grandnieces, relatives and friends.

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

Late Mrs. Gretta Walsh

A great gloom was cast over the entire district of Ring at the sad news of the death of Mrs. Gretta Walsh, Ring Post Office, which took place during the early hours of Saturday morning, April 17 at the Waterford Regional Hospital after a rather short duration of illness. We tender our deepest and most sincere sympathy to her family.

Her remains were removed on Sunday evening from her residence to Ring Church followed by an immense cortege and on arrival at the church her coffin was blessed and received by Fr. P. Mackey, C.C., assisted by Mons. P. Lannen, Rev. Fr. Eugene Everard, C.C. and Rev. Fr. Jackson, C.C. A guard of honour marched at each side of the hearse from her residence to the church which consisted of the school children of Ring.

Concelebrated Mass was offered on Monday morning and the interment then took place in the adjoining family plot. Chief celebrant was Fr. P. Mackey, C.C. and co-celebrants were Very Rev. C. Daly, P.P., Very Rev. Canon Queally, P.P., Clonmel, Very Rev. M. Kennedy, P.P., Kilgobinet. Also present were Very Rev. J. O'Sullivan, Very Rev. P. Kennedy, P.P., Durham and Sisters of the Franciscan Order.

Full obituary will appear in next week's issue.

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

Mr. Jim Wall

We record with regret the death of Mr. Jim Wall, Lusk,

Co. Dublin, which took place on Sunday, April 11 at Beaumont Hospital, Dublin. Jim Wall was born in 1909 in Ballymacmague, The Pike, Dungarvan. He was son of the late John and Nora Wall and was a nephew of the late Mike Clancy, Wheelwright and Coach Builder.

Jim was educated at the local Christian Brothers School and at Waterford De La Salle Teacher Training College. He was a former member of the Dungarvan Brass and Reed Band. He taught for some time in Dungarvan Technical School before moving to England where he remained until the outbreak of war in 1939. He returned to Ireland and lived in Lusk, Co. Dublin where he spent the remainder of his years in primary school teaching and later in retirement.

Removal was from Beaumont Hospital on Monday to St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan where the remains were received by Fr. McNamara, C.C., assisted by Fr. O'Sullivan. Following funeral Mass on Tuesday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. McNamara officiated at the graveside assisted by Fr. O'Sullivan. Readings were read by his sons Sean and Coihor.

The chief mourners were: Eileen (nee Murray, Ballyguiry) (wife), Sean, Seamus and Conor (sons), Brenda and Catherine (daughters), Cornelius (brother) and relatives.

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

Mr. James Power

The regretted death of Mr. James Power, 2, Keating Street, Dungarvan evoked feelings of profound regret in the locality. He passed to his eternal reward on Palm Sunday, April 4, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. James had a great love of religion and was a regular attendant at all religious services in the parish. He was employed formerly at the Leather Factory where he was held in high esteem by all. One of nature's gentlemen, he made a huge number of friends during his lifetime. A wonderful husband and father, he will be sadly missed by his sorrowing wife, family and relatives to whom we extend deep and sincere sympathy on their loss.

Removal was from Dungarvan Hospital on Monday evening to St. Mary's Parish Church where the remains were received by Fr. J. Kiely, C.C. Following funeral Mass on Tuesday morning celebrated by Fr. Kiely, burial took place in the Old Churchyard Cemetery. Readings were read by Stephen Delaney (grandson) and John McDarby (nephew). Margaret Joyce sang suitable hymns.

The chief mourners were: Margaret (wife), Martin,

Johnny and Thomas (sons), Norah (daughter), Michael Delaney (son-in-law), Tommy Power (brother), Bridie McDarby (sister), nephews, nieces, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

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

Mrs. Mary Morrissey

We regret to record the passing of Mrs. Mary Morrissey, Monamean, Old Parish, which took place on Saturday, April 3, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. She was a quiet, unassuming, religious woman who lived life in an exemplary manner in word and deed. She was possessed of a charitable nature and kindly disposition and as a neighbour she had few equals, and her death has been the cause of much sorrow and regret among her many friends.

Sincere sympathy is extended to her sorrowing son and other family relatives on their sad loss.

Removal was from Dun-

garvan Hospital on Sunday evening to Old Parish Church where the remains were received and blessed by Very Rev. Fr. Daly, P.P. Following funeral Mass on Monday morning celebrated by Fr. Daly, assisted by Fr. Mackey, C.C., burial took place in the adjoining cemetery. Fr. Daly officiated, assisted by Fr. Mackey.

The chief mourners were: Paddy Joe (son), nephews, nieces, sister-in-law Bridget Allen, and her many friends.

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

Late Mary Begley

With regret we record the passing of Mary Begley, Newtown, Grange, which sad event occurred on Saturday, April 17. Removal was from her residence on Sunday evening to Grange Church. Following funeral Mass on Monday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

Full obituary in next week's issue.

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

News of Town & Roundabout

LOURDES CHOIR

Anyone travelling to Lourdes on the Diocesan Pilgrimage and would like to take part in the choir, please attend the Choir practices in the Mercy Convent, Dungarvan on Monday nights at 8 p.m.

ARMY BAND RECITAL

The Band of the Southern Command will give a free public recital in Dungarvan Sports Centre tonight (Wednesday) at 7.30 p.m. Admission free and all are welcome. (Advt.)

"PEOPLE AND LANDSCAPE — CO. WATERFORD IN MID 19th CENTURY"

Dungarvan Museum Society illustrated public lecture by Mr. Jack Burtchael, Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan, this Thursday, April 22 at 8 p.m. Subscriptions £2. (Advt.)

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you good at working with people? Aged 18+, with spare time on your hands? Then we are looking for you! We are the Dungarvan Youth Resource Centre and we need new volunteers to staff the Information Service. No experience is necessary, full training will be given.

If you are interested please come to an informal meeting on Friday, April 23 at 11 a.m. at Dungarvan Youth Resource Centre, Friary Street.

C.B.S. SCHOOL DRAW

Results, Week 5 — £100, Hammond family, Kilgobinet, p. M. Hammond; £50, Eamonn O'Doherty, St. Garvan's Terrace, Dungarvan, p. Patrick O'Doherty; £25 each — Norah Walsh, Garrycloyne, p. Bidy Flynn; Kay Casey, Colligan, p. Ann Tobin. Promoters prizes, £10 each — Margaret Cummins, Carmel Tobin, Peggy Gillen, Bidy Flynn.

Week 6 — £100, Tom Lonergan, Lackendarra, p. Bernie Lonergan; £50, Margaret McCarthy, Lisfennel, p. P. Cunningham; £25 each — Kevin McCarthy, CBS Staff, p. P. Cunningham; Stella Kinstella, Coolnagour, p. S. Kinstella. Promoters prizes — £10 each, Phylis McGrath, Bridget Cleary, Bidy Flynn, Tom Halpin.

Week 7 — £100, Caroline Daly, 33, Byrneville, p. Paul Collins; £50, Catherine Curran, Youghal Road, p. Margaret Cummins; £25 each — Ena Power, Kyne Park, p. P. Collins; John Tobin, Kilnafarna, p. Noreen Tobin. Promoters prizes — £10 each, John Hurley, Paul Cunningham, John Power, Mary Radley. (Advt.)

BALLINROAD SOCCER CLUB

Progressive 45 results for April 16 — winners, Vincent and Jackie; 2, Margaret and Liam; last game, Liz and Tom; lucky table, Pakie and Mattie. 80% payout, £100 jackpot on 13 games.

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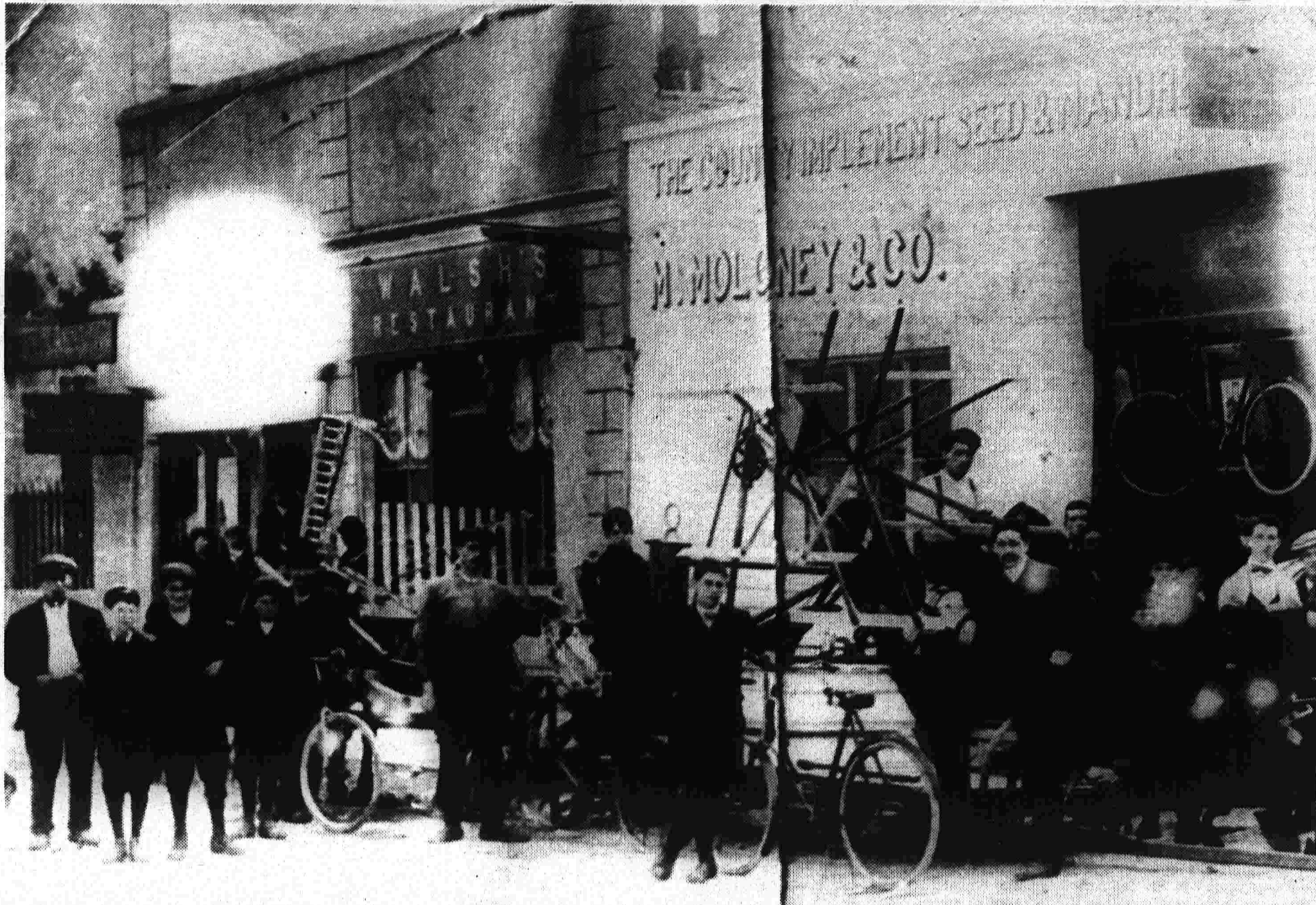
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REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS



The picture for our "Remembering Other Days" feature this week is rather unique as it shows one of Dungarvan's Hardware stores which was a leader in its field in the early years of the present century and which is trading as strongly as ever in the ownership of the same family at the present time. The photo was taken in or about 1912 and shows Mr. Michael Moloney, then principal of the firm of M. Moloney & Co., "The County Implement Seed and Manure Store," at Bridge Street, standing by what we can describe as an old-fashioned hay-tossing machine watched by members of his staff and a large group of curious bystanders as the photo (a rare occurrence in those days) was taken. It is good to be able to record that the firm of Michael Moloney & Co. of which the present principal is also Michael Moloney, grandson of the man in the photo, is trading as strongly as ever after almost a century with plans to continue doing so into the future.

Opposition To Erection Of Microwave TV Transmitter "Overwhelming"

At the April monthly meeting of Waterford County Council held in Dungarvan, County Manager Mr. Dan Hurley gave a categorical assurance that there will not be any "hasty decision" on an application submitted by Cork Communications Ltd. for planning permission to erect a microwave transmitter high up on the Comeragh mountains at Seefin.

The matter, which is the subject of major controversy in mid-Waterford where the Comeragh Environmental Protection Association has been set up to oppose the Cork company's proposal, was raised by Cllrs.

Oliver Coffey and Tom Cunningham who told the Council meeting that the opposition to the erection of the transmitter among the residents of Kilmacthomas and Kilrossanty is "overwhelming."

Cllr. Cunningham spoke of the serious "unrest" among the people of the area.

Mr. Hurley said the Council's planning officer will be having a meeting with the company's consultants, but he could assure every councillor that there will be no adjudication on the application until each and every specific detail has been given to the Council.

Hurley And Baseball Bat Produced At Hearing Of Dungarvan Assault Charge

A baseball bat and a hurley, which gardai took possession of after being called out to an incident on a Dungarvan housing estate around 3.30 in the morning, were produced in evidence at Dungarvan District Court last Wednesday.

Neighbours Tony Crowe and Stephen Duggan, both of Childers Estate, pleaded not guilty to charges of assaulting each other in the early hours of November 3.

Duggan was also charged with carrying an offensive weapon, a hurley, while Crowe was similarly charged in respect of the baseball bat.

There was a major conflict of evidence during a lengthy hearing at the end of which Judge Michael Pattwell said he had no hesitation in dismissing the charges against

Crowe.

However, the Judge convicted Duggan on both charges and accused him of telling a tissue of lies.

A TYPICAL HOUSING ESTATE

Judge Pattwell referred to the 114-house Childers Estate where the defendants lived and said it is typical of many such housing estates around the country.

"Up to 95% of the residents are decent, hard-working people, but unfortunately there are the 5% who give the whole

estate a bad name," Judge Pattwell said.

He went on to say that he had no doubt that Crowe and his family are among the 95%, but equally he had no doubt Duggan is one of the prime examples of the 5% of people who move into an area and give the whole place a bad name by their conduct.

NUMEROUS CONVICTIONS

Supt. Ray McAndrew said Duggan (19), had numerous previous convictions, including seven for causing malicious

damage and three for assault.

He was sentenced to six months detention in St. Patrick's Institution on the charge of having the offensive weapon and a concurrent two months for assaulting Tony Crowe who told the Judge he has now decided to leave Childers Estate because he could not put up with the ongoing aggro.

If you have an event coming up and want the whole of West Waterford to know about it, or maybe just some news which will be of interest
Fax or Ring
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Cappoquin Notes

CAPPOQUIN F.C. NOTES

B Side Clinch Promotion

Glenview Utd. 0 Cappoquin B 1

On Sunday morning last in Tallow our B side clinched promotion to division one of the Red House League with a victory by the narrowest of margins over local rivals Glenview Utd.

The match itself was a tense affair which was hardly surprising considering it was a sink or swim situation for both sides. The first half produced only a few goalmouth incidents with Glenview threatening mainly through corner kicks and free-kicks and our lads for their part came closest when Rhiney Walsh saw his powerful header cleared off the line by Jimmy Power. Just before half-time Anthony McCarthy had seen his half volley clear the Glenview crossbar. The sides were scoreless at the break.

The second half saw neither side create much in front of goal due mainly to both sides packing the midfield. As the half wore on our lads were coming more and more into the game and had the Glenview defence under sustained pressure at times. The winning goal was scored in the 80th minute and to be fair it was in fact a 'freak' goal. Kieran Cullinane's goalkick was flicked on by Anthony McCarthy and a totally uncharacteristic error by the Glenview goalkeeper whose safe handling was evident throughout the match resulted in the ball crossing the line for the only goal of the game. Glenview fought hard to get themselves back into the match but our lads were not to be denied the victory and held out thus clinching

that promotion spot which had eluded them once or twice in the past. This was a spirited team performance by our lads and hopefully they will now go on to even better things in the first division next season.

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

It was a magic night of celebration in Cappoquin and as far as our lads were concerned it was long overdue. Rumour has it that even 'Sha' Power toasted to the B teams success, (it's only a rumour though).

A number of players have been sounding out the manager regarding new improved contracts on the basis that they want premier rewards for premier league football. Unfortunately lads all the extra cash will be going into the all seater stadium.

One situation which is giving the manager cause for concern is the Paul McGrath, Norman Whiteside style partnership being formed by Billy O'Shea and Garry Morrissey after matches. This is indeed a worrying situation, one which is being closely monitored.

CAPPOQUIN SALMON AND TROUT ANGLING ASSOCIATION

The Committee of the above wish to state that the fees for 1993 season are now due. Full club membership £20; Trout Membership £5;

Coarse Fishing £1; Under-16 years 50p; Senior Citizens no charge. Also please note anglers staying in the Cappoquin area will receive special consideration. (Advt.)

TO ARUS AN UACTRARAN

A couple of weeks ago a poem by David Power (Fawly) appeared in these notes. The poem concerned the beauty of the Ardmore area and was very well received indeed.

Now David has forwarded a copy of the "Dungarvan Leader" to Her Excellency, President Mary Robinson. We hope she enjoys his poem and, of course, the other items in the paper.

ON HOLIDAY

Back for a short stay is John Meskill formerly of Castle Street. As mentioned previously John has made an indepth study of the history of the town and surrounding area. He has been good enough to supply us with the following information about Blackwater bridges for which we are very grateful.

BEREAVED

Sympathy is extended to the Lord Abbot and Community of Mt. Mellera on the death of Bro. Michael.

INDISPOSED

We wish a speedy recovery to two well known Affane men Michael Browne and Michael Byrne who are at present indisposed.

THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

Can you name the Ironworks which carried on business at Twigbog? Answer next week.

Answer to last week's question — Barrack Street.

AFFANE/CAPPOQUIN G.A.A NOTES

Intermediate Hurling

Cappoquin 1-10 Tramore 1-7

Cappoquin hurlers made hard work of beating Tramore at Stradbally last Saturday night. We totally dominated the first half but we missed many scoring chances. At half-time we led 1-7 to 0-3.

In the second half we persisted with over picking and over running of the ball and almost suffered the consequences. The team got visibly tired in the last ten minutes and some very easy frees kept Tramore in touch plus the present of a deflected goal which gave them a big lift. We were still "firing blanks" and the physically stronger and fitter Tramore side fought hard for a late equaliser. But we held out for a valuable first win in the championship.

Our performance here was very poor and it looks like outstanding performances from Shane Fraher, James Mason, Pat Manahan, Anthony McCarthy, J. Buckley, Martin Power kept us in this game.

Team — P. Casey, J. Mason (Capt.), M. Reddy, S. Fraher, A. McCarthy, S. McCarthy, P. Manahan, M. Power, J. Buckley, D. Cummins, T. Mansfield, C. Barry, F. Murray, M. McCarthy, L. Costin.

Senior Football v.

Butlerstown

After a lapse of some years we are back in senior ranks and our opponents on Sunday will be Butlerstown. They are a fine football side and difficult opponents so our task will be a tough one. It will take a big effort from our lads to get a result here. The game is timed for 3 p.m. at Abbeyside.

U-14 Football

Affane 3-6 St. Olivers 2-2

These young lads turned in a magnificent second-half fight back to score a great win over St. Olivers last Saturday evening. At half-time they were behind 0-2 to 2-2.

But some shrewd switches by the se-

lectors completely transform the team as they rattled home some great scores to seal victory. All through the game Thomas Scanlon, Patrick Morrissey, Niall Maher and Richard Scanlon were outstanding while the remainder of the team all played really well in the second half.

Team — K. Foley, S. Hanrahan, N. Maher, R. Scanlon, Paul Morrissey, T. Scanlon (Capt.), M. Scanlon, Pat Morrissey, O. McLoughlin, S. Curran, N. McCarthy, D. McCarthy, D. McLoughlin, J. Morrissey, K. Mason. Subs. — G. Foley for Paul Morrissey, M. Roche.

U-14 Football

Affane 2-4 St. Pats 4-4

These youngsters were in action again on the following Sunday morning. Unbeaten St. Pats with a big strong team were the raging favourites. Affane had the wind at their backs in the first half but over-did the short passing and never used the wind to their advantage while Pats scored some fortuitous goals to put them ahead at half-time. It must be said, however, the amount of play we had we just did not transform it into scores. We kicked some very bad wides from good positions. Against the wind the Affane lads carried the game to Pats and had them on the rack for long periods but the vital scores did not come. Inspired by brilliant full back John Morrissey, M. Scanlon, Richard Scanlon, Tomas Scanlon, Pat Morrissey, Damien McCarthy and Niall Maher they battled away right to the finish. This team deserved a better result. The only difference between the sides were the goals that dropped under the bar. Young Kevin Foley could not be blamed for these goals. You just cannot expect these youngsters to play in adult goals. Juvenile goals should be provided.

County Draw

Promoters are requested to have names of new subscribers and all cash with draw coordinator Mr. James Morrissey by tonight (Wednesday).

CAPPOQUIN TO DEFEND THEIR BALLYRANDLE CUP TITLE

This is a busy time for the Cappoquin rugby football club as they seem to be going from strength to strength. During the week they won two important matches beating the Waterford City Club (17-3) and beating the Youghal team at the Carrigeen field in Cappoquin (11-9).

The Youghal club gave Cappoquin a great game that was hard fought right up to the very end.

The team that played

Youghal were — D. Cummins, Kieran Veale, P. J. Veale, J. Dighnam, D. Glavin, M. Power, C. O'Riordan, J. O'Brien, W. O'Brien, G. O'Brien, E. Lonergan, M. J. Lonergan, P. Fitzgerald, J. Moore, S. Mann. The subs. were — E. Hayes, A. Power, N. Hayes and P. O'Riordan.

The try was scored by G. O'Brien and the two penalties were scored by Martin Power and Declan Galvin.

Beating Youghal means

that Cappoquin are through to the final of the Ballyrandle Cup.

Cappoquin are the current holders of this cup and will be defending their title against the Carrick-on-Suir club at Ballyrandle during the forthcoming week.

In the junior 3 semi-final Cappoquin were unfortunate to have been beaten by the Cork Con. team but the next semi-final will be for the Casey Cup which will be played away to Galbally in Co. Tipperary. Best of luck lads.

AFFANE BRIDGE CLUB

Results 12 April — 1st, Mai Burke and Teresa Ryan; 2nd, Brid Bergin and Monica O'Sullivan; 3rd, Mary Radford and Andrea McGrath; 4th, Brid Culloo and Addie Buckley. Beginners — 1st, Lal Osbourne and Mary Coughlan; 2nd, Kate Morrissey and Tom Hackett; 3rd, Elsie Power and Mary Daly; 4th, Margo Veale and Pat Conroy.

AT THE SPORTSFIELD

On Sunday last the venue hosted two first round senior hurling championship matches. The opening game was the clash of Dunhill and Ballyduff. The Reds had Shamie Daly back after a long period of injury, though an established half back he was placed at full forward for this game and the experiment seemed to work as he scored a good goal in the 16th minute. Their first goal came from Paul Corcoran in the 4th minute following an excellent move started by Richie Walsh.

The outlook was bleak for Dunhill at half time as they trailed by two points having played with the wind.

The second half was all Ballyduff. They dominated in all sectors especially at midfield where Paddy Prendergast made the game look

easy. Dunhill tried all the way, none more so than the ageless veteran Willie Moore at corner back. However, they will need an injection of youth before they will be back to former glory.

Final score Ballyduff 2-13 Dunhill 0-8. Referee J. M. Kelly (Shamrocks).

The second game was the much looked forward to clash of Mt. Sion and Lismore. This was a game that reached standards of hurling far above what might be expected at this stage of the season. Every ball was fiercely contested for the full sixty minutes. Lismore with wind behind them raced into an early lead and were five points ahead at the end of the first quarter.

This lead included two great points from distance frees by Paddy O'Donnell. The 21st minute saw a dra-

matic change when the city men scored two goals, one from Tony Brown the other from Gary Gator. This enabled them to go in at half-time leading by 4 points.

Facing the wind the Black and Amber men seemed to play better. They got an edge at midfield so that their inside forwards were able to gain more possession especially Sean Daly who was always dangerous even though faced by the great stickman Pat Ryan. It was Daly who set up Brendan Prendergast for their only goal in the dying minutes to leave them just a single point in arrears but Sion had the final say when Meaney pointed just before the final whistle.

Final score Mt. Sion 2-10 Lismore 1-11. Referee J. J. Landers (Affane-Cappoquin).



CAUSEWAY TENNIS CLUB — Winners of Division 2 Munster Council Winter League. Photo shows team winners (l. to r.) Michael Collins, Theresa Keane (captain), Theresa M. Keane, Liam Crotty. Absent from photo are Margaret and Jer Cusack. (Photo: Pat Crowley)

KILMACTHOMAS NOTES

21st BIRTHDAY

Congratulations go to Michael Hassett, Clonea who celebrated his 21st birthday in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on Saturday night last.

KILMACTHOMAS BRIDGE CLUB

Results from last week were as follows — 1, Gertie Drohan and Claire Shanahan; 2, Joan Behan and Michael Prendergast; 3, Ally Walsh and Tom Prendergast.

TRAGIC DEATHS

Tragedy and gloom surrounded the village of Kilmacthomas on learning the tragic news of the deaths of Bill Kirwan, Kilnagrange and John Halley, Ballyshunnock, following a car accident in Kilmeaden on Easter Sunday night last. We offer our sincere sympathy to the Kirwan and Halley families.

We also extend get well wishes to John O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christy

O'Brien, Ballyshunnock, who is in hospital following the accident.

WON PORTABLE T.V.

Congratulations to Mrs. Maureen Power, High Street, Kilmacthomas who was the lucky winner of a portable t.v. in a draw at Mulhearn's Super Save Supermarket, The Square, Kilmacthomas.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family, relatives and friends of the late Peter Gallagher, Union Road, Kilmacthomas, who died at his residence on Wednesday, April 14 last. His remains were removed from his residence on Thursday evening at 7 p.m. to Newtown Parish Church. After 11 o'clock Mass on Saturday morning last Peter was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery. May he rest in peace.

BIRTHDAY

Many congratulations and best wishes to the popular and well known Michael Walsh, Walshe's Place, Kilmacthomas who celebrates his 80th birthday this coming weekend.

TRAINING AWARDS

Minister of State, Mr. Brian O'Shea, T.D., presented training awards and officially opened the new technology sheet metal unit at the Fas Training Centre in Waterford last week. Included in the award winners for 1992 were Finbarr McCarthy, 4 Riverview Estate, Kilmacthomas and Ester Barron, Fahafeelagh, Kilmacthomas. Many congratulations to both.

CUP SEMI-FINAL

We wish the very best of luck to the Kilmacthomas 4th division soccer team who travel to Ozier Park,

Waterford on Monday evening next, April 26 to take on Piltown in the semi-final of the Dooley Cup.

KILMACTHOMAS G.A.A NOTES

Injured — We wish a speedy recovery to Michael "Doggie" Power, The Hill, Kilmacthomas, who sustained a serious leg injury in a challenge match in Bonmahon recently. We hope to see Michael back in the Kilmac' colours as soon as possible.

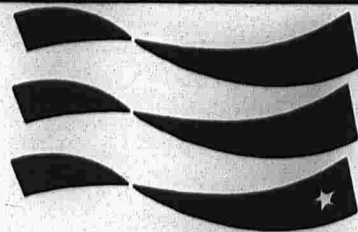
Senior Football — Our senior footballers begin their championship campaign against The Nire on Sunday evening next in Leamybrien at 3 p.m. We overcame The Nire in last year's championship by a narrow margin after a great game, but only a determined 100% effort will suffice again on Sunday next.

Deise Draw — The next draw will take place in Portlaw on Friday, April 30. Our club co-ordinator Theresa Power has asked me to inform all our club members to have their tickets and subscriptions returned before Sunday, April 25.

Under-14 Football — Our under-14 footballers put up a great fight before going down to a strong Roanmore side by two points in the semi-final played in Bonmahon on Wednesday night last.

Membership — Another reminder that membership fees are now due and same can be handed to Patsy Power, Hon. Treasurer.

Sympathy — The club would like to take this opportunity to offer sincere sympathy to the Kirwan, Halley and Gallagher family on their recent sad bereavements.



EUROVISION
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Children's Eurovision Song Contest Competition

RTE in conjunction with Dungarvan Leader are running a Eurovision Contest for young readers to coincide with the biggest ever Eurovision Song Contest to be held in Millstreet, Co. Cork on Saturday, May 15.

The first prizewinner will receive a Eurovision t-shirt, baseball hat, sweatshirt, folder, pen and a picture of Fionnuala Sweeney.

The five runners-up will receive a t-shirt, folder and pen.

Just answer the following four questions:—

Q. — Which singer first won the Eurovision Song Contest for Ireland in 1970?

Answer

Q. — Which Irish singer made Eurovision history by winning the song contest in 1980 and again in 1987?

Answer

Q. — Who won the Eurovision Song Contest in 1992 with the song "Why Me" written by Johnny Logan?

Answer

Q. — Who will represent Ireland in the Eurovision Song Contest on May 15 this year?

Answer

Send your entry to Dungarvan Leader to arrive not later than 12 noon on **Monday, April 26.**

Winners names will be published in our issue of Friday, April 30. RTE will post the prizes direct to the winners. Good luck to all.

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Letter to the Editor

NATIONAL CHILDREN'S DAY

Dear Editor,

To all who are interested in our million plus children in Ireland, could we please remind you that National Children's Day this year is just around the corner, on Sunday, June 13. Whether you are thinking of organising a party or an outing for a group of children or a parade in your city, town, or village, please note that the NCDA would like to emphasise that Children's Day is for all our children, the well-off, the less well-off, the poor, the sick and the disabled.

If you work for a firm or organisation who would be keen to help on this very special day for children everywhere in Ireland please make a start now by organ-

ising your local parade, party, outing, or any other novelty events.

Remember that for many of our children it is a long time from one Christmas to another; that is why we on NCDA appeal to you to make a special effort on Sunday, June 13 1993 to give all our children that little extra treat. You too as an adult will enjoy the day as much as the children.

The only rule from NCDA is that you do all you can for children on National Children's Day. Our motto is "Bring a smile to the face of a child."

Yours in children,
CATHERINE BARRY,
PRO
25 Molesworth Street,
Dublin 2.

Waterford Constituency Fine Gael AGM

The above meeting was held in Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan on March 29. In attendance were the elected members of Waterford County Council, Waterford Corporation, Town Commissioners and UDC members. The meeting was addressed by Austin Deasy, T.D.

The following officers were elected: Chairman,

Mario Flavin (Dungarvan Branch), Vice-Chairman, Vincent Coffey (Waterford), Secretary, Tom Power (Abbeyside), Treasurers, Michael Clarke (Tramore) and Ben Power (Woodstown), Policy Officer, John Carey (Passage), Youth Officer, Fiona McDonnell (Tallow), PRO, Billy Walsh (Waterford).

Lismore Notes



Major Art Exhibition In Lismore Library

"Limestone and Pigment", a combined exhibition of stone sculpture and paintings by British artists Tara Cottam and Tim Pearn is currently running in Lismore Library and shall continue to do so until the end of the month. The careers of these two artists have major parallels, both having studied in Paris, Madrid, Barcelona, Moscow, Leningrad, New York and Washington D.C., Tim also studied in Amsterdam and Italy. While they have both staged exhibitions in Britain, the U.S., Ireland and Australia, it is natural therefore that combined work and joint exhibitions should follow. Both now work in Dorset, Tara in Yetminster, where until recently there existed a school funded by a bequest by Robert Boyle, and Tim near Sherbourne, which castle and estate were acquired by Sir Walter Raleigh in 1592 and so exists a strong Lismore link. Tara, incidentally, is grand daughter of the Chavasse family of Cappagh House.

OUR LISMORE CORRESPONDENT

Please note that all items for publication on the Lismore page in the "Leader"

should be handed to Mr. Padraig Pollard, Chapel St., Lismore, who is now the Lismore Correspondent for the "Leader".

CAMOGIE NOTES

Our U-14 team played Tramore in the G.A.A. field last Saturday. This was the girls first match of the season but unfortunately were beaten by Tramore who were the stronger side getting all the scores. All the girls played very well and are training very hard at present.

Team — Karen Begley, Paula Dunne, Deirdre Bennett, Marie O'Farrell, Linda Buckley, Emma Khan, Laura Roache, Sharon Mangan, Katie Dunne, Cathriona Walsh, Oliva Flynn, Clare Lineen. Subs. — Marian Whelan, Susan Hannon, Valerie McBride, Maira Celisse.

Senior training begins this Friday in the C.B.S. field at 7.15 p.m. We hope that this year will be even more successful for the senior county winners. Best of luck to our players who are representing Waterford U-16 this weekend against Cork. Players Caroline Ormonde, Emma Dunne, Catriona Ormonde, Bríd Pollard, Jennifer Walsh and Ciara Tobin.

LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

Last weekend the club staged the Cork Examiner Am-Am club qualifier, the top 3 players to represent Lismore Golf Club at Lahinch Golf Club in June. Lismore have, on two previous occasions, won the trophy. In 1973 at Little Island the victorious team on that great day was Tom Fives and Tallow's Kevin and Frank Ryan, and in 1988 in Dooks Golf Club, Jimmy Hornbrook, Tom Cahill and Richie Ormonde brought back the trophy for the second time. The scoring for the weekend was again very good with Tallow's Mick O'Grady once again in the winners enclosure. Mick returned a winning 42 pts despite losing a ball on the 18 fairway. Truly very consistent golf. In second place was former Lismore hurler Liam Buckley who returned a great 41 pts and in third position came Affane's Albert Corcoran who carded a fine 40 pts. The team to represent Lismore in Lahinch is as follows: 0-7 — Tim Murphy, 8-13 — Albert Corcoran, 14-18 — Mick O'Grady.

Shot of the day last Sunday went to Jim Nugent who holed his second shot to the 10th for an eagle 2.

Results — Saturday and Sunday, April 17/18 — 18 Holes Stableford Am-Am Qualifier — 1st M. O'Grady (17) 42 pts; 2nd L. Buckley (18) 41 pts; 3rd A. Corcoran (11) 40 pts (second 9).

Fixtures — Saturday and Sunday, April 24/25 — 18 Holes Foursomes Stroke. Friday, April 23 — 9 Hole Mixed Foursomes. Friday, April 23 — Society Outing. Tee reserved from 1.15 p.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, April 24 — Society Outing. Tee reserved from 2 p.m. to 3.30 p.m.

LISMORE LADIES GOLF NOTES

Fixtures — Wednesday, April 28 — 18 Hole Stroke. Draw for partners 1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Sunday, May 2 — Col. O'Brien Cup. Time sheet on notice board.

ST. CARTHAGE'S HOUSE 45 DRIVE

Results April 19 — 1st, £30 Bill Murphy and Liam Murphy; 2nd and 3rd, Moss Morrissey, Joe O'Shea, James Dalton, Johnie Prendergast, Kevin Keniry. Lucky Table — Mary O'Neill, Mary Willoughby, Paddy Power, John Bennett. Raffle — 1st, Mary O'Neill; 2nd, Mattie Coffey; 3rd, Willie Cunningham.

EARLY MUSIC IN LISMORE FROM JUNE 18 - 20

Following a public meeting held in Lismore with a view to 'testing the waters' regarding a Festival of Early Music, the response was immediate and positive: The first West Waterford Festival of Early Music will take place from 18th to 20th June.

"I was very surprised at the numbers who turned up at the meeting and, more importantly, offered to help", says Festival Director Jan Van Putten. Following the meeting, a small committee was set up and names were taken of all present who will be contacted nearer the Festival to become involved in staging what promises to be an exciting and colourful Festival.

The three days in Lismore will be packed with music from the Middle Ages, the Renaissance and the Baroque - not only in the cathedral and in the beautiful Glencairn Abbey, but also on the streets and in the pubs. The school children have not been forgotten either!

The Douglas Gunn Ensemble are prepared to visit schools in the area to give a concert specially geared to young people and Douglas will explain the various instruments, outlining their history.

There will be three main concerts in Lismore Cathedral. The concert on Friday 18th June will be given by the Douglas Gunn Ensemble. The Saturday features Malcom Proud and Susan O'Regan, harpsichord, and the Cork Consort with music by Johann Sebastian Bach. The final concert on Sunday will be given by the Lismore Choir with six vocal soloists and orchestra. They perform "Music for the Kings of France", with Campra's moving Requiem as the main work.

Noirin Ni Riain will sing mediaeval religious music in Glencairn Abbey, Colin

TRALEE C.B.S. BOYS CHOIR

On Thursday last 15th April Lismore Cathedral was the centre stage for Tralee C.B.S. Boys Choir who gave a recital before a large and appreciative audience. The choir consisting of 28 boys were on a short Easter tour and earlier in the afternoon gave a recital at Mt. Melleray. The boys stayed over night in Lismore in the homes of parents of primary boys at Lismore C.B.S. before continuing their tour the following day to Cahir Castle.

The Choir was formed in 1982 by its conductor, Aidan O'Carroll, M. A., B. Mus. Presently there are 28 boys ranging in age from 10 to 14 years.

The boys have performed at secular and sacred functions at home and in Europe.

Their repertoire of over 80 pieces is performed entirely from memory in Latin, Irish, English, German and French. The choir have performed at the International Choral Festival in Neerpelt, Belgium and in Antwerp Cathedral, and in Douai, in France. In January 1990 they sang High Mass in St. Peter's Basilica and sang for the Holy Father. Closer to home, the boys have performed Benjamin Britten's Missa Brevis in D in Liverpool, Dublin, Tuam and Galway.

At Christmas in 1989 the choir sang on the Gay Byrne's "Late Late" television Show and in recent weeks they sang on Gay Byrne radio programme, which was broadcast live from 100ft below the ground in Crag Cave in Castleisland, Co. Kerry. In July 1992 the boys performed with distinction in Westminster Abbey, Westminster Cathedral, Canterbury

Cathedral, St. James's Piccadilly and St. Martin-in-the-Fields. Many of the boys are proficient at various musical instruments.

The Choir is also in regular demand for Weddings and other functions. The Choir is run by an elected Committee and the boys themselves help funding by doing sponsored walks over the Kerry mountains to Dingle. Charitable performances are also given. The Choir has hosted "Les Petits Chanteurs de Douai", "Antwerps Kathedraalkoor", "Kölner Domchor", Kilkenny C.B.S. Boys Choir and North Monastery Boys Choir of Cork. Plans are afoot for a tour to France in 1994.

Tralee-born, Aidan O'Carroll, studied music at University College, Cork, under Dr. Aloys Fleischmann and was the first male graduate awarded First Class Honours in the Department's History. He later took a Masters Degree in Composition.

Since returning to Tralee, he has established four choirs, for whom he has written many works. In 1981 he established the Kerry School of Music which now caters for over one thousand students annually. Out of this school have come three orchestras, two choirs and numerous ensembles and soloists.

He has been very active as a promoter of concerts, masterclasses, summerschools and enjoys a very busy schedule as producer, accompanist and soloist and, above all, teacher. His stage productions include My Fair Lady, H.M.S. Pinafore, Fiddler on the Roof, The King and I and The Sound of Music.

Nicholls, Choirmaster and Organist of St. FinBarre's Cathedral in Cork will give an organ recital, the Choir of St. Mary's, Cork, will sing during Mass in St. Carthage's Church and there will be an Evensong in Lismore Cathedral with the choir of St. FinBarre's Cathedral, also from Cork.

17th Century Wedding Pageant

One of the highlights of the Festival will be a staged 17th century wedding on the Sunday. This pageant will start at Lismore Castle and finish outside of Lismore Cathedral on the Mall. Plans are afoot to have eighteen Morris Dancers present from England, trumpeters and recorder players from Waterford, town criers and, of course, all the "wedding guests" will be in costume. On the Mall an Arts and Craft Fair will take place, with a floral show and an exhibition of "early" musical instruments and it is planned to offer visitors to Lismore the choice of a variety of hot and cold food which can be eaten on the Mall while enjoying the free entertainment.

None of this could take place without the active help and support of the Lismore Dramatic Society who will be urging just about every resident to get into costume. The food is being taken care of by yet another committee and in the coming two months all the planning will knit together into one big Festival.

"We are still looking for some sponsors", explains Jan, "particularly one or two companies who are prepared to sponsor one of the main concerts of the Festival".

Jan is loud in his praise for the practical help he and

his committee have already received from the Lismore Heritage and Experience companies, the West Waterford Development Partnership Ltd. and promises of help from the Waterford County Manager. "But", he adds, "without the support of people in this area the Festival could not take place".

WEST WATERFORD BRANCH WIDOWS ASSOCIATION

Before our meeting on Tuesday 6th April, Rev. Canon Nugent celebrated Holy Mass for the repose of the soul of Noreen O'Regan at St. Carthage's Church, Lismore. A large attendance of members relatives, and friends were present.

The monthly meeting followed at Lismore Hotel. Three members from our branch attended the National A.G.M. at the Talbot Hotel, Wexford, week-end 2nd - 4th April. The meeting was attended by over two hundred members from all over the country. Our chairperson Mrs. Josephine McCarthy congratulated Mrs. Pat Conroy on her election to the National Executive Committee.

Our day's Retreat at St. Dominic's, Innismore, Cork will take place on Sunday 2nd May, 1993. There are a number of places still available. Non members and friends are welcome to join us. Please contact Pat Conroy at 058/54564 as soon as possible.

Our next meeting will be on Tuesday 4th May, 1993 at Lismore Hotel at 8 p.m. Hope to see a full attendance of members as we will be discussing our Annual Outing. New members are always welcome. P.R.O.

PRESENTATION CONVENT PRIMARY SCHOOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

On Wednesday, April 7th, the day of the Easter holidays, we saw the final in our basketball league, which had been running since Christmas. Six teams, consisting of girls from third to sixth class, with 5/6 on each panel had taken part. As time went on in the running of the league, each girl must be praised for the improvement made, and the interest shown. As a result the standard in the final few games was a joy to watch, as it was very high.

The final itself was a very good game, between team F, who looked that bit stronger during the league itself, and team B, who came from behind, to win the game 16-14 in extra time. Both teams showed great spirit in an enjoyable game, which is proven by the fact that they had to go into extra time. But team B must be congratulated on a fine win, on coming from behind each time to level, and then eventually, win out the match. Well done to all.

Team B — Paula Dunne, Aileen Kiely, Emma Flynn, Catherine Moore, Elaine Flynn, Elaine O'Grady.

Team F — Deirdre Bennett, Sharon Mangan, Avril Doocey, Diane Kearney, Cairiona Cliffe.

“People and Landscape — Co. Waterford In Mid-19th Century”

The social settlement patterns in the 1850's is the subject of Dungarvan Museum Society's illustrated public lecture by Mr. Jack Burtchaell in Lawlor's Hotel on Thursday, April 22 at 8 p.m.

Using as primary source Griffith's Valuations (1851 Census), the lecture reviews landscape elements, demenses and their distribution, the big houses, strong farmers, small farmers/cottiers, settlement patterns and house clusters in the social fabric as it existed almost a century and a

half ago. Waterford domiciled Jack Burtchaell is a well known geographer and a contributor to the recently published "Waterford — History and Society" (Geography Publications 1992). In addition to providing guided tours of Waterford city, he is a frequent

lecturer, most recently on "History of Waterford Estuary" at Ballyhack Castle and his first visit to Dungarvan Museum Society this Thursday will bring the present lecture season to a highly interesting conclusion. All are welcome. (See advertisement in "News of Town.").

Tidy Towns Entry Closing Date

Friday, April 30 is the closing date for entries in the 1993 Tidy Towns competition. The competition, run by Ford Failte and the regional tourism offices, is now in its 35th year, and the main sponsors again this year are Super Valu Supermarkets, the independent supermarket group.

Tidy Towns attracts entries from over 620 towns nationwide every year. Along with the priceless title of Ireland's tidiest town, the overall national

winner receives £5,000 and a perpetual trophy. Grant-aid of a further £5,000 is also awarded to the winning town for an approved environmental project. Awards for Ireland's tidiest village, small town and large town are also made, along with County titles and population category prizes.

Entries to this year's Tidy Towns competition are already building up according to Brenda King, Community Projects Officer at Bord Failte. "The RTE television

documentary on Tidy Towns following the results announcement last September generated a lot of interest," she says. "And we're expecting this to be reflected in increased entries for 1993."

Ardmore, County Waterford, last year's Tidiest Town will host National Tidy Towns Day on Sunday, May 2, during which the town will be presented with the prestigious bronze plaque marking last year's win.

BALLYSAGGART NOTES

G.A.A. NOTES Ballysaggart 1-10, Shamrocks 2-7

This was, as the saying goes "a whale of a game" with close scores. Some passages of excellent hurling and whole-hearted effort were the order of the day. At the end of the hour both sides will have been happy to settle for a share of the points, with Shamrocks probably the more relieved.

Just a point separated the teams at the interval: Ballysaggart 1-3, Shamrocks 1-2. When the Knockanore men went into

a four point lead with ten minutes remaining, the writing was on the wall for a Ballysaggart, outfit most of whom were making their debut in the intermediate grade. To their credit however a marvellous finish saw them achieve a richly deserved draw and indeed as we said, Ballysaggart were unlucky not to pull off a historic victory.

Still, it was an excellent start to the year and proves that we have nothing to fear in this higher grade. Well done to all concerned.

Our next outing is in two weeks time against St.

Mollerans in Abbeyside.

Co. Development Draw — The April draw in the County Development Draw takes place on Friday, April 30 in Portlaw. Promoters are requested to have money with Breeda Clancy by this Sunday. New members still welcome.

Card Results — 1 and 2, Pad Walshe, Pa Geoghegan, Jim Russell and Brian Ahearne; 3 divided, Moss Morrissey and Sheila Lonergan, Jim Hornibrook and Tommy Nugent. Best of last five, Joe and Cissie Power. Lucky tables, Moss Morrissey and Sheila Lonergan, Paddy and Mary Power. Raffle: Dan Howard, Mary O'Neill, Joe Shea and Paddy Roche.

BALLYSAGGART PIONEER NOTES

Our Sale of Work was held on Sunday, April 4, in the local Community Centre. The Centre would like to thank all those that helped in any way to make it a very successful day. 1st prize, hamper, Paddy Lyons, Ballysaggart; 2nd prize, fruit cake, Theresa Cliffe, Kinsalebeg; 3rd prize, bottle of wine, John Brennan, Ballysaggart; 4th prize, box of biscuits, Bill Canning, Lismore.

St. Mary's Parish Dungarvan

MONDAY, APRIL 26
Feast of Our Lady of Good Counsel — Triduum in preparation for the Feast will begin in Friary Church on Friday, April 23 at 7.30 p.m.

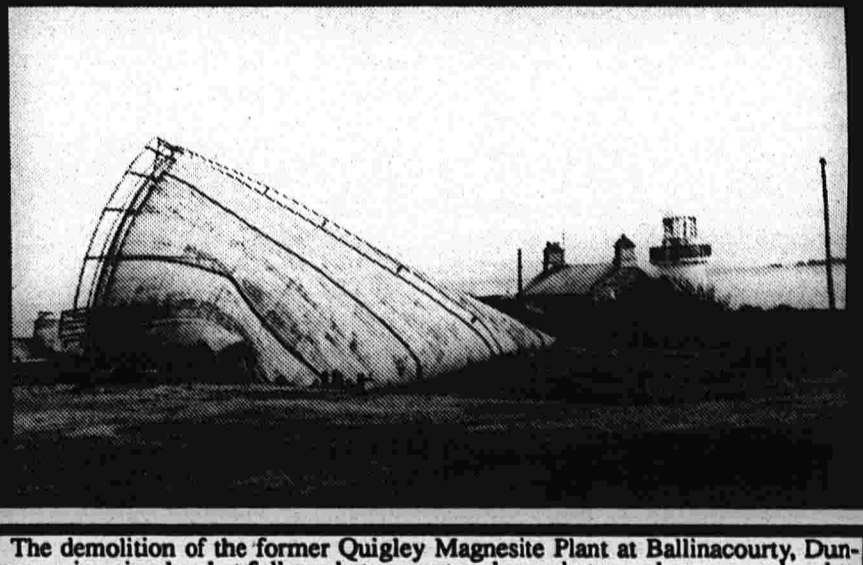
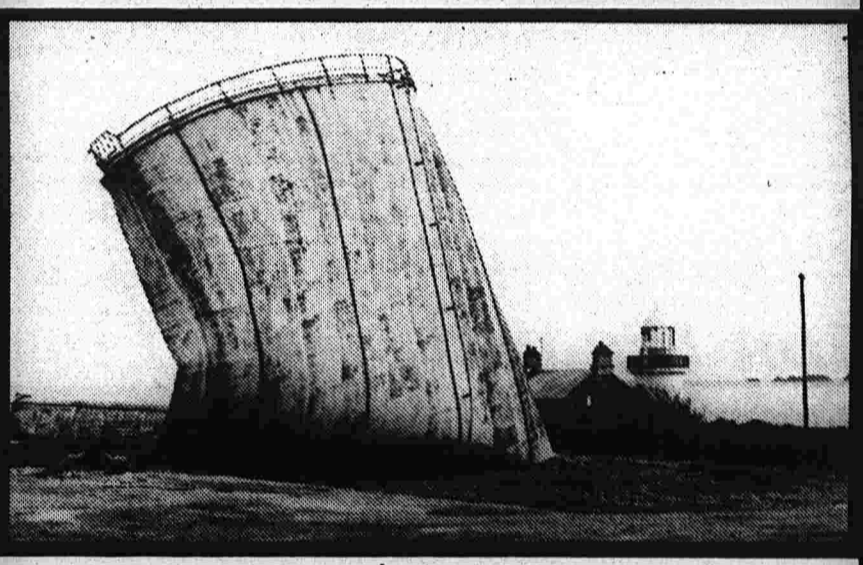
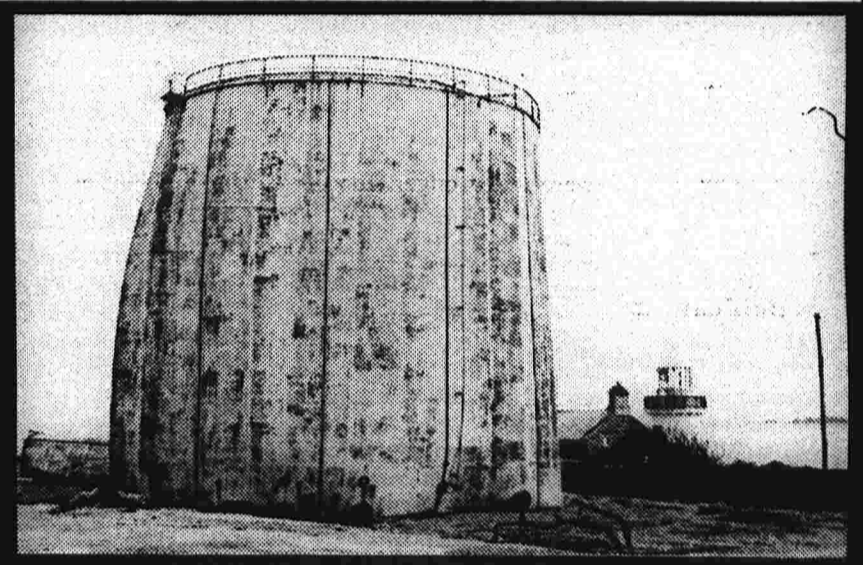
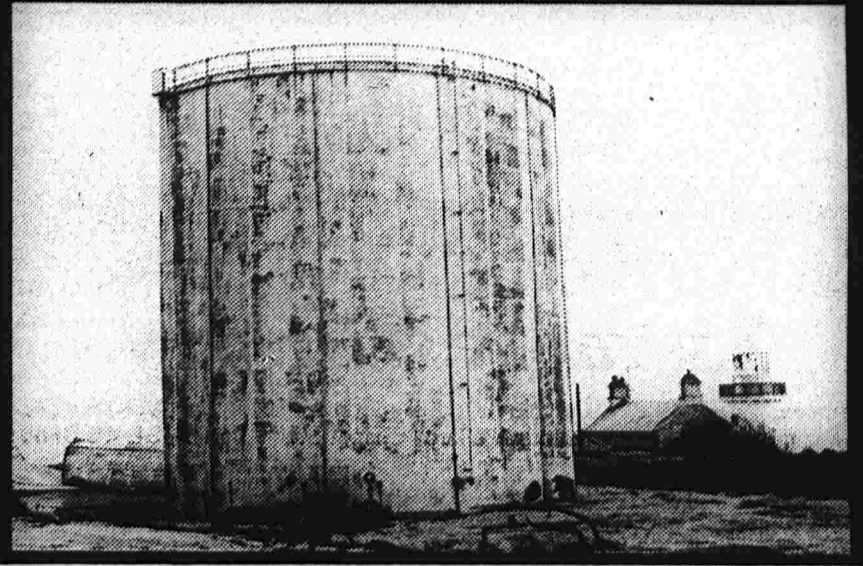
FRIENDS OF ST. MARTIN
Social in Gold Coast on

Thursday, April 22. Bus leaves Square at 8 p.m. — usual pick-up points.

**HOLY LAND
PILGRIMAGE
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Bookings and deposits taken at Parochial House, Thursdays and Fridays, 2.5.30 p.m.

A 90 FOOT DROP!!



The demolition of the former Quigley Magnesite Plant at Ballinacourty, Dungarvan is going head at full speed at present and our photographer was on hand to record the end of one of the biggest features of the plant — the giant oil storage tank — which stood at the extremity of the plant site close to the Ballinacourty Lighthouse which can be seen in all of the pictures.

The storage tank soared to a height of 90 feet (see man bending at base to right of first picture for comparison) and when the plant was operating to full power in the 1970's, had a capacity to hold one million gallons of oil.

Messrs. John Loftus, Plant Hire, Civil Engineering and Demolition Contractors, Cork, who have been engaged to clear the site, tackled the job of removing the giant structure by first cutting around the base and then splitting the tank in halves. Steel hawsers which had been affixed to the top were then attached to JCB's and first, one half of the huge fuel container was pulled down, followed by the other half. Thus one of the main features that silhouetted the Quigley Plant on the seafront at Ballinacourty for over 20 years has disappeared.

What A Sauce!



the skin of the pork. Put in a roasting tin and rub oil over skin. Sprinkle with salt and cook in oven at 425 deg. F. Gas mark 4, and cook for 2 hours. Do not peel apples, but remove core and score the skin halfway down, going right round the fruit. Mix onions and sage and cook in the oil until soft and golden. Stir

Apple sauce always goes down a treat with pork. Ring the changes with sage-stuffed apples.

SAGED PORK

Ingredients:

5lb (2.3kg) joint leg of pork, boned and rolled.
1 tbs oil.
salt.

watercress to garnish.

For the stuffed apples:

6 large eating apples.
2 medium onions chopped.
1 tbs chopped fresh sage.

1 tbs oil.

1 1/2 (40g) day-old white breadcrumbs.

Method:

Ask the butcher to score

in breadcrumbs and season with salt and pepper. Fill apples with mixture and put round joint. Bake for 40 sbasting once with pan juices from the pork. Serve with vegetables and gravy made with the pan juices and stock.

Serves 6.

Putting plants on the pill



YOUR fading spring flowers could benefit from an aspirin pick-me-up!

An old wives' tale? Perhaps, but many people swear that dropping an aspirin into vase water will extend the life span of 'daffs', tulips and other cut flowers.

One theory is that the drug closes the pores of cut plants and prevents water loss.

Whatever, the reason, there are many people who will try it — after the bleak winter months we cut or buy lots of blooms to bring some colour into the home.

Unfortunately, even if you have turned the central heating off or left the fires unlit, this breath of spring is quickly spent unless you can help out.

One obvious way is to avoid cutting or buying tired-looking stems or fully open blooms in the first place.

Other ideas can sound like a leg-pull but here are some tips:

● **Angled Cuts** — cutting the stems at an angle definitely helps because the stem then rests on a point, allowing more water to be drawn up by the stem than if it is cut at right-angles and rests flat on the base of the vase.

● **Clean Cuts** — use a sharp knife or secateurs rather than scissors and you do less damage to the stem fibres and allow more water to be drawn up to the blooms.

It does, of course, make nonsense of traditional advice that you should pulverise and crush the base of the stems to improve water flow. This actually impedes water

flow and encourages slime to grow and make matters worse.

THEORY

● **Bleach!** — a bit drastic perhaps but the theory is that a teaspoonful per vase will restrict the production of gas given off by some cut flowers such as carnations.

● **Feeding** — there is strong evidence that feeding can help and there are sachets and tubs of powder on the market which feed or preserve cut flowers while reducing slime and smells building up in the water.

● **Sweeten The Dose** — as one of the usual ingredients in the above 'plant elixirs' is sugar, I'm inclined to believe that they actually act as a preservative for the flowers.

So, why not save some money and simply add sugar to the vase water. One lump or spoonful should do! However, whichever method you favour to try you will have to dispose of your faded blooms and there is one sure method of extending their useful life even then — by not binning them but adding them to the compost heap.

They will quickly break down and become useful compost for new plants and blooms to come.

Arthur Hines



FARMING LEADER

EC Must Improve Animal Health Protection Measures

Waterford IFA Animal Health Committee Chairman, Ned Murphy, said that the EC Standing Veterinary Committee must close off all the veterinary loopholes which allowed the dreaded foot-and-mouth disease to be imported into Italy.

Mr. Murphy welcomed the decision of the European Commission to ban all im-

ports of live animals, meat, milk and dairy produce from the Eastern European countries until May 7, 1993 as a temporary safeguard measure.

Mr. Murphy added "the foot-and-mouth disease is still spreading in Southern Italy, with two more confirmed cases in the last week, even though movement controls have been re-

inforced in the sixteen provinces where the disease has been confirmed."

He said the EC Veterinary Fund must be immediately increased to enable adequate veterinary controls to be implemented throughout the Community in the fight against animal diseases which cause economic losses to farmers.

Changing Times

Changing economic conditions in the Farm Machinery Trade have imposed serious hardships on dealers. Coupled with a contracting market, they have to cope with the high costs of spares stocking and of labour.

Traditionally many farmers looked to the Trade for long credit terms and in the past, under different conditions, some firms were in a position to wait until the "harvest cheque" came in.

This is no longer the case and The Farm Tractor and

Machinery Trade Association say that farmers may expect to find dealers unable to provide extended credit terms, particularly if they also expect the trade to continue to provide the service so essential to the farming community.

Dairygold To Sponsor All-Ireland Sheep Shearing Championships

Dairygold Co-operative Society has agreed to become the overall Chief

Sponsor of the 1993 All-Ireland Sheep Shearing Championships which will

take place at New Inn, Co. Tipperary on May 30.

Up to 25,000 visitors are expected to attend this high profile event which has become a major annual focus point for the farming community. Under the terms of the sponsorship agreement Dairygold will also cover the Inter-Provincial Championship, a novel Ireland - New Zealand International championship and hospitality-reception facilities for judges, competitors and organisers.

ICMSA Warning On EC Grant Aid

Dairy farmers have been advised by ICMSA to be wary of unscrupulous salesmen who may try to take advantage of the £6 million in EC grant aid.

County Secretary, Tom Hickey, said that dairy farmers should seek independent advice from Teagasc or their co-op milking machine technician before carrying out major alterations to milking equipment. He said that any alterations to milking equipment carried out prior to an independent assessment may not qualify for grants.

Until an independent assessor determines what is required to meet the new milk hygiene regulations farmers would be ill-ad-

vised to make any investment, concluded Tom Hickey.

IRISH FARMERS' ASSOCIATION WATERFORD CO. EXECUTIVE PUBLIC MEETINGS on AREA AID APPLICATION FORMS

Monday, 26th April — Carrick Hotel, Carrick-On-Suir

Speakers: Pat Murphy, Waterford I.F.A. County Chairman; Jim Carew, Department of Agriculture; Michael O'Sullivan, O'Sullivan Consultants

Tuesday, 27th April — Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan

SPEAKERS: Pat Murphy, Waterford I.F.A. County Chairman; John O'Mahoney, Chairman, Waterford I.F.A. Grain Committee; Jim Carew, Department of

Agriculture; Gerry Kingston, Teagasc.

BOTH MEETINGS START AT 8.30 P.M.

It is important the livestock and tillage farmers complete these forms accurately for all future Premium and subsidy payments — ALL FARMERS WELCOME TO ATTEND

Ballyduff Notes

BALLYDUFF/ BALLYDUFF MACRA COMHALTAS NOTES

A very successful concert and ceilí was held in St. Michaels Hall, Ballyduff on Easter Sunday night. The dancers and musicians and singers showed the wealth of talent they possess. A huge crowd attended and it proved a most enjoyable night for everybody.

By popular demand in conjunction with Ballyduff Community Council two repeat concerts and ceilís are planned for Saturday May 1st and Sunday May 2nd, 8.15 p.m. some of the guests appearing will be Michael Ryan, Eoin O'Sullivan, Gerry Harrington, Mary Nugent and Mary Farrell - to mention but a few.

This concert will take the format of the Pure Drop (Ballyduff Style). Tickets will be on sale this weekend, booking is advisable as huge crowds are expected. For booking Tel Marian at 058/60147.

The county Fleadh Cheoil takes place this weekend in Ring - Friday to Sunday. Best of luck to all our com-

TALLOW CUB/ SCOUT NOTES

On Friday night last we had an outdoor meeting to show our Cubs how to light a Camp fire. We had 2 fires so that everyone had something to do with lighting the fire. When everything was ready we cooked some sausages and everyone tasted one or two. All the Cubs took great pride in eating the sausages because it was themselves that cooked them.

Some of our Cubs are still collecting for the Bob-a-Job, so be on the look-out and you could get one of them to do that job you always meant to get around to but never did.

On Sunday next 25th April we are travelling to Stradbally for the Annual Mass. Transport will be supplied to bring Cubs to and from Stradbally. We will be leaving Tallow at 1.15 p.m. and should be home around 5.15 p.m. The cost of the transport will be £2 each, this is based on 18 Cubs travelling. All cubs are asked to be outside the Den at 1.10 p.m. for transport to the Mass. We would like each Cub to bring one piece of cutlery to the Mass which will be sent to the people of Bosnia.

Sunday 2nd May we will be going to the Friary for the Annual Soccer Blitz, we will have more about transport etc. in next weeks notes.

petitors.

BALLYDUFF MACRA NOTES

Last Friday night club members headed to Lawlor's Pub in Cappoquin in their droves to witness the gallant race between Pat Roche and Martin Kenny in the 'Bachelor of the Year'. While the lads were watching each other, the Ballyduff ladies were stealing the show and leaving the lads stranded at the starting post. On behalf of the club I would like to congratulate Carmel Leamy on winning 'Miss Macra' and Catherine Leamy on winning 'Queen of the Land'. Carmel will now go on to represent Waterford in the International Final of Miss Macra in the very near future. Carmel who looked very glamorous on the night as usual took the title hands down and showed that her spying trip to Cork was well worth while. Our trip to Tralee looks imminent now or at least it's one step nearer and who knows Miss Ireland might be just around the corner? Our heartiest congratulations to Catherine Leamy on winning the 'Queen of the Land'. 'Well Holy God', Miley better mind out, Catherine really stole the show. Catherine will now represent Waterford in the National Final.

Now getting back to the 'Bachelor of the Year'. The club had three entries with Michael O'Donnell being the late entry and the dark horse of the race. The winner of the 'Bachelor of the Year' was Philip Cusack, Gaultier.

Glanworth Macra are holding a soccer tournament on Friday and Saturday, April 23rd and 24th in St. Colman's Gym, Fermoy at 8.00 p.m. sharp. They are also hosting the magnificent Lightning Strikes in the Talk of the South on Saturday April 24th.

Also on Saturday night there is a Farewell Party for Mark Wade in Lyons Pub in Tallow. Mark is leaving our shores for Germany in the near future. Everyone is welcome so come along and give Mark a mega send-off.

Our car maintenance course is definitely on Friday April 23rd. The course commences at 8.30 p.m. till 10.30 p.m.

The clubs winning ways continued during the week with Mike Leamy winning the senior section of welding competitions.

The National semi-finals of the Farm tasks takes place on Sunday, April 25th at Gloster House. Waterford are being represented by our three Musketeers who are namely Dave Ahern, Pat 'the duck' Roche and Seamus Cunningham. On behalf of the club I would like to wish the lads the very best of luck (they'll need it).

The quote of the week came from our secretary who's motto is "the best man for the job is a woman". Dream on Mairead, dream, and don't be afraid, your dream's not real.

Finally just a friendly warning to anyone who might even think of hijacking these notes ever again, don't as you can and will be held up to ransom and ridicule for the rest of the year.

BALLYDUFF 45 DRIVE

Results of last Wednesday night 45 Drive in St. Michael's Hall are as follows - 1st divided between, J. Coleman, M. Hickey, J. Quirke, M. Tobin, J. Leamy and L. Keane. Lucky Tables - M. Quirke and M. Sheehan, B. Murphy and S. Clifford, Joe and Rose Flynn. Raffle winners were - Mary O'Neill, Rose Flynn, Dave Hoare, Peg Shanahan and Tom Hartigan.

BALLYDUFF JUVENILE G.A.A. NOTES

Pride of place this week goes to our U-14 footballers who by virtue of their win against Faha, have now qualified for the Western final. This game will take place next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in Tallow. Opposition will be provided by Shamrocks who have already beaten us in the Championship. However, next Sunday is a different game and the lads have been training well. 'Your support for this match would be greatly appreciated'.

Our minor hurlers lost by a goal to Gaeltacht in the first round of the championship. A rather sluggish performance saw 2 points slip away and now a big effort will have to be made to ensure a place in the knock-out stages.

The club held a very successful and entertaining sponsored cycle on Easter Sunday. Approximately 20 cyclists took part and congratulations to all concerned on their efforts. All sponsorship cards should be returned by this weekend to any club officer. It is intended to hold a draw for all those who supported this event.

Finally, congratulations to Michael Molumphy, Brendan Hannon and Ger Feeney who represented West Waterford in U-16 hurling last weekend.

LISMORE SOCCER NOTES

We would like to take this opportunity of wishing our neighbours Bride View a "Happy Birthday" as they are celebrating their 21st season in football this weekend.

They have just finished the season by becoming runners up in The Red House League which was won by Killeagh Celtic. While Bride View are celebrating 21 years Lismore F.C. in 1995 will be 40 years in existence and as we read recently are West Waterford's oldest soccer club.

Let us hope the present committee will plan something for the Ruby birthday.

LETTER to the EDITOR

Warrington Bombings

Dear Editor

I would like to reply to the letter published in the Leader April 9th with regards to the "Warrington Bombings".

Donal Early, who wrote the letter was just one of many who fell into the trap, laid by the British Govern-

ment and media to focus attention on the cowardly I.R.A. and absolve themselves of any implication in the deaths of those young people. Time after time people write letters - ring the phone in Radio Stations and condemn the I.R.A. for this cowardly act while forgetting all the time the many children who were killed by British Forces and Loyalist Paras - where were the mountains of flowers for the Catholics killed by plastic bullets and ambushes, what about Bloody Sunday?

In the first instance Mr. Early you might like to consider if the British never, ever invaded Ireland, if they kept their noses out of our affairs, there never would be a need for the I.R.A. - there would be no Fenians -

no "Sinn Fein" no Pádraig Pearse - no Easter Rebellion, no partition - no bombings - no Warrington - and I wouldn't even have to write this letter.

My loyalties are with the Irish people first and always and against the British Claims to the ownership of any part of Ireland, and if we were as strong in Military might as the British, they would never have pushed us around as they have done for 800 years. Notice for instance how they won't take on the Chinese over 'Hong Kong' - they are bigger that's why.

S. O Mathúna

8 Fawcett House
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14 April 1993

Modeligo Parents Association

The results of our Easter Raffle were - 1st prize, Waterford Glass bowl to Stephen Cleary, 7, St. Molleran's, Carrick-on-Suir; 2nd prize, leg of lamb - Ollie O'Keefe, Parkmore, Modeligo; 3rd prize, bottle of whiskey, Tom Lannigan, Mullinavat, Co. Kilkenny; 4th prize, dinner for two - James Scanlon, Marion Terrace, Ballyduff Upper; 5th prize, Easter cake - Jonathan Forsey, c/o Campus Garage; 6th prize, Easter egg - Ann O'Donovan, Carrigaun, Modeligo; 7th prize, tin of biscuits - Seamus Fraher, Crough, Colligan.

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CLUB NIGHT

We had no club night the last two weeks, one being Holy Thursday night and last week we had two leaders who were unable to attend. On next Thursday night it will be full steam ahead with a night at the pictures, where we will all gather at 10 minutes to 8 o'clock. I'm sure everyone will enjoy the night out.

LEADERS AND MEMBERS

We are now gearing ourselves for the Summer Programme and we will be welcoming new members to the club and with more members we will be requiring more leaders. If you would like to work with young people aged between 12 and 15 years old on Thursday nights between 8 and 10 o'clock you can contact any committee member for an application form for membership.

Stradbally Notes

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK

The Annual Pilgrimage to Knock will take place on May 2. Tickets are adults £14; Children £9; Bus £2. Tickets available from William Barrett, Stradbally.

ROSE OF TRALEE

Best wishes to Denise Drohan who will be taking part in the Waterford Area Rose of Tralee Contest. Denise will represent Stradbally G.A.A. Club in the area final in the Tower

Hotel on Friday, April 23. Good luck Denise.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy to Mrs. Margo Crowley, Stradbally and Mrs. Maura O'Mahony, Durrow, on their recent sad bereavements.

GET WELL SOON

Best wishes for a speedy recovery are extended to Ann Evoy, Shanbally, who is in hospital at the moment. We hope she will be out and about again soon.

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★ **GEMINI** MAY 22 to JUNE 21 Educational pursuits lead to personal progression and ultimately to professional fulfillment. In work or business, beware of those with ulterior motives whilst socially, be prepared to expand your circle. An unusual invitation should be accepted. Phone the number below for more details.

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★ **CANCER** JUNE 22 to JULY 23 Ensure that you say what you mean this week for you are bound to be quoted! Above all, be consistent. A telephone call comes out of the blue and takes you by surprise. *Telephone the astrologer for my suggestions for getting out of the red!* It is time to get on top of money matters before they get on top of you.

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★ **LEO** JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 Clear away outstanding obligations before beginning anything new and work at your own pace rather than the demands of others. Socially be open to new people, new places and new experiences. It is time to expand your circle and your horizons. A break away would prove enjoyable and beneficial.

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★ **VIRGO** AUGUST 24 to SEPTEMBER 23 A too tight schedule could cause you to have to miss an appointment. Think of this when making arrangements and ensure no to over-extend or over-commit yourself. Professionally continue to work hard and you will reach your goals. In the meantime be patient. Phone the number below for more details.

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★ **LIBRA** SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23 A reunion with an old friend or flame is a probability. Practise punctuality. Don't be late — particularly for important appointments. Opportunities abound. *For a complete astrological analysis of love, luck and career, telephone the number given below.* Above all, remain confident and focused.

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WEEK ENDING APRIL 23rd

★ **SCORPIO** OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 23 Some experiences your "Scorpion Sting" this week, having pushed for a response. Be prepared to meet another half-way in making amends and all will be forgotten. *If you are in the mood for romance, why not find out what Venus has in store for you by telephoning the Astrologer.*

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★ **SAGITTARIUS** NOV. 23 to DEC. 21 Career success is imminent being much deserved. Romantically, be guided by your intuition. Logic and practicalities will not serve you best in affairs of the heart. A secret is finally revealed, clarifying a complicated situation. *Phone the number below for more details.*

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★ **CAPRICORN** DEC 22 to JAN 20 Remain focused in ambitions and don't allow minor misgivings detract from your confidence. You have the ability and Capricorn practicality to fulfill all your dreams. A happy celebration is imminent. *For full details of planetary effects on love, luck and money telephone the Astrologer.*

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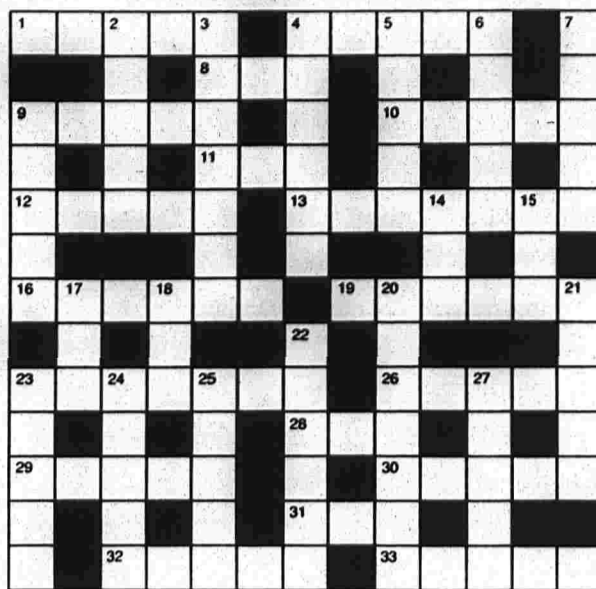
★ **AQUARIUS** JAN 21 to FEB 19 Love letters or romantic telephone calls bring you closer to another. Recognise that sometimes absence really does make the heart grow fonder. Career situations require careful analysis. Remain detached from negative, competitive situations. A family wedding is imminent. *Phone the number below for more details.*

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★ **PISCES** FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20 Be clear about your requirements to others rather than have to deal with later confusions. Professionally, you meet all deadlines and obligations successfully. *If an aspect of your past continues to interfere telephone the Astrologer for future indications.* To promote love and luck wear a passionate pink.

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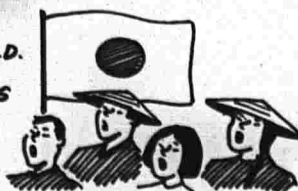
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- R Billy Joel — Uptown Girl
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- U Shakin' Stevens — This Ole House
- V Kelly Marie — Feels Like I'm In Love
- W Olivia Newton John & ELO — Xanadu
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In Memoriam



BEHEGAN — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Catherine Behegan, late of New Street, Lismore, who died April 19, 1983. R.I.P.

Never more than a thought away,
Loved and remembered every day.
(Sadly missed by your daughter Breda, grandchildren Dennis, Mary, Thomas and Kevin.)

BEHEGAN — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear mother, Catherine, late of 21, New Street, Lismore, who died April 19, 1983.

She was a mother in a million,
I loved until the end,
I lost two special things that day,
A mother and a friend.
For those who have a mother,
Love her while you may,
For I wish with all my heart,
That mine was here today.
(Always remembered by your loving daughter Peggy and son-in-law Phil, England.)

BEHEGAN — Tenth Anniversary — In loving memory of a dear grandmother, Catherine, late of 21, New Street, Lismore, who died April 19, 1983.

As time goes by without you,
And days turn into years,
I hold a thousand memories,
And a million silent tears.
It isn't what I write,
Or even what I say,
It's how I feel inside,
When I think of you today.
(Always remembered by your loving granddaughter Patricia, husband John and great-grandchildren John and Eileen, England.)

CONNOLLY — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear daughter, Vera Connolly, 21, Woodview Park, Tallow, Co. Waterford, who died on April 28, 1985. R.I.P.

As we wander to your graveside
Your flowers I place with care,
No one knows our heartache,
As we turn and leave you there
We often sit and think of you,
And think of how you died,
To think you could not say goodbyes,
Before you closed your eyes.
Time does not heal our heartache,
Or stop our silent tears,
Or take away our longing,
For our Vera we loved so dear.
You're not just a memory,
Or part of the past,
You are ours to remember,
As long as life lasts.
Our lips cannot speak how we loved you,
Our hearts cannot tell what to say,
But God only knows how we miss you,
In our home that is lonely today.
(Sadly missed by Mam and Dad, Leo, Paula, Suzie and Caroline.)

CONNORS — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Gerry Connors, late of Kibrien, who died on April 22, 1990. R.I.P. Masses offered.
(Never forgotten by your loving sister-in-law Hilda.)



CONNORS — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband, Jerry, late of Ballinagulkee, Ballinamult, who died on April 21, 1990.
Anyone who thinks of Jerry today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by your loving wife Kathleen and family.)
Anniversary Mass Monday night at 7.30 p.m. in Toura-neena Church.)

COUGHLAN — Ninth Anniversary — In loving memory of Catherine Coughlan, Church Lane, Lismore, who died April 20, 1984.

There is a place in my heart called memory lane,
And in there, Mam, you will always remain,
Just as you were you will always be,
Locked in my heart for eternity.
With tender love and deep regret,
I love you Mam and will never forget.
(From your loving family.)

CULLINANE — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of Patrick, late of Wolfe Tone Road, Dungarvan, who died on April 25, 1989. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy.
Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered by your loving Dad, brother and sisters.)
Anniversary Mass on Monday, April 26 at St. Mary's Parish Church at 9.30 a.m.

DONOVAN — In loving memory of my father and mother, John and Margaret Donovan, late of Keating Street, Dungarvan, my brother Danny, late of Ringnasilloogue, his wife Mary Esther, and a much-loved nephew John O'Mahony, late of Bury, Lancashire and Keating Street, Dungarvan.

There is no death, the stars go down,
To rise upon some fairer shore,
And bright in heaven's jewelled crown,
They shine for ever more.
There is no death, the dust we tread,
Shall change beneath the summer showers,
To golden grain or mellow fruit,
Or rainbow tinted flowers,
And ever near us though unseen,
The dear, immortal spirits tread,
For all the boundless universe,
Is life, there are no dead.
(Always in our thoughts — Barbara and family, Manchester.)

DUGGAN — Eleventh Anniversary — Cherished memories today and every day of a loving husband and father, Joseph Duggan, late of 4, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 19, 1982. R.I.P. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

April comes with sad regret,
The day, the month, I never forget,
I lost my husband, more precious than gold,
How much I miss him can never be told.
Will those who think of Joe today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Never forgotten by your loving wife Mary and family at home and abroad.)

DUGGAN — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear father, Joe Duggan, late of 4, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 19, 1982.

A bouquet of beautiful memories,
Sprayed with a million tears,
Wishing God could have spared you,
If just for a few more years.
(Always remembered by your son Thomas, Brigid, Kellie and Faun.)

DUGGAN — Eleventh Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear brother-in-law Joe, late of 4, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 19, 1982. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P. Masses offered.

On earth he toiled,
In heaven he rests,
God bless you, Joe,
You were one of the best.
Will those who think of Joe today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered — Kitty and Philomena.)



EGAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my darling daughter, Margaret Geraldine, Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 23, 1991.

The angels opened the book of life
And recorded there your birth,
It was opened again on the day you died,
And they said too good for this earth.
All life's treasures are really not worth while,
When the greatest one that's missing,
Is that loving daughter of mine.
You're in my heart every day,
And there you'll always be,
Because I'll love you always, Geraldine,
For all eternity.
(From your loving mother Dolly.)

EGAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Margaret Geraldine, late of Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 23, 1991.

Memories are kept forever,
Of days when we were all together,
Two years ago I had to part,
With a sister I loved with all my heart.
(Lovingly remembered by your brother John.)

EGAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my beautiful mother, Margaret Geraldine, late of Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 23, 1991.

If heaven had a number,
I would call it on the phone,
And tell you how I love you,
And ask you to come home.
(Forever loved and missed by your son Joseph Anthony — love you Mam.)

EGAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Margaret Geraldine, late of Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 23, 1991.

You always had a smile to share,
Time to give and time to care,
Years may pass and tears may dry,
But memories of you will never die.
(Sadly missed and remembered by your sister Jayne.)

EGAN — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear granddaughter, Geraldine, late of Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 23, 1991.

To me you were so special,
Someone kind and true,
You will never be forgotten,
Ger,
I thought the world of you.
Nothing can replace you,
Nothing ever will,
In life I loved you dearly,
In death I love you still.
Will those who think of her today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Forever remembered by your loving Nana Aunt Mary, your son Joseph and uncle Joseph. Rest in peace, dear Geraldine.)

EGAN — Fifty-seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of John Egan, late of Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on April 26, 1936. R.I.P.

Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
In the shelter of Thy Sacred Heart,
Sweet Jesus may he rest.
(Always remembered by your sisters Birdie and Mary and brothers Tom and Joseph.)

ENRIGHT — Twenty-seventh Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Enright, late of Coolagh Road, Abbeyside, who died on April 21, 1966. R.I.P. Masses offered.

Quietly today your memory is kept,
No need for words we will never forget,
Our thoughts go back as they always do,
We treasure the memories we have of you.
(Always remembered by her loving sons.)

FLYNN — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear dad, William Flynn, late of Ballinamuck, Dungarvan, who died on April 22, 1985. Masses offered.

You did not complain,
We knew you were not well,
But little did we know that day,
It would be our last farewell.
(Never forgotten by your loving daughter Mary, son-in-law Pat and grandchildren.)

FOLEY — Thirty-sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of our dear daughter, Maureen Foley, 85, Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on April 25, 1957.

In a near and silent graveyard,
Where the trees their branches wave,
Sleeps a kind and loving daughter,
In her cold and lonely grave.
She bade no one a last farewell,
She raised her hand to none,
Her spirit flew before I knew,
That she from us had gone.
(Always remembered by her loving parents, brothers and sisters.)

McGOVERN — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Edward McGovern, late of Kilrush, Dungarvan, who died on April 21, 1988. Masses offered.

Will those who think of him today,
A little prayer to Jesus say,
Not just today but every day,
We love and remember you.
(Never forgotten by your son Pat, daughter-in-law Mary and grandchildren.)

McGOVERN — Fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Edward McGovern, late of Kilrush, Dungarvan, who died on April 21, 1988.

A loving father, most sincere,
Loved by all he knew,
He loved us all so very dear,
And we all loved him too.
But God in His mercy will give me hope,
And help me bear the strain,
Of the one we cherished,
Loved and lost,
To meet in heaven again.
(Never forgotten by his loving daughter Renie, son-in-law Billy and family.)

McGRATH — Twenty-sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of John McGrath, Junr., who died in Boston, USA on April 23, 1967, late of Dunmoon, Tallow. R.I.P. Masses offered.

A day to remember, sad to recall,
Without farewell you left us all,
Your name is often mentioned,
Our thoughts are with you still.
Will those who think of John today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Always remembered and loved by your loving Mam, sisters and brothers.)

MORRISSEY — Third Anniversary — In loving memory of Mary Morrissey, Ballybrusa, Grange, who died on April 22, 1990.

I will always have our memories,
Of special times we shared,
The way you used to love us,
The way you always cared,
Your life was never selfish,
Only for us you lived,
Not for what you received,
But only for what you could give.
(Never forgotten — Frances and Lisa.)

O'LEARY — Second and Nineteenth Anniversaries — In loving memory of our dear brothers, Tommy who died on April 24, 1991 and Laurence who died on May 16, 1974, both late of Murphy Place, Abbeyside, Dungarvan.

As down the road of memories,
We gently tread today,
Our loving thoughts are with you
As life goes on its way.
Time may heal the heartaches,
Like the smile that hides the tears,
But happy memories keep you close,
Despite the passing years.
(Never forgotten by their loving brothers, sister, relatives and friends.)

PRENDERGAST — First Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear husband, Michael Prendergast, late of Reanacoolagh, Ballysaggart, who died on April 21, 1992. R.I.P.

I keep in my heart the love of the past,
There it is planted, forever to last.
As time passes by you are still at my side,
Ours was a love, death can never divide.
(Always remembered by your loving wife Elizabeth, son Liam, daughter Margaret, daughter-in-law Alice, son-in-law Pat and grandchildren.)

YOUNG — Will all her friends and kind neighbours please remember Molly Young, late of 3, King Street, Abbeyside, whose anniversary is at this time. R.I.P.

(Always remembered by her family at home and away.)

WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL Local Improvement Scheme 1993

Applications are invited from land owners interested in having farm road projects undertaken under the above scheme. To qualify for the scheme, the following conditions must be met:—

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- 2.—Projects may involve the construction and improvement on non-public accommodation roads and bog roads, and minor drainage works.
- 3.—Local contributions must meet between 10% and 40% of the cost of the project, depending on average land valuation.

Application forms and further details are available from The Secretary, Waterford County Council, Arus Bruga, Dungarvan. Latest date for receipt of completed applications is 7th May, 1993.

Signed:
B. J. McNALLY,
County Secretary.

Social and Personal

Dr. Pat Hill, family doctor, has moved residence to Bleach, Villierstown, Cappoquin. Telephone 024-96478.

Social and Personal

GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
Congratulations, love and best wishes to Mossie and Biddy Noonan, 1, Silversprings, Dungarvan, who celebrate their Golden Wedding Anniversary on Sunday next, April 25, from all the family.

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Acknowledgments

O'BRIEN — The wife, sisters and brothers of the late Thomas O'Brien, Adramone, Leamybrien, Kilmacthomas, Co. Waterford, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them on their recent sad bereavement; all those who attended the funeral, sent Mass cards, sympathy cards, letters and floral tributes, and those who called personally to the house. A special word of thanks to Fr. Frawley, P.P., Fr. O'Brien, Canon MacHale, Fr. Desmond, the Kilrossanty and Faha GAA Clubs, Dr. M. Griffen; all the kind neighbours and friends who were so helpful and also Newport House Day Centre in Dungarvan. Our thanks also to Kents, Undertakers in Kilmacthomas. As a token of appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all. Trusting that this will be accepted by all in grateful appreciation.

O'NEILL — The family of the late Pat O'Neill, N.T., "Odell," Abbeyside, Dungarvan, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them on their recent sad bereavement; all those who attended the funeral, sent Mass cards, floral tributes and messages of sympathy. A special word of thanks to the Clergy who officiated at the obsequies and to the Teachers and children of Glenbeg N.S. As a token of our appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

LONERGAN — The husband and family of the late Bridget Lonergan, 7, Town Court, Shannon, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who attended the removal of remains, Mass and burial; those who sent Mass cards and floral tributes. Sincere thanks to Fr. Pat Mulcahy, Fr. William Walsh, Fr. John Bane and Fr. Joe Hourigan; also organist and choir. Special thanks to Kennedy Undertakers and gravediggers; Dr. Linnane, Shannon and the nurses and staff at Galway Regional Hospital. Grateful thanks to all our neighbours and friends. A special thank you to those who travelled from Waterford and England for their help and support. As it would be impossible to thank individually all the people who have been so supportive to us, we hope that this acknowledgment will be accepted as an expression of our deepest appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

The late Bridget Lonergan was wife of Jim Lonergan, Knockeylan, Leamybrien and Shannon.

Bridget was laid to rest at Drumcliff Cemetery, Ennis, Co. Clare.

KILROSSANTY NOTES

LARGE CROWDS ATTEND FUNERAL OF ACCIDENT VICTIM

A great sadness was felt over the parish and surrounding areas when the news of the death of Bill Kirwan of Kilnagrange was heard. Bill and his friend John Halley, Ballyshunock had been killed instantly in a two car crash at Kilmeaden on Easter Sunday night. Bill was son of Billy and Mary Kirwan and was well known in the area. He was employed by Shanley Electrical Co., Dungarvan where he was an apprentice electrician. Motor cars and motor bikes were his favourite pastime. His remains were removed from his residence to Fews Church on Tuesday evening and was followed by one of the largest corteges seen for a long time in Fews. Fr. M. Frawley blessed and received his remains. The 12 o'clock Mass on Wednesday was celebrated by Mr. Ml. Frawley with co-celebrants, Fr. Ml. O'Byrne, Fr. John O'Brien, Fr. Michael Enright, Fr. Michael Walsh, Fr. Pat Butler, Fr. Ml. J. Ryan and Canon Flynn. The

readers were Sean Murphy (friend of the family) and Niall Kirwan (cousin). Kilrossanty/Fews Choir rendered some appropriate hymns, Sean O'Donnell was soloist and Finbarr Keoghan was accompanist on the organ. His cousins and brothers carried the remains to the adjoining cemetery where the prayers of the faithful were recited by Fr. Frawley. Sean Murphy spoke a few words at the graveside. His immediate relatives are Billy and Mary (parents); Dermot, Brendan, Raymond (brothers), Marcella (Kennedy), Helen and Jean sisters; Uncles, Tommy, Michael, Tony, Noel, Jack and Vinny Kirwan; Billy, Ned and Michael Barry; Aunts, Alice Power, Marcella Garvey, Mai O'Mahoney, Phyllis O'Sullivan, Monica O'Sullivan, Cora Beresford, Eileen Kirwan, Patsy Dawson; Emmet Kennedy (brother-in-law) and a large circle of cousins, nephews, nieces, and many friends. The burial of John Halley also took place on Wednesday in Newtown Cemetery. May they both rest in peace.

beat St. Olivers and they will meet Old Parish in the semi-final on Thursday night of this week.

HOLIDAYS

Spending a holiday with her sister in America is Mrs. Ann Fitzgerald, Kilrossanty.

KILROSSANTY G.A.A NOTES

Junior Football — Our juniors were beaten in a challenge by Kill last Sunday morning in Kill on the score of 2-10 to 1-10. This Thursday evening we take on Stradbally in the championship in Stradbally and hopefully with most of last year's team still available we will be able to get off to a winning start.

Senior Football — Next Sunday afternoon in Walsh Park we will play our first championship game against Gaultier. This will be a hard start for the team but if we play to our full potential then we should have two vital championship points on Sunday evening.

Under 14 Football — Last Wednesday evening in Leamybrien the lads beat Tallow in the championship by 1-7 to 1-4. This was a very close game throughout and at half time we led by just a single point, 1-5 to 1-4. In the second half the whole team played magnificently and in the end we fully deserved our two point victory. We have now qualified to meet Ring in the Western B semi-final.

Team — J. P. Hallahan, N. P. Walsh, V. Walsh, K. Casey, P. Lennon, A. Walsh, C. O'Brien, D. Kirwan, K. O'Connor, R. Cotter, C. Keating (0-3), T. Kiely (0-1), S. Fahy (1-0), P. Coffey (0-2), Tony Kirwan. Subs. — K. Kirwan for S. Fahy, S. Maguire, S. Casey, J. C. Foley, Damien Kirwan, J. M. Lally, Thomas Kirwan.

They now meet An Gaeltacht in the semi-final (tonight) Wednesday night in Fraher Field at 7 p.m.

Busy Week — Roadstone Ltd., under the supervision of the office staff James Power, Martin Walsh and Billy Lynch had one of their busiest weeks last week when the Ready Mix Concrete lorry drivers worked from dawn till dusk transporting concrete to the Telecom Mast in Cruachan Mountain off the Mauma Road. Well done to all concerned. Take it easy now.

Cards — Results for Monday 19th inst — Tommy Carey and Ml. Kirwan on ten games. Runners up — Noel Kirwan and Pat Cunningham on ten games; Best of last five — Brigid Hogan and Mai Kiersey, Tony Coffey and Jim Walsh, John Kiely and Tom Casey; Lucky Table — John Mansfield and Nicky Wall; Last game — Nanny Kirwan and Josie Doocey. Jackpot £150 on thirteen games. Best wishes to one of our card players Dinny Roche who is hospitalised at present.

Birthday Remembrance

DOHERTY — Birthday Remembrance of Paul Doherty, Allen Street, Cappoquin, on April 23.

It doesn't take a special day,

For us to think of you,
Each Mass we hear and each prayer we say,
Are offered up for you.

May he rest in peace, dear Jesus,

In his heavenly home above,

With the Sacred Heart of Jesus,

In His own eternal love.

(Never forgotten, sadly missed by his loving parents Michael and Breda, brothers Pat and Mike and sisters Marie and Helen, brother-in-law Michael and family and fond friends.)

BURKE — The husband, daughters and family of the late Julia Burke, Barrack Street, Tallow, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement, especially those who attended Rosary, removal of remains, Mass and burial; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes. A special word of thanks to Dr. Cantillon, the Priests, Matron and staff, Lismore Hospital; kind neighbours and friends; the organist and choir; the Undertaker and gravediggers and all who assisted in every way. Please accept this acknowledgment as a personal expression of our deepest gratitude. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

HOME

Home after spending a holiday with her sisters in England is Gertie Power, Ballyboy. We hope you enjoyed your holiday.

LOURDES INVALID FUND

A word of thanks to all who supported the Kilrossanty Lourdes Invalid Fund last Saturday night in Crotty's Inn. To the ticket sellers, sponsors prizes and Crotty's Inn, many thanks for your generosity.

SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to Moira O'Donovan, Glendalligan on the death of her sister Patricia Foley, who died in Canada. Burial took place in Kill Cemetery on Saturday last. She is survived by her husband and two children. May she rest in peace. Sympathy is also extended to Sean and Michael Murphy on the death of their aunt Gretta Walsh, of Ring Post Office. Burial took place in Ring Cemetery. May she rest in peace.

FASHION SHOW

Waterford Ladies Football will hold a Fashion Show in the Park Hotel on Thursday night 29th April at 8 p.m. Local models will be modelling ladies and gents. So for a good night come to the Park on the 29th. Tickets from June Whyte, £5.00 (Advt.).

LADIES FOOTBALL

Kilrossanty under 16's had a great win over Dungarvan last Saturday. They are away to Old Parish this Wednesday night and away to Clashmore on Saturday morning. The Community games team with K.C.K.

TALLOW NOTES

THE LATE PATRICK NICHOLSON

The death took place on Thursday, April 1 of Mr. Patrick Nicholson. Paddy, as he was more popularly known, was formerly from Tircullen, Tallow. He emigrated to England in the early 1950's and resided at Yardley, Birmingham until his death. Sympathy is extended to his wife Elizabeth, daughters Pauline and Sarah, son Thomas, daughter-in-law Loretta, son-in-law P. J. and darling grand daughter Ciara, his brother, John, who also resides in Birmingham, his loving sisters Mrs. Mary Delaney, Old Road, Tallow, Mrs. Eileen Murphy, Parkdota,

Tallow and Mrs. Margaret Daly, Tircullen, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

His remains were removed from St. Thomas More's R.C. Church, Sheldon and the funeral took place at Brandwood End Cemetery, Kings Heath, Birmingham, following Requiem Mass, in the presence of a large cortege of family and friends. May he rest in peace.

KNOCKANORE, GLENDINE, KILWATERMOY COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

Twenty Years Ago — In April 1973 the local drama

group (Blackwater) won one of the major awards at the All-Ireland Rural Drama Final in Loughrea, Co. Galway, with their performance of "Big Maggie" by J. B. Keane. Cast were Agnes O'Sullivan, John Coughlan R.I.P., Geraldine Foley, Nora Delacour, Jim Carrig, John McSweeney, Nicholas Parker, Annette Fitzgerald, Liam Herlihy, Patricia Dalton, Mary Murphy. Play was directed by Fr. Ml. O'Byrne. Others involved were Paddy Casey R.I.P., Billy O'Keefe, Johnny Baldwin, Patrick Hayes, Patrick Geary, Maria O'Donovan, Jim Campion R.I.P., W. Dineen, Stephen Murphy R.I.P., Marion Kennedy and Frank Geary.

Fashion Show — A Gala Fashion Show will be held in the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore on Thursday, April 29. Fashions by Mary Lee, Dungarvan and models from Waterford Work Shop. There will also be men's fashions modelled by local lads. Compere Bridget McSweeney. Special attraction on the night will be entertainment by Art Supple. Tickets £3 each can be had from any member of the Community Council or by phoning the Shamrock Inn (024/97344).

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH HALL

Card results, Wednesday, April 7 — 1st Noreen Gough and Brian Ahern; 2nd Daniel McGrath and Eric Curley; 3rd Pad Hogan and Noel Pratt. Table Prize — Rose Prescod and Linda McCormack. Tickets — Noel Pratt, Jack Cotter.

Results, Wednesday, April 14 — 1st Sadie Geary and Eamonn Cusack; 2nd Jack Fraser and Jack Cotter; 3rd Pad Hogan and Noel Pratt. Table Prize — Tony and Kathleen McGrath. Tickets — Mary Pratt, Bart O'Donoghue

TALLOW JUVENILE AFFAIRS

Under-14 — We travelled down to Leamybrien on last Wednesday to play Kilrossanty. As this was our last chance to reach the semi-final stage we needed to win this game. Kilrossanty were quickly into their stride and put over a few points. We replied with a few points before the home team went through for a goal. We battled well for the rest of the half and were just a point behind at the break. Putting up a tremendous performance throughout the second half we just failed to pull back the home team. Final score — Kilrossanty 1-7 Tallow 1-4.

Our minor team played Dungarvan in Ardmore on Easter Monday. After a good game Tallow were winners on a final score of Tallow 2-10 Dungarvan 2-5.

TALLOW G.A.A. NOTES

A meeting of the club will take place on this Thursday 22nd April at 8.00 p.m. in the Hotel. All monies and tickets for the April draw to be with Donie O'Brien the draw coordinator or any committee member by Thursday night. The May draw will take place in Tallow. More news of this next week.

The minor hurlers had a very good win against Dungarvan in the first round of the championship last week by 6 points 2-8 to 1-5. They play Abbeyside next and Lismore in their final game.

Senior Hurling Championship

Tallow 2-13 Dungarvan 3-8

Tallow senior hurlers picked up two valuable points, when they had to come from behind against Dungarvan to snatch victory on Saturday last in Lismore, in the opening round of this year's championship. Tallow led by 0-4 to 0-0 after 10 minutes, the points coming from Pat Murphy (3) and Ger Sice whose play was to have a vital bearing on the outcome. Dungarvan goaled and then levelled, but Tallow again came forward and led when David Henley pointed (0-5 to 1-1), but Dungarvan took over and scored four points without reply to lead 1-5 to 0-5 at half time. Dungarvan started the second half where they left off in the first taking the game to Tallow. A further point increased their lead to four points. Tallow pointed to leave a goal between the sides. A further Tallow point brought it back to 2 points - 1-6 to 0-7. Dungarvan struck two hammer blows in the form of two goals in five minutes to leave them ahead 3-6 to 0-7 and with 14 minutes played Dungarvan were really hurling well and Tallow were ragged. A Ger Sice point followed by a cracker of a goal from Steve Curley brought it back to 4 points - 3-6 to 1-8. Further points from Tallow had it to the minimum (3-6 to 1-11). Dungarvan pointed (3-7 to 1-11) and with time running out fast for Tallow Dave Henley goaled to put Tallow ahead for the first time since the 10th minute - 3-7 to 2-11. But back came Dungarvan and equalised 3-8 to 2-11. We were now

playing injury time. From Martin Murphy's puck out Dave Henley pointed to put Tallow ahead again 2-12 to 3-8 and a Steve Curley point was the last score of the game and had Tallow leading 2-13 (19) to 3-8 (17) at the end of a rip roaring contest. Dungarvan may well feel aggrieved at the end when they had victory snatched from them in the final minutes of the game, but the game isn't over until the final whistle. Tallow never panicked even when 8 points down midway through the second half and the introduction of Philly

Curley into the full forward line and the placing of Pat Murphy at centre forward and Dave Henley's move to wing forward practically won the game for Tallow. Martin Murphy played solidly in goal and had no chance of the three that passed him. The full back line of Tomás McCarthy, Mick Beecher and Colin Cunningham played well, without really scaling the heights they normally can and they will have to tighten up in this area. The half back line of Jimmy Sheehan, Jim O'Donoghue and Johnny Geary put up the shutters in the last quarter to stop the threat of the Dungarvan forwards. Mark Geary and Kieran Murphy at midfield played well when they found their feet, they sent invaluable balls to the forwards. Up front Dermot Henley got no real run of the ball while David Henley benefitted from the switch to wing forward from the centre. Pat Murphy, Philly Curley, J. J. Henley, until substituted all tried hard but Steve Curley and Ger Sice really caught the eye, Stevens goal was critical while Ger has made the move to attack from defence with ease and his four points from play were gems. Portlaw are our next opponents and hopefully we can tighten things up a bit for them.

Team — Martin Murphy, Tomás McCarthy, Mick Beecher, Colin Cunningham, Tim Sheehan, Jim O'Donoghue, Johnny Geary, Kieran Murphy, Mark Geary, Dermot Henley, David Henley 1-2, J. J. Henley, Ger Sice 0-4, Pat Murphy 0-5 (1 pt. 4 frees), Steve Curley 1-2. Sub. Philly Curley for J. J. Henley at half time.

BRIDE VIEW UTD. A.F.C. NOTES

Happy Birthday Bride View Utd.

Yes it's party time in Tallow this week-end as Bride View celebrate its 21 yrs. It begins on this Friday night and ends on Sunday.

This Friday night in the Community Centre the club are holding their 21st Anniversary Celebrations. It begins at 9 o'clock and runs until 2 a.m. with a full bar, meal and music by the Gents.

It promises to be a great night with many players who played with the club during its 21 years coming together for this great occasion. There will be many a good story told on this night and after 21 years there is plenty to tell.

On Saturday night in the Devonshire Hotel the club are launching a book on the clubs history. The author is none other than one of the clubs founder members Patrick Coughlan. Mr. Brian O'Shea Minister of State Department of Agriculture will officially launch the book. This begins at 9 o'clock sharp.

On Sunday in Bride view Park a mixture of Uniteds U-8 to U-10's will take the field. This game begins at 12 o'clock. A penalty shootout for U-12, U-14 and U-16's will also take place.

After this a mixed match of all Uniteds players will take place. No doubt there will be many of our "younger" players displaying their skills here.

All in all a great week-end of sport, entertainment and craic no doubt. We take this opportunity to wish everyone an enjoyable week-end. Happy 21st Birthday Bride View United.

Congratulations

Well done to Mary Curley, West Street, Tallow who won a fabulous weekend away in Killarney in The Torc Hotel. This hotel is one of The Great Southern Hotel Group.

Lotto

The winning numbers last week were 5, 11, 17. Again we had no winner. This week we are reducing the numbers from 24 down to 18. This should increase everyone's chances over the coming weeks.

The voucher this week is for Carthy's Hair Studio. The jackpot is £400.

Mass

The 11 o'clock Mass on Sunday will be celebrated for all the clubs players who have died during the past 21 years as well as for all relatives and friends of all our players.

May they all rest in peace.

Guest — Johnny Mathews the famous Waterford winger of the 60's and 70's is Uniteds guest for the 21st dinner. Johnny will have a few stories to tell no doubt.

Guest Players — We understand that some very famous guest players are playing in Bride View Park on Sunday next. Councillor Willie McDonnell, Tom Kearney, Joe Tobin, Tommy Daly, Johnny "Sparks" Hogan, and a host of other younger players.

Collection — A collection will be made at this game and the proceeds will go to the Sacred Heart Day Unit, Lady Lane Waterford. Please support this worthy cause.

Welcome — The club welcomes our French visitors to Tallow and hope they enjoy the week with us.

TALLOW SQUASH CLUB NOTES

Despite the stretch in the evenings it is good to see that many players are getting full value for their membership by continuing to play well into the season.

At present the singles tournament is drawing to a close with just five games left. In division one top seed Neil Twomey plays Pa Morrissey to decide who plays the indomitable John Roche in the final which is sure to be a cracker.

In division two new member John O'Sullivan has shown considerable skill to obtain a final placing against more experienced Denis Corkery.

In the ladies the accurate badminton shots of Katrina O'Donoghue will be pitted against the skillful play of Liz Forde to decide who plays Kay Condon in the final. Finalists are requested to arrange matches at their convenience, record the results and prizes will be presented at a later date.

Remember your membership is valid till next Autumn so why not keep in trim and get your game in. A. O'B



Sean Walsh, Drapery, Tallow, presenting jerseys to Milo Aheame, Chairman Brideview Soccer Club.

TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Results are as follows — Mrs. Geary, Cappoquin; Batty McGrath, Dunmoon; Margo Roche, Fermoy; John Joe Murphy, Roseville; Alice Henley, Curraheen, Tallow; Mrs. Nellie Fitzgerald, Lismore; Charlotte Fuller, Parkdota, Tallow; Mrs. Deedy; Margaret Geary, Moorehill; Jo Donnelly, Woodview Park; Mrs. Morrissey, Villierstown; Peg Walsh, Knockanore; Mary Mangan, Tallow; Kathleen Rice, Fermoy; Mrs. Strich, Fermoy; Willie Aheame, Conna; Mary Lee, Conna; Mrs. O'Mahony, Kilcronat, Ballynoe; P. J. Collins, Barrack Street.

Next week's jackpot is £475 on 52 calls or less.

NOTAILIOS MOR C.L.G.

U-21 FINAL

The U-21 Hurling Final (1992) is scheduled to take place at Cappoquin this Saturday evening at 6.45 p.m. between Lismore and Ballygunner.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

Our junior footballers will be in action against Tallow in Ballyduff next Sunday morning 25th April at 11.30 a.m. in the 1st round of the championship.

SENIOR HURLING

Having been unlucky to have lost to Mount Sion last Sunday, Lismore will take

on Colligan at Cappoquin on Sunday 2nd May at 2 p.m.

BEST WISHES

Best wishes and speedy recovery to Billy Cunningham who is recovering from a serious operation at The Beaumont Hospital, Dublin.

Congratulations to Eamonn (Busty) Power and Yvonne McNamara on their recent engagement over the Easter Holidays.

The Paddy Whelan Tournament (U-14) scheduled to take place this weekend (Saturday) is cancelled until further notice.

LISMORE G.A.A. NOTES

Weekly Draw, week no. 14 — £50, Ms. Sylvia O'Connell, New Street; £30, Mr. Ed. Landers, Parks Road; £20, Mr. Jim Hale, Ballyin; £15, Mr. Peter Flynn, Tallow; £10, Mr. Paddy Lawton, Town's Park; £10, Mrs. Ena Brien, Post Office; £10, Mr. E. O'Neill, Ballyea. Promoters Prize — Johnny Flynn.

Week no. 15 — £50, Miss

Karen Prendergast, Carrignagour; £30, Mrs. Ann Cashman, New Street; £20, Miss Sarah Ryan, Tallow; £15, Mrs. Kit Power, Mayfield; £10, Mr. Pat O'Gorman, Fernville; £10, Mr. Eddie Flynn, Main Street; £10, Mr. Mossy Casey, Ballyduff. Promoters Prize — Paul Prendergast. The next draw will be held in the Red House on Monday 26th April at 8.00 p.m. All are welcome to attend. (Advt.)

Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's G.A.A. Notes

CLONEA 0-11

ST. MARY'S 0-10

On Saturday night last we played Clonea in the first round of the I.H.C. and in a very exciting close game of hurling we were very unlucky not to have won. Clonea who are favourites to win this year's championship will be very pleased with this result. We led at half time by 2 points but Clonea finished stronger and took their chances better than we did.

Our team was — J. Dalton, B. Tobin, Tom Condon, R. McGrath, J. Hallinan, S. Kerins, J. Butler, D. Kiely, T. Whelan, J. P. Fitzpatrick, Tomas Condon, K. Hallahan, R. Ryan, P. Hallinan, E. Lonergan. Sub. — D. Whelan for J. Dalton.

SLIABH gCUEA -v- TRAMORE

On Tuesday night next we

Notai C.L.C.G. An tSean Phobail

An tSean Phobail junior footballers go into championship action on Saturday evening next at 7 p.m. in Bushy Park. Our opposition are Kilgobinet and if this fixture is as close as past years, it will make a very interesting game. I would also like to take this opportunity to welcome our new trainer David Kiely, whose training methods are proving very popular with our players. We wish him every success this year.

An tSean Phobail ladies under 16 team were unlucky to lose by two goals to a strong Clashmore team on Saturday night last in Pairc Uí Colmain. However, An tSean Phobail under 14 ladies team advanced to the semi-final of the Community Games during the week with a great victory over Kilmacthomas. The ladies now meet their old rivals St. Patrick's under the new name K.C.K. at the Friary Grounds on Thursday next at 6.30 p.m.

Finally An tSean Phobail would like to thank the Geraldines for travelling to play us in a challenge match on Saturday night last.

play Tramore in the first round of the S.F.C. at Lemybrien at 7 o'clock. This is a game which we must win if we are to make it to the play-off stages of the championship. All players to be at Lemybrien at 6.30 p.m.

COUNTY PLAYERS

Over the weekend Waterford bowed out of the 2 championships where we had a player involved with each. In the U-21 hurling, Limerick defeated Waterford where J. P. Fitzpatrick was a member of the panel and in the U-16 hurling Mid. Tipperary defeated West Waterford where Maurice Cliffe played at corner back.

Shamrocks G.A.A. Notes

INTERMEDIATE HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP (1st Round)

SHAMROCKS 2-7

BALLYSGAGGART 1-10 Played at Tallow on last Saturday evening, a good, close, sporting game was the outcome and it could have gone either way but in the end a draw was a fair result. A feature of the game was the return of Pat Murphy who suffered a broken leg 2 years ago while playing in the county semi-final for us in Dungarvan against Erin's Own, and on Saturday he scored 2 good goals and a point.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP (1st Round)

Shamrocks play Affane at Lismore on this Saturday evening and on Sunday evening we play Ring in the 1st round of the intermediate football championship at Ardmore. Both games will have a 7 p.m. start and all players are to be at the venues not later than 6.30 p.m.

UNDER-14 FOOTBALL "C" CHAMPIONSHIP

On Sunday morning we meet Ballyduff in the Western final. This game will be played at Tallow and will have an 11.15 a.m. start. We would appeal to as many supporters as possible to come along and cheer on the youngsters.

ST. CATHERINES G.A.A. NOTES

Minor Football League At Shanagarry St. Catherines 5-9 Russell Rovers 3-5

St. Catherines annexed 2 valuable points for their League account by virtue of a good win over Russell Rovers whom they defeated after a lively encounter which took place at the latter's homeground at Shanagarry recently.

Catherine's lined out as follows — Paddy Lane, Donal Lynch, Richard Cotter, Paul O'Connell, Kevin O'Connell, Aidan Hickey, Martin O'Keeffe, Ger Lynch, Jim Lane, David O'Connell, Johnny Sheehan, Brendan Hickey, Brian Quinn, Kieran Morrisson, Michael O'Brien. Sub. — Ian O'Connell.

Junior Football League At Conna Glenville 0-9 St. Catherines 0-5

Glenville footballers visited Conna last Sunday evening for the above League tie. The homeside had a daunting task before them taking on a renowned team, skilled from infancy in the big ball game, but with a much improved performance they held their line well 'tho eventually Glenville got the upper hand and deserved their victory.

Billy Cody, Middleton refereed and Catherine's team was — Pat Sullivan, Denis Buckner, Barry Regan, Mike Walsh, Seamus Neville, Shane O'Connell, Kevin Barry, Donal O'Leary, Edward Sheehan, Ger Lynch, Edmund Galvin, Paul Higgins, Ted O'Leary, Pad Joe Lonergan, Billy Carr. Subs. used — Johnny Sheehan, Cathal Casey, Mark Lane.

U-12 Football League

Our U-12 footballers hadn't, a successful run at the weekend the B team being beaten by Agheda, and the A team by Killeagh on their Saturday outings and the B team were also defeated by Glanmire on Sunday. Better luck next time.

Intermediate Hurling Championship

The 15 of May is the date for our first round with Ahaballogue and the venue, Church Road, Blackrock.

ATHLETICS

East Cork road Championships At Ballynoe

The above event attracted a lot of interested spectators to Ballynoe village last Thursday evening. Dan McCarthy, Chairman of the East Cork A.C. acted as starter with Willie Harte, Handicapper, and Mrs. Maureen McCarthy Hon. Sec. were also in attendance, and Willie O'Mahoney Hon. Treas.

Results Women — 2,00m. (Albert Muckley Perpetual Cup) 1st, Mary Sheehan, E. Cork A.C., 6.57; 1st over 35, Frankie Delvin, Middleton A.C. 8.35; Team — Middleton A.C., 113 points (Catherine Wallace, Margaret Rohan, Linda Priestly).

Open Category — 1st, Kathleen O'Brien, Ballynoe, 8.20; 2nd, Margaret O'Neill, Grange, Fermoy A.C., 8.51; 3rd, Colin Hennessy, Ladysbridge, 9.46.

Men, 5 miles (W.J. Curran Perpetual Memorial Cup) — 1st, Martin Drake, E. Cork A.C., 26.12; 1st Novice, Paul Parker, Ballymore-Cobh A.C., 27.25; 1st junior, Len O'Sullivan, E. Cork A.C., 28.26; 1st over 35, Seamus Casey, Ballymore-Cobh A.C., 27.29; 1st team, E. Cork A.C., 12 points (Eric Meade, Laurence McCarthy, Denis McCarthy); 2nd team, Middleton A.C., 43 points (Sean Cooney, Eamonn O'Neill, Donie O'Connell); 3rd team, Ballymore-Cobh A.C., 45 points (Tom Kelly, Pat Walsh, John Murphy).

Open Category — 1st, Frank O'Halloran, Grange Fermoy A.C., 29.50; 2nd, Denis Carroll, Blarney, 30.30; 3rd, Pat McHugh, Grange-Fermoy A.C., 38.18.

Dan McCarthy presented the prizes to the winners and spoke in glowing terms of the late Willie John Curran's astounding works Athletics, whose widow Mrs. Curran was present to present the W. J. Curran memorial trophy to the 5 mile winner Martin Drake.

Cumann Lúthchleas Gael Na Rinne

PEIL - FAOI-14

Tá leathchraobh an Iarthair le himirt ag na buachaillí an tseachtain seo. Is iad Cill Rosanta ár gcéilfí comhraic sa cheann seo. Tá an cluiche socraithe do Dhún na Mainistreach ar an gCeadaoin ar a 7.00 i.n. Imreoidh na buaiteoirí sa chraobh ar an Satharn seo chugainn i gcoinne buaiteoirí N. Bríd v. na Bricigh. Tá súil againn go mbeimid ann. Go néirfí an tÁdh libh, a imreoirí.

CRANNCHUR CONTAE AGUS AN CLUB

Is ar an Aoine, 30ú Aibreán, a bheidh an chéad Chrannchur eile ag an gCoiste Forbartha Contae, i bPort Cladach. Muna bhfuil airgead Aibreáin tugtha isteach agat, déan é an tseachtain seo, led' thoil. New members are still welcome to join in the April and forthcoming draws.

IOMÁNAÍOCHT IDIRMHEÁNACH

An Rinn 1-8 An Sráid Bhaile 3-9

Trathnóna Sathairn aoihbhinn i bPáirc Uí Fhreachair, bhí an chéad chluiche iománaíochta againn. Minus a number of familiar faces, our team had a new and interesting look about it. ThosnáiOMar le fuinneamh. Taréis roinnt brú, fuair Eugene ár gcéad chúilín. Stradbally notched up two wides. Nioclás goaled following a "free-in" taken by Carthach. Fuair an SRáid Bhaile dhá chúilín, ceann acu ó shaorbhuille agus ceann ón imirt. Carthach replied with a point. Stradbally scored their first goal, at this juncture, followed by a lovely point from a sideline cut which Noel touched, but did not prevent from going over. Stalemate followed as An Rinn recorded a series of wides, before Nioclás scored a further point. Bhí an tÁdh linn nuair nar ceadaíodh cúl don Sráid Bhaile toisc tosá a bheith sa chearnóg. Chuireamar dhá iarracht ar phointí amú. Fuair Carthach cúilín amháin eile roimh leatham. Stradbally tacked on two further points to lead 1-5 to 1-4 after thirty minutes.

Taréis na hidirlinne, thosnaigh foireann na Rinne le brí is le tíomantacht. Bhí Mícheál Ó Droma tagtha ar an bpáirc in áit Dhéagláin a bhí ag gnmómhú sa chúinne roimh leatham. Seoladh poc sleasa go cruinn ó Eugene i dtreo Niocláis agus ghnóthaigh seisear cúilín. Ghnóthaigh Eugene fein dhá chúilín sa chéile díreach ina dhiaidh sin. When Carthach pointed from a Mícheál Ó Droma pass to put An Rinn three points ahead, our followers, among the handful present on the bank, were justifiably optimistic. Bhí seansanna againn dul níos faide chun tosaigh ag an bpointe seo ach chuireamar ceithre no cuig iarrachtaí ar chúilíní amú. Stradbally recorded two valuable points without reply. Bhí an Rinn fos laidir, ach theip orainn scor a fhail. Fiu is an sliotar sa chearnóg againn cupla babhta, ni raibh an tadh linn. We had lost the initiative now. The remaining five to ten minutes of the match was Stradbally's, as they scored 2-2 without reply. Bhí se cailte againn.

Our defence played solidly. The new defenders adapted well to their tasks. Our mid-field players worked tirelessly throughout and accounted for three points each of the total. The forward Division attacked ceaselessly, but only full-forward Nioclás (1-2) got his name on the scoresheet. B'fhéidir nach bhfuilimid aclaí go leor fós; b'fhéidir go gcaithfidimid níos mo cleachtaidh a dhéanamh ar na scilleanna. Ach, cinnte, táimid sa chomórtas seo le seans. Tá an cumas ionainn. Tá na scilleanna againn. Bímis ullamh don chead chluiche eile ar an 2ú Bealtaine v. Mícheál Mac Craith i nDún Aill.

An fhoireann — Noel Ó Murchadha, Breandán de Faite, Daithí Ó Cuilleánáin, Domhnall Ó Murchadha, Stíofán Ó Cuirín, Séan Ó Cuirín (Captaen), MacDara MacDonnchadha, Eugene Ó Cuirín, Carthach Mac Craith, Páidí Breathnach, Eamonn Ó Crotaigh, Séimí Mac Craith, Déaglán Ó Réagáin, Nioclás Mac Craith, Séan Ó Condúin.

Fir Ionaid — Mícheál Ó Droma, Daragh Ó Conchúir, Gearóid Ó Cuirín, Diarmuid Ó Drócháin, Ciarán Ó Roisitéir, Liam Ó Cuirín, Dearán Ó Droma.

PEIL - IDIRMHEÁNACH AGUS SHÓISEAR

Peil ata idir lámhaibh againn an tseachtain seo - traeneáil agus cluiche dúshláin agus cluichí ag deire na seachtaine. Ar an Satharn, 24ú Aibreán, beidh an fhoireann Shóisear ar an bhfód sa Sean Phobal, i gcoinne Ródaite na Bricí - ar a 7.00 i.n.

Ar a 7.00 i.n. ar an Domhnach 25ú Aibreán, beidh an fhoireann Idirmheánach ag imirt san Áird Mhór i gcoinne na Seamróga. BeiDh lucht C.L.G. gnóthach, más ea, an deire seachtaine seo chugainn. Guímid gach rath ar ghach éinne a bhaineann leo.

ÁR gCOMHBHRÓN

Is cúis buartha dúinn bás Gretha Bean Breathanch a fhógairt. R.I.P. Bean séimh, cneasta ba ea í - máthair, seanmháthair, deirfiúr, agus comharsa den scoth. Trialadh go maith í ag trioblóidí an tsaoil agus ghlac sí le toil Dé i gcónaí. Ba shampla againn go léir í. Cuireann Cumann Lúthchleas Gael na Rinne a gcomhbhrón ó chroí in iúl do Mhuintir Bhreathnach agus do Mhuintir Uí Murchadha. Is trua linn bhúr mbuairt.

Causeway Tennis Club Notes

All annual club subscriptions must be in by May 1, 1993, if intending members are not paid up by then, they will not be allowed play; this will be rigidly adhered to, so don't embarrass either yourself or the unfortunate committee members. Remember it's your club, and there is a £58,000 debt to be paid off.

Our Senior Open Week is creeping up on us and the committee are now putting the final touches on what promises to be an outstanding week. We normally get a very good entrance — around the 200 mark but having changed our week from mid summer to May 16, we should get a massive entry from all round the South East from players anxious to start the '93 tournament odyssey. It will be divided into four sections, A, B, C, and D so all calibre of players will be catered for. A singles, mixed, mens and ladies doubles will be played in all sections, to that means that there will be 32 winners, 32 runners up and around £1,000 in cash prizes, as well as cut glass prizes.

This tournament will be preceded by the Inter-Firms Tennis Tournament in St. Anne's in Waterford. This tournament is the biggest Inter-Firms tournament in the country attracting up to a thousand tennis players, some of the highest calibre, whereas the D section is a total fun section and is open to beginners only, and last year had an entry of 98 teams of four, i.e. four hundred beginners and it was a great success both on the courts and on the after tennis scene.

After our Senior Open Week we have the Dungarvan Inter-Firms Tennis

Tournament which will be organised by St. Laurence's Tennis Club, Ballinroad this year. There should be a huge entry and it should be very competitive as usual. So get your team organised now, for the coming fray.

Junior coaching has commenced on April 19 and can still be availed of, as it will go on for ten sessions. Greg Morris will be coming from Cork to coach our senior players, this will cost £14 per hour, if in a group of 4 it is only £3.50 per head, so improve your serving, volleying, top spin, back spin, half volley, court craft, etc. by availing of this highly trained senior Munster inter-provincial coach's vast experience and expertise.

Sweat-shirts with Causeway motif, polo shirts (tennis tops) are available from any committee member, at the very competitive price of £10. The lights are being repaired presently and should be fully functional in 2 weeks.

Our Civil Service team of Patricia Flanagan, Maria Kelleher, Teresa Keane, Theresa M. Keane got our campaign running against St. Michael's L.T.C. of Cork, but were narrowly beaten by 4 pony-tailed adolescents, 4-2. They now play Bishopstown in the Plate next Sunday.

We sent two junior teams to Kilkenny last Sunday to play in the McKeogh Cup. Our A team of Ciaran Higgins, Gavin Keane and Conor Barrett and Marie Sheehan, Julianne Veale and Susan Brosnan did very well to be runners-up in the Under-18. They beat Celbridge in the 1st round, beat Kilkenny in the 2nd round and lost to Brookfield L.T.C. Dublin in the final. So well done lads. — T.H.

Abbeyside Shore Angling Club Notes



Photographed at the Gold Coast are prizewinners in the competition run by Abbeyside Shore Angling Club and sponsored by James Kirwan, Kirwan Electrical. Group shows (left to right) back row — James Kirwan, sponsor, Bridget Tobin, Best Lady, Brian Mansfield 1st, John Paul Power 4th, Tony Crowe 3rd; front row — Damien Wall 1st Juvenile, John Cronin 2nd, Pat Buckley, Chairman S.A.C. and Mark Crowe, 2nd Juvenile —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

We held our second open competition of the year on Saturday, April 10. A total of 27 anglers were present with anglers from Rhinnashark and Aghada also taking part. Fish return were good with a total of 47 dogfish. Results as follows: Senior — 1st Brian Mansfield, 2nd John Cronin, 3rd Tony Crowe, 4th John Paul Power. First Lady — Bridget Tobin. Juveniles — 1st Damien Wall, 2nd Mark Crowe.

Thanks to James Kirwan (Kirwan Electrical) for kindly sponsoring this competition. Our next competition is on April 27, harbour area and fishing time is from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.; check-in at Pond, weigh-in on Quay. This is a closed competition.

The club has decided to introduce to some competitions a £1 optional pool, for the heaviest round fish weighed in. — P.R.O.



James Kirwan, Kirwan Electrical (sponsor) presenting the Senior Prize to Brian Mansfield, winner of the recent competition run by Abbeyside Shore Angling Club. Included is Club Chairman Pat Buckley. —(Photo: Pat Crowley).

Waterford Ladies Football Notes

FASHION SHOW

Preparations are now well and truly under way for our forthcoming fashion show, with only a week left to the big night. Strutting their stuff on the catwalk will be members of the senior county football team, the under 21 county hurling team and the All-Ireland winning ladies football team. They will be modelling fashions from Maireads, The Closet, Ger Wyley Sportswear and Fitzgerald's Menswear and M.C. for the night will be well known W.L.R. broadcaster Kieran O'Connor, so all in all it's shaping up to

be a great night.

This is the only major fund raising event that Waterford ladies County Board will undertake this year and we are appealing for your support. So remember, the Park Hotel is the place to be on Thursday next, April 29 at 8 p.m. sharp.

COUNTY BOARD MEETING

The April meeting of the Waterford ladies County Board will take place on Monday night, April 25 in Lawlor's Hotel. All clubs are asked to note that registrations are due at this meeting and also monies re fashion show tickets.

Minnies Squash Club Notes

A.I.B. TOURNAMENT

As the season draws to a close this last tournament saw some great squash last week.

Patsy Hackett's team of Michael O'Dwyer, Vincent Tutty, Patrick Power and Maurice Kiely saw out Andrew Hally's team of Emmet Byrne, Mgt. Browne, Noreen Tobin and Aidan Landers in the first round. Young Emmet Byrne is now playing at No. 2 and still managed to get two sets in a tight match against Michael O'Dwyer.

Pa McGovern with Dan McCarthy, Kenneth Power, Ian Power and Teresa Hayes

got through the first round against John Kelly's team - Rene de Fusco, Ml. Barry, Brian McNamara and Ml. Power. Rene and Dan had a close 3-2 battle.

Pat O'Brien's team pulled through against Paddy Murphy's team. The ladies had close matches - Michelle Mernin 3, Anne Henebry 2 and Evelyn McEveenie 3, Mary Kirwan 2. Despite these two wins Paddy's team didn't make it.

Paddy Walshes team got some strong wins at 3, 4 and 5 to get through against Kevin Moore.

Helen Kelly 3, Ml. Gildea 0, Jenny McGrath 3, Leroy

Simms 1, Paul Keane 3, Ml. Kelleher 0. Paddy Walshes team went on to further victory when beating Pat O'Brien's team in the second round with a close match at no 2, Pat Cullen 3, Eamonn Murphy 2. Pa McGovern's team also went through against Patsy Hackett.

Ray Moores team of Barry Griffin, Johnny Byrne, Paul Veale and Brian Byrne saw off Dave Touhy with Paddy Cummins, Annette Power, Mary Coffey and Sharon Foley. Paul O'Brien's team of R. Moore, Ml. Tutty, Brian O'Mahony and Alan

Harty was knocked out by Maurice Walsh with Pat Breen, Ml. Coffey, Brigid O'Shea and Maeve Gildea.

Exciting semi's and finals are promised this week.

WHEELCHAIR FUND RAISING

We wish Martin Moore well as he improves his fitness in preparation for his long walk in aid of the Wheelchair Association. Sponsorship cards are still up in the club.

PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS

Congratulations to Sean Cleary and Gerry McCullagh on the recent additions to their families.

Red House League Notes — U-13 LEAGUE FINAL**Fermoy Are Champions**

FERMOY 2 YOUGHAL 0

This was a thrilling final which took place in Tallow on Saturday evening last. The great pity was that there had to be a loser. However, on the day Fermoy deserved to win.

In the first half Fermoy did everything but score. On three occasions the post came to Youghal's rescue. The first came in the 5th minute when Stephen Conway's shot came back off the post. Paul Condon's shot came back off the crossbar in the 8th minute. Kelly and Kenneally went close for the seashiders. At the other end Youghal's keeper brought off some fine saves before the post again came to their rescue in the 23rd minute. At the break the sides were still scoreless.

Youghal almost took the lead in the 1st minute of the second half but Fouhy's shot came back off the post. At the other end Conway shot over the bar. Youghal's keeper Crowley brought off

a marvellous save from Condon in the 41st minute.

Crowley could do nothing about Fermoy's opening goal. Wayne Hyland's well hit shot went all the way into the net. Just before this Kenny headed over the bar for Fermoy when it looked easier to score. Fermoy's second goal was a beauty when Condon's cross was crashed to the net by Conway to put them two goals up.

Youghal tried hard in the final minutes but failed to score despite good attempts from Barry, Leahy, Ahearne and Kenneally. At the final whistle the trophies were heading for Fermoy.

We congratulate them and sympathise with Youghal who made it a marvellous game.

Fermoy — R. O'Carroll, C. Chambers, J. Parker, B. Hickey, M. Barry, W. Hyland, P. Condon, G. O'Dwyer, S. Conway, A. Kenny, A. Ryan. Res. — J. Barry, D. McCarthy, R.

Quirke, J. Keating and K. Lynch.

Youghal — P. Crowley, S. Kenneally, J. P. O'Brien, R. Donoghue, S. Primm, D. Kenneally, S. Ahearn, P. Leahy, A. Fouhy, S. Barry and A. Kelly. Res. — G. Roche, A. Fox, S. Kenneally, P. Fouhy, J. Kelly. Ref. — Eddie O'Shea.

Division Two Playoff Cappoquin B Win Promotion

Cappoquin B 1
Glenview Utd. A 0

This division two playoff in Tallow on Sunday morning last drew a good crowd to the Tallow venue. Champions and already promoted Pinewood Rangers were waiting to see what other side would win promotion with them to Division One.

This local derby game was keenly fought with both sides giving everything. Billy O'Shea and Anthony McCarthy both went close

for Cappoquin early in the first half while McGrath and Hallissey were unlucky for Glenview at the other end. However, at the break the sides were still scoreless.

The second half was end to end stuff and the winning goal came from Fintan Murray in the 80th minute. It was a cracking shot from all of forty yards. Glenview tried hard to get back on level terms and Leahy and O'Donnell both missed chances. Time ran out for them and Murray's goal clinched promotion for this Cappoquin B side.

Cappoquin B — K. Cullinane, L. Lacey, E. Budden, D. Power, M. Lacey, K. O'Donnell, F. Murray, A. McCarthy, Walsh, D. Mason, B. O'Shea. Res. — C. O'Leary, P. Cullen, C. Barry, S. McCarthy and D. Morrissey.

Glenview Utd. A — P. Casey, G. Power, M. McBride, Y. Power, T. Duggan, A. Power, G. Kett, J. O'Donnell, P. Hallissey, J. D. Leahy, P. McGrath. Res. — B. Ormonde, M. Crowley.

St. Garvans Ladies Football Club

With the under-16 "A" championship at the half way stage, St. Garvans further consolidated their position in Kill last Saturday. Kill elected to play with the wind and got off to a good start with a great goal and two points before St. Garvans scored.

By half time Kill were still ahead but St. Garvans were not prepared to give

up. Ten minutes from the end the sides were level and with the excitement high St. Garvans had a goal and point to spare at the final whistle. Final score: St. Garvans 5-9, Kill 4-8.

Celebrations must be tempered by the fact that St. Garvans face a daunting task when they take on Ballymacarbry in the next round.

Cunnigar Pitch And Putt Notes

DAVID KIELY FOUR-BALL

Last weekend saw the club resume their calendar with the David Kiely tournament. With the fourball better ball format in use, big scores were expected and delivered. Honours this week went to Lenny Duggan and Philly Connors who posted a tremendous score of 93 gross 72 nett for the 36 holes. Making the most out of the wonder weather on Saturday also was Mary Walsh and Mike Donovan who finished up in the runners up spot with another great score of 105 gross 75 nett. Overall some great scores were returned over the two days which augurs well for the forthcoming tournaments. Congratulations to all concerned.

Next week sees the players take a well earned rest until

the next tournament which is once again kindly sponsored by Lawlors Hotel. The next Open will see another large contingent travelling to the beautiful Waterford Glass course which starts May 4 and finishes May 9.

DEEPEST SYMPATHY

The club extends its deepest sympathy to Catherine Mulcahy on her recent bereavement.

LEAGUE TEAM

The team for the County Board League has now been picked and can be seen in the clubhouse. Players are reminded to have the £12 subscription paid before Sunday, May 16. Details of the fixtures can be seen on the notice board.

Last tee-off next week is 7.30 p.m. Course will be closed one hour later.

Clonea Bowling Club Notes

HARPLAGER SINGLES TOURNAMENT

Men Section — This week saw the second round matches being played. Nicky Power has taken over the lead, playing well and scored a very good 219 in his first game. However, that was topped by Patsy Horsom who scored 220. In second place is Colin Glasswell who has been scoring consistently throughout the tournament.

2nd Round Placing — (1) Nicky Power (1087); (2) Colin Glasswell; (3) Patsy Horsom (1030); (4) Ivor Gordon (1008); (5) Martin Lacey (986); (6) Bryan Keohan (981); (7) Roy Maguire (958); (8) Ted Murphy (941); (9) John Reynolds (896); (10) Albert Power (895); (11) Noel O'Doherty (889); (12) James Moore (870); (13) Stephen Donnelly (859); (14) Jack Elstead (857); (15) Liam Clancy (846); (16) Eddie Moore (827); (17) Ambrose Mullarkey (805); (18) Thomas Moore (771).

Final play-off of top six on Wednesday 28th April at 9 p.m. Hope you will all be there to support and join in the crack afterwards.

WOMENS SECTION

There is a bigger turnout here than in the last tournament which is good to see. The ladies have been bowling well. Claire O'Doherty leads going into the third week. Claire is followed in second by Hildaguard

Stöber. All top places are very close and the tournament is wide open.

2nd Round Placings

(1) Claire O'Doherty (598); (2) Hildaguard Stöber (588); (3) Patricia Donnelly (581); (4) Martina Moore (570); (5) Ilonda Downes (568); (6) Fidelma Horsom (540); (7) Donna Hackett (532).

Final play-off of top three women will take place Wednesday 28th April at 9 p.m. Come along to see the games and don't forget presentation of prizes will take place immediately afterwards by the Harp Area Rep., John Hales.

LADIES LADDER

The leadership is changing every week. Kay Mullarkey has taken over from Patricia Donnelly. Don't forget, the highest three scores for the month will win April's prize and not the total scores as has been the case over the past few months.

Top Ten Placings and Scores — (1) Kay Mullarkey (236); (2) Patricia Donnelly (222); (3) Fidelma Horsom (216); (4) Libby Walsh (184); (5) Helen Dunne (171); (6) Nancy Daly (166); (7) Joan Moloney (164); (8) Margaret English (158); (9) Breda Bannon (143); (10) Mary Leahy (127).

Junior Bowl — Junior Bowl continues every Sunday morning 10.30 a.m. Come along and bring a friend.

Dungarvan United A.F.C. Notes

RESULTS

T.S.B. U-13 League — Dungarvan 3 Carrick 1; T.S.B. U-11 League — Dungarvan 0 Carrick 3; T.S.B. U-13 Cup (1st round) — Dungarvan 3 De La Salle 1; T.S.B. U-15 Cup (2nd round) — Dungarvan 0 Seaview 0; T.S.B. U-11 League — Dungarvan 1 Ferrybank 3; Marquis Cup Semi-Final — Dungarvan 2 Portlaw 1; U-17 League — St. Saviours 0 Dungarvan 5.

FIXTURES

Wednesday, April 21 — Div. 1A League, Dungarvan v. Hibs, 6.45 p.m. Thursday, April 22 — U-11 League, Johnville v. Dungarvan, 6.30 p.m. Saturday, April 24 — U-16 Cup (1st round), Rathgormack v. Dungarvan, 2.30 p.m. Sunday, April 25 — Div. 1A League, Villa v. Dungarvan, 11.30 a.m.; Ozier Park at 3 p.m. Waterford Youths v. Mayo Youths. Monday, April 26 — U-11 League, Tramore v. Dungarvan, 6.30 p.m. Thursday, April 29 — U-11 League, Dungarvan v. Ballyduff, 6.30 p.m.

3rd DIV. REACH CUP FINAL

Pride of place this week must go to our 3B side who beat Portlaw in the semi-final of the Marquis Cup on Sunday afternoon last in Ozier Park. Tommy Wall's side are now on course for the league and cup double and the cup final will take place on Thursday, May 6 in Ozier Park at 6.45 p.m. The Blues will play Slieverue (Div. 3A champions) in the final as they defeated Southend in the other semi-final on Sunday.

WATERFORD YOUTHS PLAY MAYO

On Sunday next the Waterford youth team play Mayo in the semi-final of the Inter-Youth Cup in Ozier Park at 3 p.m. Dungarvan will have two players in the team in the persons of Mark Hyslop at right full back and Timmy Kiely at midfield. We congratulate these two fine club footballers who have been playing great stuff all season and have put in a lot of training with Waterford every Saturday since September. We wish the lads and the Waterford team the best of luck on Sunday.

As a result of this game both youth games fixed for this Friday v. Bohs and Sunday v. Bolton have been postponed.

VITAL DIV. 1 GAMES

On tonight (Wednesday) our Div. 1A side play what will probably be their most important game of the season when they entertain Hibs in Kilrush at 6.45 p.m. Hibs are going for the league title but the Blues need to win to maintain Div. 1A status next season and we would like to see plenty of support present for John Walsh's side. Also on Sunday next this team play their last game of the season when they are away to Villa at 11.30 a.m. Something from both these games is vital for the Blues.

U-11 TEAM BEATEN

This young side played their first competitive game on Thursday last when at home to a stronger Carrick side they went down 3-0. Dungarvan had some fine performances from keeper Bob O'Brien, midfielder Raymond Kirby and Craig Cowming. But in truth the difference between the teams was the Carrick no. 8 Tommy Fitzgerald. This young lad showed all the touches of a first class footballer and scored all three Carrick goals.

Our U-13 side beat De La Salle 3-1 in the first round of the cup at home on Saturday morning last. Mickey Ahearn, Richie Halpin and Bernie Crotty scored the Blues goals.

Our U-15 side drew 0-0 at home to Seaview also in the cup in Kilrush on Saturday afternoon.

On Monday night our U-11 side went under 3-1 to Ferrybank played in atrocious conditions at Kilrush. It was an improved performance by the young Blues with Alan Linnane scoring the goal.

As Ferrybank has travelled before the rain had started both teams reluctantly decided to go ahead with this game to save them a fruitless long journey.

On this Thursday night, April 22 our U-11 side are away to Johnville in Waterford City. Bus leaves club at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Let's hope for an improvement in the weather.

CARDS

Winners of our progressive card drive on Saturday night last were Josie Fitzgerald and Tommy Carey, on 11 games. Jackpot this Saturday is £200 on 14 games at 8.30 p.m.

YANKEE DOODLE

Numbers on Sunday last were 67 and 99. No winner. £340 can be won on this Sunday night. Numbers available from the regular sellers.

HAPPY EVENT

Best wishes to David and Assumpta Mulvihill on a recent happy event, the birth of a baby girl. David is a prominent playing member of our Div. 1A team.

SPEEDY RECOVERY

We wish our 3B player Ber Whelan well in his recovery after he damaged ligaments while training a few days before their cup semi-final with Portlaw. We hope Ber makes a speedy and full recovery but it does not seem likely that he will be fit for the cup final on Thursday, May 6.

Pinewood Rangers AFC Notes

Successful Season As Rangers Win Double

A very successful year for us saw us take both the Tony Bolger Cup and the 2nd Division title and also being runners-up in the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup.

In doing this we defeated some top class opposition like Cappoquin "A," Bride View "A," Valley Rangers and Killeagh, to name but a few. A lot of credit must go to our Manager, Francis Connolly and our two selectors Noel Cullinan and Pat Power who gave all they had to ensure we maintained our by now high standard.

Our goal-scoring ability and our fabulous midfield saw us score six, even seven goals on a regular basis. Our defence and excellent keeper did not concede two goals in any game until we had the league secured. John Hallinan, our keeper, kept ten clean sheets in the league alone, while at the other end, Kieran Hallahan scored 22 goals in all (among these three hat-tricks) making him one of the most feared strikers in the league. It would be unfair to give all the credit to any one of the players because without a dedicated panel and a hard-working committee none of our victories could have been achieved.

On behalf of the team I would like to thank our chairman Anthony Sheehan, our secretary Brendan Crotty and treasurer Fintan Gillman for their part in our team's success. We would also like to thank all our sponsors, namely Pinewood Exports, Oriol Bar, Comeragh Oil and Melody's Bar who kindly sponsored us in the Tyre Centre Cup.

Congratulations to Kieran Hallahan on receiving "Player of the Year" and Tom Flynn on receiving "Young Player of the Year." Both were thoroughly deserved. It is only a pity that all 22 players involved could not share these trophies as it really was a team effort all season.

If this team can stay together for next season, I'm sure we can win the first division in the same style as we won the second division. If we could have been victorious in the Tyre Centre Cup it would have made a marvellous season into an absolutely unbelievable season and I hope by this time next year we will have done the treble and no one will be able to take that away from us.

Finally, we would like to thank the Red House League for running a fabulous competition with an ever increasing standard, and especially Paddy Pollard (Chairman) for all his help. Looking forward to next season and the competition in the first division. Until then, take care. — Richard O'Keeffe, PRO, Pinewood Rangers FC. 1992/1993 Season.

MARQUIS CUP SEMI-FINAL

Dungarvan Reach Cup Final

DUNGARVAN 2 PORTLAW 1 (after extra-time)

Dungarvan United's Div. 3B side advanced to the final of the Marquis Cup with a hard earned victory over a very strong Portlaw side at Ozier Park on Sunday afternoon last. The Div. 3B league champions have now qualified to meet the Div. 3A league champions, Slieverue, in the final as they beat Southend in the other semi-final in the morning at the same venue.

The Junior League headquarters pitch was in excellent condition and the Blues kicked-off playing into the stiff breeze. Dungarvan started well and Ml. Ferncombe brought a save from the Portlaw citadel from a free after 4 mins. The Blues had two corners which were cleared before a Portlaw midfielder was booked for a rash challenge. Portlaw forced their first corner in the 13th min.

The first real chance came in the 30th min. when Alan Simms did well on the left wing and his cross broke to right full Pat Mulcahy, who had a great game throughout, but his long range strike hit the foot of the left hand post.

Portlaw got the breakthrough in the 40th min. in a rare attack, when a throw-in on the right flank saw the ball saved on the near post, but the ball broke loose to the left winger who tapped home from close range. So the Blues found themselves 1-0 down at half time and in truth they were struggling to get to grips with this game especially in midfield and up front.

On the resumption Alan Simms had a fine shot tipped over the crossbar for a corner. At this stage it was obvious that the Blues were crying out for a midfield player to put his foot on the

ball and pass it around. The introduction of Johnny Hughes and Paudie Flynn for Killian Wall and Ml. Ferncombe brought about an immediate improvement in the engine room after 65 minutes.

Johnny, fulfilling a lifetime ambition to play at Ozier Park, was a revelation, putting his foot on the ball and spraying some telling passes to the front runners. Paudie Flynn got through an amount of work when he replaced Ml. Ferncombe, but in fairness to Michael he was suffering from a 'flu bug.

The equaliser came with 8 minutes remaining when Alan Simms scored direct from a corner kick. Dungarvan had their tails up now

and finished the stronger as Portlaw seemed to be running out of stamina. Simms skipped passed the defender and shot narrowly wide, while another corner was tipped away by the Portlaw keeper at full stretch.

At the end of 90 minutes the sides were level 1-1 and so we had 10 minutes each way extra time.

The Blues played against the breeze in the first half. Portlaw forced two corners and had a shot over the crossbar. At the other end a fine move involving John Hughes and Alan Simms saw the latter's cross find Thomas Donovan in the area and he turned the defender but shot wide from 10 yards. However Donovan made up for his miss a

minute later when he skinned the centre-half and full back on the right wing to fire in a low cross for Benny Wade to score at the second attempt. Portlaw had a corner headed over the crossbar before half time.

The Blues superior fitness showed in the remaining 10 minutes and at the final whistle they were deserved winners, although there is certainly room for improvement on this performance.

Dungarvan — K. O'Neill, P. Mulcahy, S. Cummins, M. O'Sullivan, J. Walsh, D. Crotty, B. Wade, M. Ferncombe, A. Simms, T. Donovan, K. Wall. Res. — J. Hughes and P. Flynn for K. Wall and M. Ferncombe (65th min.)

DUNGARVAN UTD. — U-17 LEAGUE

Blues Keep League Hopes Alive

ST. SAVIOURS 0 DUNGARVAN 5

Our U-17 side kept their league hopes very much alive with this emphatic victory away to St. Saviours on Sunday last. Played on a very bumpy and narrow pitch the Blues found it hard to settle playing against the wind, but they were always in control of this game.

When the first goal came in the 41st minute it was then only a matter of how many they would win by. This opening goal was scored by Ml. Donnelly

after good passes by Brian Elstead and Finbarr O'Rourke. Right on the stroke of half time Dungarvan got the second goal when Ml. Donnelly dispossessed the right back and crossed for Aidan Landers to score a well taken goal.

Playing with the elements in the second half the Blues soon made it 3-0 when T. Kiely won the ball back after being beaten in a tackle and slipped the ball to Ml. Donnelly who put Aidan Landers through and he beat the keeper with a perfect chip. Ml. Donnelly made it 4-0 after 54 minutes. The best goal of the game came in the 56th min. when an Aidan Landers corner was headed powerfully to the net by Mark Hyslop.

In truth the game as a contest was well and truly over by then and the Blues ran out easy winners. The good thing about this win was the

fact that the lads, who are not getting regular games this season, came in and played very well, especially Aidan Landers, who as well as getting two goals, set up numerous chances and his touches and flicks were superb. Brian Elstead at full back had a solid game and his use of the ball was excellent. Alan Beatty ("Gazza") in goal got very little to do but also performed well. Ml. French on the wing had a good game also.

This side now have three games left to play and it is in their own hands now. Their next game will be vital which will be away to Bolton on Sunday, May 9.

Dungarvan — A. Beatty, B. Elstead, D. Wall, M. Cowming, F. O'Rourke (capt.), T. Kiely, J. Hyslop, M. Hyslop, A. Landers, M. Donnelly, M. French.

BLUES ADVANCE IN UNDER-13 CUP

DUNGARVAN UNITED 3 DE LA SALLE 1

The Blues got off to a good start to their cup campaign with a win over city side De La Salle. Due to a bumpy pitch and high grass they were unable to play their usual passing game and they struggled for long periods in the first half to get any good movement going. Even the first goal when it came was scrappy when after a melee in the

goalmouth the ball hit M. Ahearne and bounced over the line.

They added another, two minutes into the second half when N. Halpin scored from close range. De La Salle pulled one back from the "spot," but almost immediately B. Crotty broke through to score.

Although the Blues were

handy enough, I think it is fair to say that De La Salle are not a good side and if they had been playing one of the top teams they would have been beaten. This is due to players not turning up for games as on the day they were short three of their regular back four. This kind of attitude will not be tolerated in future and it is not fair to the

players who turn up regularly. If they had a full panel of players they could win this cup.

Team — Warren Duggan, Ruane Gough, Kevin Walsh, Martin McGovern, Diarmuid Keating, Olan Casey, Bernie Crotty, Vincent Sullivan, Mickey Ahearne, Pat Halpin, Richie Halpin. Res. Kevin Whelan, Paul Deegan.

Dungarvan Golf Club Notes



Pictured at the announcement of a Dungarvan Golf Club Tournament sponsored by Tom Murphy Car Sales, Waterford (left to right) — Barry Foley, Chairman Dungarvan Golf Club, Rose Prendergast, Lady Captain, Tom Murphy, Cyril Power, President and Michael Kelly, Captain.

Free open afternoon on Saturday next at Knocknagrangh from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. All welcome. If you are interested in playing golf and would like to try it out, or just to learn about it, or just to see Knocknagrangh, do come along. Golf clinic will be held by Derry Kiely who will have spare golf clubs for any one to try out.

MEN'S RESULTS

Monday, April 12 — Famous Grouse Foursomes — 1st Ml. Morrissey (13) + Martin Casey (20) 71 1/2; 2nd Ml. Kelly (9) + Martin Curran (17) 72.

Thursday, April 15 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st Tommy Wall (18) 40 pts;

2nd Tom Rossiter (26) 39 pts; 3rd Dominic Deegan (18) 38 pts.

Saturday, April 17 — 18 Hole Stroke — 1st Kevin Cusack (10) 66; 2nd George Hogan (18) 68; 3rd Pat Breen (15) 69. C.S.S. 70.

Sunday, April 18 — Cunnigar Cup Qualifier — Best Qualifier Willie Barron (20) 64 nett.

Friday, April 16 — Scramble — Winners, Jean Flynn (36), Vincent Hayes (15) Michael Morrissey (13) 26 nett.

FIXTURES

Thursday, April 22 — 18 Hole Stableford. Saturday, April 24 — 18 Hole Stableford. Sunday, April 25 — E.A. Ryan Cup 18 Hole

Stroke.

Note — On Mondays tee reserved from 5 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. for Long Handicap Competition. Don't forget Friday night is scramble night at 6.30 p.m. Do come along and enjoy a fun night out, beginners are welcome.

LADIES RESULTS

Tuesday, April 13 — 18 Hole Stroke Deise Cup — Winner, Mary Kyne (22) 68 nett; Silver, Breda McCarthy (12) 74 nett; Bronze, Carmel O'Brien (23) 74 nett. 9 Hole Stroke For Beginners — Winner, Anne Fox (36) 49 nett.

FIXTURES

Tuesday, April 27 — 18 Hole Stroke (kindly sponsored by John Foley, Kil-

rush). Draw for partners. Plus 9 Hole Stroke competition for beginners. Ongoing 9 Hole, 2 cards to count. Note on Tuesday, April 27 presentation of prizes in clubhouse at 9 p.m.

SYMPATHY

Our sincere sympathy to Mary and Billy Kirwan on the loss of their son, Bill, through a tragic accident, also our sympathy to Tom Mulcahy and family on the loss of his sister Margaret.

KNOCKNAGRANGH
This week we continue our feature on Knocknagrangh with the 7th, 8th and 9th holes.

Hole 7 — 408 yards, par 4. Some unrefined and most unprintable adjectives have been said to describe how difficult this hole will be; a very good tee shot will bring you close to the lake — the centre of the fairway; from there the hole veers slightly left leaving you with a 180/190 yard shot to the green; even though it is not the longest par 4 on the course most days this hole will be playing as a par 5.

Hole 8 — 210 yards, par 3. Like the 5th which we described last week this is another superb "long shot" "one shotter"; a perfectly hit tee shot is required to reach the long narrow green — anything else is likely to end up in one of the lakes on either side of this line of play; again like the 5th this hole will be a test for the best!

Hole 9 — 386 yard, par 4. A pretty straight forward looking hole; left of centre seems to be the ideal line of play, otherwise a very large greenside bunker has to be negotiated with the approach shot; also the design of the green may cause problems.

If you have been reading this column in recent weeks you have now completed the front nine, notionally at least, and hopefully you are looking forward to playing the back nine, commencing next week with three outstanding holes 10, 11 and 12.

victory over Vincent Sullivan and with Alan Harty winning 3-2 over Ml. Power, Owen's team were through. The final takes place on Thursday, so come along and support our juniors.

CLUB LADDER

With just one round to go overall victory looks certain once again for club no. 1 Stephen Lyons who has a fantastic total of 65 pts. In second is Andrew Lally 51 pts, 3rd Dermot Kelly 49 pts, 4th Don Shiel 48 pts and 5th Pat Keane 47 pts. Stephen's total is all the more remarkable when one considers that for the past 2 rounds he has been playing from a handicap of -5 and +7 to all his opponents.

TENNIS

Now that the squash season is coming to an end it is time for the tennis season once again. Notice now posted for entries to our Tennis Ladder which we hope to start on May 9. Closing date for entries is May 1. Entry fee is £2 and all grades will be catered for. So now is the time to get in some practice. More next week. — The Doyler

DUNGARVAN CRYSTAL SOCIAL & SPORTS CLUB

SQUASH

GER WYLEY TOP 24

The quarter finals of this tournament took place over the past week. George Hamilton's team had a 2-1 victory over Stephen Lyons' squad. The important game here was at no. 3 with Tom "The Lawnmower Man" Landy putting his team through with a great 3-0 win over Don "Christy" Shiel. Next on court we had Pat Terry in against John Cliffe's team. John had a fine 3-0 win and with Pat Keane receiving a w/o from Eoin O'Grady, it was again down to the no. 3's and here Helen "The Lifeguard" Crotty proved much too strong for John Whelan and sent Pat's team into the semis with a 3-0 win. The quarter final pairing of Dave Power and L. O Tuoma turned out to be a cracker. Dave Cunningham gave Dave Power's team a great start with a 3-0 win over our most promising junior Eoin Simms but at no. 1 Liam O Tuoma evened matters up somewhat with a 3-2 win over Dave, so it was down to the no. 2's Paddy Walsh and Gerry

O'Connor. Paddy only needed two games to go through but had to fight all the way before he eventually made it 2-2 and overall victory for his team. The last quarter final saw a real surprise with Andrew Lally posting a great 3-0 win over Dermot Kelly. At no. 3 Ray Hahessey defeated John Keane 3-0 to send Andrew's team through, no. 2's P. Murphy and Pat Cullen not having to play.

NOEL DEVEREUX JUNIOR TOURNAMENT

This is the first year the club has had a junior tournament and has proved a great success. The semi-finals were held over the weekend and the final sees Donnacha O'Dea's team to play Own Simms squad. In the first semi-final Kevin Tutty had a great 3-0 win over David Walsh to give Donnacha's team a great start, at no. 2 Leroy Simms and Paul Keane served up a great contest before Leroy eventually took it on a 3-2 scoreline to send his team to the final. In the second semi Brendan "Whirlwind" Downey had a great 3-0

Dungarvan Rugby Club Notes

Dungarvan 12, Aylesbury "A" 32
Youghal 15, Aylesbury "B" 30

Over the Easter weekend we entertained a touring side from England and decided to invite our neighbours Youghal over to participate in a great day's rugby.

Dungarvan kicked off for the first match and although we held our own in the scrums, the visitors were a class act. They used their back row to perfection, running in five tries from set pieces. Their fitness level and ball handling was superb and it was an education to see a semi-pro side perform.

Although the scoreline differed immensely, the home side made their presence felt with a great crashing try from Shane White between the posts, which left the opposition with a few aches and pains!

However, a really enjoyable game, played in the true spirit of rugby.

The team was: R. Maguire, R. Hallihan, N. Hannigan, M. Shanley, B. Donnelly, G. Morrissey, P. Foley, R. Harty, T. Shanley, J. Power, M. O'Connor, S. White, T. Harty, E. Phelan, P. Fitzgerald, E. Fitzgerald, P. Queally.

The second game got off around 4 p.m. with Youghal asserting their authority in the scrums and some great tackling from their backs prevented many an Aylesbury advance. The English lads, however, wore down their opposition and pushed the ball continuously over the line where six tries were scored.

A great performance by Youghal and Dungarvan and truly a great day and night was appreciated by our English comrades. Until next Easter we wait again.

GALLANT DISPLAY Dungarvan U-18 0 Clonmel U-18 18

A disappointing but gallant effort from our youths last weekend saw them bow out at the semi-final stage of the Michael Maguire Perpetual trophy. A truly top-class Clonmel side with an Irish international as their out-half took the reins early on and established a lead within the first quarter.

Again, tackling was very important and the Clonmel out-half seemed untouchable. His distribution of the ball was good and Dungarvan were not to blame for the class of their opposition.

Padraig McGrath made some great tackles on the wing and Colin Harty and Mark Daly showed the future leadership qualities of a club like Dungarvan. The lads battled well all through the game but Clonmel were the better team. A great bit of experience for the youths, who can only get better.

The team was — M. Daly, B. Cullinan, C. Harty, S. Harty, A. Power, P. Fitzgerald, P. Curran, S. Tear, P. McGrath, E. Connors, S. Sheehan, A. Harnedy, D. Kiely, J. Walsh, J. Hayes.

END OF SEASON SOCIAL

Saturday, April 24 is the date for the end of season and this will be preceded by our annual Married v Singles match. A great night is promised and this should be a grand finale to the season. Kick-off 7 p.m.

THE BALLYRANDLE FINAL

The date has not been decided yet as the semi-final has yet to be played. Carrick-on-Suir are already in the final and will play either Cappoquin or Youghal.

Cappoquin Pork & Bacon Blackwater Cycling Club Notes

The Tour of North Cork took place at Whitechurch on Sunday last in overcast but dry conditions. Our club had a good turnout of underage riders with the Geary brothers Brian and David taking the only prizes. In the under 12 race David Geary had a magnificent race finishing fourth. Three of our under 14's went to the line for two laps of a tough seven mile circuit — Thomas Hogan, Paul Geary and Marc Flavin. All three finished

outside the prizes. The under 16's went five laps of the same circuit. Brian Geary showed his consistency taking 4th place. Shane Motherway, who was in the thick of the action throughout the race, finished just outside the prizes. Vincent Lombard finished in the bunch. Our only junior David Heffernan, saw action on a different circuit but failed to make the prizes.

Racing next Sunday is at Carrick-on-Suir, P.R.O.

DUNGARVAN ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

Busy Easter On Running Scene

Easter proved a busy time for the athletic club with our juvenile Easter Egg Sponsored Run, the last leg of the Michael Roche Carpets Spring Series, the Nire Run on Easter Monday and the Open Juvenile Sports in Ferrybank last Sunday all involving a large number of our club members.

EASTER EGG RUN

Our juvenile Easter Egg Sponsored Run was a big success with over one hundred young runners taking part. Our thanks to everyone who sponsored our juveniles who in turn made a big effort for the club and many of them were rewarded with a much sought after Easter egg on the day of the run.

The club would especially like to thank John Collins (Cash and Carry), Jim Sheehan (Tayto Ltd.) and Brian Kenneally (Kenneally Buses) for their generous sponsorship.

SPRING SERIES

Following the last leg of the Spring Road Racing Series the presentation of prizes was held in the Park House, Main Street, on Thursday week last. Our thanks to Michael Roche, Carpets, Wolfe Tone Road, who sponsored the series and to Martin and Mai Ferncombe, Park House, whose facilities for such an occasion are second to none.

RESULTS

Under 30 — 1, Darren Drummey 2 hrs. 37 mins. 56 secs.; 2, Damien Travers 2.38.44; 3, Pat Cullen 2.59.01; 4, James Moore 3.08.49; 5, Michael Curran 3.21.40; 6, Mike Ryan 3.25.07; 7, Trevor Mason 3.27.20; 8, Liam Moore 3.30.06.

Under 35 — 1, Gerry Cantwell 2 hrs. 29 mins. 12 secs.; 2, Michael Murphy 2.33.00; 3, Liam Clince 2.41.07; 4, Edmund Daniels 2.41.52; 5, Finbarr Kelly

2.45.47.

Under 40 — 1, Colin Lyons 2 hrs. 43 mins. 12 secs.; 2, Anthony Dwyer 2.52.24; 3, Kevin Moore 3.00.05; 4, Tony Ryan 3.04.33; 5, Peter McGrath 3.12.10; 6, Eoin Russell 3.37.11.

Under 45 — 1, John Joe Wright 2 hrs. 41 mins. 48 secs.; 2, John Foley 2.48.22; 3, Paul Keating 2.51.36; 4, Connie Kelleher 2.52.35; 5, Sean Curry 2.52.48

Over 45 — 1, T. J. O'Loughlin 2.27.48; 2, Tomas Drohan 3.15.10; 3, Tom Fitzgerald 3.15.34.

THE NIRE RUN

This race was held over a distance of 9km in Ballymacarby on Easter Monday. Gerry Cantwell finished a good third behind the man who has made this race his own over the years, Billy Fox (Clonmel A.C.), who was a deserving winner while local man Alan Whyte, son of well known former Gaelic referee, Michael Whyte, was second. All three are great supporters of races in the Dungarvan area.

Our club was also well represented by John Joe Wright, Liam Clince, Colin Lyons, Martin Sandford and Paul Keating. The race was organised in fine style by the Nire G.A.A. Club and a pleasant evenings entertainment was hosted afterwards in the Oriel Bar.

FERRYBANK OPEN SPORTS

Our juveniles enjoyed their first outing of the new track and field season at the above sports last Sunday. We are glad to report a number of successes with pride of place going to the following who recorded individual successes; Caitriona Molloy, Geraldine Kiely, Paul Power (Kiladangan), Ronan McCarthy (Skehachrine) and Donny Rockett (St. Augus-

tine's). Best wishes to Sandra Clancy and Andrea Travers for speedy recoveries from injuries suffered last Sunday.

RESULTS

Girls: U-8 80 metres — Michelle Whelan (2nd); U-9 80 metres — Susie Curran (3rd); U-11 100 metres — Caitriona Molloy (1st); U-11 65 metres Hurdles — Michelle Moore (2nd); U-12 70 Metres Hurdles — Maree Coffey (2nd); U-12 Relay — (4th) Caitriona Molloy, Nicola Moore, Marie Veale, Maree Coffey. Junior 700 metres — Geraldine Kiely (1st).

Boys: U-11 700 Metres — Paul Power (1st), Joe Curran (2nd); U-11 65 Metres Hurdles — Joe Curran (2nd), Paul Power (3rd); U-12 70 Metres Hurdles — John Ryan (3rd); U-12 Relay — (4th) John Ryan, Paul Power, Garvan McCarthy, Joe Curran; U-13 700 Metres — Ronan McCarthy (1st), also 2nd in the 70 metres hurdles; U-14 Discus — Donny Rockett (1st); U-15 Javelin — Morgan Hamm (2nd).

THIS SUNDAY

Ring/Old Parish Annual Sports. Bus leaves at 12 noon from Youghal Road.

JUVENILE LEAGUE

Our Primary School League resumes this Thursday at 3.30 p.m. following the Easter break. The top six scorers in each age group at the half way stage are as follows:

Boys U-8 — Andrew Travers 37 pts, John O'Keefe 35 pts, Stephen Murray 32 pts, Darren Sullivan 24 pts, Jonathan Regan 18 pts, Stephen Simms 17 pts.

Boys U-9 — Pat Moore 46 pts, Barry Power 35 pts, Ricky Tobin 35 pts, Eddie Fitzpatrick 31 pts, Tom Stack 30 pts, Stephen Fitzgerald 27 pts.

Boys U-10 — Jimmy



SPRING SERIES WINNERS — Back row (left to right) — Colin Lyons (u/40), Tom Power (Chairman Co. Board), Nicky Sheehan (Series Chairman), T. J. O'Loughlin (o/45); front row — John Joe Wright (u/45), Michael Roche (Sponsor), Darren Drummey (u/30), Gerry Cantwell (u/35).



SPRING SERIES OVERALL WINNERS — T. J. O'Loughlin (Comeragh Harriers) receiving his prize from sponsor Michael Roche. Also included is Nicky Sheehan, Series Chairman.

Moore 50 pts, Sean Walsh 39 pts, Billy Curran 30 pts, Patrick Hallahan 29 pts, Liam Houlihan 25 pts, Daniel Nugent 22 pts.

Boys U-11 — Joseph Curran 50 pts, Raymond Kirby 38 pts, Paul Power 37 pts, Brendan O'Brien 34 pts, Matthew Burke 27 pts, John Houlihan 26 pts.

Boys U-12 and 13 — John Ryan 50 pts, Garvan McCarthy 40 pts, John Paul O'Brien 30 pts, Ronan McCarthy 28 pts, John Duggan 10 pts, James Houlihan 7 pts.

Girls U-7 — Tina 48 pts, Aisling 36 pts, Yvonne 24 pts, Aoife 18 pts, Una 17 pts, Andrea 16 pts.

Girls U-8 — Michelle Whelan 40 pts, Emer Conroy 32 pts, Wendy O'Leary 31 pts, Aisling 27 pts, Louise 24 pts, Paula 21 pts.

Girls U-9 — Nicola Kiely 44 pts, Susie Curran 30 pts,

Laura Clancy 29 pts, Suzanne Dee 29 pts, Vicki Whelan 28 pts.

Girls U-10 — Aoife Conroy 44 pts, Ami Kiely 40 pts, Laura Tutty 36 pts, Aoife Cummins 31 pts, Ruth Landy 27 pts, Anna O'Keefe 21 pts.

Girls U-11 — Caitriona Molloy 50 pts, Sarah Fitzpatrick 40 pts, Angeline Kiely 31 pts, Tara Whelan 28 pts, Vicki Sheehan 27 pts, Amanda Nugent 26 pts.

Girls U-12 — Maree Coffey 40 pts, Nicola Moore 40 pts, Niamh Power 19 pts, Pamela Dunne 17 pts, Angela Nugent 16 pts, Samantha Flavin 8 pts.

New members from any of the local schools are welcome to come and join the fun at any stage. Best wishes to boys U-10 leader Jimmy Moore who is out of action due to a leg injury at present.

VICTORY SOCIAL

The club is organising a group to attend the Waterford Athletics Victory Social at the Park Hotel this Saturday. Tickets at a reasonable £10 are available from Michael Roche Carpets, Wolfe Tone Road.

EAMON MARTIN WINS LONDON MARATHON

Yes, the headline is true. Well done to Eamon Martin on winning the prestigious London City Marathon in a time of 2 hrs. 10 mins. last Sunday.

SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy is extended to the Power and Delaney families on the death of Jimmy Power, Keating Street and to the Halley and Kirwan families on their recent tragic losses.



EASTER EGG RUN — Four lucky winners in the athletic club's Easter egg run — (from left) Angela Nugent, Nicola Moore, Antoinette Walsh, Aoife Conroy.



Eamonn Murphy, Chairman County Board, presenting the Young Footballer of the Year Award to Paul Foley, Stradbally at the Awards Banquet in Lawlor's Hotel. Included is Anne Murray, Chairwoman and Secretary Organising Committee. —(Photo: Wyley).

St. Patricks G.A.A. Notes

U-14 FOOTBALL

We beat Cappoquin 4-4 to 2-4 last Sunday in our final league game and are now group winners. This was a good game of football and we scored two goals early in the game which probably decided the match. Cappoquin had a good team and our lads had to struggle to stay ahead. Again this was a team performance with Johnny Kiely, Carl Dunford, Pat Morgan, Michael Moloney, Raymond Bannon and Pa Ryan being most effective.

Team — P. Horsom, V. Lynch, J. Cullinane, J.

Kiely, T. Corcoran, L. Dunford, S. Hickey, P. Morgan, R. Keane, P. Radley, R. Bannon, M. Moloney, P. Ryan, J. Foley, J. D. Casey. Subs — P. Maher, M. Kelly, V. Wall (2nd half), W. Kiely (2nd half), P. Fitzgerald, T. Cullinane, J. Wall.

Brian Horsom has been hospitalised recently for an appendix operation and we wish him a speedy recovery. Brian is a strong fullback in schools and under-12.

We were due to play in the Western semi-final against our old rivals and friends, the Brickeys, on Tuesday night. The winners of this

match should be playing the Western final on this Saturday.

IN HOSPITAL

Our Club President, Johnny Lynch of Kilnafrehan has been in hospital since last week and unfortunately missed our game in Cappoquin as well as the under-21 Munster championship match. We wish Johnny the very best from all his many friends and look forward to seeing him on the sidelines very soon.

UNDER 10'S

Our outdoor skills training in Kilbrien Hall with hurling coach, John Kiely has

finished. The very large attendance throughout the winter consisted of many boys and girls, some of whom are young and new to the club.

On Sunday, May 2 we will begin our outdoor training at Bohadon and look forward to some enjoyable hurling sessions with our under 10s and u-12s.

UNDER-21

We were disappointed with the result of the Munster championship match Waterford versus Limerick, but Kevin McGrath and Michael Dunford have their All-Ireland medals from last year and that honour in itself will help both lads to ease the disappointment. Michael, our u-21 captain this year, received an ankle injury and we hope he will be back in action soon.

MINOR HURLING

All matches were cancelled last weekend. Training continues on Friday night in Bohadon for under-21s, minors and under-16 players.

U-16 MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIP 2nd ROUND

The West Waterford under-16 hurling team were beaten 2-18 to 2-14 last Sunday at the Fraher Field after a thrilling match and a great game of hurling. Kenny Walsh came on as a sub and played at corner back. Raymond Lynch had an accident last week and was very unfortunate to miss the game, having been selected on the team. Francis Tobin was a substitute.

CONGRATULATIONS

Michael Coughlan and Angela Byrne were second and third in the GAA Art Competition recently. This was a highly competitive "Hurling, a game for life" art competition, and both Michael and Angela have done very well in keeping the culture flag flying for the parish.

Dungarvan G.A.A. Notes

FEILE

In the under-14 hurling Feile Competition we take on old rivals Lismore on Monday next. The venue is Cappoquin. Please check papers for correct time.

VISITORS

On Saturday last the Kinsale Juvenile Club paid a visit to our locality. Our u-14 team played the Kinsale team at our club grounds. In the afternoon a Kinsale u-16 selection played the

West Waterford u-16 footballers. An enjoyable day was had by all. Many thanks to Éamonn Mairtín for his assistance.

SENIOR HURLING

Last Saturday evening the first round of the senior hurling championship for our hurlers took place in Cappoquin. Our opponents were Tallow. We lost by two points but put up a gallant performance, despite the fact that training for our

hurlers only commenced a short time ago.

If we can get dedication and commitment then we can surely look forward to better times ahead for the senior hurling championship.

SENIOR FOOTBALL

These are busy times for us. Next Sunday at 2 p.m., we take on Dunhill in the senior football championship. After a very tough year it's back to the old grindstone. Hopefully, we will have our first victory in our endeavour to retain the Conway Cup. The venue for this game is Stradbally.

LOTTO

The weekly numbers drawn on Sunday were — 7 - 2 - 20. One winner: Margaret Beecher, c/o St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan. Jackpot next week £100.

SYMPATHY

A meeting of the Club Executive will be held on this Wednesday evening at the Clubhouse at 8 p.m.

DRAW

All promoters please note that the draw money is now due and must be handed into the Club Co-Ordinator by Friday, April 23.

GERALDINES G.A.A. NOTES

INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

On next Sunday evening, April 25 we play Faha in the first round of the intermediate football championship at Bushy Park, starting at 7 p.m. Please check fixtures list in this paper for confirmation.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Our junior football team kick-off the season probably this Friday evening, April 23 when they play Clashmore in the first round of the junior football championship. This game is fixed for Ardmore at 7 p.m. Again we advise players and supporters to check fixtures list to make sure before travelling.

CHALLENGE MATCHES

We thank both Old Parish and Ring for valuable challenge games which they provided us with in the last few weeks. Thanks to both clubs. — P.R.O.

COUNTY BOARD MEETING

John Foley Is New Senior Hurling Selector

At the County Board Meeting on Monday night John Foley, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty and formerly of Shamrocks, was elected to replace Senan Cooke, Dunhill, who had retired as a senior hurling selector. He defeated three other candidates, Pat Flynn and Michael Gaffney, Ballygunner and Jimmy McGrath, Affane. In the final count Foley received 29 votes as against 19 for Flynn, who is father of county minor Paul Flynn.

£1,000 CLUB LOAN

A proposition by Joe Byrne, Erin's Own, that all clubs in the county advance a one thousand pounds interest free loan to the County Board for two years was debated and deferred until clubs were given a chance to discuss it. The idea is to help reduce the huge bank overdraft.

ALL PAY

A proposition that no free admission be allowed to games under the auspices of the County Board was also discussed at length. If accepted it would mean that officers, officials, Board members, etc., etc., would have to pay to gain admission to every game. A decision on this will be taken at the May meeting.

REFEREE FEE

Referees are to be paid a fee of £10 for every County Board game refereed during the year. This decision was arrived at after a long discussion. As travelling expenses will not be paid, the overall cost to the Board will be more or less the same as it was last year.

ADJOURNED

Only 6 of the 14 items listed on the agenda were disposed of before the meeting adjourned until next Monday.

STRADBALLY G.A.A. NOTES

HURLERS WIN

Our intermediate hurlers had a great win over An Rinn last Saturday evening. After a hard fought game we came out on top by a scoreline of 3-9 to 1-8. At half time we held the lead by the smallest of margins but with 10 minutes to go we found ourselves down by 3 points. Some well taken scores by our forwards and goals by Eoin O'Brien and Paul Foley helped seal our victory. This was a great team performance by all and our club chairman John Crotty showed he is handy with a hurley when he came on as a second half sub.

The team on the evening was — Pat Curran, Lar Whelan, Conor O'Brien, David Kirwan, Martin Curran, Oliver Costello, Eamon Clancy, Fintan O'Brien, Eoin Phelan, Pat Halpin, Liam O'Brien, Eoin O'Brien, Noel Costello, Paul Foley, Paul Mullaney. Sub. — John Crotty for Oliver Costello (injured).

GAMES COMING UP

The first game for our junior footballers takes place next Thursday evening when we take on Kilrossane.

ty in the field. This will be a hard game to start the championship off, but with a good blend of youth and experience we can win this one. The game is timed for 7 p.m.

On Sunday evening our senior footballers take on Ballinacourty in the first round of the championship. This game will be played at the Leamybrien venue with a 7 p.m. throw-in.

ON COUNTY TEAMS

Paul Foley did himself and the club proud when he turned in a good performance against Limerick in the first round of the Under-21 Munster hurling championship last Friday evening in Walsh Park. Sadly Waterford were beaten on the night but Paul did all he could scoring 2-1. Paul still had 2 years left at this level and I am sure he will be back next year.

Also on county duty this week were Eoin and Fintan O'Brien who were on the county senior football team that played Tipperary in the McGrath Cup semi-final in Clonmel. Waterford were beaten by 2 points but the lads gave a good account of themselves.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

UNDER-21 HURLING CHAMPIONSHIP

All-Ireland Champions Fade After Promising Start

Limerick 5-9 Waterford 4-8

Losing this game after it looked to be safely in our grasp when we went three clear goals in front shortly after the restart when we were helped by the breeze, was a big disappointment to our huge following of supporters at Walsh Park on Friday night last. A clear nine points advantage in the circumstances gave everyone reason for supposing that the team would continue their unbeaten run since 1991 and that they would qualify for a semi-final place in six weeks time.

Limerick's no surrender approach to their plight at this stage gradually won them back control of the game and in the closing stages their superior hurling won them one of their sweetest victories in a very long time.

After the game that agony of defeat for us and the glory of victory for them was seen in very clear contrast. Our time of celebrating was over and theirs was beginning, or that is how it seemed as the thousands made their exit from Walsh Park on last Friday night. It was a game in which we entered as All-Ireland champions, but unfortunately minus seven of the players who won us that title last year and here on the night a number of our men, of whom so much had been expected, failed to deliver, mainly because we were opposed by a stronger and better Limerick team. Whatever way we look at the result, we would be unfair if we did not concede that we were beaten by a better team.

In spite of Limerick's mid-field dominance where David Clarke and Seamus Murray were outstanding, Waterford, because of the scoring power of Paul Flynn and Paul Foley were a couple of goals in front going into the dressing room at the break. Whatever worries there may have been about our situation at that stage were well and truly dissipated when Paul Flynn broke through for a delightful goal within 20 seconds of the restart. This score put us all thinking about the semi-final. It was then that Limerick started the comeback that was to prove us all wrong.

THE PLAY

Limerick played with the breeze, but Waterford were first into attack and within half a minute Paul Flynn had the ball over the bar and not another minute had passed when Paul Foley had the ball in the Limerick net to give Waterford a dream start. Three minutes later Niall Doolan had Limerick's first point. The sides exchanged wides before Tony

Browne had our second point in the 8th minute. Michael Wallace brought one back for the visitors before Paul Flynn, following a wide, scored from a free and Fergal Hartley added another from a 14th minute free to leave the sides at 1-4 to 0-2 and the game being played at a hectic pace. A. J. Moran struck a '65' for Limerick but Patrick Harman caught it and dropped it out for another '65' which was sent wide by Moran in the 18th minute. David Clarke was wide for Limerick and Tony Browne struck a wide at the other end.

In the 20th and 22nd minutes, Moran pointed frees to reduce our lead to a single goal, but then our hero of the minor success last year, Paul Flynn shot home a great goal having taken a pass from Anthony Fitzgerald. Limerick's full forward then came back with a brilliant goal to narrow the gap again before Paul Foley with a 26th minute point, followed by a 27th minute goal sent us in front by double scores (3-5 to 1-4) and just on the stroke of halftime Moran struck again for a Limerick point from a close in free, to leave the halfway score 3-5 to 1-5 in our favour.

With the players giving it their all and playing a fiercely determined game against tough opposition, we looked to be on our way as the teams went in for the break.

GREAT RESTART

Limerick showed one change for the second half with David O'Shaughnessy replacing Michael Quaid. The game had hardly restarted for 20 seconds when Paul Flynn broke through for his second goal which put Waterford into a 3 goal lead. Within a further 40 seconds Shane O'Neill pointed for Limerick and a minute later the same player made a tremendous run and rattled the Waterford net to reduce our lead to five points. Both sides were now playing great hurling and both realising that the game was at a critical stage, threw everything they knew into the game. Waterford were next to score when Fergal Hart-

ley's '65' went all the way for a point. Limerick made substitutions and switches and Waterford brought on Fintan O'Shea for Seamus Keating.

Then followed the score of the game when Michael Wallace, having moved out-field, ran a full sixty yards to crash the ball to the Waterford net and reduce the gap to a single goal in the 41st minute. Wallace had another point and sensing that victory was now within their grasp, Limerick threw caution to the wind and succeeded in cutting off the supply of the ball to our inside line. Paul Flynn was wide with two attempts before he pointed to restore our lead to a goal. Moran pointed for Limerick in the 51st minute and following wides by both sides, Wallace crashed home Limerick's fourth goal to give them the lead in the game for the first time in the 55th minute.

The sides were level in the 56th minute when Paul Flynn pointed a free and at this point a draw looked to be on. Two minutes later Michael Wallace had his third goal to give his side a clear lead. Kieran O'Gorman who was clearly Waterford's outstanding defender sent a '65' just wide in the 59th minute, and after both teams had a wide a-piece, Moran scored the insurance point for the visitors in the 61st minute to give them a four points win over the All-Ireland champions.

DESERVED WIN

In the overall, Limerick just about deserved their win as they were the stronger side and somehow managed to make better use of their chances. Waterford were not as good a side as the 1992 team and having lost too many top quality players the task was that little bit beyond them. They must all be given full marks for trying.

Scorers — Limerick: M. Wallace 3-3, S. O'Neill 2-1, J. Moran 0-4, N. Doolan 0-1; Waterford: P. Flynn 2-4, P. Foley 2-1, F. Hartley 0-2, T. Browne 0-1.

Limerick — Joe Quaid, M. Fitzgerald, D. Hickey, Michael Quaid, T. Hayes, R. Fenton, J. Kiely, S. Murray,

D. Clarke, A. Browne, J. Flavin, N. Doolan, M. Wallace, S. O'Neill, J. Moran. Subs — D. O'Shaughnessy for M. Quaid, O. O'Neill for J. Flavin, James Moran for A. Browne.

Waterford — P. Harman, K. O'Gorman, O. Dunphy, C. Cunningham, M. Dunford, F. Hartley, T. Feeney, T. Browne, S. Keating, A. Fitzgerald, M. Hubbard, K. McGrath, G. Harris, P. Foley, P. Flynn. Subs — F. O'Shea for S. Keating, P. O'Donnell for C. Cunningham.

Referee: John McDonnell, Tipperary.

WHAT NOW?

Within ten days we have surrendered two provincial and one All-Ireland titles at under-age level and we would not be human if we did not feel very saddened

and disappointed at our situation on the hurling scene, which has brought our spirits from a high to a low within a short time.

The defeat at Thurles in the league match with Cork didn't help the doom and gloom that seems to have hit the county at the moment and it will take a little while before we can begin to look on the bright side again.

We can always depend on our real supporters to view the situation more philosophically and look to a year or two ahead when many of last year's minors should prove as good as any others in the under-21 age grades, in and outside Munster. We would be foolish not to recognise that we have some tremendous talent at minor and under-21

on the way up and fielding strong sides in 1994 and 1995 should now be looked at. There are the few knockers around and were in good voice after our recent defeats, but these will always be with us and Waterford, like all other counties, must learn to live with them.

This is the time when support for our county teams is most needed and hopefully those wonderful people who have been giving such support to our teams over the past years or so will continue. The show is not over by a long shot and Waterford will be back in a year or two. We must have the patience.

Our next hurling game will be against Kerry at Walsh Park on May 23 in both senior and junior.

SENIOR FOOTBALL

McGrath Cup Defeat For Waterford

TIPPERARY 1-12 WATERFORD 1-9

Both counties played some very good football in this closely contested McGrath Cup semi-final at Clonmel on Sunday last and which was in effect decided on the conversion of a controversial penalty which gave the home team the lead in the 22nd minute. This left the score 1-6 to 0-5. Eoin O'Brien shot over a fine point to narrow the gap to a goal. At half time the score stood at 1-7 for Tipperary to 0-7 for Waterford.

Tipperary's lead was reduced to a single point after Peter Ferncombe pointed twice in the first four minutes of the second half. Waterford then began to exert pressure and were playing much better against the strong breeze and looking like winning the game when Jim Maher worked his way through for a splendid goal to give the lead to Waterford midway through the half.

Tipperary however fought back determinedly and scored four points without reply to qualify for the final against Clare or Limerick.



Scorers — Tipperary: P. Lambert 0-7, B. Burke 1-0, D. Foley 0-2, P. McGuire, A. Cross and J. Dunne 0-1 each; Waterford: J. Maher 1-2, P. Ferncombe 0-3, E. O'Brien 0-2, P. Hynes and M. Power 0-1 each.

Tipperary — P. Ryan, J. O'Meara, S. Cullum, T. Macken, J. Ownes, J.

Finn, T. Anglim, P. Burke, D. Foley, M. Sheehan, P. McGuire, C. McGrath, P. Lambert, A. Cross, J. Costello. Subs — D. Hogan for D. Finn and J. Dunne for C. McGrath.

Waterford — T. Brennan, A. Power, D. Mahon, F. O'Brien, M. O'Brien, P. Walsh, D. Casey, L. Dalton, G. Walsh, G. Power, E. O'Brien, P. Hynes, P. Ferncombe, M. Power, J. Maher. Subs — J. Power for P. Hynes, J. Murray for G. Power.

Referee — R. Moloney, Limerick.

WEEK-END FIXTURES

1992 Under 21 Hurling County Final

Seven Senior Football Games Down For Decision

The action swings to football over the coming week-end when fourteen of the fifteen senior club teams will be in action in first round matches. All but one of the seven will be played at Western venues and even though development work has not yet begun, Fraher Field is not included on the list of venues published. Stradbally is the only venue with a double-header. Two matches are fixed for Leamybrien on Sunday but one is in the afternoon and one in the evening. There may be an explanation for this.

DUNGARVAN v DUNHILL

This is the first of the two matches at Stradbally on Sunday afternoon and should see the county champions get off to a winning start for their ambitious four-in-a-row as their opponents, Dunhill are more than a shade behind in football standards. Their meeting at the same venue on June 6 last year when the champions won by a single goal (1-10 to 0-10) after a great Dunhill effort, would seem to contradict such a rating, but Dungarvan had a casual approach to this game. They will meet the challenge with a changed attitude here and should come back with the points.

RATHGORMACK v CLASHMORE

This is listed as the feature game at the venue (Stradbally) and patrons will have a chance of seeing how both the county finalists have recovered from the epic earlier in the year. Rathgormack play Clashmore and they will also line out as favourites, even though Clashmore are not a side to be written off all that easily. Last year at Fraher Field, Rathgormack had six points to spare at the finish (1-11 to 0-8) but I can recall the game being far closer than it seemed on the scoreboard. I don't expect Clashmore to start off their campaign with a shock result, but there won't be a lot in it at the finish.

KILMACTHOMAS v THE NIRE

This will be one of the most open matches of the entire week-end and the result can go either way. There has never been a lot between them and both play a lively and attractive brand of football. Both have a number of county players on their side and both, according to reports have prepared well for the game. So it should be a good one and a very close contest also. What a pity that this is clashing with so many others.

KILROSSANTY v GAULTIER

This is the only senior match listed for an Eastern venue so it will command good support in that area of the county. Kilrossanty are by tradition slow to take off in the championship and don't turn on the style until the season is underway. Doing things this way has had the Comeragh Club in trouble on a couple of occasions when they found themselves having to catch up on the points table. Having won the under 21 county championship only a couple weeks ago, they find themselves a little more prepared than usual and able to take to the field the fitter team. On the last occasion on which they met, Kilrossanty won on the rather odd scoreline of 4-11 to 1-11. They must be given the vote to win here.

BUTLERSTOWN v AFFANE

This is one of a number of games that should be fitted in at Fraher Field. No offence to Abbeyside field which is in excellent condition, but is not yet raided. As far as I can recall these are the only teams who have not met in a senior football championship before. Affane are the county intermediate champions and while they are unlikely to win the senior title this year, they are a very committed young side who can make an impression. I believe that Butlerstown won only one match in the championship last year, and didn't impress me

as being any better than a number of teams in the intermediate grade. This will be an interesting game with Butlerstown not wanting to suffer the ignominy of being beaten by the newcomers to the grade and Affane all out to show how worthy they are of promotion. Butlerstown must be the favourites considering all the circumstances.

SLIABH gCUA v TRAMORE

This will be the first senior football championship match of the season, it being brought forward to Thursday evening in order to facilitate Sliabh gCua who are involved in the Munster Scor on Saturday night.

When the same sides met last year, Tramore scored a nine points win to record only their second victory of the season. Sliabh gCua almost caused a big shock when running Stradbally close in the first round, but fared poorly after this, and might have been relegated were it not for the new by-law, which co-incidentally was introduced by their club two years ago. Unless the Touraneena based side have improved a good bit, they are unlikely to win this one.

BALLINACOURTY v STRADBALLY

This game is timed for 7 p.m. at Leamybrien and the other game at the venue will be played in the afternoon. What a pity these could not be played as a double header?

These sides have not met since 1991 when Stradbally won on an 0-10 to 0-7 scoreline. Last year Stradbally reached the semi-final and went under to the eventual champions, Dungarvan. Going on form over the past two seasons, they will be strongly fancied to beat Ballinacourty again here, particularly now that 'Courty will be without regular midfielder Ian Kiely who is one of their leading players. It might be closer than expected and it might not turn out the way I am predicting.

but Stradbally are the favourites.

U-21 HURLING BALLYGUNNER VERSUS LISMORE

This long overdue county final will bring an end to the championships of last year, provided that the sides do not finish level at the end. The game is fixed for Cappoquin, but with development work not yet begun in Fraher Field, the game could be switched to the Dungarvan ground. Where ever it is played it will be a thriller and possibly one of the best hurling games of the present season. Both teams will have last year's under 21 players and this will mean that half a dozen or so of the All-Ireland team will be in action.

The Ballygunner team led by Fergal Hartley, Paul Power, Paul Flynn, Patrick Harman, Cormac Laphorne, Cormac Sweeney and Rory O'Sullivan, defeated Mount Sion in a replay three weeks ago while on the same weekend Lismore at this side trounced Dungarvan in the semi final before doing the same to Abbeyside in the Western final a week later. They have Sean Daly, Kieran O'Gorman, Brendan Ormond, Mark and Michael Sullivan, Pat O'Gorman, James O'Connor, Paddy O'Donnell, Johnnie Whelan, Philip Hickey, Eamon Power, Michael Hickey, Alan Dunne, Dan Shanahan, Paul Quinn, etc. and the 'Gunnery will need to be in pretty good shape to overcome an outfit with so much underage talent.

Ballygunner who have already won the senior and minor double will go all out to achieve the unique distinction of winning this elusive treble. It will be a cracker of a game whoever wins. I make Lismore the slight favourites.

Intermediate Football

The intermediate football championship also gets underway in the West over the weekend and we have some attractive first rounders

down for decision at many venues. All are Sunday evening games and are timed for 7 p.m.

AN RINN v SHAMROCKS

The Gaeltacht side had a convincing seven points win when they met in Cappoquin last year in June, and I know of no reason for supposing that the Knockanore team have improved sufficiently to change things in their favour in the meantime. Prediction — An Rinn.

BRICKEYS v BALLINAMEELA

Ballinameela hammered the Brickeys (3-7 to 0-3) in the first round last year and this is not a happy thought for the challengers here. Just the same the Brickeys did much better as the championship wore on and I recall seeing them beat Geraldines by a couple of points later on in a game which proved that the Brickeys form against Ballinameela was all wrong. Ballinameela had some good wins after this also until Faha put paid to their hopes in the famous (0-3 to 0-2) thriller. I give Ballinameela the vote here.

FAHA v. GERALDINES

On championship form going back a couple of seasons, Faha would appear to be a 'cut above' their opponents here. Geraldines had a few near misses in the championship last year but were nowhere as impressive as Faha, who are given the vote to win here.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

There are a 'rake' of junior football games spread around the division and these include a number of second string matches that are not likely to set the place on fire. I note from the published fixtures list that Kilrossanty have agreed to go to Stradbally to play their old rivals. It shows how things have changed over the years. Very many years ago my old friend, the late Stephen Hickey of the Brickeys said to me that "when you see clubs becoming friendly, the G.A.A. is finished."

Among the proper junior championship matches will be the meeting of Seana Phobal and Kilgobinet at Bushy Park, the clash between Emmetts and Modeligo at Fraher Field and the Lismore v. Tallow match at Ballyduff.

FIXTURES

THURSDAY, APRIL 22nd

STRADBALLY 7 p.m. J.F.C. Stradbally v. Kilrossanty

FRIDAY, APRIL 23rd

LEAMYBRIEN 7 p.m. S.F.C. Sliabh gCua v. Tramore

SATURDAY, APRIL 24th

(J.F.C. All Games 7 p.m.)

BUSHY PARK Kilgobinet v. Old Parish
 ARDMORE Clashmore v. Geraldines
 CLASHMORE Ballinameela v. Dungarvan
 OLD PARISH Brickey Rangers v. Ring
 LISMORE Shamrocks v. Affane
 COLLIGAN Nire v. Ballinacourty
 CAPPOQUIN 6.45 p.m. 1992 Co. U-21 H.C. "A" Final
 Ballygunner v. Lismore

SUNDAY, APRIL 25th

LAWLOR'S HOTEL S.F.C.

STRADBALLY 2 p.m. Dungarvan v. Dunhill
 3.30 p.m. Rathgormack v. Clashmore
 LEAMYBRIEN 3 p.m. Kilmacthomas v. Nire
 7 p.m. Stradbally v. Ballinacourty
 WALSH PARK 3.30 p.m. Gaultier v. Kilrossanty
 ABBEYSIDE 3 p.m. Butlerstown v. Affane
 FRAHER FIELD 2 p.m. J.F.C. Emmetts v. Modeligo
 BALLYDUFF 7 p.m. J.F.C. Lismore v. Tallow
 CAPPOQUIN 7 p.m. I.F.C. Ballinameela v. Brickeys
 BUSHY PARK 7 p.m. I.F.C. Faha v. Geraldines
 ARDMORE 7 p.m. I.F.C. Shamrocks v. Ring

PETER POWER'S HURLING COACHING PROGRAMME

Monday, 26th — Touraneena
 Tuesday, 27th — Rathgormack and Crehana
 Wednesday 28th — Currabaha and Newtown
 Thursday, 29th — Dungarvan C.B.S.
 Friday, 30th — Ballymacarby

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

Hurling Championship Results

There were no big surprises but generally close and exciting contests were the order of the day as the hurling championships got off to a lively start over the weekend. The standards too were good enough to suggest that we are in for a season of excitement and surprises, with some of the teams, heretofore rated to be outsiders, coming more into the reckoning.

MOUNT SION V.

LISMORE

This was a thriller all the way between two sides who will surely be involved in the knockout stages later in the year. The game saw Mount Sion play Shane Ahearne at centre back and with Ger Fitzpatrick and Brian Greene on the wings very little was given away in this solid line of defence.

Lismore led by 0-6 to 0-1 at an early stage but two dramatic goals by Tony Browne and Gary Gater within two minutes swung the game around in their favour to give them a half time led of 2-4 to 0-6. A tremendous save by goalkeeper Philly Flynn from a Sean Daly rocket in the second half made a crucial difference as far as Lismore were concerned and Brendan Prendergast's goal in the very last minute came too late.

BALLYDUFF V.

DUNHILL

There was nothing fluky about Ballyduff's nine points win but they were

helped on a lot by their two first half goals scored against the breeze to give them a narrow one point lead at half time. If Ballyduff play as well against De La Salle in their next game they will be in touch all the way to the knockout stages.

PASSAGE 1-9

BALLYGUNNER 1-7

This could be described as the only surprise of the first rounds, but Passage do not rate it so as they were fully confident of beating the champions. Everyone who saw Passage play last season will not be surprised to see them involved in the final shake-up come September.

COLLIGAN 1-8,

PORTLAW 0-11

This was a great result for the intermediate county champions, Colligan who won a well deserved share of the points with the much fancied Portlaw in their first senior game since their promotion this year. The standard was good and the result pleased both sides.

OTHER RESULTS

De La Salle scored a nine points win over St. Saviours as they did when the sides met in the first round last year, so there was no surprise there. I was told that this was De La Salle's best display for a long time. Their match against Ballyduff in Cappoquin on Sunday week will be crucial for them.

INTERMEDIATE

With 13 points to spare at the finish, Erin's Own could not have had a big problem with a weak St. Mollerans challenge in their first round game in the intermediate championship.

The same can be written about Abbesside's game against a weak Ballydurn side at Leamybrien. The winners margin was even greater than when they played last year.

Cappoquin also recorded a first round win in their game against Tramore, but their winning margin was not as great as it was when they met last year. This probably means that Tramore are improved this year.

The Ballysaggart v. Shamrocks clash was a thriller and Ballysaggart, who are playing intermediate for their first time, must feel reasonably well pleased with the result. Looking at the programme of published fixtures, I feel that both are sure to win their next matches which will keep them in touch for the time being at least.

Clonea are high up on the short list to win the intermediate title this year but were lucky to overcome a strong challenge from outsiders St. Mary's at Cappoquin on Saturday. Only a point separated the teams at the finish and had the Western side taken their chances the result would have been different and they could have taken the points. Last year they met in the first round and Clonea had a seven points winning margin.

Stradbally, in the end, had seven points to spare against An Rinn in their first round at Fraher Field on Saturday evening. It was a different kind of match to the dramatic tie which saw them locked together at 2-6 apiece in the first round last year.



FEWS N.S. — Three boys from Fews N.S. keeping their eyes on the ball during a recent coaching visit. Like all the primary schools this school is well organised by Miss Marie Brennan (Principal) and Miss Ann Kavanagh, N.T.

Controversial S.H. Win For Tallow

TALLOW 2-13 DUNGARVAN 3-8

A brace of points in injury time gave Tallow the edge over Dungarvan in this very close senior hurling first round game which ended in controversy at Lismore on Saturday night.

Tallow had come back from the brink of defeat to snatch their late lead but Derek Lyons had the ball in the Tallow net for what looked like a winner only to see the goal ruled out as referee Jim Joe Landers blew full time while the ball was en route to the back of the net.

Tallow faded after a strong opening which saw them score four points without reply but Peter Ferncombe's goal in the ninth minute was the springboard for a Dungarvan fight back which left them leading 1-5 to 0-5 at the break.

Further goals by Derek Lyons and Peter Queally left Dungarvan 3-6 to 0-7 ahead but a great fight back in the final quarter sparked off by Stephen Curley's 46th minute goal saw Tallow go on to win.

A string of points followed by a David Henley goal gave Tallow a point lead in the 58th minute. Derek Lyons scored the equaliser for Dungarvan on the stroke of full time but in "time added on" Stephen Curley and David Henley had Tallow's match winning points before Lyons' goal was ruled out.

Scorers: Tallow — S.

Curley 1-2; David Henley 1-2; P. Murphy 0-5; G. Sice 0-4. Dungarvan — M. Ferncombe 0-6; D. Lyons 1-1; P. Ferncombe 1-1, P. Queally 1-0.

Tallow — M. Murphy; T. McCarthy, M. Beecher, C. Cunningham; J. Geary, J. O'Donoghue, T. Sheehan; K. Murphy, M. Geary; Dermot Henley, David Henley, J. J. Henley; G. Sice, P. Murphy, S. Curley. Sub. —

P. Curley for J. J. Henley. Dungarvan — J. J. Ferncombe, M. Sheehan, R. Ronayne, S. Mansfield; J. J. Ronayne, M. Kelly, B. Lyons; Peter Power, D. Lyons; D. O'Callaghan, D. McGrath, P. Ferncombe; P. Queally, M. Ferncombe, F. Cunningham. Subs. — Pat Power for Mansfield; M. Ronayne for Pat Power. Referee — J. J. Landers (Cappoquin).

Bord Na nOg Notes

DICK LALOR'S BAR CAPPOQUIN CHAMPIONSHIP

Result — St. Patrick's 4-4
Affane 2-4

Fixture — Dick Lalor's Bar Under-14 "C" Final — Sunday, April 25, Shamrocks v. Ballyduff at 11.30 a.m. in Tallow.

UNDER-16 MUNSTER CHAMPIONSHIP Mjd Tipperary 2-16 West Waterford 2-12

Well done to the Under-16 hurlers of West Waterford who gave a thrilling display of hurling in the Fraher Field on Sunday

last. Although luck evaded them on the day, great credit is due to the team who never gave up at any stage of this game.

The team was — T. Veale, G. Feeney, M. Murray, M. Cliffe, J. Brien, E. O'Sullivan, C. Scanlon, D. Bennett, M. Molumphy, S. Curley, M. Connolly, B. Hannon, C. Hennessey, B. Conway, K. Walsh, P. Donovan, K. Curran. Selectors — B. Walsh, J. Hannon, J. Horgan; thanks to Peter Power who gave the selectors and players such encouragement and help throughout the year.

JUVENILE FOOTBALL COACHING

Monday, 26th — Piltown and Grange
Tuesday, 27th — Butlerstown and Ballyduff
Wed., 28th — Sean Phobal and Scoll Garbhan
Thursday, 29th — Garranbane
Friday, 30th — Garranbane and Carriglea

G.A.A. RESULTS

Lawlor's Hotel Senior Hurling Championship

Tallow 2-13 Dungarvan 3-8
De La Salle 2-15 St. Saviours 1-9
Ballyduff 2-12 Dunhill 0-9
Mount Sion 2-10 Lismore 1-11
Portlaw 0-11 Colligan 1-8
Passage 1-9 Ballygunner 1-7

Intermediate Hurling Championship

Erin's Own 2-11 St. Mollerans 0-4
Stradbally 3-9 Ring 1-8
Cappoquin 1-10 Tramore 1-7
Shamrocks 2-7 Ballysaggart 1-10
Abbesside 7-13 Ballydurn 1-3
Clonea 0-11 St. Mary's 0-10

Munster U-16 Hurling Championship

Limerick City 3-19 East Waterford 4-11
Mid Tipperary 2-16 West Waterford 2-12

Junior Hurling Championship

Butlerstown 6-9 Bonmahon 1-8

McGrath Cup Senior Football Semi-Final

Tipperary 1-12 Waterford 1-9

Munster U-21 Hurling Championship

Limerick 5-9 Waterford 4-8

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Udarás Backing For Gaelscoil Garbhain

At Friday's monthly meeting of Udarás in Galway a motion tabled by Brendan MacGearailt, M.C.C. and elected member of Udarás na Gaeltachta seeking urgent action from the Minister of Education and the Department of Education, regarding the provision of a

new school for Gael-Scoil Gharbháin, (the All Irish School in Dungarvan), was passed

An t-Uasal MacGearailt said that the crisis which has arisen in this situation was literally unbearable for all concerned. A new school is a must.

IDA Backs Jobs Extension At Dungarvan Microchem Laboratories

CONTINUED FROM FRONT PAGE

Of this number of new jobs, over the next 3 years, 17 will be created at Microchem Laboratories which provides microbiology and chemical test analysis for the food and pharmaceutical industries.

Principals of Microchem are husband-and-wife team, Dr. Ciaran Geoghegan, M.Sc. and Ph.D. Thesis at the Pasteur Institute in Paris and Dr. Anita Geoghegan who has a Doctorate in microbiology and experience in areas of hygiene and disease control in food and pharmaceutical industries.

COMPANY BACKGROUND

Dr. Anita Geoghegan received her doctorate in microbiology in 1983. While preparing for her doctorate she established a consultancy geared to the emerging fish farming industry in the area of hygiene and disease control. On completion of her studies she joined O'Reilly's Irish Foods as Operations Manager. Due to family commitments she resigned this position in 1986 and set up, from home, a microbiology screening business. The business grew such that in 1989 she moved to commercial premises in Dungarvan and began the process of attaining ILAB accreditation — an internationally recognised lab standard and one which was increasingly in demand from her clients. In 1991 a limited company — Mi-

crochem Laboratories (Ireland) Ltd — was established and she and her husband began putting in place the elements of a development plan.

Significant progress has been achieved and the company now employs 13 and expected to rise to 30 over the next three years. Over £1m in sales are projected from their existing client base coupled with displacing identified products and services which are currently being imported from abroad and by competing internationally for contract lab work and the supply of bacteriological media.

GROW Self Help Group

'GROW' holds self-help group meetings every Monday night at 8 p.m. and Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. at the Presentation Convent, Dungarvan. If you suffer from stress, depression or anxiety you are very welcome.

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