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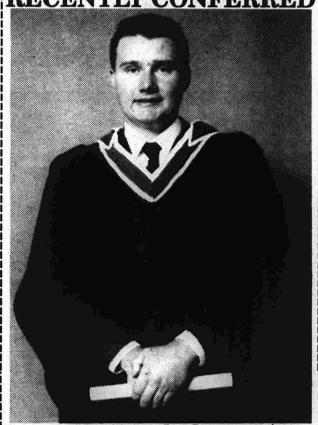
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WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL

# Dan Hurley

At an historic meeting of Waterford County Council last Monday, the retiring County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley said adieu to the Council members at what was his last ever Council meeting before his retirement as County Manager on January 6th 1994.

In his farewell speech to the elected public representatives he had worked with for 13 years, Mr. Hurley said he had enjoyed living and working in Co. Waterford but stated, however, that 10 or 11 years as County Manager should be the maximum as "things get repetitive" he added.

"It's a sad day for me", Mr. Hurley remarked and said he was further saddened at the way powers have been taken away from local Government. "The demise of Local Government is beginning to emerge" he declared. United in their praise, many tributes were made to Mr. Hurley by the Councillors, the County Engineer John O'Flynn and Mr. John Murphy on behalf of the mem-

bers of the press. The Chairman, Cllr. Con Casey, expressed sadness on the occasion but said the sadness was tempered by the Co. Manager's own assurance that he is leaving at a time when he is fit and able to tackle other assignments. Cllr. Casey de-

shopping becomes fun.

CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

IN DUNGARVAN

This week see the Dungarvan Leader's compre-

hensive guide to Christmas Shopping in Dungar-

van on pages 17-23. Featuring over 50 local

shops, this guide is packed with exciting gift ideas and really shows you what's on offer this

Christmas locally. So forget about those endless

Christmas gift lists and turn to page 17 where



Mr. Dan Hurley

scribed the 'tremendous success' and the 'vibrancy, growth and expansion' which County Waterford had experienced under the County Manager. In difficult financial times the County Manager had started a 'whole new era' in Tramore with Splashworld, retained the Council's employment figures with the development of tourism and industry and many other major projects such as the state of the art East Waterford Regional water supply scheme, the Heritage Centre in Lismore, the programme of public lighting in the

county and the library facilities which the Chairman remarked were "improved beyond all recognition".

Attributing these successful county projects and more to the County Manager, Cllr. Casey wished him and his wife every success and said he was sorry to see him go.

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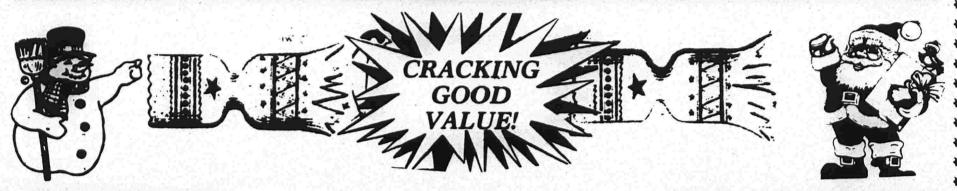
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# Local Winners To Go On National Lottery Trip To

Lapland

Three families from the Dungarvan area are among the 50 families that have been drawn to travel with the National Lottery on a trip to Lapland to visit Santa on Saturday, December 18.

The lucky winners are — Jason Gough, 82 Springfield, Dungarvan, Dolly Kiely, Curradoon House, Ballinamult and Ann Marie

Three families from the Power, 19 Mitchell Street, Dungarvan area are among Dungarvan.

They were drawn from the thousands of entries received over the past two months since the Christmas special game was launched.

The winners will meet in a Dublin hotel on Friday, December 17, where dinner, bed and breakfast will be provided. Then early on Sat-

urday, December 18 they will be brought by bus to the airport where they will fly to Lapland.

Commenting that the trip to Lapland comes from the unclaimed prizes, the National Lottery Director said that the response to the game was tremendous and that the winners will have a trip to remember.

"When they arrive in the town of Rovaniemi, which is 500 miles from Helsinki, they will be met by native past two months.

Laplanders and brought to their hotel for dinner and entertainment. The next day they will ride on sleighs and meet Santa Claus. Each child will receive a present and have lunch. The winners will then fly back to Ireland that afternoon," said Ray Bates, National Lottery Director.

The names of the fifty winners were drawn from all the Christmas Special cards with three Santa symbols on them which were entered over the past two months.

## News of Town and Roundabout

CAROL SERVICE AT ABBEYSIDE CHURCH

The Vigil Choir will hold a Carol Service in Abbeyside Church on Saturday night next, December 18. It will start at 7 p.m. and continue until the start of Mass at 7.30 p.m. All are invited to attend.

FRIARY SALE OF WORK 1993 — THANKS On behalf of our Mission-

On behalf of our Missionaries and their people in Africa and Ecuador, I wish to thank very sincerely the people of Dungarvan and surrounding areas for their magnificent and generous support once again for our recent Sale of Work. A very special word of thanks to our ever-faithful group of Mission helpers who organised sales, arranged and looked after stalls and served teas, etc.

Thanks also to those who prepared halls and set up stalls for the Sale of Work. Thanks to Dungarvan Pipe Band and Santa Claus who led the Fancy Dress Parade and to the parents who prepared the children for the Fancy Dress competition. To the staff and pupils of Primary and Post-Primary Schools within a wide radius of Dungarvan for their support and generosity. To those who gave vouchers

and gifts, to those who gave very generous and anonymous gifts. To all of you who helped in any way. To the management and staff of local papers and WLR FM.

May the Lord be generous to you at Christmas and may He give you His peace in the New Year. 11.30 a.m. Mass on Sunday, December 19, will be offered for your intentions. — FR. KEVIN MOYNIHAN, O.S.A.

DUNGARVAN PIPE BAND

Quarterly draw results for December 12 — Promoters-prizes — John O'Donnell, Sharon Maguire, Peter Queally, Don O'Connor, John O'Donnell. £5 each — M. Hackett, Sandra Griffin, Jackie Shaw, Sean Sheehan; £10, Maisie Drohan; Bot. whiskey, Ann Nugent; Bot. brandy, Mary Barry; Ham, Tom and James Dalton; Turkey, Tom Landers; Bot. Brandy, Mary Carmel Whelan; Christmas Cake, Mary McGuire; Window Cleaning Voucher (£20), Deirdre Flynn; £20, Michael Grant; 2 Driving Lessons, John Cosgrave; Radio, Gerry Boland; Waterford Glass, Maurice Hackett; £50, Francis Duffy.

The Dungarvan Pipe Band would like to thank the following sponsors for their

support for our Christmas draw: Waterford Glass, Casey TV Rentals, Fred Forsey, Noel Flynn, Kay Dillon, Cash & Carry, Donoghues.

We wish all our sponsors and supporters a very happy Christmas. The band will give a recital in Cappoquin on Sunday next, December 19, at 12 noon (weather permitting). (Advt.)

ST. JOSEPH'S

ST. JOSEPH'S PRIMARY SCHOOL NON-STOP DRAW

Results of eighth draw held on Thursday, December 9 — £50, Michael Ansell, p. Catherine Flynn; £25, Frank Murphy, p. Catherine Curran; £10, Marie Hanley, p. Kathleen and Marie; £5 each, Michael Rossiter, p. Catherine Curran; Mrs. McGregor, p. Helen O'Sullivan; Tommy Radley, p. Mary Radley, (Advt.)

DUNGARVAN COUNTRY MARKETS LTD.

Dungarvan Country Markets annual general meeting was held in the Park Hotel recently in the presence of our Regional Officer, Lil Hayes.

After our reports the following officers were elected: Chairperson, Margaret Riordan; Asst. Chairperson, Mary Stack; Secretary, Maureen Earley; Treasurer, Bernie Hennebry; Controller, Mary Flavin; Asst. Controller, Ann Roache; PRO, Mary Daly.

It was decided to hold our Christmas Market of fresh vegetables, flowers, home baking, crafts, jams, etc. in Mitchell Street on Wednesday, December 22, between 1.30 and 3 p.m. in place of our usual Friday.

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# VILLAGE TOPICS

For reasons that are not now very clear Abbeyside affiliated under the name Abbey Rovers in 1930, entering a junior hurling team only. Michael Morrissey was Club Secretary.

The Western Convention decided to run the junior championships on a Graded System.' Among the reasons were a certain disparity of standard which gave inexperienced teams little chance against the better sides in the early rounds. If, however, the weaker and less experienced played off among themselves, the winner would have gained in strength, experience and fitness, so as to stand a better chance of beating any of the better teams.

Some clubs at times wished to enter two teams in junior, as Tallow did in hurling in 1930. And the second strings of senior clubs were often often out of their

#### A FUNNY STORY

Finnegan's phone rang in the small hours of the morning and it was Hourihan who wanted to know the time.

'Tis four o'clock in the morning.

'Thanks,' said Hourihan, 'I hope I didn't disturb you.

'Not a bit if it. Sure I had to get up to answer this phone anyways.'

#### **NEWS ITEMS**

We would be grateful if our readers would forward any items of news that would be of interest to others to Seamus Fitzgerald (058) 41836. They would be fully appreciated.

depth with the best juniors. Four teams were graded "A" in hurling:

Tallow No. 1; Kilmacthomas; Dungarvan; Fourmilewater.

There were five teams in the "B" grade: Tallow No. 2; Cappagh; Ballyduff; Rockfield; Abbey Rovers who received a first round

The winners of Grade "A" to meet the winners of Grade "B" in the Western

In the Western final the score was Tallow No. 1 2-3 Abbey Rovers 1-2.

At Cappoquin 5.10. Ref.: Joe Mason (Capp.). OBJECTION

Abbey Rovers were very aggrieved at the state of the pitch for the Western final and objected against the result on the grounds that the pitch was not lined or in proper condition. The Board decided to seek a supplementary report from the referee on the matter, but that was rendered unnecessary when a Tallow counter-objection was upheld. It claimed that N. Noonan was illegal not having been reinstated after a previous sus-

[Reference: Club History Dún na Mainistreach/Baile na Cúirte]

#### **GOLF NEWS**

Ladies Home Alliance played on Tuesday, December 7 — 18 Hole Stableford. Winners were all resident

in Abbeyside.

Section 1 — J. Melody (16), The Burgery 30 pts. Section 2 — P. O'Brien (18), Coolagh Road 29 pts. Section 3 — M. O'Riordan (23), Pinewood 28 pts.

Mens Competition on Saturday, December 11 - 18 Hole Stableford — 1st Tom Melody Jnr. (9), The Burgery 38 pts.

#### JOHN TREACY TO THE FORE IN ABBEYSIDE

As expected John Treacy won the national senior College on Sunday last. The Waterford team finished fourth overall. Considering that there were 500 children from all over Ireland participating it was a massive feat of organisation for the local club and Waterford County Board. The Civil Defence volunteers were very much to the fore and the College buildings were used for changing and restaurant facilities. There were four courses marked out around the perimeter of the Friary playing fields. The senior men had to race over course D five times while the senior women had to negotiate two laps of course B and one lap of course D. John Treacy described the course as a vintage cross country course and that the crowd were terrific and really got one motivated. We hope it will not be too long before the Abbeyside venue will again host these championships.

#### **GLORIA IN EXCELSIS** DEO

The above words are inscribed in the banner placed over the ten figure crib erected by the Pattern Committee in the usual position for Christmas. The Pattern Committee have also erected colourful lights on the tree standing near the crib.

#### SCOR NA NÓG

Ballinroad Hall was the venue for the first round of the above competition on Friday and Saturday night of last week. The newly renovated Hall was the source of much positive comment. From eight entrants the local G.A.A. club have seven acts going forward to the semi-finals next weekend in the Ard Scoil Hall.

#### PEACE WALK

A sizable crowd from Abbeyside participated in the march for a long awaited cease-fire to the shooting and bombing in the North Eastern corner of our small island. The local people marched from Abbeyside over the causeway to join with their fellow participants in Dungarvan.

#### **ATHLETICS**

Best wishes to Eamonn O'Donnell who will be representing his club and county in the Munster championships next Sunday in Limerick. Eamonn won the county Under-12 'B' championship at the Friary College on Sunday, December 5. His brother Mark won the Under-9 county championship at Ballygunner a few weeks ago.

TROOP MEETING

Last week's meeting was a

full uniform one and in

A.S.L.'s John Paul and

Mark along with S.P.L.'s

Eamon, Martin and Conor.

Following subs and uniform

inspection games were the

order of the night the high-

light of which was "Bull-

dog" and some of the

smaller scouts certainly did

not last long here. The

P.L.'s themselves, continu-

ing along from last week,

took charge of coming up

with and running a game

and this involved a game

where if you did not know

# Abbeyside



the points on the compass you were lost.

The meeting finished at sent being reminded of what is hoped will happen this Saturday, all going well, and not to forget this Saturday's meeting will be a mufti one.

SCÓR

Well done to the scouts representing Ballinacourty in Scor Na nOg, who last Friday night succeeded in getting through to the sec-ond round. Hopefully next time they will manage not to tip "Labhra" out of the stretcher!

Last Saturday night Brian, Paddy, Geoff and Jenny travelled to Melleray Scout mas Party. A delicious roast beef dinner was served which was enjoyed by all. - Scribe

Abbeyside Girl

Guide Notes

Both Brownies and Guides were very

crafty this week. The Brownies made beautiful, framed pictures while the

Guides got cooking and produced a va-

riety of delicious sweets. Before head-

ing home everyone received their

Our Regional Commissioner, Mary

Stack, and our Development Officer,

Deirdre Henley, visited us last Satur-

day. We went to Melleray and met up

with Brownies and Guides from

Youghal and Stradbally. Despite the

snow, we had a brilliant time. With

over 130 participants, our Christmas

party was a huge success! Activities

began with a number of enrolments and

badge presentations. Following this it

was party time with the odd festive

song getting everyone into the spirit of

things. Hot dogs were served before

Christmas present!
CHRISTMAS PARTY

A big thank you is extended to all our members who attended our Christmas Party in Melleray. Everyone turned up looking extremely smart and we would like to thank all the parents who ensured that their daughters arrived well groomed, in full and correct uniform. Also many thanks to the 24 Abbeyside guides who completed their duties so efficiently last Saturday. The smooth running of the event and its success was a credit to your hard work. A better team of helpers we could not have asked for!

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS

Monday Ladybirds — on holidays until Monday, January 10; Brownies - on holidays until Tuesday, January 11; Wednesday Ladybirds — from Wednesday, Dec. 15 to Wednesday, January 12; Guides on holidays until Thursday, Jan. 13.

Season's greetings and best wishes for the new year to all our members and sup-

departure and all in all everyone en-

# Abbeyside Shore Angling Club Notes

The club held its annual presentation of prizes and Christmas Party in the Gold Coast, Ballinacourty on Sunday, December 5 last.

joyed the day.

Results for 1992-93 season were as follows -Brian Mansfield received the John Elstead Memorial Trophy for Master Angler; Bridget Tobin received the Riomor Shield for Lady Master Angler, and Damien Wall received the Michelle Lenihan Trophy for Juvenile Master Angler.

Michael Young The Memorial Trophy went to Tony Crowe for the Greatest Variety. The trophy for the Heaviest Bass went to Marion Maher. The "Leader" Cup went to John Cronin for the Heaviest Weight over the Christmas competitions. The Vincent Morrissey Shield went to John Cronin for the Greatest Variety over the Christmas competitions.

RÉCORD FISH AWARDS

There were six record fish awards for 1992-93 season and they are as follows Johnny Cronin (5 bearded rockling), Fran O'Connell (allis shad), John Joe Kirwan (pollock), Martin Tobin (coalfish), Garry O'Shea (river eel and turbot).

Senior members Christmas draw results — 1, Michael Cowming; 2, Tony Elstead; 3, John Paul Power. Juvenile Christmas draw results — 1, Janet Tobin; 2, Conor Hackett; 3, Pat Maher.

Before I sign off for 1993, on behalf of the club I would like to thank John Kiely, Manager, Gold Coast for the use of the hall; thanks to Michael Wall for sponsoring the Juvenile Christmas competition; thanks to Alice O'Connor

for the use of a room for club meetings; thanks to our photographer Pat Crowley. Until next year, merry Christmas and a happy new year to all.

#### "Dungarvan Leader" Christmas Publishing **Arrangements**

Next week's issue of the "Leader" will be published on Wednesday, December 22 and advertisers and district correspondents are requested to note that all copy for publication in that issue should reach us as early as possible but not later than Monday, Dec. 20.

Due to Christmas holidays there will be no issue of the "Leader" published on the following week and the next publication will be on Wednesday, January 5.

In order to avoid the inevitable delays over the holiday periods we recthat messages be faxed to us - our fax number is 058/41203.

#### Ceader

#### CROSSWORD

**QUESTIONS ON PAGE 18** 

SOLUTION: Across — 1 Robot. 4 Ingot. 8 Hen. 9 Lunar. 10 Venus. 11 Ere. 12 Aroma. 13 Rundown. 16 Elapse. 19 Scorns. 23 Complex. 26 Anger. 28 Pun. 29 Never. 30 Naive. 31 Nee. 32 Speed. 33 Latch. Down - 2 Bingo. 3 Threats. 4 Insert. 5 Given. 6 Tango. 7 Arson. 9 Leave. 14 Duo. 15 Won. 17 Loo. 18 Pop. 20 Channel. 21 Spree. 22 Expand. 23 Cynic. 24 Moves. 25 Large. 27 Grist.

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# RECENT DEATHS

#### Mr. Patrick Ryan



It is with deep regret we record the passing of Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Ryan, Fitzgerald Terrace, Dungarvan, which took place on Sunday morning, December 5, at his residence after a rather short duration of illness. The deceased was a member of a very old and popular Dungarvan family.

He was an employee of Dungarvan Leather Factory for very many years up to the time of his retirement, where he gave wonderful service and became a friend of all his fellow employees.

The late Paddy Ryan was one of nature's gentlemen by reason of his gentle and retiring disposition, his kindness to all and his great Christian charity. He was a wonderful husband and a kind and loving father and grandfather.

To his sorrowing wife Aida, daughter Catherine, son-in-law Anthony, grandchildren Pat, Samantha and Lisamarie, we tender our sincere and deepest condolences at his passing.

His remains were removed on Monday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home after prayers at the home were recited by Fr. J. Kiely, C.C., who also blessed and received the coffin on arrival at St. Mary's Parish Church, assisted by Rev. Fr. Moylan, O.S.A.

Requiem Mass was offered on Tuesday morning, again by Fr. J. Kiely, for the repose of his soul. Also present was Very Rev. J. O'Sullivan. After the celebration of the Mass the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. The above clergy officiated at the graveside.

present at the obsequies, testifying to his great populari-

Very many Mass cards were received and some beautiful floral tributes were placed on his grave.

Chief mourners — Aida (wife), Catherine (daughter), Anthony Fitzgerald (son-in-law), Pat, Samantha and Lisamarie Fitzgerald (grandchildren), Mrs. Kathleen Kaplowski (sister-inlaw) and a large circle of relatives and friends.

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

#### Mrs. Bridget McCarthy (née Dunphy)



It is our sad duty to place on record the death of Mrs. Bridget McCarthy (née Dunphy), Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, which took place on Thursday evening, December 9, at the Waterford Regional Hospital after a duration of failing health and at an advanced

The deceased was a member of a very well known Kilossera family and a lady in the true sense of the word by reason of her many charming qualities which endeared her to all her acquaintances.

To her sorrowing sons and daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, nephews and nieces we extend our deepest sympathy at the passing of a good and loving mother.

Her remains were femoved on Friday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home after prayers were recited by Rev. Fr. C. Kelly, C.C., to St. Mary's Parish Church and Large attendances were on arrival were received and

blessed, again by Fr. Kelly.

Requiem Mass was offered on Saturday morning for the repose of her gentle soul and the interment then took place in the adjoining family plot. Fr. Kelly imparted the final absolution at the graveside, assisted by Very Rev. G. Canon Power, P.P. and Rev. J. Kiely, C.C.

Large attendances were present at the removal, Requiem Mass and burial. Very many Mass cards were received and some beautiful floral tributes were placed on her grave.

Chief mourners - Eddie, John, Richard, Michael and Thomas (sons), Jane and Bridget (daughters), Marianne, Juliette, Sean, Jimmy, Billy, Caroline, Ian, Jennette, Samantha, Leanne, Trevor, Sean and Lizzie (grandchildren), James, Terence, Stuart, Emma and Lucy (greatgrandchildren), Tony and Johnny (nephews), Susie (niece) and a large circle of cousins, relatives and

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#### Mrs. Margie Crotty (née Walsh)

Widespread and deep feelings of regret were expressed at the announcement of the death of Mrs. Margie Crotty (née Walsh), Ballinacourty, Ring, who answered the great call on Friday evening, December 10, at the Cork Regional Hospital after a rather short duration of failing health and at a comparatively early age. The deceased was relict of Eddie Crotty who predeceased her by some years and was a member of a very popular and widely connected Ring family.

The late Margie Crotty was an employee of the Waterford County Council clerical staff prior to her marriage where she enjoyed wide popularity by reason of her charming and helpful at-titude to all those requiring her assistance.

She was a true Irish mother, loving and caring for her family. She was a deeply religious person all her life and a great believer in the true Christian way of life for which she will now be rewarded in her true heavenly

To her sorrowing sons, daughters, brothers, sister, randchildren, relatives and friends we tender our sincere sympathy at her passing. May the light of heaven shine on her gentle soul.

Her remains were removed on Saturday evening from the Kiely Funeral Home to Ring Church after the prayers of requiem were recited by Very Rev. Fr. C. Daly, P.P. A huge cortege followed the funeral procession and on arrival the coffin was blessed and received by Rev. P. Mackey, C.C.

The last Mass on Sunday

morning was offered for the repose of her gentle soul and the interment then took place in the adjoining cemetery amid deep manifestation of very great sorrow from the very large concourse present. Fr. Mackey, assisted by Fr. Daly and Mons. P. Lannen officiated at the graveside.

Large sheaves of Mass cards and letters of sympathy were received and very many floral tributes were placed on her grave.

Chief mourners - Tom, Paudie and Eamonn (sons), Siobhán, Stás, Mairéad and Catherine (daughters), Cor-mac and Seanie (grandchil-dren), Batty Walsh and Tomás Walsh (brothers), Mrs. Catherine Murray (sister), Tony and Francis (sons-in-law), Mrs. Kathleen Walsh (sister-in-law), Sylvester Murray (brotherin-law), and a large circle of cousins, relatives and friends.

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

#### Mrs. Sheila Shea (née Hoare)

It is with sadness we place on record the death of Mrs. Sheila Shea (née Hoare), Newcastle-on-Tyne and late of Ballymacart, Old Parish, who died in England on November 26 at her residence. She was a member of the Hoare family, Ballymacart and had resided in England for fifty-seven years, during which time she visited Ireland every year, her last visit being in June of this year.

She will be sadly missed by her loving husband Ted, her daughters Susan and Bridget, her granddaughter Fiona, her sons-in-law, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, nieces and nephews in England, Ireland and Australia.

The interment took place in Newcastle-on-Tyne. May she rest in peace.

#### Mr. Arthur Hogan

It is with deep regret we record the death of Mr. Arthur Hogan, Ballyvecane, Glencairn, Co. Waterford, which occurred on November 5, at Waterford Regional Hospital. Deceased, whose untimely death was brought about by injuries received in a road accident. was a member of an old and respected Glencairn family. He was an only son of the late Nicholas Hogan who died during Arthur's early childhood and Marguerite Hogan who predeceased him in May 1990.

The late Arthur Hogan was a highly respected employee of the Office of Public Works. He worked as a Wild Life Ranger since their inception in 1979. As the only Ranger in Co. Waterford, he worked diligently for the protection of wild life in the area. He regularly visited schools in the county where he shared his expertise on wild life with hundreds of school children.

The deceased was an accomplished musician. His skill as an accordeon player was widely acclaimed in music circles in West Waterford. He was a regular competitor in the Fleadh Cheoil and won the senior competition in Fleadh Cheoil na Mumhan on two occasions. He was a life long friend of Mr. Jimmy Shand (Junior), Achtamuckty, Scotland, whom he was in regular contact with up to the time of his death. He was also well known among the Irish emigrant population in London where he played regularly while employed there in the late sixties and early seventies. Coupled with his skill as a

musician was his expertise in the tuning and repair of accordions.

Arthur was a loving husband and caring father who will be sadly missed by his wife and children.

The remains were removed from St. Carthage's mortuary to St. Carthage's Church, Lismore on Saturday, November 6 at 6.30 p.m. Following Requiem Mass on Sunday, November 7, during which suitable hymns were sung by Lismore Choir, burial took place in St. Carthage's Cemetery, Lismore.

Arthur is survived by his sorrowing wife Ita (née Killigrew), sons Graham and Gordon, daughter Leona, aunt and uncle, cousins, brothers-in-law, sisters-inlaw, relatives and friends.

(Funeral Directors — J. Bransfield, Lismore.)

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#### CHARITY DRIVE

Thanks to all who supported the card game at the Halfway. The money from cards and donations came to £320.00. We divided it up as follows, £120.00 to St. Vincent De Paul Society, £100.00 for famine relief in Angola; £100.00 to Fr. Aidan Carroll who is filling a relief truck for Bosnia. Again thank you all for helping to do this. Hope you have a Happy Christmas and God's Blessing in the New Year.

#### CARDS

Owing to the bad weather conditions and the electricity failure, there was no card drive in Dunfords Lounge last week. Cards again as usual this Wednesday night, 8.30 p.m. sharp. COMMUNITY

#### CENTRE

The big drive at the Park Hotel on Sunday last was a great success. Our thanks to everybody who supported us and helped in any way and we hope to see you all again in the New Year. The following were the winners
— 1st, W. Kennefick and T. Nugent; 2nd, Billy Tobin and partner; 3rd, John Joe Sheehan and Mairead Mc-Grath, Brendan Tobin and Marie McDonald, Tony Wright and John Nugent. Best out of last 5 games — Paddy Cliffe and Michael Power. Last game — Brian Cahill and Pat O'Connor. Lucky table — Bunny Ron-ayne and Fr. Lucey. Toura-neena Community Centre would like to take this opportunity to wish everybody a Holy and Happy Christ-

#### **GOOD WISHES**

Continued good wishes to Biddy Nugent, Lisleigh for a speedy recovery to good

#### BIRTHDAY

Congratulations to Donnchada Dunne, Touraneena, who celebrated his birthday last week.

#### TOURANEENA COMMUNITY CENTRE

Results of progressive 45 card drive held in the Park, Hotel on Sunday, December-12 are as follows:

1st £300 W. Kennefick and T. Nugent, on 13 games; 2nd £150 Billy Tobin and partner, on 11 games; 3rd £75 John Joe Sheehan and Mairead Mc-Grath, Brendan Tobin and Marie McDonald, Tony Wright and John Nugent, on 10 games. Best Last Five -£40 Paddy Cliffe and Michael Power, on 5 games. Lucky Last Game — £20 Brian Cahill and Pat O'Connor. Lucky Game -£20 Bunny Ronayne and Fr. Lucey.

Touraneena Community Centre fundraising committee would like to thank everybody who played and to wish all a Happy and Holy Christmas. Looking forward to seeing you all at the Park Hotel in the New Year for another game, bring along a friend.

Don't forget our weekly game in Dunford's, Touraneena every Wednesday night, starting at 8.30 p.m.

#### **HELD OVER**

We regret that, due to extreme pressure on space we have had to curtail our news service this week, and, consequently, some Items have had to be held over. We hope to resume our full service again next week.

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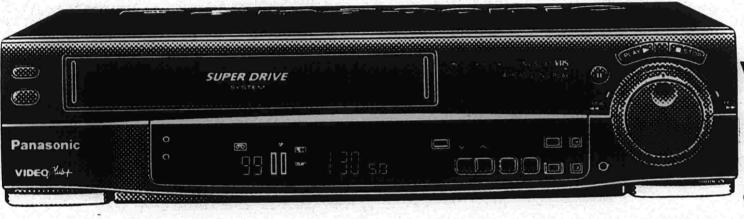
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### WINTER STORM **DAMAGE**

The first of the winter storms caused an amount of damage in the district. ESB lines were down in many places and light in the Nire Valley was not restored until Thursday. The damage here was caused when a huge beech tree fell on the line at the Laurels, Ballymacarbry. Several trees were down on many roads, Knocklofty, Woodroad, Russelstown and Suir Mount, where there are

some fifteen dangerous trees. How the County Council of some Government body cannot get these trees cut is beyond understanding, or must they wait until life is lost. Our County Councillors in the district should raise the matter in the council chambers.

On Saturday morning the first snow fall of the winter was visible on the Comeragh, Knockmealdown and Galtee Mountains.

#### **MINI LOTTO**

The mini lotto draw in aid of the Fourmilewater Hurling Club took place on Sat-urday night at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry. The numbers drawn were 4, 12, 20. The prize winners for persons with two numbers (14) were - dinner for two -Fintan Gillman, Millhouse, Ballymacarbry. Hams (2) Tommy Kelly, Graignagour, Madeline Condon, Boolahalla, Newcastle; Turkey, Michael O'Ryan, Castlequarter; Clock Radio, Declan O'Brien, St. Martin's Place. Next week's jackpot

### JUVENILE **HURLERS HONOURED**

The juveniles of Newcastle had a get-together in the Community Hall on Sunday, 5th December. The under 14 hurlers were presented with their. South Tipperary medals. presentation was made by Rev. Fr. C. Kelleher, C.C., Cappoquin, a former curate at Newcastle.

A presentation was made to Fr. Kelleher on behalf of the juveniles by Dick Cullinan, who wished him well in his new parish, Cappo-

**PLAYERS** OF THE

YEAR Local players named in the predictions for players of the year award are Pat Walsh (Little) of Fourmilewater (hurling). The same player Pat Walsh (Little), Nire, could be in line for a double? Underage footballer Tom Flynn is also being mentioned as a possi-

#### **NEW ARRIVALS**

Congratulations Michael and Josephine Fraher, Toureigh, Ballymacarbry on the birth of a son. Also to Denis and Majelle Hogan, Curtiswood, Ballymacarbry on the birth of a daughter. Both proud dads are members of the Nire football team who won the county title.

#### I.C.A. **MEETING**

The monthly meeting of Ballymacarbry Guild I.C.A. was held in St. Patrick's Hall on Monday, 6th De-

At the meeting a vote of sympathy was passed to Una Moore, Ballyrohan on the death of her father-inlaw Richard (Richie)

Geraldine Kelly gave a beautiful demonstration on Christmas cake icing. Congratulations were extended to the Nire Football team on their great achievement in winning the Waterford se-

The senior citizens party will take place in the Oriel Lounge Bar, Ballymacarbry, on Thursday night 16th De-From 9 o'clock onwards the party is open to everybody who would like to come ing and singing. Music for the night is by Stephen and

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Monday, December 20 Kilgobinet, 7.30 p.m.; Bal-

lylaneen, 7.30 p.m.
Tuesday, December 21 — Ballinroad, 7.30 p.m.; Stradbally, 7.30 p.m.

Wednesday, December 23 - St. Mary's, Dungarvan,

7.30 p.m. **CHRISTMAS** 

COLLECTION FOR PRIESTS OF PARISH

Envelopes have been distributed to each house in the parish and may be turned from now on either to the parish collector or to the collecting box in St. Mary's Church. They may also be handed in at next Sunday's Masses in Friary or St. Mary's.

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#### LATE MRS. BRIDGET MANNING

It is with deep regret we record the death which occurred after a brief illness at St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel, of Mrs. Bridget Manning, Derrygrath Lower,

Deceased was a member of an old and respected South Tipperary family. A very estimable lady she was most charitably disposed. Her outgoing sincere nature, courtesy and great depth of human kindness marked her out as a true Christian. An excellent and caring neighbour her demise has evoked feelings of sincere regret and her memory will long be cherished by all who were indeed privileged to make her acquaintance.

The respect in which deceased and her family are held was amply illustrated at the removal from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel, to the parish church, Grange, as all walks of life were represented in the large concourse of sympathisers present. On Sunday morning the 11 o'clock Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. After Mass the funeral took place to the Ancient Burial Ground at Derrygrath where she was laid to rest in the family plot in the presence of another large concourse of mourners paying their final respects to a dear Christian friend.

To her brothers and sisters we tender our sympathy. Ar dheis De go raibh a h-anam.

#### LATE PATRICK CROTTY

The district learned with regret of the death of Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Crotty, Knockalisheen, Ballymacarbry, which sad event took place on Monday at St. Otteran's Hospital, Waterford.

Deceased, in his early seventies, was a member of an old and respected Ballymacarbry family. He was nephew of the late Michael O'Ryan M.C.C. and cousin of Rev. Fr. Colum O'Ryan, Los Angeles and Kieran

O'Ryan. Prior to a break in his health he was employed by the Forestry Dept. On Tuesday evening his remains were removed from Condon's Funeral Parlour, Clonmel, to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater, where they were blessed and received by Very Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle.

On Wednesday the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, Requiem Mass was celebrated for the repose of his soul, the celebrant was Rev. Fr. Tobin P.P. After Mass the interment took place in the family plot in the adjoining cemetery, in the presence of a large concourse of mourners who united in a fitting tribute with life long friends and neighbours paying their final respects to a Christian friend. Fr. Tobin P.P. officiated at the graveside and a decade of the rosary was recited by Rev. Fr. William Ryan, C.C., Ballysaggart/ Lismore.

His sad demise has evoked sincere expressions of sympathy to his brother Gerry and other relatives.

#### LATE MRS. ANASTASIA WALSH

It is with deep regret we pen the passing of a wellknown parishioner whose deeply regretted death occurred after a long illness borne with true Christian fortitude at St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel of Mrs. Anastasia Walsh (nee Cooney), Clogheen, Ballymacarbry.

Deceased, in her late eighties, was a member of an old and respected Nire Valley family, the Cooney's of Toureen West. Prior to her marriage she was a school teacher at Bennett's Church Old National School, Ballymacarbry. A lady of outstanding qualities who possessed a wonderful warm personality she made friends with ease. All callers to her home were made to feel truly welcome, as she was a caring neighbour

abounding in Christian charity who made an immediate and lasting impression by virtue of her courteous and easy going nature which endeared her to all. That her memory will be cherished was truly indicated when all walks of life were present in the huge concourse of mourners on Saturday evening when her remains were removed from her residence to St. Laurence's Parish Church, Fourmilewater, where they were blessed and received by Very Rev. Fr. Edmund Tobin, P.P., Fourmilewater/Newcastle. On Sunday morning the 11 o'clock Mass was celebrated for the repose of her gentle soul. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Tobin P.P. and also present was Rev. Fr. Cornelius Kelleher, C.C., Cap-poquin, and a priest from Rockwell College. After Mass as the December winds blew across the cemetery just three hundred yards from her home a gentle lady was laid to rest. Rev. Fr. Tobin, P.P. officiated at the graveside and Fr. C. Kelleher, C.C. recited a decade of the rosary in Irish in the presence of another huge concourse of mourners who came to pay their final respects to a dear Christian friend.

To her sons and daughters, her brother and sisters and many relatives we tender our sympathy. Go ndeana Dia trocaire ar a h-anam

#### LATE PATRICK HARRIS

It is with regret the district received the sad news of the death of Mr. Patrick (Paddy) Harris late of Knockboy, Ballinamult, which sad event took place in England where he has been domiciled for many years. He was brother of the late John (Johnny) Harris, a well known blacksmith in the area and a sister of Mary T. Harris, Mitchel Street, Dungarvan, to whom we extend our deep sympathy. The interment took place in England.

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cember at 7 o'clock sharp. along and join in the danc-Pierce.

# KILMACTHOMAS NOTES

#### DRAWS

The Deise Draw will take place in Tramore on Wednesday, December 22 at 8 p.m. In addition to the regular 23 prizes, which include a Peugeot Saloon car, there will be 42 extra cash prizes making a total of 65 prizes to be

The Kilmacthomas Juvenile Christmas Draw will take place in Keating's Lounge Bar on Sunday night next, December 18. Then on Wednesday, December 29 the Community Lotto Draw, organised by the Kilmacthomas Soccer Club, will take place in Danny's Lounge Bar with a whopping £2,750 jackpot to be won.

#### SYMPATHY We offer our sympathy to

the family, relatives and friends of the late James (Jimmy) O'Brien, Kealfoun, Kilmacthomas which sad event occurred on Monday, December 6.

#### SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY

The Senior Citizens Party will take place in Kill Community Centre on Sunday next, December 19. A great day is assured for all.

#### **ART EXHIBITION**

A large crowd attended the exhibition of oil paintings of local Deise scenes by Fr. Michael Walsh, C.C., Ballylaneen which was held in the A.I.B. Bank on Thursday last December 10. The exhibition was opened by Most Rev. Dr. William Lee, Bishop of Waterford and Lismore.

#### WRENBOY COMPETITION

The annual Wrenboy Competition will once again take place in Crotty's Inn, Leamybrien the day after St. Stephen's Day, Monday, December 27. There are senior and junior events to be contested and all teams are welcome

#### **RICHIE'S NEW ALBUM**

We wish the very best of luck to the popular country and western artist Richie Halpin from Faha, who has just released a new album for Christmas. We hope you have continued success Richie

#### KILMACTHOMAS **BRIDGE CLUB**

Results from last week are as follows - 1st Oonagh Kelly and David Kelly; 2nd Alice Power and Padraig Kirwan; 3rd Gertie Drohan and Betty Murphy.
LUCKY WINNERS

Lucky winners of turkeys and hams at Danny's Lounge on Saturday night last were as follows - Denis and Sean Behan, Jimmy Troy and Trevor Whelan, Frank Troy and Danny Kirwan, John and Bernie Hobbs, Ger Foley and Joe Reilly, Mattie Whelan and Danny Kirwan.

Winners of the pool tournament were Patrick O'Reilly and P. J. Norris (singles) and Paul Organ and Peter Troy (doubles). The darts tournament was won by Johnny Cleary and Paul Organ.

#### KILMACTHOMAS SOCCER PLAYER GETS INTERNATIONAL CAP

Local soccer player Micheal Downey has achieved something that every schoolboy dreams of with his selection in the Irish Schools soccer squad for the game v. Wales. Micheal has been attending training in Dublin during the past month and is the only Waterford player to be selected in the squad. His selection is a just reward for the countless hours he has spent sharpening his shooting and working on his skills as well as the hundreds of miles he has travelled this season. Micheal learned his early football with Kilmacthomas and for the last three years he has plied his trade with Dungarvan United for whom he scored 35 goals in 32 games last season. Micheál is also a member of the Waterford Youth Team which has reached the F.A.I. Cup quarter-finals. In addition to this he is coach of the St. Declan's Community College U-14 and U-16 soccer teams.

The international against Wales will take place in Cardiff next March.

# **Tumultuous Reception** For John Treacy At C.B.S. Primary Sc

Less than twenty four hours after his magnificent victory in the All-Ireland senior cross country intercounties championship, John Treacy returned to school last Monday.
The former twice world

cross country champion and Olympic silver medalist was given a tumultuous reception by 300 children at St. Joseph's C.B.S. Pri-mary School in Dungarvan when he presented the school's cross country winter league medals which were sponsored by the Dungarvan District Garda Siochana.

Looking as fit as the proverbial fiddle after his previous day's exertions when he destroyed the field to land his seventh individual national title, John was welcomed to the school by the Principal, Mr. Maurice Kearney.

"It isn't every day that we have one of Ireland's finest and best loved sportsmen in our school," said Mr. Kearney. "It is a great honour that John has seen fit to take

time off and come and pre-sent the medals."

He told the boys it was a day they will never, ever forget. "Twice world champion, four times an Olympian, an Olympic silver medalists, and seven times national champion, Irish people at home and abroad are proud of John Treacy and his great sport-ing achievements," Mr. Kearney added.

Garda Inspector Michael Blake said that when the gardai sponsored the medals for the school, little did they think that they would be presented by one of the greatest Irish athletes of all time.

"Looking at him winning his seventh national title, I believe John Treacy is as good now as he was in the late 1970's and 1980's,'

said Inspector Blake.
"You have, and continue to be, a great inspiration to the youth of Ireland. You have provided great sporting moments for a nation to cherish," Inspector Blake told John.

Before presenting the medals to the boys, the man of the moment recalled how it had all began for him at the age of twelve. "Athletics has since changed my life," he said.

John spoke of his delight that the Garda Siochana had sponsored the medals for the school's cross country league and said there is nothing like sport to keep young boys and girls off the streets and out of trouble.

He then had this advice for the boys — "study hard, listen to your parents and teachers, enjoy your sport even if you are not good at it, get involved because sport is great for your life, health, and team spirit."

Tony Ryan, a member of the teaching staff and a former team colleague of John Treacy on Waterford All-Ireland winning cross county teams, thanked the gardai for their sponsorship of the medals and for the positive way they are involving themselves in the school and in the community as a PRESENTATION

Before taking his depar-ture Mr. Kearney made a presentation to John of a framed newspaper report of his first All-Ireland cross country championship win at Under-15 level. Coincidentally that was on December 12, 1971 — twenty two years to the day before he captured his seventh senior title on the home soil of St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan last Sunday.

Also present at Monday's presentation were Sgt. Tom O'Grady, Garda Eddie Fitzpatrick, Garda Juvenile Li-aison Officer, Fr. Conor Kelly, C.C., the teaching staff at St. Joseph's and members of the Parents Council.

John, whose return home for last Sunday's national championships sponsored by the Dungar-van-based Waterford Foods plc, returns to the United States today.



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**ENGAGEMENT** 

Congratulations to Donal Flynn, Kilbeg, Kill and Nora Kane, Tullamore, Co. Offaly, on the recent announcement of their engage-

CARDS

Last Thursday night in Kill Community Centre the card drive took place. The winners were Noel Power and Annie Kirwan. Run-ners-up were Pat Maher and Celia Harris.

GOLF CLASSIC
Last Sunday morning, December 12, the Golf Classic took place in Katie Reilly's. This event was organised by Kirwan's Lounge, Kill, in which four teams took part. The wirning team were Ray Hennessy (capt.), Brendan Power and Tommy Hennessy. The runners-up were Monty Guiry, Adrian Kirwan and Ger Guiry. SCOR

Last Saturday night, December 11, in Kill Community Centre, Scor took place. These were the semi-finals in East Waterford. St. Mary's two figure dancing teams got through and the question time team also got through to the Eastern final which is on in the Mount Sion Centre next Saturday, Dec. 18.

KILL A.G.M.

On Tuesday last, December 7 the Kill G.A.A. Club held their Annual General Meeting. There was a fair turnout of members present

comed all the members and new members. The Chairman in his address stated that a county title was there to be won if the players gave the real commitment to training in the coming year. He also thanked anyone who helped to run the club in the past year, espe-cially the sponsors and draw co-ordinator Ray Hennessy and Jim Regan on the manner in which the field was kept during the year, and also to his fellow officers Sean O'Regan (Secretary) and Ray Hennessy (Treasur-er). The Secretary's Report was, as usual, a very detailed account of the hap-penings of the past year, while the Treasurer's Report showed the club to be in a good financial posi-

Election of Officers is as follows:

Chairman — Tom Power; Vice-Chairman — Michael Kiely; Secretary - Sean O'Regan; Treasurer — Ray Hennessy; Captains — Ju-nior Football, Ray Hennessy and Vice-Captain, John Kiely; Junior Hurling Captain, Brendan Mooney, Vice-Captain Brendan Power.

Committee -O'Regan, Eddie Power, Tommy Mooney, Nickey Whelan, Michelle Hen-nessy, Martin Kennedy, Francis Casey and John

#### District **Justice** Will Not Sit In Cappoquin

Judge Michael Pattwell confirmed at last Wednesday's sitting of Dungarvan District Court that he would not preside over the sched-uled sitting of Cappoquin District Court on the following Friday.

He said that at the October Court in Cappoquin when he strongly criticised the lack of even basic facilities, he had made it perfectly clear that unless a number of improvements were carried out to the venue - a former library — he would not hold further courts

"I have now been informed by the District Court Clerk that no improvements have been carried out, therefore I am not prepared to sit again in Cappoquin, and most cer-tainly not in the present climatic conditions," Judge Pattwell said.

He indicated that he would attend there at the scheduled 11 a.m. starting time and would then adjourn all cases listed to a special sitting of Cashel District Court in the afternoon where he was due to hear a number of Social Welfare prosecutions.

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# Lismore Notes



# **Blackwater Singers Make Their Debut**

Saturday 18th December at 7.30 p.m. Mass in St. Carthages Church, Lismore, is a red letter day for the newly formed Blackwater Singers. This is the date they will make their debut as a fully fledged choir at a Mass which will be celebrated by Very Reverend

Canon Thomas Nugent, P.P. In September an open invitation was extended to all those who would like to spend one night a week singing and the response even surprised conductor Jan Van Putten. "I thought we would be lucky if 15 people turned up on the first

night" he said "but 35 people arrived and the numbers have been increasing ever since". The Blackwater Singers now number 45 with choir members travelling from as far as Dungarvan, Clonmel, Killeagh, Mitchelstown, Fermoy and, of course, Lismore itself.

"We have been very lucky in the venue for choir prac-tice" said Jan "and our sincere thanks must go to the management of the Lismore Hotel for providing us with

On Saturday 18th the choir will sing some well known carols, as Ave Maria by Gombert and The Nativity by Ramirez with soloists

Their debut will be followed by another appearance on Tuesday 21st December at Mount Meller-

Jan Van Putten, who has been conducting choirs in his native Holland for many years, says that he has rarely met with such enthu-siasm in a choir. "It's early days yet" he says "but I can see a great future for the Blackwater Singers"

In highlighting this com-mitment to the choir, Jan instanced the dedication of Mr. Billy Hogan, Lismore. "Billy comes every night to play the piano" he said "and we are all extremely grateful to him".

Once the festive season is over, the Blackwater singers will embark upon an ambitious programme of both light and sacred music, selected by consensus of the choir and their conductor.

# SR. M. **FRANCES**

The death took place on Wednesday December 8, at the Presentation Convent, Waterford, of Sr. M. Frances (Walsh) formerly of the Convent, Lismore.

Sr. Frances - a native of Kerry, - taught in Lismore for 40 years and was a former Rev. Mother and was one of the last 10 nuns to

The remains were removed to St. Pauls Church on Thursday December 9, and the burial was on Friday December 10, after 2.30 p.m. Mass in the Convent Cemetery. To her Community, family, relatives and friends we extend

# LISMORE SOCCER NOTES

On Sunday morning last we travelled to Tourin for a league game against Cappo-quin "B". On a rain softened pitch conditions were very tricky. However, it was ourselves who forced the pace and 25 minutes into the game a superb drive from Paul Quinn put us 1-0 up. At this stage we were playing our best football and after a few chances had gone a begging we made it two-nil when our 16 year old striker Dan Shanahan beat the offside trap and finished with incredible ease. The first half finished on this 2-0 scoreline.

With the rain lashing down in the second half, good football was almost impossible and so it transpired we slogged our way through the remainder of the

LISMORE

**GOLF** 

**CLUB** 

NOTES

RESULTS

Saturday 11th and Sunday

12th December, 9 Hole Sta-

bleford — 1st, P. Beecher (16) 24 pts.; 2nd, B. Or-monde (16) 22 pts. OFFICERS AND

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**FIXTURES** 

Friday 17th December

presentation of prizes at 9

p.m. Saturday 18th and

Sunday 19th 9 Hole Stable-ford. Sunday 19th December

childrens

Christmas Party

at 3 p.m. The

major talking

point here is

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December 15th to Decem-

ber 29th, 9 Hole on-going

competition. December

29th, Wednesday, Christmas

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HOUSE

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**45" RESULTS** 

Results for December 13

- 1st, Joe and Cissie

Power; 2nd, K. Ryan and B.

Neville, K. Coleman and P.

Morrissey, John and Noel

Pratt. Lucky tables — Liam

Power and Seamus O'Don-

nell, Pad Lineen and Jim

Moroney. Raffle — 1st,

John Pratt; 2nd, Peg Mor-

rissey; 3rd, Joe Lineen.

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SECTION

party.

P.R.O.: M. Walsh.

SEASON

game for 2 very valuable points. Final score Cappoquin 0 Lismore 2. UNDER 14'S

Well done to the under 14's who finished their season with a very good 1-0 victory over Fermoy. Thanks to Manager Tom Landers for his work with the youngsters and well done.

We are giving 1 more week for anybody who had the winning time in our Republic v. Northern Ireland Golden Goal Competition. The winning time was 27 minutes 48 seconds. The nearest so far is 27 minutes 47 seconds. Finally next Sunday we have Valley Rangers as visitors. Kick off is 11.30 a.m. and players are asked to be in the dressing rooms no later than 11 o'clock.

Last week-end in Ballyduff, Lismore C.B.S. and Presentation Convent presented Bugsy Malone. There were five performances and each one had the "full house" sign up with many disappointed patrons unable to get tickets.

This was a wonderful production and the cast of 120 gave a real professional performance. Credit is due to both schools and to all involved and especially to the directors Brendan Dunlea and Sile Heneghan.

We will gave the entire cast in next week's issue.

#### LISMORE G.A.A. **CLUB NOTES**

Weekly Draw, Week No. 49 — £50, Mrs. Anna Murphy, Ballyea; £30, Mrs. M. V. O'Donoghue, South Mall; £20, Mrs. Nellie Fitzgerald, 48 New Street; £15, Ms. Marge Lyons, Ballysaggart; £10, Mr. Ollie O'Dowd, West Street; £10, Mrs. Norris, Chapel Street; £10, Mrs. P. O'Farrell, Deerpark. Promoters prize — Anne O'Gorman.

On Monday evening next at 8.00 p.m. in the Red House we hold our final draw for 1993, and also our Christmas Draw in which a total of £500 will be distributed in prize money. All are welcome to attend but only those who are fully paid up for the year will be entered in the draw. We would ask all collectors to make a special effort to collect all money by next week-end.

On behalf of the committee and players we wish to thank everyone involved in the draw - the members who subscribe every week and the promoters who collect the money weekly. Without your generosity and loyalty the club could not exist. Also a special word of thanks to the Red House management who allow us the use of their premises. Many, many thanks to one and all.

May we take the opportunity to wish you all a very ing forward to your continued support throughout 1994. Happy and Holy Christmas and New Year and look-

#### PRESENTATION SECONDARY SCHOOL NOTES

The fifth year class are co-ordinating the production of a school magazine, "Galaxy". Publication date is set for before Christmas and the contents will include historical articles, short stories, poems, quizzes etc. There are also interviews with some very famous people indeed. Photographs of all classes will also be included in the magazine which is

being professionally printed.
Fifth year pupil Claire Dunne is also co-ordinating the "Post Bugsy Blues Concert" in the school in aid of fundraising for computers. The programme will include Irish music, Set dancing, Singing, Irish dancing and even excerpts from dramas. A band consisting of Tony Dunne, John Joseph Donovan, Gordon O'Keeffe and Colette Noonan will also be present.

**BUGSY MALONE** a perfect base".

selected from the choir.

ay at 8.00 p.m.

# WALSH

leave Lismore in 1991.

sincere sympathy.

#### LISMORE BADMINTON NOTES

### 5th Division **Ladies Bring 2nd** League Title To Lismore

On Thursday night last the Lismore 5th division ladies travelled to Dunmore for their last league game, and finished with the same flair that has given them a runaway victory in the league, when the played a 4-0 win.

These five girls have played a number of matches in their league section and with 3-1 or 4-0 victories in all their games they only dropped a minimum of points and really deserve their overall win. We congratulate them namely Jacintha Kearney (Capt.), Rena O'Brien, Ann Barry, Sharon O'Gorman and Yvonne McNamara and we hope to see a league organised after Christmas to keep them in action until the end of the season. God knows it's going to be hard to get anyone to oppose them the way they have been playing lately. The 3rd division ladies finished their league with a 2 all draw at home to Old Parish. Some great games were played with Sharon O'Gorman very capably subbing for Angela Curley. Our thanks to Sharon, Connie and Breda who are now calling time-out until after Christmas while the 2nd division mixed team play their first game on Tuesday night at home to Melleray. Denis Martin, Brian O'Gorman, Paul Walsh, Angela Curley, Mag Morrissey and Jo Jo Tobin make up this team and we wish them luck in their campaign.

We send Christmas wishes to all our members and supporters - we wish you all a Happy Christmas and a healthy and fit 1994. Also our thanks to the Dungarvan Leader for allowing us space to air our activities during 1993. Go raibh

maith agaibh.

### LISMORE DRAMATIC SOCIETY

On Sunday last Lismore Dramatic Society in association with Dungarvan Lions Club presented a Christmas Fair in Lismore Heritage Centre.

The afternoon commenced with the arrival of Santa Claus, after doing a grand tour of the town in the Fire Brigade thanks to Martin, Sonny and Stephen and a Garda escort from Sgt. John Molloy. Needless to say, all the children and a few adults waited for the Big Day.

For the adults there was something to suit everyone - cakes, novelties, food of all description, books, Billys Burgers and an auction with the Chairman S. Lynch doing his utmost to get that last penny. The evening concluded with the Dramatic Chorus rendering suitable festive choral items.

The Society would like to thank everyone who helped to make last Sunday such an outstanding

As these are our last Drama notes for 1993, we take this opportunity to wish each and everyone a happy, holy and peaceful Christmas and look forward to seeing you all in 1994 when we will be returning to the stage once again.

Secretary with the second

# **CAPPOQUIN** F.C. NOTES

**MOGEELY 2 CAPPOOUIN A 2** 

On Sunday morning last we made the long trip to East Cork. Current league leaders Mogeely were our hosts.

We got off to a very poor start in this match. After a few minutes we were one-nil down and also without the services of goalkeeper Liam Morrissey. He was injured while attempting to keep his goal intact in the incident which led to that opening goal. Ken O'Donnell succeeded only in clattering Liam in his attempt to tackle Mogeely's striker Tom McCarthy. Garry Morrissey stepped between the posts for the remainder of the match and indeed played surprisingly well considering it was only his second appearance in goal this season.

The side's were level at the break a wonderful goal for us after thirty-five minutes from all of thirty yards, the scorer of which escapes me at the moment. (Temporary amnesia maybe). How about that Charlie!

Early in the second half we again fell behind when a scramble in the penalty area resulted in Mogeely regaining the lead. We responded well with a spirited comeback and after sixty five minutes we got a deserved equaliser. 'Wattle' Moore was taken down just inside the penalty area after beating two defenders, referee Lenny Fraser had no hesitation in pointing to the spot. Gossie Mason duly converted and that's how the scores remained. We were, in fact, unlucky not to snatch a victory late on. Firstly 'Man of the match' Brian Murray hit the bar from twenty yards and then Ken O'Donnell succeeded only in hitting the corner flag with an empty goal at his mercy.

Team — Liam Morrissey, Fintan Murray, Ken O'Donnell, Darren Mason, Dave Power, Brian Murray, Wattle Moore, Gossie Mason (Capt.), Anthony Mc-Carthy, Rhiney Walsh, Garry Morrissey. Subs. — Martin Power for Liam Morrissey, Liam Lacey for Rhiney

Walsh, Dean Morrissey.

Thanks — Our gratitude to Mogeely whose assistance with our injured goalkeeper was very much ap-

**CAPPOQUIN B 0 LISMORE 2** 

We never really got into our stride in this match. This side had, up to this began to show some good form. As the saying goes we just don't seem to be getting "the rub of the green". However, we have almost half the season remaining to get out of the relegation zone and as we have proved on one or two occasions this season, on our day we can beat any side in the division. Michael Lacey was unlucky not to score for us in the second half after some good work by Conor O'Leary down the right wing. Mick Walsh was sent off late in the game. There was only a minute or two remaining so it didn't really have a bearing on the final outcome.
Best for us on the day were Billy Tobin, Mick Walsh,
Billy O'Shea and Martin Lacey.
Team — Billy Tobin, Michael Morrissey, John Morrissey, Mick Walsh, Eddie Budden (Capt.), Michael

Lacey, Shane Fraher, Martin Lacey, Conor O'Leary, Billy O'Shea, John Cahill. Subs. — Joe Walsh, Sham McCarthy, Eugene McLoughlin, Pat Cullen, Michael

Fixture — This week's fixture sees both our sides paired against each other for the second time this season. On the last occasion the match finished scoreless. Our A side are unbeaten in their last four matches find themselves without the suspended Mick Walsh for this one. However, form goes out the window in matches like these. I wouldn't care to make a prediction with both sides needing the points, our A side to stay in touch with the leaders and the B side to steer clear of the relegation zone. Kick off is at 2 p.m. regardless of the time stated in the R.H.L. notes.

Answer To Last Weeks Question — Frank Stapleton has played in five F.A. Cup Finals. Three for Arsenal: 1978 lost to Ipswich, 1979 won against Man. Utd., 1980 lost to West Ham. Two for Man. Utd.: 1983 won against Brighton, 1985 won against Everton. In that final appearance against Everton, Stapleton played centre half alongside Paul McGrath after the harsh sending off of Kevin Moran. His display on the day was noth-

ing short of brilliant.
This Weeks Question — In which seasons were Norwich City relegated from Division One during the 80's

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#### **AFFANE BRIDGE CHRISTMAS** PARTY RESULTS

December 6 - Fr. Barron and Bessie Cahill, Mary Radford and Addie Buckley, Brid Culloo and Claire Meaney, Barry, Ben Flynn and Maureen Arrigan, Mary Fives and Pat Murphy, Lil Costin and Brid Bergin, Tom Hackett and Ber Murphy, Cathy and Andrew Mc-

Monica O'Sullivan and Kathleen

Chairman: John Fives; Sec-

retary: Finbarr Power;. Delegates to County Executive - John Dunne, Jim Prendergast, Registrar: Jim Prendergast.

Disadvantage area and G.A.T.T. agreements were discussed, and other important items.

Congratulations — Congratulations were extended to Mr. John O'Mahony of the Tallow Branch who was recently elected National Chairman of the Grain Committee.

Our thanks to the Family McLoughlin (Walsh's Hotel) for use of the room always for our meetings.

**GREYHOUNDS** 

## Congratulations to two

local winners in Youghal track on Friday the 10th of December 1993. Ms. M. McGrath's, Villierstown "Easter Bonnet" (Adraville Bridge - Dearliza) won in a time of 29.78, best on the night.

Mr. K. Foley's, Cappoquin "Kevin Luce" by (Carmel's Prince - fill us another) won in a time of 30.22.

#### CAROL SERVICE

Inter Church carol service at Scouts Chapel, Mt. p.m. on the 21 December in aid of Cappoquin Day Care Centre featuring Cappoquin Choirs, Melleray Choir, the Blackwater Singers and Lismore Choir. Light refreshments served afterwards.

#### AFFANE SENIOR CITIZENS NOTES

Many thanks to our spon-sors, Tommy Hickey, Melleray, for our turkeys, Waterford Foods, Cappo-quin Pork and Bacon, Maurice Kelleher and many more local sponsors.

#### CAPPOQUIN & DISTRICT DAY CARE

Christmas is around the corner and we would like to wish everybody a very happy and peaceful Christ-

We would like to take this opportunity to say a big thank you to all who supported our draw, thanks to which we have all but cleared our overdraft. You have all been so generous, your support is greatly appreciated.

All roads lead to the Scouts Chapel, Mt. Melleray Tuesday 22nd. A carol service is to begin at 8.15 p.m. Lismore, Blackwater, Melleray, Cappoquin children and adults and Affane choirs will all sing us into Christmas. All are most welcome.

### **CAPPOQUIN** I.F.A. NEWS

The Annual General Meeting of Cappoquin Irish Farmer's Association was held on Friday 10th December at Walsh's Hotel. There was a good attendance, which included Mr. Matt Cunningham, returning officer for voting in the forthcoming Presidential

election. Mr. John Dunne Chairman, welcomed Mr. Cunningham, and all members to the meeting, and thanked them for their co-operation.

Secretary Finbarr Power, thanked everyone for their help at all times and congratulated the members on achievements. their Michael Looby was congratulated on his marriage, and sympathy was extend-ed to those who suffered bereavements.

The election of officers then took place - Chairman: John Joe Ryan; Vice

#### **AFFANE CAPPOQUIN G.A.A NOTES**

Members are reminded of the Annual General Meeting which will take place in Affane Parochial Hall on Friday 17th December at 7

STORM DAMAGE

In common with many other locations our field did not escape the ravages of the recent storm force winds. We had two goal posts damaged beyond repair. We also had the timber portion of the netting behind the goal broken which unfortunately enjoyed only a fairly short life.

We hope to replace the goal posts almost immediately and as far as the netting is concerned we are endeavouring to obtain stanchions which would be more suitable but it should be in place well in advance of the new playing season.

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#### BRIDE VIEW UNITED A.F.C. NOTES

RED HOUSE LEAGUE

# Hat Trick For Geary

Utd's Division One side put past results behind them in Tallow on Sunday last and hit visitors Inch for five goals. Mark Geary scored a marvellous hat trick and did he vary his goals. Michael Henley and Martin McCarthy also got amongst the goals. Our Division Two side went down away to Ardmore while our U-14 side qualified for the league final.

#### RESULTS DIVISION ONE

Bride View Utd. 5 Inch 0
United got back on the winning trail at last. Last week they did everything but score, however, on Sunday last everything came right for them even if they were slow off the mark.

United missed so many scoring chances in the opening half hour and it looked as if our bad finishing was again going to continue. It took a Michael Henley (just on the field 5 minutes earlier) cracker to

#### TALLOW SENIOR CITIZENS CHRISTMAS PARTY 1993

Tallow Community Hall was a good place to be on Sunday afternoon 12th December. Young and old joined in the Christmas spirit as we celebrated yet another festive season. The party for Tallow Parish Senior Citizens proved to be a very happy and enjoyable event with many scenes of laughter and merriment which make such an occasion so very worthwhile.

People met old friends in a happy, festive atmosphere and it was lovely to see people enjoying themselves. Our two most senior citizens namely Mr. Willie Joe Fitzgerald and Miss Eily Lynch did the honours in cutting the Christmas Cake. The talents of our local drama group, musicians and singers were enjoyed by all and greatly appreciated.

We had a host of most efficient kitchen staff and a bevy of gracious helpers on the day who appeared to enjoy themselves equally as well as our guests. Sincere thanks to you all and to everybody who contributed in any way to the event.

open the scoring in the 36th minute and this proved to be the only goal of the first half in which the homeside should have scored at least five.

Bride View continued the second half on the attack and Martin McCarthy had two marvellous shots on target only to see the both of them come back off the post. However, McCarthy got a great goal in the 70th minute to put United 2-0 in front

#### HAT TRICK

Mark Geary then took a hand and scored three goals in the 72nd minute, 78th minute and 85th minute much to the delight of his team mates. A good win this for United and once all squad members are fit then maybe United can put a good run together.

United — B. Sheehan, M. McCarthy, G. Sice, T. Sheehan, D. Henley, M. Geary, P. Murphy, G. Hogan, M. Hartnett, J. P. Grey and P. Curley. Res. — M. Henley for D. Henley (inj.), M. McCarthy for T. Sheehan (inj.).

#### **DIVISION TWO**

Ardmore 3
Bride View United 1
Ardmore who are having

Ardmore who are having a great season continued their winning run against a United side who had put a great winning run together.

Ardmore scored twice in the opening half before Stuart Barry pulled one back early in the second half. Bride View tried hard to get back on equal terms but the equaliser failed to come despite some good efforts from Barry, Doyle and Flaherty.

Ardmore clinched the points with a third goal late in the game which keeps them up there in the hunt for league honours. However, all is not lost for our Division Two side and a home win on Sunday would put them back in the hunt again. United — S. O'Brien, S. Hampton, S. Curley, D.

Martin, D. Doyle, S. Barry,

L. Ahern, P. Murphy, D. Flaherty, D. McGrath and J. Doyle. Res. — F. Murphy and P. McDonnell both used and T. McSweeney.

LOTTO

Last weeks numbers were 10, 16, 2. No winner. This week's jackpot is £300. The draw takes place in Luke McCarthys on Wednesday night

Ham Winners — Leonard Fraser Snr. and Sean Noonan. Turkey Winners — David Doyle.

# U-14 LEAGUE UNITED CLINCH PLACE IN LEAGUE FINAL

Youghal 0 Bride View United 0

United's U-14 side clinched a place in the league final when they drew 0-0 with Youghal on Saturday evening last. Needing just a point from this their final league game they were pushed all the way by a very strong Youghal side themselves still in with a chance of a league final place.

Youghal played with a strong wind in the first half but it was United who went on the attack. William Henley went close to scoring in the 13th minute and Henley was in again two minutes later but shot wide when a goal looked certain. Conroy came to Uniteds rescue when he brought off a marvelous save in the 32nd minute. At the break the sides were still scoreless.

. The homeside played better in the second half and United were under a lot of pressure but Youghal failed to convert the many chances that fell to them. Conroy, United's keeper was in top form and

#### **TALLOW CUB NOTES**

On Thursday November 25th 27 Cub Scouts were invested by Fr. Walsh, P.P. in the Church of the Immaculate Conception. We would like to thank Fr. Walsh and Micheal O'Regan (Unit Leader) for all their help and co-operation. Afterwards in St. Patricks Hall we had a party, where some of our Cubs entertained us with their songs. A great time was had by all. On December 3rd our local Garda Micheal Dineen spoke to the Cub pack about safety on the roads and personal safety. We would like to thank Micheal for all his help.

On Friday night next December 17th we will be making some festive decorations and cards. This will be our last cub night before Christmas so we would like to wish everyone a happy and holy Christmas and a prosperous New Year. Cubs will resume again on January 7th 1994. P.R.O.

brought off two great saves in the 59th and 62nd minutes. United held out for a draw which sees them into the league final.

United — W. Conroy, O. Mangan, P. Tobin, D. Howard, S. McCarthy, P. Cronin, M. Ryan, S. Tobin, W. Henley, J. O'Brien and S. McCarthy. Res. all used — J. Clancy, S. McCarthy and R. Cronin.

#### **FIXTURES**

Sunday December 19th, Red House League

Division One: Pinewood Rangers v. Bride View United, k. off 11.30 a.m.

Division Two: Bride View United v. Grange, k. off 11.30 a.m.

U-14 League, Saturday 18th — Valley Rangers v. Youghal United, k. off 2.30 p.m.

#### **NEWSFLASH**

One of our Division One players was out injured with a pulled hamstring for the past two weeks. This player at his own expense we might add went to see a specialist. A lady doctor we understand. The doctor is holding clinics in Dungarvan and our player paid her a visit last week-end. Now he is as fit as a fiddle and is looking forward to a game on Sunday. Is there something here that the manager is missing out on? Next he will be looking for a transfer to Shamrock Rovers. The rest of this story can be found in Dublin. AH! Dublin now we get it. Need we say more. Who loves ye Baby S.

#### COMMUNITY CENTRE NOTES

The Chairman, committee and members of the Community Centre would like to wish each and everyone of you a very Happy and Holy Christmas and may peace and joy be yours this special time, and throughout the New Year.

It is indeed a wonderful time for family reunions, and get togethers, with members from far away coming home to meet the friends around the Festive time, and where better then New Years Eve. The whole town will again be celebrating the New Year at the Community Centre when the usual New Years Eve Ball will renew old friendships, make new ones, and have one hell of a night. So make sure you get your tickets early, the members of the committee will have them this week-end, and again it is limited. Michael Kearney is again looking after the grub, while Bridie Martin will keep us all well lubricated. Another great night for the Brideside Town.

# TALLOW G.A.A. CLUB NOTES

The A.G.M. which was fixed for Thursday December 16 has had to be deferred until early in the New Year. A new date will have to be fixed for it so we are hoping it will be early in the New Year.

are hoping it will be early in the New Year.

To the Editor, staff, families of the Dungarvan Leader and to our many friends at home and abroad a very peaceful Christmas and every good wish for 1994, also a word of thanks to the Leader for their wonderful coverage of these notes throughout the year. P.R.O.

#### ST. PATRICKS HALL

Results — 1st Turkey and Ham, Bertie Neville and Christine Corcoran; 2nd Ham, Colin Sice and Micheal Henley; 3rd Turkey; Richard Tobin and Bobby Mangan. Table prize — Margaret Treacy and Tom Morrissey.

#### TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Results — Helen Galvin, Aglish; Sean O'Donoghue, Tallow; Mary Lee, Castlelyons; Mrs. Meskill, Villierstown; Peg O'Sullivan, Lismore; Mrs. Hartigan, Tallow; Mrs. Cotter, Janeville; Mary Harty, Fermoy; Maureen McCarthy, Tallow; Martin Curran, Aglish; Mrs. Betty Kelleher; Mrs. Ann Kelly, Tallow; Mary Harty, Fermoy; Nora McCarthy, New Street; Mrs. Ann Curran, Aglish; John (Bus Driver), Cappoquin; Michelle Deedy, Dungourney; Mrs. Keohan, Woodview Park; Fiona Henley, Woodview Park; Ann Walsh, Knockanore; Mrs. Gambridge, Fermoy (£100); Angela Clancy, Aghem; Maura Deedy, Dungourney; Mrs. Nora Hartigan, Tallow; Mrs. Mary Curley, Main Street; Mrs. Meehan. Next Sunday night jackpot £500 on 53 calls or less. Happy Christmas to all our bingo players and helpers.

### PUSH TO SUPPORT LISMORE'S NEW HOSPITAL

At the recent A.G.M. of Lismore District Executive Fine Gael the chairman, Mr. John Heneghan called for widespread support in the West Waterford region for Lismore's new hospital. He stressed that in the changing times in which we live there is a great need for the type of facilities which will be available in the new hospital and the demand for same can only increase in the years ahead.

Mr. Heneghan paid tribute to the members of the existing Hospital Committee. He said it was thanks to a huge effort on their part that the existing district hospital is still open and it is they who have succeeded in influencing the relevant authorities to build a new hospital.

Cllr. Willie McDonnell supported the chairman wholeheartedly and said that while a major financial contribution will be provided by the South Eastern Health Board and to a lesser extent by the Waterford County Council the shortfall must

be found among organisations and individuals locally in like fashion to helpbuild the new ultra modern 41 bed hospital in Lismore.

Cllr. Nora Flynn gave a detailed account of the recent Estimates Meeting of Waterford County Council. She also expressed her support for the new hospital and will play her part in gathering support for same in Cappoquin. She raised many local issues on behalf of the Cappoquin area and she intends to follow them through at Council level.

The A.G.M. was chaired by Mr. Mario Flavin of Dungarvan who is chairman of Waterford Executive Fine Gael. The meeting had a good attendance including Mr. Austin Deasy T.D.

The election of officers resulted as follows — Chairman: Mr. John Heneghan; Vice Chairperson: Mrs. Nora Flynn, M.C.C.; Secretary: Triona Flynn; Joint Treasurers: Sam Fuller and John Leahy; District Organiser: Fiona McDonnell.

# ORMONDE CINEMA **DUNGARVAN**

Friday 17th December 7 days 8.00 Late Show 10.45 Fri/Sat/Sun

#### ORMONDE ONE

Sigourney Weaver Kevin Kline

In a country where anybody can become President, anybody just did.

(12s)

Sunday 3.00 (Gen)



#### ORMONDE TWO

MIKE "Wayne's Wirld" MYERS

Comedy WithAn Edge

Matinee Sunday 3.00 (Gen)



#### **DUNGARVAN UNITED A.F.C.**

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#### Gala Variety Concert

PARK HOTEL, DUNGARVAN ON THIS SUNDAY, 19th DEC., 1993

AT 8 P.M. SHARP - TICKETS 24 FEATURING: Booley House, Bachelors In Trouble, MC Micheal O Faolain, Sean O'Donnell, Mary Nugent, Michael Ryan, Hugh O'Donnell, Ivory Sound, Ollie & Ann Marie, Libby Flynn, Seanachie Patsy Ahearne, Friary Folk Choir, Bridget King.

Saturday, Dec. 18 — TRUDI LAWLOR

with the LOUISE MORRISSEY BAND Sunday, Dec. 19 — RICHIE HALPIN \* CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT \* Sun. Dec. 26 St. Stephen's Day—PATSY DURKIN Mon. 27 MAC & O. Friday, 31 PADDY O'BRIEN



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Lunches served from 12 to 3 daily NEW EXTENSIVE MENU SERVED IN THE BAR UNTIL 9 P.M.

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#### WEEK-END ENTERTAINMENT

Friday, Dec. 17 — RICHIE ROBERTS & CO. Stradbally GAA Dinner with Bar Extension

Saturday, Dec. 18 — HIGH TIDE

Sunday, Dec. 19 — First appearance in the South-East — RTV PLUS 2 — Sensational Light Jazz Band. 5 - 7 p.m. and also Sunday Night SANTA arriving at 5 p.m. on Sunday (19th)

A Rousing CONCERT OF TRADITIONAL IRISH MUSIC AND SONG with Tony McMann, laria O Lionaird and Noel Hill is to take place in Bridgie Terries on Tuesday, Dec. 28 Bookings now being taken for Christmas Luncheons Winner of Black & White Pub of the Year

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& Leisure Centre



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Gala New Year's Eve

Supper Dance Music by KEY NOTES Dancing 10 - 2 - Bar Extension



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Saturday, December 18 — **USUAL PROGRESSIVE 45 DRIVE** Sunday, Dec. 19 — GERRY & TIMMY

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#### CLONEA STRAND HOTEL

ST. STEPHEN'S NIGHT Mon. Dec. 26

10 to 2. Bar Extension. Strictly over 18

**Saturday December 31** 

**NEW YEAR'S EVE** 

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Celebrate The Magic of Christmas at



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**CARVERY LUNCH** available in Main Bar, from 12 noon to 2.30 p.m.

**Limited Availability for CHRISTMAS PARTY & NEW YEAR'S EVE NIGHTS OUT** 

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with Top Radio DJs

Tues. Dec. 21 ★ Wed. Dec. 22 ★ Thurs. 23 Sunday 26 ★ Monday 27 ★ Tuesday 28

Special Accommodation Rates Available **Throughout The Festive Season** 

Mr. & Mrs. Burke and family and the Management and Staff wish all their friends and patrons a Happy Christmas and a Happy & Prosperous New Year



MELLERAY DRAMATIC SOCIETY will hold a

## RIETY SHOW

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ADMISSION: ADULTS £2, CHILDREN £1



#### \* ARIES

MARCH 21 to APRIL 20

Christmas is coming, or hadn't

you noticed? Don't let the festive season creep up on you. Make that card and gift list now, rather than have to deal with a last minute rush. For last minute December love trends, telephone me on 1550 151. Finances are beginning to balance.

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 301

#### \* TAURUS

APRIL 21 to MAY 21

Get some space for solitude

and relaxation. Some quiet thinking time or meditation can help you to find your answers within. This week, the festive season starts socially and is an excellent time to reconnect with old friends. Give social obligations and impromptu invitations priority. Phone the Astroline for more details.

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 302

#### **★ GEMINI**

MAY 22 to JUNE 21

You have recently learnt valuable

lesson. Life and people are often unfair. Be prepared to cut your losses in a no-win situation. All forms of change are beneficial. For information on love and luck over the festive season telephone me on 1550

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 303

#### \* CANCER

JUNE 22 to JULY 23

When gift buying, remem-

ber it is the thought that counts and avoid unnecessary extravagances — and expenses! If you are ready for a fresh approach to life, telephone 1550 151 for astrological affirmations and advice. A deserving someone will soon

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 304

\* LEO

JULY 24 to AUGUST 23 Avoid taking on another's responsibilities - you won't

be thanked and may ruffle feathers. Shopping sprees and social outings prove fun but are likely to break those purse strings. In the work place, listen to constructive proposals. Phone the Astroline for more details.

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 305

**★ VIRGO** 

AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23

Col leagues m a

have been rather uncooperative in the recent past but now prove more supportive. In professional situations be prepared to make personal connections. An early festive date proves enjoyable. For information on love and luck telephone 1550 151.

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 306

SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23

Double check that Christmas

card list - you may have forgotten to include an old acquaintance. Romantically, someone needs you to be decisive, to take the lead and pick up the pace. Why not pick up the phone and dial 1550 151 for some astrological love indications.

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 307

#### **WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 17**

#### \* SCORPIO OCTOBER 24 to As it is NOVEMBER 22 the sea-

son of

goodwill, perhaps it's time to make peace with someone. Financially, you can afford what you need to afford but don't get lulled into a false sense of security and start over-spending. Leave those credit cards at home! Phone the Astroline for more details.

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 308

#### **★ SAGITTARIUS**

DEC. 21

Social engagements battle for your time while two people battle for your attention. Be careful of becoming overly involved too soon — which your Sagittarian optimism can cause you to do. Be enthusiastic about new friendships but give them time to develop before you commit yourself. Phone the Astroline for more details.

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 309

#### ★ CAPRICORN DEC 22 to JAN 20

that little

book at the ready. You are about to connect with someone special at a pre-Christmas gathering. A touch of romance is in the air. Interested in love? Then telephone 1550 151 because someone is certainly interested in you!

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 310

#### \* AQUARIUS

JAN 21 to FEB 19

Christmas is com-

ing, bringing with it memories of times past. Allow yourself to be sentimental. At the same time however, recognise what you have now in your present. You probably have more than you realise. Telephone 1550 151 for predictions relating to the festive season.

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 311

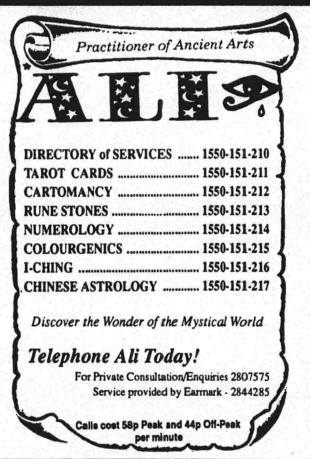
#### \* PISCES

FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20

Financially, curb pulse buy-

ing - you could regret it later. This is a good time to inform someone that whilst you need advice on occasion, nagging leaves you with a headache! Stand your ground and make your own decisions. You know you are well capable. Phone the Astroline for more details

#### FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 312



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THE HIGHEST ATTENDANCE EVER ATTRACTED BY AN ENGLISH FOOTBALL CLUB WAS 84,569 BY MANCHESTER CITY FOR AN FA. CUP MATCH AT MAINE ROAD

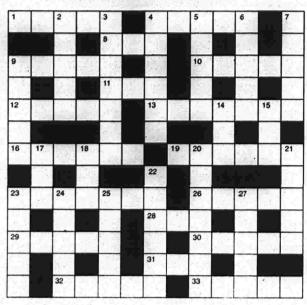
THE BEE HUMMINGBIRD IS SO SMALL THAT IT IS EVEN LIGHTER IN WEIGHT THAN A PRIVET HAWK MOTH .



IN COUNTRIES WHERE HAVING MORE THAN ONE WIFE IS LEGAL, MEN CAN HAVE MANY CHILDREN. A MOROCCAN EMPEROR OF AROUND 1700 A.D. IS SAID TO HAVE HAD 888 CHILDREN



#### \_\_\_\_\_\_ Dungarvan Leader **CROSSWORD**



#### **SOLUTION ON PAGE 4**

#### **CLUES ACROSS**

- 1 Automation (5)
- Metal block (5)
- Fowl (5) Of the moon (5)
- 10 Planet (5)
- 11 Before (3)
- 12 Fragrance (5)
- 13 Dilapidated (7) 16 Expire (6)
- 19 Derides (6)
- 23 Complicated (7)
- 26 Ire (5)
- 28 Play on words (3)
- 29 At no time (5)
- 30 Artless (3) 31 Born (3)
- 32 Haste (5)
- 33 Gate fastener (5)

#### **CLUES DOWN**

- 2 Housey-Housey (5)
- 3 Menaces (7)
- Implant (6)
- Donated (5) 5 S. American dance (5)
- Fire-raising (5) 9 Depart (5)
- 14 Pair (3)
- 15 Triumphed (3)
- 17 Toilet (3)
- 18 Burst (3)
- 20 Duct (7)
- 21 Merry frolic (5)
- 22 Spread (6) 23 Sarcastic disbeliever (5)
- 24 Stirs (5)
- 25 Huge (5) 27 Corn (5)



WLR FM in association with the "Dungarvan Leader" presents Organ's "Dial A Disc" on Shaun Organ's lunchtime show. The phone line 051/72248 is open each day Monday to Friday, when listeners can choose a song from this list. Many of the songs carry a prize, courtesy of Bus Eireann and K.G. Discs, Waterford. Every week there is a different theme and this week's theme is "Christmas Classics"-

- Band Aid Do Thet Know It's Christmas?
- Jona Lewie Stop The Cavalry
- David Essex AWinter's Tale Bing Crosby White Christmas D
- Ella Fitzgerald The Christmas Song
- Willie Nelson Blue Christmas
  The Spinners The Twelve Days of Christmas G
- Aled Jones Walking In The Air Cliff Richard - Saviour's Day
- Chris De Burgh A Spaceman Came Travelling
- K Kate Bush December Will Be Magic Again
- Beach Boys Little Saint Nick
- M Pogues & Kristy McColl -

Fairvtale Of New York

- Snap Mary Had A Little Boy
- Jackson 5 Santa Claus Is Coming To Town Mel & Kim - Rockin' Around The Christmas Tree
- Harry Belafonte Mary's Boy Child
- Doris Day Winter Wonderland
- Paul McCartney Wonderful Christmastime
- Greg Lake I Believe In Father Christmas Carpenters - Merry Christmas Darling
- Shakin' Stevens Merry Christmas Everyone
- Slade Merry Christmas Everybody John & Yoko - Happy Christmas (War Is Over)
- Chris Rea Driving Home For Christmas Wham - Last Christmas

# DUNGARVAN The Fun Place To Shop This Christmas





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THURSDAY. DECEMBER 23 TIL 9 P.M.

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Santa Claus

Instore Friday 2 - 5.30 Saturday 1-30 - 5

Sunday 2.30 - 5.30



DUNGARVAN Wishing all a very Happy

Christmas

Welcome to the 'Dungarvan Leader's' comprehensive guide to Christmas shopping in the thriving town of Dungarvan. Residents of this busy town feel no need to waste valuable time travelling to some city destination to do their Christmas shopping, when they can get all they need so close to home. Dungarvan's shops have something to suit everyone and are all conveniently located within a stone's throw of each other. As the final countdown to Christmas continues, this special guide on all the best places to shop will help sort out those gift headaches. So, avoid the last minute rush and get down to Dungarvan! Happy Shopping!

#### DUNGARVAN CREDIT UNION

At Christmas time the Credit Union really comes into its own. It is an expensive time of year such as Christmas that the Credit Union is really appreciated when members can draw on their savings or obtain loans to finance this festive season.

Established in 1965, Dungarvan Credit Union, Mary Street, has built up a hardwon reputation for wonderful service to the community. Again, they are offering three £50 vouchers this Christmas in the members' draw. It is so easy to become a member — call in now and do yourself a favour.

# SHAWS

The wide range and quality of goods on offer at Shaws department store, Main Street is certainly hard to beat. From washing machines to microwaves, from gents jumpers to ladies blouses and from the latest toys and games for the children to the essential decorations and lights for the Christmas tree, Shaws have the lot. Come and visit Santa and see their Christmas toy showroom for great bargains and gifts. Open 7 days a week including Christmas Eve come along and join in the festive

fun at Shaws.



to all our members from the Directors, Supervisors & Staff of

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—from —

# **Kool Kids**

FRIARY STREET, DUNGARVAN AND AT MERRICKS, YOUGHAL

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We wish all our customers a very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year from

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# MARY LEE

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O'CONNELL STREET, DUNGARVAN



Wild Orchid

O'Connell Street Dungarvan

Seasons Greetings and Best Wishes for the New Year to all our customers



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TOM CURRAN

Grattan Square FURNITURE STORE



Street,

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# DUNGARVAN Place To Shop

#### THE SHAMROCK

Why not round off your Christmas shopping with a warm relaxing meal in cosy surroundings at 'The Shamrock' Restaurant, O'Connell Street?

Offering the finest cuisine and service at affordable prices, a visit to The Shamrock is definitely a must over the festive season. Lunch is

served from 12-3 p.m. Full a la carte menu served all day. Book now for a memorable Christmas meal.

#### **ANIMAL ANNEX**

For all your pets requirements come to Animal Annex, Mary Street, where you can choose from an extensive range of products to suit the individual needs of your pet, be it canine, feline, fish, bird or the hooved variety.

Open 6 days a week, the proprietor Louise Gleeson will be only too delighted to show you all the latest toys, accessories and equipment for your cuddly pets, and all at unbeatable prices. Even your pet would recommend it! Louise wishes all her customers a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

#### KOOL KIDS

Kool Kids, Friary Street, Dungarvan and at Merricks, Youghal.

At Kool Kids find the perfect Christmas outfit for the apple of your eye! Call in and choose from their extensive clothes line for newly borns right up to young teens. Kool Kids stocks all leading brand names such as Wrangler, Galipette, Création Stummer and Irish brands Oz, Claire and Zest.

Don't forget Kool Kids this Christmas for quality and style that will bring a smile to your childrens faces. Barbara and her staff wish all their customers a Happy Christmas.

#### DAVID WALSH

For "gach uile rud don oifig agus don scoil", it has to be David Walshs at Lower Main Street, stockists of office, school and computer supplies. Text books, copies and all kinds of school equipment have been handled by these experts for many years. Everything that can possibly be required for the modern office is also there, with prices to suit all pockets.

The attractive display is designed to ease the way of the casual shopper or the schoolteacher in a hurry. Either will find a visit to David Walshs well worth while.

#### GONE FISHIN'

Call in to Gone Fishin', Lower Main Street and get the hunting, shooting and fishing fan in your family a quality gift to be treasured. Gone Fishin' stocks all types of rods and reels suitable for coarse, game or sea angling.

Call in and view their comprehensive range of tackle, firearms and shooting accessories such as cleaning kits for shotguns and rifles, gun oils and many other items. Great value and expert service guaranteed!

And if you find the choice too greatwhy not buy a Gone Fishin' gift youcher.

#### CARMEL'S BEAUTY SALON

Carmels Beauty Salon uses a holistic approach in all treatments, leaving the client feeling relaxed and happy. We specialise in electrolysis, red thread vein, aromatherapy and cathiodermie facials along with waxing, tinting, manicures, false nails, physique body toning, sunbeds and make-ups. In stock are René Guirot, Decleor and Clarins skin care ranges. For Christmas we are offering gift sets as well as the ever popular gift vouchers which make a perfect present for someone you care about. A gift of pampering is a pleasure for anyone to receive, leaving them relaxed and rejuvenated. Consultations are free and we also advise a home care routine for all ages.

#### WHELANS

As Dungarvans longest established newsagency and bookstore, Whelans, O'Connell Street, has built up a reputation for fast service, value and choice. Offering a wide variety of stationery, fancy goods, greeting cards and confectionery, Whelans stocks everything from the RTE guide to Irish made souvenirs.

Once again the Christmas showroom is now open and proprietor Ned Whelan invites you to come along and browse through the extensive range of exciting toys on offer.

#### PAUL'S

Situated at Grattan Square, Paul's offer a wide selection of magazines, newspapers, magazines, greeting cards, tobacco items, chocolates and confectionery, which makes it the ideal place to clear those Christmas shopping lists.

What nicer way to fill a Christmas stocking than with a Rehab lottery ticket or some camera films. Paul's also specialise in photo processing and offer replacement films for only 99p. Don't take our word for it — call in and see for yourself.

#### TOM CURRAN

Brighten up your home this Christmas with a bargain from Tom Curran Furniture Store, Grattan Square. Occasional furniture makes a wonderful Christmas gift and a call to Tom Curran's will enable you to see a highly attractive range. Choose from a selection of light fittings, table lamps, shades, wall lights, dining room sets and all you need for your home decor. From beds and tables to 3-piece suites in modern and traditional styles, Tom Curran's is the store with so much more in value this Christmas!



Christmas and a

Properous New Year

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For all your beauty needs this Christmas

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# GEAUTY SALON

24 Lower Main Street, Dungavan. Tel (058) 42171 Wishes all her customers a very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

# The Reflect



Santa Claus switching on the Dungarvan Christmas Street Lighting. Included are Cilr. Tony Wright, Chairman U.D.C., Mario Fiavin, Chairman Retail Committee Dungarvan Chamber of Commerce, Jas Kirwan, Electrical Contractor and members of the U.D.C. and Chamber of Commerce. (Wyley)

#### WILD ORCHID

Recently opened at O'Connell Street, Wild Orchid Florists has already built up a reputation for customer service and a great abundance of gift ideas for all seasons. For the festive season proprietor Martina Dunford offers a range of potted Christmas trees to order, silk decorations, evergreen arrangements and Christmas wreaths and logs. Dried flower arrangements with a Christmas theme are now being made to order.

So remember, for an ideal gift for your loved one this Christmas look no further than Wild Orchid Florist.

#### MARY LEE FASHIONS

For the woman who wants to greet the New Year in style, call into Mary Lee Fashions, O'Connell Street, where you'll find an excellent range of quality ladies clothing mostly Irish made.

Dress to impress with leading brands such as Mona, Tucker, John Bentley, Libra, etc. Ideal for presents - Mary Lee offers an extensive range of gift ideas suitable for women of all ages and tastes and if you can't decide why not try a gift voucher? All in all, a visit to Mary Lee Fashions is a must this Christmas for all fashion conscious women.

#### DALTON'S FOODSTORE

For fresh meat, vegetables and all your grocery needs this Christmas, come to Dalton's Foodstore where you'll be guaranteed friendly, efficient service and great value. Not only a foodstore, Dalton's also stock greeting cards, Christmas toys and have been the leading newsagents and tobacconist on St. Garvan's Terrace for many years.

turkey and ham. Entry is free with every purchase. sure Kelly's has it and at great prices too.

Orders now taken for cherry cake, Blackforest gateaux, pavlova, chocolate fudge and coffee walnut

#### **EQUESTRIAN CENTRE**

Open since June 1992, the Equestrian Centre, Colligan, has become the hub of equine activity for all horse fans in the Dungarvan area. With both an indoor and outdoor arena, the Equestrian Centre is open all year round for treks, hacks and riding lessons for adults and children. Groups are also welcome.

Gift vouchers are now available for Christmas and make ideal gifts. Commencing in January is the jumping league for novice pony riders and horse riders. So, saddle up and get on down to the Equestrian Centre, Colligan. Telephone 058/68261 for bookings.

#### COURT TRAVEL

Why not make one of Court Travel's Holiday Vouchers, the ideal gift! Make your dreams come true with their Savings Club and you can be off to the World Cup, Eurodisney or a scorching week in the Carribean! Call in and see for yourself the great all-year-round value on offer.

#### KELLY'S FOODSTORE

Shoppers, looking for that last minute carton of milk, box of chocolates, or even nappies before the festive holiday — well Kelly's Family Foodstore, Mitchel Street, has it all. A convenient store for your convenience! Proprietor Joseph Kelly will be only too delighted to help you solve those Christmas grocery This Christmas Dalton's are holding a super draw list blues. Whether it's the newspaper, for a remote control stereo, a toaster, hamper, confectionery, tobacco or fresh food, you can be







Christmas Greetings and Best Wishes for the New Year to all our customers from

THE SQUARE, DUNGARVAN **★ Newsagents ★ Cards ★** 

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KELLY FAMILY & STAFF

#### KDLLY'S **FAMILY FOODSTORE**

MITCHEL STREET. DUNGARVAN \*\*\*\*\*\*



The Dalton Family and Staff wish all their customers and friends a Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year

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**DUNGARVAN** 





SUPPLIES

What are you going to surprise your pet with this Christmas? At Animal Annex they are

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Colourful range of Pedigree and Pennine Pet Beds Beta, Pedigree and Redmills Food for Dogs and Cats. Grooming Equipment plus Toys, Leads, Collars etc . . . and Accessories. Rabit, Hamster / Gerbil Food, Housing, Bedding and Treats, etc.

All farm animal requirements available over Christmas Seasons

#### 29 MARY ST., DUNGARVAN

Christmas Greetings and Best Wishes for the New Year to all our customers



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the New Year to all 💃 our customers from

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New Year to all our customers (058) 41791 Day Time WELDER 3 (058) 44225 Night Time

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—from —

Mary Jean's

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and Best Wishes for \*

# This Christmas **MARGARET'S**

Stockists of greeting cards, office supplies, gifts and stationery, Margaret's, Mary Street, is the ideal place this Christmas for special quality gifts at great value. Call in and choose from their vast selection of cards, wrapping paper, stationery sets, calendars, ornaments, cuddly toys and so much more.

What nicer way to fill a stocking than with a "Troll," keyring or some fancy pencils. Whatever your taste. Margaret's has something for everyone this Christmas. So don't delay, come in and see for yourself!

#### GER WYLEY

Call in to Ger Wyley, O'Connell Street, for professional advice on the Christmas gift for the sportsman and woman in your life. "Where sport meets style" is the catchword to remember, as Ger stocks all the latest sportswear and footwear at prices to suit all pockets. Specialising in sportswear, Ger carries all the leading brands such as Puma, Reebok, Nike, O'Neill's, etc., while also carrying an extensive range in top fashion footwear from Dubarry, Högl, Rieker and many more. Ger Wyley and family wish all their customers a merry Christmas and a happy new year.

#### THE CLOSET

Recently moved across the road. The Closet, Mary Street, is the place to go for a trendy, casual look this Christmas. Just arrived — the latest in Levi Strauss jeans! Call in and choose from the trendiest of denim styles and colours from leading brands such as Pepe, Hardcore, Lee Cooper, Levi's, Second Image and many

Donegal Knitwear or casual jackets and shirts make great Christmas presents and if you can't decide, why not get a gift voucher. With every purchase, you are entered into a Christmas draw and three lucky winners will win a trendy denim outfit!

#### PEARL'S PETALS

Christmas simply wouldn't be the same without some delightful fresh flowers and Christmas wreaths from the real expert in the field, Sarah Gallagher at Pearl's Petals, Davitt's Quay. Orders are now being taken for Christmas arrangements, dried flowers and wreaths. Don't forget - Sarah offers free delivery in Dungarvan and Abbeyside

For family and friends abroad this Christmas, show them you care with Inteflora at Pearl's Petals which sends orders out worldwide, guaranteeing a 2-day delivery to anywhere in the world.

#### VINCENT BYRNE

Call in to Vincent Byrne, Grattan Square for quality men's wear and boys shoes at prices you can afford. Surprise the man in your life with the very latest in high standards with great taste, JR's can't be beaten.



footwear fashion to complement his festive outfit.

Proprietor Vincent Byrne is only too happy to advise you as you choose from a large selection of boaters to ground assault footwear, in all the latest suede and leather styles. So why wait! Step out in style this Christmas with Vincent Byrne's Footwear.

#### MARY JEAN'S

If you want to look and feel great this Christmas, call in to Mary Jean's Beauty Salon, Mary Street, where Prop. Mary Jean Kelly will offer you the very best of advise and products aimed at making your life healthier and more enjoyable. Book and pay now for Body Shaping Sessions Course and receive half course free.

Mary Jean offers a full range of beauty treatments including waxing, facials, make-ups, reflexology, ultratone and many more. Open 9.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Book now at 058-43504.

#### **NOEL DEVEREUX**

This is Noel Devereux's 19th Christmas in Mary Street, Dungarvan. Noel enjoys giving his customers the benefit of his 19 years experience and with Austin as his right hand man. there is no place better for the more conservative man to shop for such brands as The long established Lawlor's Hotel is the heart of Magee, Tricot Marine, Kilmaine and Clubmans, etc.

But come upstairs to a completely different ambience - with Pat and Liam and Robert Power of cycling fame and a team which keeps the place on its toes by constantly seeking after new brands. This Christmas they introduced Levi's and Fuente to their already extensive range.

#### JR's

JR's, O'Connell Street, provides the ideal place to top off a wonderful evening out with friends, with a bit of tasty food. Hygiene and quality are number one at JR's and they take great pride in their delicious burgers, chips, milkshakes, chicken nuggets, fish, apple pies,

So, if you're out on the town this Yuletide and are feeling a little peckish on the way home, why not drop into JR's for a bite to eat? Combining great value and



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**MARGARETS** 

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THE ALLROUNDER

As the name suggests, the Allrounder, Grattan Square, is a veritable wonderland of sportswear and equipment. Whether your game is golf, soccer, badminton or tennis, or whether vou just need some casual gear, everything you require can be found at the Allrounder.

So if you're looking for an ideal present for those sports enthusiasts in your family, come along to the Allrounder for all the latest sporting goods and clothing at prices to suit all pockets.

#### PAT MOLONEY

For over 2 years now, Pat Moloney's Furniture Store, Wolfe Tone Road, has been supplying homes with quality furniture that's real value. Proprietor Pat Moloney will give you his personal attention as you choose from his vast selection of 3-piece suites, bedding, bedroom furniture, diningroom sets and so much more.

Turn your home into a palace with an unbeatable bargain from Pat Moloney's. Open six days a week — free delivery guaranteed.

#### LAWLOR'S HOTEL

Dungarvan is one of the best known hostelries in the South East. Under the management of the Burke family, Lawlor's Hotel has a high reputation for cuisine and service, providing a warm and friendly welcome to all their

Reservations are now being taken for Christmas party nights: telephone 058-41122. Make Lawlor's Hotel your rendezvous for festive functions and parties and of course why not ring in the new year in Club 2000 Nite Club. As the saving goes "be there or be square."

#### SKIN DEEP HEALTH AND BEAUTY CLINIC

Looking good for Christmas is essential for many women. At the Skin Deep Health and Beauty Clinic, O'Connell Street, no one knows this better than Grainne Kelly who offers a wide range of beauty treatments including facials, make-ups, waxing, massage, express nails, reflexology,

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etc. Ideal for gift baskets and vouchers now available Get that golden glow for Christmas on the sunbed, with ten sessions for only £20. Collagen 90 Mask with a 35.4% proven reduction in wrinkles now only half price. Phone now while offer lasts and be the belle of every Christmas party. Telephone 058/44355.

#### THE ARCH

Transform your Christmas wardrobe with the latest fashion trends from The Arch, Main Street. From a wide range of jumpers, jewellery, jackets, skirts, scarves, suits and also the very latest in velvet dresses and separates, you can be sure to find a stylish festive outfit for all those Christmas party

The Arch also offers a wide variety of ladies and gents shoes at affordable prices. The friendly yet expert staff are fully au-fait with the latest styles and can give the best advice on matching accessories if you so desire.

#### RICH RAGS

Call in to Margaret O'Brien in Rich Rags, O'Connell Street, for ladies quality clothing with brand names such as Garduer, Henry White, Michael Mortell, Jenma Schrieck and many more.

Margaret stocks up-to-the minute fashions from the latest styles in casual wear to the most elegant of formal outfits. Gift tokens are available for the Christmas season and make an ideal gift for the woman in your life. Go on! - greet the New Year in STYLE with Rich Rags.

#### SHANE CROTTY

Remember Shane Crotty, Crotty's Corner, Abbeyside, for fast efficient welding services both domestic and industrial. Shane offers a full 24 hour mobile welding service and specialises in wrought iron gates, railings, lanterns and flower pots.

No matter what the welding job, Shane Crotty can solve the problem.

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Situated in Main Street, Michael O'Sulivan Curtain Shop stocks a fabulous range of fabrics and designs for everything from curtains to duvet covers, all made to order. The friendly staff will even measure your windows, advise you on colour schemes, put up the curtain rails or fit your blinds expertly and efficiently. What more could you ask for?





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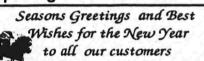
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Late Opening Christmas Eve

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At Curran's long-established hardware stor., Grattan Square, you'll find all the gifts ideas you need for the DIY enthusiast, painter or craftsman. From nails and saws to complete tool sets, Currans stock them all.

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#### STEPHEN JAMES

Stephen James, Mary Street, stocks everything you need for the man in your life with a huge selection of fashion menswear, such as jumpers, slacks, coats and jackets that are ideal for all winter needs. They complement this with a fast and efficient service. But, if you're still undecided, why not give a gift token. Whatever your taste and budget, talk to the people who know, at Stephen James.

Proprietor James Buckley wishes all his customers a peaceful Christmas and a prosperous new year.

#### MARIA MOLONEY BOUTIQUE

Call in to Maria Moloney's Boutique, Grattan Square, for ladies quality clothing in leading brand names such as Regine, Schneberger, Michele, Golle Haug, Loreanai. Maria stocks up-to-the-minute fashions with lovely bright colours for all those festive occasions. Ideal for presents, Maria Moloney's offers an extensive range of gift ideas suitable for women of all ages and tastes and if you can't decide why not try a gift token?

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#### BARGAIN CENTRE

The recently opened Direct Bargain Centre in Main Street, Dungarvan and Main Street, Cappoquin offers customers unbeatable bargains in household items such as towels, mugs, mops, etc. Children's items such as games, books, socks, gents and ladies items such as check padded shirts, thermal socks, fashion jeans and much more. The list of bargains goes on and on and nobody beats their prices. So save pounds this Christmas on tapes, clothes, lamps, stereos, etc. and come to the Bargain Centre where you can buy all your goods at wholesale prices. Christmas greetings to all our customers.

#### CASEY FLORIST

For the real experts in the field, visit Casey Florist, Main Street, the longest established florist in Dungarvan. Proprietors John and Maureen Casey have years of experience and cater for all occasions with wedding bouquets, fresh flowers, pot plants, fresh and silk presentation bouquets etc.

For the festive season order their beautiful Christmas flower arrangements and balloons. Orders are also being taken on Holly Wreaths and Christmas logs. Whatever the occasion, come to Casey Florist where you can expect high standards and quality service.

# DALTONS JEWELLERS & GIFTS

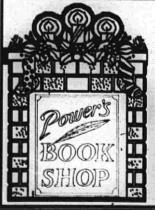
For quality gift ideas there is only one choice - R. Dalton, Jewellers, Main Street. Stockists of a huge selection of beautifully crafted jewellery and gifts to suit all members of the family.

Remember all gift wrapping and engraving is free for every purchase irrespective of price. Extended opening hours are Friday, December 17, 9.30 a.m. - 9 p.m. Sunday December 20, 2 p.m. - 6 p.m. Thursday, December 23, 9.30 a.m. - 9 p.m. Why not try a Dalton's Gift Voucher — the ideal Christmas gift!

#### DELANY & CO.

For almost 50 years now Delany's Footwear Store, Grattan Square, has been serving the needs of Dungarvan and no one understands customers better than they do. Trading Monday to Saturday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Christmas Eve 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Put style in your stride with a visit to Delany's Footwear Store where you can choose from a wide range of shoes, boots, slippers, wellingtons, etc. — all in the latest styles at unbeatable prices.



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Lenihans also have a well stocked off-licence with wines and spirits at the keenest prices. Mr. and Mrs. Lenihan wish all their customers a Happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

#### **BAUMANNS JEWELLERS**

For that 'special' gift it has to be Baumanns Jewellery Shop, Mary Street where a vast range of watches, clocks, rings, necklaces and pendants are stocked to suit all tastes and pockets. Come along and get that fishing person in your life a gift they'll cherish. Why not try a Baumanns gift voucher?

As highly qualified watchmakers and goldsmiths, Baumanns offer full repair service. O. Baumann and Sons wish all their customers a Peaceful Christmas and a very happy New Year.

#### **POWERS** BOOKSHOP

A wide selection of annuals, books, boxed cards and other items make Powers Bookshop, Mary Street an ideal place to go to provide for your Christmas reading. Michael Power is always on hand to give whatever help and advice is needed to help you choose.

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#### HALLAHANS

For the best in exclusive perfumes, a wide selection of gift sets and many more besides, Hallahans Chemist, Grattan Square is the ideal place to go this Christmas for all your scented ideas.

Proprietor Austin Hallahan and staff are always happy to offer advice and look forward to serving you in 1994.

#### DONALS

Since opening in March 1993, Donals Café, O'Connell Street, has built up a reputation for friendly service, value and a relaxed atmosphere. Proprietor Donal O'Regan started the business after completing a FAS course and has indeed contributed greatly to the town, having worked in

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Dungarvan mart, Junior Chamber and the Dungarvan Rugby Club.

Open 6 days a week, Donals caters for the older clientele, shoppers and business people offering an extensive assortment of light hot lunches, soups, sandwiches, salads and many more. Call in for a chat and see for yourself!

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#### **ALICIA'S**

For ladies fashions, infants and children's wear call into the expert in the field, Alicia Browne at O'Connell Street. This long established clothes shop stocks Irish quality goods at competitive prices and you can be assured of friendly, expert service and all purchases are gift wrapped free of charge.

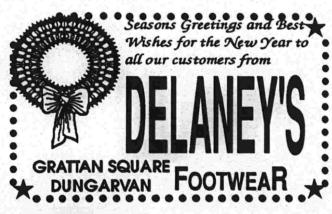
Choose from her extensive range of tartan skirts. Botany wool polos, lambswool sweaters, acrylic cardigans and many more suitable for the cold winter months.

Open 6 days weekly and during lunch hours Friday and Saturday. Alicia wishes all her customers a happy Christmas and a prosperous new year.

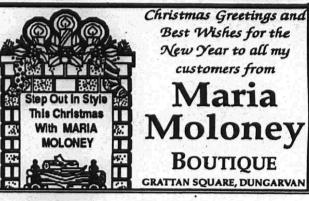
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Where all your shopping needs are met under one roof best describes Darrers Stores, Mary Street. For decades, Darrers Stores has served Dungarvan with quality goods and value for money in every department - men's, ladies, children's clothers, stationery, off-licence, supermarket, shoes whatever your needs Darrers has something for everyone. In fact, it's fair to say that Christmas shopping wouldn't be the same without the huge selection and value offered by Darrers!

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Coffee Shop

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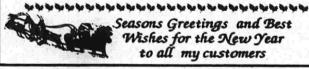
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#### NOVENAS

MAY THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS be everywhere known, loved and cherished throughout the whole world now and forever. Amen. Say six times a day for nine days. Publication granted.— P.T. (7-1)

GRATEFUL THANKS to Our Lady, Sacred Heart, St. Claire, St. Jude, St. Martin, St. Teresa, St. Martha, St. Anne and Padre Pio for favours received. — J.C.

IN THANKSGIVING TO ST. CLAIRE — Say Nine Hail Marys with lighted candle for 9 days for two impossible and one business. Promise publication. Thanks also to St. Jude, St. Theresa, Sacred Heart, St. Bernadette, St. Rita and Our Blessed Lady.

GRATEFUL THANKS to St. Clare, Blessed Virgin, Jesus, Padre Pio, St. Martha, Our Lady of Mount Carmel, St. Benedict, St. Jude, St. Joseph, St. Anthony, Holy Spirit. — C.C.

A PRAYER TO THE

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

#### **Planning Notices**

Waterford County Council

Liam McDonnell is applying to Waterford County
Council for outline planning
permission to erect a bungalow at Ballynamuck Middle,
Dungarvan.

Dungarvan Urban District Council — I, Peter O'Neill, wish to apply to Dungarvan Urban District Council for permission to alter and extend my dwelling at Parklane Avenue, Abbeyside.

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#### WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL

**Refuse Collection** and Disposal Arrangements

Christmas 1993 New Year 1994

The Refuse Collection service will not operate on 24th, 27th and 28th December, 1993.

Collection will take place on 3rd January, 1994 (Bank Holiday) and 6th January, 1994 (Church Holyday).

The Waste Disposal sites at Dungarvan, Tramore and Lismore will be closed on 24th, 27th and 28th December

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BRAZIL — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Willie Brazil, late of Grawn, Leamybrien, who died on December 14, 1992. R.I.P. Masses offered.

You always had a smile to share,

Time to give and time to

Years may pass and tears

But memories of you will never die.

We cannot bring the old days back,

When we were all together, But loving thoughts and happy days,

Will live with us forever.
Will those who think of Willie today.

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Always remembered by his loving wife Nonie and family.)

BUMSTER — Second Anniversary — In fond and loving memory of a dear husband and loving father, Michael Bumster, late of Ballylemon, Cappagh, who died on December 18, 1991. Sadly missed today and everyday.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Too dearly missed to ever be forgotten — from all the family.)

DAVIS — Twenty-third Anniversary — In loving memory of Daniel Davis, late of Barrack Street, Tallow and Manchester, who died December 16, 1970. On his soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

As down the road of memories,

We gently tread today, Our loving thoughts are with

As life goes on its way.
(Always remembered by your loving brothers Michael, William, Tommie and sister Marie.)

DUNNE — In loving memory of our dear mother, Ellen, late of "Aisling," Tallow Road, Lismore, who died on December 20, 1990. R.I.P.

As each day dawns and starts anew,

As each day ends we think of you,

And in between, no matter where,

Deep in our hearts you are always there.

(Always remembered — Ann, Jenny, Irene, Sheila, sons-in-law, grandchildren and greatgrandchildren.)

EGAN — Twenty-fifth Anniversary — In loving memory of Thomas Egan, 18, Mitchel Terrace, Dungarvan, who died December 13, 1968. In the shelter of Thy Sacred Heart, sweet Jesus may he rest. Mother of God pray for him.

(Always remembered by his loving family Birdie, Mary, Thomas, Joseph, granddaughter Dolly.)

#### Death Notice

O'BRIEN — Suddenly but peacefully, at University Hospital, Cardiff, Wales, Stella, late of 33 Barrack Street, Tallow. Beloved wife of Frank — always in my thoughts. FLYNN — First Anniversary — In loving memory of William (Billy) Flynn, late of 24, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on December 18, 1992.

Today we are thinking of someone we love,

But we know he is happy in heaven above,

Loving memories are all we have left, Of a father we loved and will

never forget.
(Always remembered and sadly missed by his loving wife

and family.)
Anniversary Mass at St.
Mary's Parish Church on Sat-

urday next, December 18, at 7.30 p.m.

HURLEY — Sixth Anniversary
— In loving memory of my

— In loving memory of my dear father, Michael (Mickey) Hurley, late of London and Dungarvan, who died on December 15, 1987. Masses offered.

There comes a time for all of

When we must say goodbye, But faith and hope and care and trust,

Can never, never die. (Always remembered by his loving son Michael and daughter-in-law Pauline.)

HURLEY — Sixth Anniversary
— In loving memory of my
dear father, Michael (Mickey)
Hurley, late of London and
Dungarvan, who died on December 15, 1987. Masses offered.

As down the road of memo-

We gently tread today,

Our loving thoughts are with you;

As life goes on its way. (Never forgotten by his loving son Richard, daughter-in-law Ann and granddaughters.)

HURLEY — Sixth Anniversary
— In loving memory of my
dear brother-in-law, Michael
(Mickey) Hurley, late of London
and Dungarvan, who died on
December 15, 1987. Masses
offered.

Will those who think of him today,

A little prayer to Jesus say. (Never forgotten by his sisterin-law Margaret, Oliver and family.)

KEARNEY — First Anniversary — In loving memory of Jack Kearney, Ballinaroone, Ballyduff, Co. Waterford, who died on December 21, 1992.

A smile for all, a heart of gold,

One of the best this world could hold,

Never selfish, always kind, These are memories you left behind.

Memories we keep, one by one, Things you have said, things

Things you have said, things you have done,

They bring a smile and often a tear,

But always a wish that you were here.
Sadly missed by your loving

(Sadly missed by your loving wife Nellie, son Mike, daughter Helen and all the Keane family.)

LANDERS — Sixth Anniversary — In loving memory of John Landers, late of Ballinroad, who died on December 23, 1987. Our Lady, Queen of the Most Holy Rosary, pray for him.

(Always remembered by your loving wife Mary and family.)

MALLON — Fourteenth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear sister, Bridget Mallon (née Monahan), late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan and Porttalbot, South Wales, who died on December 15, 1979. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. R.I.P.

Time may pass and fade

But silent thoughts and memories stay,

No length of time can take away,
The thoughts we have of you

each day. Will those who think of her

today,
A little prayer to Jesus say.
(Never forgotten by your loving sister Eileen, brother-in-law Michael.)

MORRISSEY — Eighth Anniversary — In loving memory of my dear dad, John Morrissey, late of Mitchel Street, Dungarvan, who died December 20, 1985.

It does not take a special day,

For us to think of you, Each Mass we hear, each prayer we say,

Is offered up for you.
(Never forgotten by your daughter Rena, granddaughters Hélène and Kay.)

O'DWYER — Fourth Anniversary — In loving memory of Ellen O'Dwyer, late of St. Brigid's Terrace, Dungarvan, who died on December 18, 1989.

We lost a mother with a heart of gold,

How much we miss her can never be told, —

She shared our troubles and helped us along,

If we follow her footsteps we will never go wrong. (Always remembered by her loving family.)



WALL — Second Anniversary — In loving memory of Jack Wall, "Rosarii Cottage," Mapstown, Dungarvan, who died on December 17, 1993.

Your life was simple but sincere, Your God and family first,

You had a smile, a song and a prayer for all, it would be hard to fill your

shoes, How could God not give

you a reward.
"Jesus and Mary I love you, save souls," was your

prayer, Now you are with Mam and all, pray for us,

Mother Thrice Admirable pray for us, Queen of the Holy Rosary

pray for us. (Always loved and remembered by your family at home

and abroad.)
9.30 a.m. Mass in the Parish Church on Friday, December 17, 1993. WALSH — Sixth Anniversary
— In loving memory of my
mother, Statia Walsh, 25,
Caseyville, Dungarvan, whose
anniversary occurs on December 16.

Sad are the hearts that loved you,

Silent the tears that fall, Living our lives without you, Mam,

Is the hardest part of all.
(Always remembered by daughter Maura, son-in-law Tim and grandchildren.)

WALSH — Sixth Anniversary
— In loving memory of a dear
mother and grandmother,
Anastatia, late of 25,
Caseyville, Dungarvan, who
died on December 16, 1987.

December comes with sad regret,

The day, the month, we will never forget, No length of time can take

away, Our thoughts of you from day

Our thoughts of you from day to day.

Though absent you are al-

ways near, Still loved, still missed, still

very dear.
(Always remembered by your loving son Billy, daughter-in-law Nora, grandchildren David, Jacqueline, Claire and Siob-

WALSH — Sixth Anniversary
— In sad and loving memory of
my dear mother, Statia Walsh,
late of 25, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on December 16

Mass on Sunday, December 19, at 10.30 a.m. in St. Mary's Parish Church.

Tears in my eyes may not glisten, My face may not always be

sad, But I will always remember,

But I will always remember,
The wonderful mother I had.
Some day we will meet
again,

Where sorrows are unknown, Before God's heavenly

So sleep a peaceful sleep, Mam, Your love will see me

throne,

through, To take me home to you,

Loved with a love beyond all years,

Missed with a grief beyond all tears.
Will those who think of her

Will those who think of her today,

A little prayer to Jesu say.
(From your loving son Pat and daughter-in-law Marion, grandchildren John, Valerie, Deirdre, Mark, Patricia and Angela.)

# Birthday Remembrance

CONNOLLY — Birthday Remembrance of our dear daughter Vera, late of Woodview Park, Tallow, whose birthday occurs on December 26.

Just a prayer from a family who loved you,

Just a memory fond and true, In our hearts you will live

Because we thought the world of you.
Will those who think of Vera

today, A little prayer to Jesus say. (From Mam, Dad, Leo, Paula, Susie, Caroline.)

#### Acknowledgments

STEPHEN
O'GRADY
70, Springfield,
Dungarvan

We, the O'Grady family, 70 springfield, Dungarvan (formerly of Scart, Ballinamult) would like to thank all those who attended the removal and burial of Stephen and also those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy and floral tributes and those who called personally. We would like to say a special word of thanks to the fol-lowing people: to all the O'Grady and Cliffe families, John and Ann Mc-Grath, their staff at Clonea and Waterford Joinery; Tom Drohan, Funeral Home, Fr. Doherty, Fr. F. Lloyd, Fr. Kennedy, Fr. Pat Butler, Fr. Connolly, Mon. Lannen, Fr. Ahearne, Fr. C. Kelly, Fr. Power, P.P. Dungarvan, Dr. Brady Abbeyside, the Ambulance Service, local Gardai, Friends of the Dungarvan District Hospital, Dunne's Darts Team, Touraneena, all the card-going people of Dungarvan and surrounding areas, Colligan GAA, Tommy Queally, Tommy Dunford, Pat Fitzgerald, John Ryan, Bernie Flynn, and also all our neighbours and friends who rallied around us in our time of sadness. As it would be impossible to reply individually to all we trust that this will be accepted by all in grateful appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your in-

#### MRS. NANCY KILLICK (née Wade) Sussex, England and 3 Lackenfune, Dungarvan

The family of the late Mrs. Nancy Killick (née Wade) would like to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; all those who sent Mass cards, and called personally; to Nancy's kind relatives and friends for attending her Mass at St. Mary's Parish church last october, and to our kind neighbours for calling in to offer sympathy. Trusting this will be accepted by all as a token of appreciation. The holy sacrifice of the Mass has been offered for their intentions.

#### NORA STREET Kilrush Park Dungarvan

The husband, sons, daughters and relatives of the late Nora Street, Kilrush Park, Dungarvan, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent loss; those who attended the funeral obsequies; those who sent Mass cards, letters, cards of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes. A special thank you to the clergy for their words of comfort: to the Matron, nurses and staff of the District Hospital; to Doctors Higgins, Brady and Mahony for their kindness. We are most grateful to our many relatives and friends for all their help. We remember with appreciation organist Claire Maher. The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions.

# Appeal For A Missing Person



RONNIE COX

Businessman, Ronnie

Cox, has been missing from

his home in Foxrock, Co.

Dublin since Saturday,

Mr. Cox is described as

being 58 years old, 5 feet

10 inches in height and ap-

proximately 12 stone in

weight. He has a ruddy

complexion, wispy sandy

red hair and a small mole

When last seen at approxi-

mately 11.30 a.m. on the

morning of Saturday,

November 6, 1993, he was

wearing a shirt, grey v-neck

sweater with dark grey pat-

tern, light grey slacks, navy

nylon jacket with light blue

collar and black laced up

shoes. He wears a gold

signet ring on the second

Mr. Cox is believed to be

suffering from loss of mem-

ory as a result of a recent

finger of his left hand.

on the side of his face.

November 6 last.

illness and his family are extremely concerned for his safety.

Anyone with information

Anyone with information as to his whereabouts are asked to contact the following telephone number:

01-2898141

# Ben O'Neill / "Dungarvan Leader" Colouring Competition

The massive 80 prize Ben O'Neill Colouring Competition is over! The first prize winner of the Super Sega Mega Drive is Ivan Daly, Garrynageragh, Dungarvan.

Runners-up — Sonic 1 —
Alan Hackett, 16 Parklane
Drive, Abbeyside; Sonic 2
— Steven Griffin, Lackenfune, Dungarvan; 3rd prize —
Joy Pad each to: Domhnall
O Murchadha, Cnocán An
Phaoraigh, An Rinn, Nathan
Burke, 7 Kyne Park, Abbeyside and Kevin Murphy,
Rath, Kinsalebeg, Well done

The remaining prize winners will be published next week. Winners are asked to collect their prizes at Ben O'Neill's, O'Connell Street, on Saturday, December 18, at 3 p.m. for photographs.



The W.L.R. FM Lions Club Christmas Hamper Appeal gets under way at 9 a.m. on December 19 when the Appeal's on air auction will be officially kicked-off by the Mayor of Waterford, Martin Cullen on the Tony Weldon show commencing at 9 a.m.

There's a mind-boggling array of items up for grabs with further lots added as the week progresses, who know you might be able to do your Christmas shopping in the comfort of your own home by picking up a few bargains in the on air auction.

Amongst the items already generating a lot of interest are the autographed Roy Keane jersey and the Mayor's piece of

Waterford Crystal.

For those of you who like the odd flutter — watch out for the special VIP day at Leopardstown donated by Ladbrooks, which will enable the purchaser to travel, bets, a bar and food at the meeting on January 8.

In the Dungarvan auction which gets un-

derway on Monday there's plenty of items to watch out for including (courtesy of Seamus Corcoran from Dungarvan) £2 worth of fish a week for a year. Over £200 worth of Cappoquin Chickens Products will also be on offer in addition to some festive hampers, jewellery, hi-fi equipment and vouchers.

On the fundraising front there's a host of activity in the West of the county in the coming week with almost every parish staging a variety or novelty events.

In the Old Borough the festive atmosphere will receive a boost on December 17 when Dungarvan Choral and Dramatic Society venture around the town singing carols from 6 p.m.

There's a fabulous Karaoke Night at the Moorings on the 17th with a fine hamper for the winner, plenty spare ribs will be on offer too! Entry is limited to 15, so exercise your vocal cords quickly and book early to avoid disappointment.

December 18 is one of the busiest days in the West with Dan Dineen's Annual Wellie Walk from Waterford to Dungarvan,

The big event kicks off on Eddie Wymberry's show on W.L.R. FM Saturday morning and watch out for Dan during the afternoon en route to the Old Borough.

The Dungarvan Fire Brigade will also be in action with an all day collection in Grattan Square.

If you're heading out Saturday night there's a traditional session by the Partners with a raffle for 1st prize valuable hamper, 2nd prize of crate of Carling and Budweiser and a 3rd prize of lunch for two in the Seanachie from 9.30 p.m. in the Seanachie. Spare ribs will also be on offer. All proceeds to the Hamper Appeal and watch out for raffles in the Anchor Bar and The Shandon Arms.

Sports people will also be rowing in behind the Appeal and golfers can participate in a 13 Hole Open Fourball for

ladies and gents on Saturday and Sunday at the West Waterford Golf Club. There's a time sheet in operation and for further details ring Pat or Nora at (058) 43216.

On Monday, December 20 there's an 8 hour sponsored swim at the Park Hotel Fitness Centre, with third years from Ard Scoil na Deise involved in their own sponsored swim for the Appeal next Tuesday from 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

It's all happening in Cappoquin next Wednesday, December 22 with the annual Barman's Race getting underway around 1.30 p.m. and if you're peckish on Wednesday why not visit J.R.'s Hamburger Restaurant where there's a hamburger afternoon due to be staged with all proceeds to the Hamper Appeal.

If you'd like to organise an event why not ring Michael or Eddie on the Hamper Appeal Hotline on 051-79888.

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#### BACHELORS IN TROUBLE FOUR LAUNCHED

A packed house (500 people) were present for the launch of Bachelors in Trouble Four at Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan last Thursday night. It started with a Wine and cheese reception. The film is called "The Wedding Cake" and is very good with lovely scenery and music, hopefully it will sell as good as the other three.

It can be got from Megavision, Williams, Dungarvan, Sinnotts, Waterford just to mention a few outlets and Billy Kirwan, Kilmacthomas.

The results of the raffle for the Kidney Association and St. Martins School are as follows - Liam Keating, Kilmacthomas (Doll and Cradle); Painting, Rita O'Donnell, Ballydwan; Christmas Cake, Ann O'Donovan, Aglish. Many thanks to all who bought tickets for this worthy cause. Thanks to sponsors of raffle, Lawlors Hotel. Waterford Foods for the Cheese and all who helped in any way to make the night a success. If you have any problems as to a Christmas present for someone why not give them the Video.

#### BIRTH

Congratulations to Michael and Margaret Kiely, Ballingown on the birth of their baby boy recently.

PARTY

Congratulations to Edmond and Nellie Curran, Grawn on the occasion of their 45th wedding anniver-

sary recently.
SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Fr. Pat Butler, Stradbally on the death of his father Paddy Butler, Cahir, over the week-end. May he rest in peace.

STORM

Widespread damage was caused by the storm last Wednesday night in the area. Trees were knocked, sheds blown down, dwelling houses damaged and a horse the property of Jim Shanahan, Ashtown was killed as a result of it.

The girls from Carriglea were guests of Kilrossanty I.C.A. last Sunday in Crottys Inn. They were treated to a lovely meal, dancing to Gerry Dwyer and Jim Dug-gan and the greatest moment came for them when Santa arrived by Sleigh from the North Pole with lots of presents for the girls. All in all a great day was had by all. Many thanks to all members who made sandwiches etc., Crottys Inn for all their help in making everything run smoothly, Santa for coming and Gerry and Jimmy. The I.C.A. Christmas Party was held last Monday night. A sit down meal was prepared and served by Sandra O'Riordan in the Hall, which was delicious and all enjoyed it. Maura Lennon was our guest, she was presented with a bouquet of flowers for all her help during the year. Many thanks too to Tina O'Riordan, to Liz,

Patricia and Larry for decorating the hall. Everyone enjoyed it and finished the night with a sing song. Liz wished everyone a Happy Christmas and New Year. Our Social will be held on 1st February venue to be decided. Results of the Christmas draw — Turkey, Philomena, c/o Crottys Inn; Ham, Sheila Murphy, Furraleigh and Catherine Ryan, Cutteen; Christmas Cake, Ciara Prendergast, Knockanacullen; Christmas Pudding, Margaret Riordan, Ballintlea; Tin of biscuits, Ciaran Hearne, Lisard. Thanks to all who bought tickets. Raffle winners at our meeting were - Mary Cusack, Carmel Kirwan, Kathy Murphy, Mary Walsh, Breda Crotty, James Walsh, Margaret Riordan, Kay Veale, Ann Phelan. ACCIDENTS

Best wishes to Michael Kirwan, Graiguerush, and Paddy Dee, Leamybrien who were involved in road accidents over the week-

NEW HOUSE

Best wishes to Michael and Jane Walsh, Briskey who are moving into their new house this week-end. May ye both have many years of happiness in it.

CARDS

Winners — Harry Quinn and Robbie Whelan, Nanny Kirwan and Josie Doocey. Best of last five — John Kiely and Tom Casey, Vinny Kirwan and James Power. Raffle — Mike Walsh and Donal Purcell. All takings at next weeks cards will be given out for

Christmas. Jackpot £150 on thirteen games.

LATE BILLY POWER

As stated in last week's issue Billy Power passed to his eternal reward last Saturday week. Billy was a great character, full of life to the end. He always had a good story or joke to tell. His remains were removed to Fews Church followed by a large cortege where the coffin was blessed and received by Fr. O'Brien and his brother Fr. Virgil Power. Requiem Mass was offered by his brother Fr. Virgil. Reading were read by his sons James and Liam. He is survived by his sons, James and Liam, Kealfoun and Nicholas, Ballyshunnock; daughters Bride Doyle, Ferrybank, Joan Murphy, Portarling-ton; brothers David, Carrigbarrahane, Fr. Virgil U.S.A.; sisters Mai, Glen, Sr. Angela and Sr. Eileen U.S.A.; sons-in-law Arthur Doyle, William Murphy, daughters-in-law Catherine, Maureen and Ann; grandchildren and great grandchild. Billy listened to the commentary of the senior county final some weeks ago. May he rest in

> MACRA NOTES

Commac Keating took part in the Beef Stockjudging in Kilmacthomas on Wednesday last. Results are not yet known. Due to weather conditions last Wednesday our meeting was cancelled, but a meeting will be held this Wednesday in 'Comeragh Inn' at 9.00 p.m.

#### Dungarvan Macra Na Feirme News

On Friday, December 10 we had a meeting at which we decided on the play "The Hitch" for the drama competition in January. After this we took part in another progressive 45 drive held by the County Macra in Lawlors Hotel. Again we had success in this as Denis Fitzgerald came first and Mary Barron came second.

On Saturday night the scheduled volleyball was changed to basketball. Well

done to Clonea Macra who proved to be too good for either of our teams.

Our club outing takes us to Waterford on the Saturday before the Christmas weekend. There may still be seats available on the bus and anyone interested should contact Tomas Hogan at 68102 before Thursday.

On behalf of the club I would like to wish everyone a merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

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## WEST WATERFORD NOTES



#### GOVERNING BODY MEMBER

When the new Governing oody of University College Dublin meets in the New Year, Cllr. Patsy Kenneally will be in attendance. At a recent meeting of the General Council of County Councils held in Dublin Cllr. Kenneally was elected to the governing body.

Congratulations Patsy and we wish you a very successful term in your new position.

#### On Friday night last our

On Friday night last our team played Overflow at home in the final game in the tournament for the season. We were very pleased with a draw in this match and our next game will be played in the New Year. More details later.

The Deices Dart club would like to thank everyone in the club and wish all the teams in the surrounding area a very happy Christmas and all the best for the New Year.

Sunday morning tournaments will commence again early in the New Year.

#### KINSALEBEG MACRA NA FEIRME

Due to the bad weather conditions last week our table quiz due to be held on Wednesday night December 8th at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore was cancelled. A new date has been set for the table quiz. It will now be held at the same venue on December 29th. More details next week.

#### **EXAM SUCCESS**

Congratulations to the following Ardmore students who were recently successful in their speech and Drama exams.

Sean O'Neill - Gold Medal; Gillian Murphy -Silver Medal; Aine Fitzgerald - Silver Medal; Katie Mooney - Junior Bronze Medal; Marie O'Neill - Junior Bronze Medal. Continued success to all of you.

#### CLASHMORE TIDY

TOWNS ASSOCIATION
Sale Of Work — The Association would like to say a big thank you to everyone who supported our Sale of Work on Sunday last. We had an excellent turn-out despite the clash with many other events on the day.

Fás Scheme— Humphrey Langford joined Clashmore Tidy Towns on the Fás scheme and he commenced work last Monday. Welcome to the team Humphrey.

to the team Humphrey.

New Years Eve — Ticket bookings are now being taken for our New Years Eve party at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore. A fun filled night is promised.

#### SCHOOL DRAW

Congratulations to the December winners of our nonstop draw at Clashmore National School last week. 1st prize £50, Siobhán O'Rourke; 2nd prize £30, John Hurton; 3rd prize £10, Donie Fitzgerald; Lottery tickets each to: Pat Norris, Pat McKee, Bernie O'Rourke, Patricia Fitzgerald, Hughie McGrath, Teresa Joyce, David Gavin, Anne Walsh, Seamie Coyne, Paddy Roche.

#### PARISH LEAGUE

The annual parish league which was due to commence last week has been postponed until the Sunday after Christmas. This date is to be confirmed and more details will be given later. This is the boys Under 13 Football league.

#### **ATHLETICS**

On Sunday last all enjoyed the fantastic performance of our local West Waterford hero John Treacy in Senior Men's 10,000 m at the National Cross Country finals in Dungarvan. Thanks to the sponsorship of Waterford Foods John Treacy was flown home especially for this occasion. John won his seventh national title last Sunday much to the delight of the crowd. It was fantastic to see John cross the finish line on his home ground. Well done, we are proud of your achievements John.

#### RING/OLD PARISH

#### A.C. CLUB

Christmas Party — All our members in the Ring/Old Parish athletic club are invited to the Annual Christmas Party at Old Parish Hall on this Friday night December 17th. Kieran Allen will provide some of the best sounds in Discomusic and there will be goodies for all.

Munster "B" Championships — Good luck to all our local athletes taking part in the Munster "B" cross country championships in Limerick on this Sunday December 18th.

Local Draw Winners —
Congratulations to last weeks winners in the athletic club non stop draw —
John Cliffe, Ballycumpane; Mary O'Callaghan, Ardmore; Lorraine Hennessy, The Grove, Ardmore; Evelyn Collins, c/o Angela Collins, Ardsallagh and Bernie Morrell, Ardmore.

#### A.C.T.

Clashmore Branch of A.C.T. will hold their annual Flag day in Waterford City on this Friday December 17th from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Anyone wishing to collect should contact John Trihy now. All proceeds of the collection go in full to A.C.T. at Cork Regional Hospital.

#### ART PRIZE WINNER

Eric Trihy, Coolbagh, Clashmore, a very talented young artist showing lots of promise continues to enjoy success in competitions having recently won 2nd prize

1st prize £50, Siobhán in the Youghal Credit Union annual art competitions. Congratulations Eric and continued success to you.

#### THE LATE RICH BARRY

The entire West Waterford community were shocked and saddened to hear of the unexpected death of one of the most popular members of the community Rich Barry, Ardsallagh, Clashmore. Rich's death occurred on December 1st. His remains were taken to Clashmore Church from Egan's Funeral Home on Thursday evening and following Requiem Mass on Friday morning burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

Rich Barry was a man loved by everyone. An electrician by trade, Rich began his career by repairing and fixing clocks and watches and as new electrical appliances, water pumps and televisions came on the market Rich branched out into the repairing of them. He was a man of exceptional talent and skill. Had the education and training skills of today been available to Rich in his youth he could have attained any position he wished in the field of electronics.

Rich Barry was a man with a heart of gold. He derived great joy and satisfaction in helping others. He enjoyed his work and he never wished to become rich at the expense of others.

Rich never allowed the problems of life to get him down. Despite the death of his wife Bridget at a young age he with the help of his mother brought up three young children and he was very proud of all three of them. Some years ago when all tradesmen were required to have papers before working on any job, Rich, unlike his mates, did the necessary courses and got his certs. Having also suffered serious illness some years ago Rich bounced back and enjoyed life to the full right to the time of his death. He will be greatly missed by everyone, especially his daughter Anglea O'Neill, his sons Kevin (Gortroe) and Jerry (England), his sister and grandchildren, his son-in-law and daughters-in-law, his neighbours and many friends especially Johnny Hogan. Our deepest sympathy to all of you.

#### PONY CLUB

Our West Waterford Hunt Christmas Holiday Timetable for our members is as follows, and all events are free of charge to club members.

Christmas Party — On December 18th Ester and James Curran, Ballylangdon, Grange have invited us to their home for an unmounted Christmas party from 7.30 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Mounted Christmas Party — On December 30th John and Louise Moloney have invited us to Colligan Equestrian Centre, Dungarvan for a mounted Christmas Party on December 18th to help chose the team members.

Villierstown Ride — On January 4th all our members will take part in a ride at Marie and Pat Duffy's, Ballynacourty House, Villierstown from 1.00-3.00

Childrens Meet — All our members are invited notto a childrens meet in Old Parish on January 5th by Dungarvan Harriers. The meet at 12 noon will have a cap of £2.

Hunter Trail — Anyone wishing to take part in the Waterford Hunter Trail on January 5th should contact competition secretary Ester Curran at (024) 94242.

A.G.M. — Our A.G.M. took place at the Park Hotel, Dungarvan, on Monday 22nd November. The following were elected for 93/94. District Commissioner: Alison Trigg; Treasurer: Primrose Sandes; Secretary: Susie Wingfield; Competitions Secretary: Ester Curran; Competitions Trainer: Laura Griffith.

Committee — Sal Perceval Maxwell, Johnny Cashman, Marie Power, Sinead Dahill, Henry Beresford, Mary and Debra Beresford, Tom Kenneally, Jenny Sweeney, John Colbert, Marie Duffy, Jean Walsh.

#### CLASHMORE-KINSALEBEG G.A.A. CLUB

45 Drive Results — Joint second prize winners in our Monday night 45 drive last week were Paddy Lynch and Maura McGrath, Jack Douris and Willie Ronayne, Brian Walsh and Declan Foley with Brian Foley and John Cliffe winning last game.

A.G.M. — Getting the New Year off the ground will be the following officers elected at the A.G.M. of Clashmore-Kinsalebeg G.A.A. club on Saturday night last at the club house.

President: Joseph O'Keeffe; Vice Presidents: Very Rev. Maurice O'Gorman, P.P., and Very Rev. Gerald O'Connor; Chairman: Dan Leahy; Vice Chairman: Roger Hynes; Secretary: Noel Nugent: Ass. Secretary: Billy O'Halloran; P.R.O.: Billy O'Halloran; Membership Officer: Michael Hynes.

Committee — Mick O'Neill, Fr. Maurice O'Gorman, Billy Allen, Martin Lynch, Liam Curran.

The position of Treasurer will be filled at our next meeting.

#### SENIOR CITIZENS PARTY

The Clashmore-Piltown Parish Senior Citizens Christmas Party will be held on Sunday 19th December 1993, in Paddy Mac's, Ardmore (formerly Gallaghers) at 2.15 p.m. All senior citizens are welcome.

Entertainment will be by the Decie Sound and it is hoped that as many as possible will join in the evening to be with our Senior Citizens.

It is hoped that all the usual helpers will come along at 12.30 p.m.

Collection at all Masses next week-end to cover the costs.

#### FOROIGE

All Forogie groups meet this Friday (17th) at 8 p.m. as follows.

Piltown group in Piltown Hall, Clashmore Senior Group in Clashmore Hall, Clashmore junior group at Fr. O'Connor's. All members asked to attend.

Foroige Disco on Wednesday December 22nd in Clashmore Hall from 9.00 p.m. until 11.30 p.m.

#### RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Reconciliation Service for Christmas on Tuesday 21st December in Clashmore Church at 7.30 p.m. Five priests will be available for confession.

#### Dungarvan Crystal Sports And Leisure Club Notes

#### SQUASH

T.S.B. Blitz Tournament

— Last week-end we staged our T.S.B. Blitz and while the number entered was down on last year the tournament provided us with some great games and the final itself was a very exciting affair with overall victory in doubt right to the finish before P. J. Murphys team claimed victory.

The Final — Joe O'Brien v. P. J. Murphy

At No. 1 P. J. had to call on all his reserves to get the better of Joe to come home by 30 pts. to 23 pts. At No. 3 Paul Veale played his part in a great team performance in getting the better of Paul Keane by 30 pts. to 21 pts. And so it was down to the No. 2 with John Reynolds needing just 15 pts. for team victory. Tom took the first set 15 pts. to 10 pts. but at 6/5 in the second vic-

tory was conceded to John and his team on a scoreline of 75 pts. to 65 pts. CHILDRENS

#### CHRISTMAS PARTY A GREAT SUCCESS

We held our first Christmas Party on Saturday last and from the comments of all who turned up we have found a new home in the Dungarvan Soccer Clubhouse. We had almost 250 children at the party and the atmosphere was fantastic. A special word of praise for our D. J. Ml. Wright who was in great form and also "The Golden Girls" Jean and Elizabeth who stole the show with their own version of the Moon Dance. I also would like to thank all who helped out during the day and especially to Dixie, John and Michael at the Soccer club for all your support. More next week -THE DOYLER



#### HARBOUR BRIDGE CLUB

Results, November 25—
1, Ben Conway and Pauline
Lenihan; 2, Nellie Moloney
and Alice Butler; 3, Mai
Mernin and Maureen Ryan.
Results, December 2—jt.

1, Margaret Foley and Breda O'Regan, Pauline Enright and guest; 2, Margaret Curran and Alice Butler; 3, Chrissie McCarthy and Joan Colbert; 4, Kitty Greaney and Margaret Dower.

Results of Christmas Party
— 1, Breda McCarthy and
Anna McGuinness; 2, Alice
Butler and Pat Murray; 3,
Mai Mernin and Margaret
Dower; 4, Mary O'Dea and
Rita O'Mahony; 5, Kitty
Greaney and Ann Steam; 6,
Chrissie McCarthy and Brid
Culloo.

#### COMERAGH BRIDGE CLUB

Results for Monday, November 29 — 1, Kathleen Browne and Pauline Desmond; 2, Pauline Enright and Helen O'Dwyer; 3, Sheila Lane and Marie

O'Donnell and Ph 5, Margaret Foley die McHugh; 6, Ma and Bernie Murph Benny Moloney, Frost, Mai Feehan.

Fahey; 4, Kitty Power and Ann Fitzgerald.

Results for December 6—

1, Kathleen Browne and Joan Ronayne; 2, Margaret R. Clancy and Pauline Enright; 3, Alice Power and Ben Conway; 4, Breda Wall and Morgan Hayes.

Pesults for Turkey Company 1, 1985 (1985)

Results for Turkey Competition held on December 13 — 1, Gemma Hickey and Alice Power; 2, Chrissie McCarthy and Margaret Cashin; 3, Anne Veale and Ella Whelan; 4, Margaret Clancy and Marie Fahey; 5, Una Drennan and Breda Wall.

ABBEY BRIDGE CLUB Christmas Party held on December 7 — 1, Anna Moloney and Jim Prendergast; 2, Sheila Veale and Mary Fenton; 3, Máire Brennock and Peggy Kingston; 4, Margaret O'Donnell and Phil Barry; 5, Margaret Foley and Bridie McHugh; 6, Mary Kiely and Bernie Murphy; raffle, Benny Moloney, Eileen

#### STRADBALLY NOTES

CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE

Stradbally United Parishes are having their Christmas Carol Service on Sunday, December 19, at 7 p.m. in the Holy Cross Church.

RECONCILIATION SERVICE

Reconciliation Service will be held in Ballylaneen Church on Monday, December 20, at 7.30 p.m. and in the Holy Cross Church, Stradbally on Tuesday, December 21 at 7.30.

SCOUTS

The scouts annual draw will take place in the Barron Hall on Sunday, December 19, after 11 a.m. Mass. They will also have a cake sale and Santa will be there to greet all the young children in the parish.

**BIRTHDAY GREETINGS** 

Many happy returns to Maria Power, Carrigbarahane, who celebrated her 19th birthday this week. Also congratulations on winning the Ladies Pool Tournament in the Cove Bar last Friday night.

STRADBALLY SUPPORTERS CLUB

Stradbally Supporters Club are holding a meeting in the Cove Bar on Monday, December 20, at 9.30 p.m. Many thanks to the Whelan family, Georgie Crowley, Matty Reilly and Tomás Clancy and all who supported us last Friday night.

SAINTS OUTCLASSED

Congratulations to our local golfers John and Mick who outclassed their opponents Peter and Paul to emerge worthy winners of a much-coveted prize in a local golf tournament last Saturday in Clonea. John, a local greyhound owner, has named his new dog "Saints Outclassed" in honour of the memorable occasion.

SINCERE SYMPATHY

Sincere sympathy to Fr. Pat Butler, C.C., Stradbally, on the death of his father Patrick who died last weekend. May he rest in peace.

LATE JOHNNY AND EDDIE QUINLAN

Sincere sympathy to the families, relatives and friends of the late Johnny Quinlan, Island, Stradbally, and his brother Eddie Quinlan, Killelton, Stradbally, which sad events occurred last Sunday. Johnny's funeral took place on Monday evening to Stradbally Church and he was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery after 11 a.m. Mass on Tuesday morning.

Eddie's funeral took place on Tuesday evening to Stradbally Church and he was laid to rest in the adjoining cemetery after 11 a.m. Mass on Wednesday morning. May they both rest in peace.

STRADBALLY SOCCER NOTES
Stradbally 7, Kilbarry 2

In very blustery conditions on Sunday afternoon last we recorded our most convincing victory todate against a gallant and sporting Kilbarry side.

We played with the wind in the first half but found it hard to break the Kilbarry defence who used the offside trap to

perfection in the early stages.

Manager (for the day) Martin Curran then made the match winning move when he introduced Sweeney (late as usual) to midfield after 20 minutes. The effect was instant as Sweeney's added bite in midfield allowed Fintan to move forward from defence onto a great through-ball from Pablo and he calmly struck home from close range. Our second came when Barnes and Halpin combined well for the latter to fire home past the advancing keeper. Our third goal was vintage Barnes as he used pace and skill to weave his way through the Kilbarry defence before giving the keeper no chance with the sweetest of curlers from the edge of the box.

Kilbarry, with the wind to their backs in the second half, were now putting our defence under strong pressure and grew in confidence after ten minutes when Packo headed past a bewildered Costello. Shortly after it was 3-2 when another Kilbarry cross ended in similar fashion, this time giv-

ing Cosie no chance.

Thankfully we began to gain control in the midfield again with Garvan and Eoin coming more into the game and Alan Curran opened our second half account after being put in by Cusack. Garvan, who was now flying on the wing, set up Packo for the fifth (his hat-trick), Alan Curran provided the sixth from the penalty spot and the same player completed his hat-trick when Mike O'Brien unselfishly set him up in the closing stages.

Special thanks to Raymond who recorded the game with Martin giving an enlightened commentary on the second half.

Team — Costello, Pablo, Packo, Fintan, Barnes, Cummins, Eoin, Halpin, Curran, Kiely, Cusack. Res., Sweeney, Mag-

FIXTURE

We play Johnville on Saturday, December 18 at 2.30 p.m. As this is our last outing before Christmas, the team coach will be on the road departing the Village at 1.30 p.m. Anyone interested in coming along should sign up in the Cove Bar before Friday.

CHRISTMAS DAY SWIM

This year our swim is again in aid of the Carriglea Training Centre and while our usual band of loyal participants are busy collecting sponsorship at the moment, it would be nice to see a few new faces taking part this year. Sponsorship cards are still available from Pat Cusack, Pat Halpin, or the Cove Bar.

# Bord Pleanala Hear Marathon 9-Hour Oral

**Appeal** 

The vexed and controversial proposal of Cork Communications Ltd. to erect a 25 feet high microwave transmitter and ancillary buildings on an historic location known locally as Seefin on the Comeragh Mountains, was the subject of a marathon nine-hour oral hearing conducted by An Bord Pleanala at a packed Dungarvan Court House last Thursday.

The hearing, which was presided over by Mr. Michael Walsh of Bord Pleanala, began at 10 a.m. and only finally concluded at 8.30 p.m. after two periods of recess.

Waterford County Council, through a decision of the County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley, granted planning permission — with a number of conditions attached — to Cork Communications to erect the transmitter and ancillary buildings at Seefin — reportedly the seat of the mythical Irish legend Fionn McCumhail.

The most vigorous opponents of the proposal, the Comeragh Environmental Protection Association (CEPA), the Comeragh Mountaineering Club, the Office of Public Works, and others brought that decision before An Bord Pleanala by way of appeal.

As a consequence, the Bord decided on last Thursday's oral hearing.

Officially represented at the hearing were the Comeragh Environmental Protection Association and its legal adviser Mr. Joseph P. Gordon, Solr., the Comeragh Mountaineering Club, and the Waterford Branch of An Taisce.

The Office of Public Works was not represented but did send an apology for its inability to be present.

Cork Communications Ltd. was legally represented by Mr. Jerry Healy, B.L. (instructed by J. W. O'Donovan, Solrs.)

There was a veritable maze of submissions made to the hearing which was not without its moments of acrimony.

The CEPA case, in particular, against the Cork Communications proposal was as detailed as it was meticulously prepared and presented, although both representatives of the Comeragh Mountaineering Club also presented very detailed submissions.

Internationally renowned balladeer Liam Clancy of the famous Clancy Brothers, was one of those to make a submission on behalf of CEPA, and he told the hearing that the plans by Cork Communications Ltd.

to erect the transmitter on the Comeragh Mountains amounted to official environmental terrorism.

At one stage during the hearing, Mr. William Connors on behalf of the Comeragh Environmental Protection Association, handed in 2800 signatures of people opposed to the transmitter.

Liam Clancy also told the hearing of the "intense anger" felt by the local people over the proposed erection of the transmitter, not just because they believed it would be a positive health hazard but because of the visual destruction it would bring to a mountain that is of such importance to the entire county Waterford.

Mr. Clancy urged Bord Pleanala to take seriously on board the "stupidity and futility" of pursuing the company's proposed course of action which is for the enrichment of a small number of people. "I find the whole thing very sinister," he added.

It took five hours to hear all the submissions of those opposing the erection of the transmitter and during that time the presiding inspector, Mr. Walsh, listened to the most scathing criticism of Cork Communications and of the original Waterford County Council decision to give the development the planning go-ahead.

The company was accused of selecting the most "insensitive and ill-chosen site" possible for the erection of the transmitter, while the hearing was told that "the scale of Cork Communications unauthorised activities is simply astounding."

While the eventual decision to grant planning permission was given by the Waterford County Manager, Mr. Dan Hurley, the Council's own Chief Planning Officer, Mr. James Shine, told the hearing that his recommendation to the Planning Dept. had been that planning permission should not be granted.

"I considered that the Cork Communications proposal would be a material and serious contravention of the County Development Plan," said Mr. Shine.

The hearing was told that the County Engineer, Mr. John O'Flynn, was also opposed to the development.

When all the submissions opposing the company's proposal to erect the transmitter had been heard, Mr. Jerry Healy, BL (instructed by J. W. O'Donovan, Solrs.) for Cork Communications launched a blistering attack on what he described as "the prejudicial, insulting and wholly irrelevant evidence" that had been tendered.

Mr. Healy referred to "the downright sweeping attacks" on Cork Communications which had been launched without a shred of evidence to back them up.

The first submission to the hearing was given by Mr. Eamonn Griffin, Secretary of the Waterford Branch of An Taisce

Taisce.

In the last of eight specific points, he said An Taisce was concerned that the effects of microwave radiation from the proposed development on the public at large was not sufficiently well known to allow it to proceed.

Mr. Michael Murphy, Chairman of the Comeragh **Environmental Protection** Association, in a very detailed submission, spoke of the absence of planning consent being "no barrier" whatsoever to Cork Communications. "Yet the same company has taken many injunctions against other people to stop them transmitting on the evidence that they weren't licensed."
Mr. Murphy said Cork

Mr. Murphy said Cork Communications had advanced no compelling argument in favour of the Seefin location on the Comeraghs for their proposed develop-

ment.

He spoke of the Waterford County Manager's decision in granting planning permission to the company as "flying in the face of his own engineers, and at that time some 1400 objectors from all over the county."

"How then did the County

"How then did the County Manager make such a horrendous and monstrous decision," Mr. Murphy asked.

Other detailed submissions against the Cork Communications proposal were tendered by Mr. Scot Simons, Mr. Michael McGrath, Mr. John Miller, a member of the Carrigaline-based South Coast Community TV, Mr. Mark Chapman, Mr. Tony Harrington, Mr. Sean Murphy and Professor Louis Gleeson, a doctor of medicine and philosophy.

Further submissions were also made on behalf of the Comeragh Mountaineering Club by its Chairman Mr. Joe Power and Mr. Declan McGrath, a qualified environmental scientist.

Professor Gleeson claimed that investigations seemed to show that humans central nervous systems are most vulnerable from radiation emissions.

"There is radiation now from everything, and the question is — how much more can we take before we go off our rockers," he said.

Professor Gleeson said MMDS should be fully researched before people are subjected to it. He added that Cork Communications must undertake "appropriate research" so as to be able to guarantee a clean bill of health before pursuing with

any MMDS system.

Before going into evidence on behalf of the company, Mr. Healy, BL. stressed that Cork Communications did not intend to engage in MMDS broadcasting on the Comeraghs at Seefin. Rather would the transmitter be used to transmit stations from Keepers Hill in Northern Ireland to its mast near Cork Airport.

This was confirmed by Mr. John Moran, Cork Communications co-ordinating officer, who told the hearing that they have no immediate plans for MMDS broadcasting from Seefin. He added that it was company policy to continually improve the quality

of its service.

Mr. Moran said that through the Seefin transmitter they intended to bring BBC1 (Northern Ireland), BBC2, Ulster Television and Channel 4 into Cork. They had had no complaints from Bord Failte about their proposed development that he was aware of.

Regarding the health aspect, Mr. Moran said the company had commissioned a study of the effects of such a transmission link and this had been undertaken by Tel-Tech, which is part of the Eolas organisation at UCC.

Mr. Aidan Murphy of Tel-Tech, said the radiation level from the Seefin transmitter would be considerably lower than required under the most rigorous international stan-

dards.

Mr. Michael Grace, BA,
MSc., of Brady, Martin,
Shipman, Landscape Architects, said that while the area
of Seefin is one of high
amenity, he did not believe
the Cork Communications
transmitter would obstruct
any view.

"The transmitter," he said, "would be only 7.8 metres in height and would have a very minor visual impact, while the impact would be reduced still further if the ancillary building is below ground level."

Mr. Grace repeated that he believed that overall the impact of the development would be minimal and would certainly not be sufficient to refuse the company's planning application.

The hearing concluded with trenchant final "summing up" by Mr. Healy, BL, on behalf of Cork Communications, by Mr. Gordon Solr. for CEPA. and by Mr. Power for the Comeragh Mountaineering Club.

The inspector, Mr. Walsh, thanked all sides for their presentations at what he said had been a full and frank hearing, while Mr. Gorden responded by thanking Mr. Walsh for the courteous and considerate way he had treated everyone involved.

The decision from Bord Pleanala will be given in due course.

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BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY CENTRE The monthly Council Meeting was held in the Hall on Monday 13th December at 8 p.m. This year's Senior Citizens Party will be held in the Hall on Sunday 19th December at 1 p.m. Preparation for this event will take place on Saturday night after Mass or anytime from 12 o'clock onwards on Sunday.

Just another topic discussed was that the contract with Tom Hegarty to put heating into the Library will go ahead in the New Year.

A vote of sympathy was passed to the Flynn family. Next Community Council Meeting on January 13.



TRUDI LALOR who will front the Louise Morrissey Band at the Cat's Bar. Melleray on this Saturday, December 18.

**CARD RESULTS** 

Results — 1st, Dan Howard and Finola Heinz;

2nd, Joe and Cissie Power;

3rd, Jim Russell and Brian

Ahearn; 4th, Bertie Neville

and Mary Willoughby. Last

5 — Pad Walsh and Pa Geoghegan. Lucky tables —

Mary O'Neill and Joe

Shear, Esther Walsh and

Kathy Hyland. Raffle -

James Hyland, Pad Lineen,

Tom O'Brien, Mary Casey. SENIOR CITIZENS

PARTY

On Sunday last the senior citizens of the area were

treated to their annual feed

up at the Ballyvera. As

usual it was a very lively

and very enjoyable after-

noon with lots of eats,

drinks and song and dance.

At the end of the evening,

all were loud in their praise

for the local G.A.A. club

and the dedicated individu-

als who organise this event

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Results December 8th — 1st, Ml. Leamy; 2nd, Kit Scanlon and E. Byrne; Joint 3rd, Bill and Bridie Flanagan, Davy Feeney and Joe Shea, Ml. Tobin and Joan Hannon. Lucky tables — P. Walsh and Mary Whelan, Lar Sheridan and Willie Whelan. Raffle - 1st, Mary Whelan; 2nd, M. Higgins; 3rd, Hugh Geary; 4th, Maud Sheehan.

**CREDIT UNION** NOTES

The Ballyduff Sub Office of Tallow Area Credit Union will be closed on December 25th and January

Business will resume on January 8th. We wish all our members a holy and happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

BALLYDUFF BALLYSAGGART **COMHALTAS NOTES** 

Scor - Best of luck to the Set Dancers who qualified for the Western Final of Scór na n-Óg on Saturday night last in Dungarvan.

The final will be held on Saturday night December 18th at 7 p.m.

A Christmas Party will be held on this Thursday night in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff at 8.30 p.m. All dancers and musicians wel-

**BALLYDUFF MACRA** Well done lads! Surely the highlight recently was Macra Capers. On Sunday

night, December 4, the club headed for Littelton to represent the county in the Macra Capers competition. There were four teams taking part with Ballyduff on third. Although each and everyone of the cast did their best, it just was not good enough to beat Ballygarrie, Co. Limerick, who go forward to the All-Ireland final in Co. Sligo on December 18.

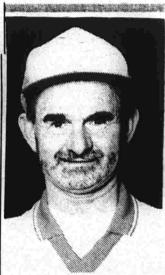
Thanks to Seamus Cunningham and Gobnait Ahern for producing the show and thanks to the rest of the cast for all their time and hard work and, don't worry, there is always next year!

RAFFLE

At the moment every Macra member is selling raffle tickets to raise money for the club. The prizes are kindly sponsored by Toss O'Brien, Fermoy and Pat Flynn Hardware, Ballyduff. The tickets are going like hot buns so if you see a Macra member, stop him or her and ask for a book.

NO JOY FOR **DEBATERS** 

On Saturday night last our senior debating team went to Cashel to take part in the second round of the competition. They were against Kilmallock who are a very strong team and have dominated this competition for



DAN DINEEN, Clonse, who will run from Waterford to Dungarvan, on Saturday next, Dec. 18 for the Lions Club/WLR Christmas Hamper Appeal. Your support would be appreciated.

Silver Pins were — Liam Prendergast and Billy Byrne. Full Pin — Honour John Bennett and Padraig

Afterward in the local Community Centre refreshments were served and Paddy Greenslade provided enjoyable night.

A special word of thanks to those in the local Centre, who helped out on the

Our annual childrens Christmas party takes place on Sunday, December 19 in the local Community Centre, commencing at 3 p.m. Santa Claus will attend and meet all the little boys and girls. So come along to what promises to be a great Dungaryan Musical **And Choral** 

We the members of D.M.C.S. would like to wish everyone a very peaceful Christmas. Following rehearsal this Wednesday we will disband for the duration of the festive season. We will be staging our Annual Concert on 22nd January. Watch this space for further details.

We are once again contributing to the Lions Club Fund Appeal by Carol Singing this Friday. We begin at 7.00 p.m. outside V. Morrissey meats. All are welcome.

the last few years. At the end of the night however we were just pipped.

Our camera man was there with the camcorder so if anyone is interested in seeing it contact Pat at 058/56373.

CARPENTRY

There will be carpentry on Wednesday night at 8 p.m. All involved please come and keep up the pressure.

There will be soccer next Friday night in Conna Complex at 10 p.m. The captains of the teams involved will be notified.

MEETING

There will be a meeting next Friday night at 8 p.m. This is a very important meeting in which there is a a lot to discuss. The raffle tickets are selling very well, so if you have not already bought one, ask any Macra member and I'm sure they'll do the business.
CONGRATULATIONS

I would like to congratulate Michael Leamy and Mary Quirke who recently announced their engagement. And also congratulations to Pat Kenny who won the 45 drive in Dungarvan last Friday night. - PRO.

CONTRACTOR OF STREET

Dungarvan C.B.S. Do Well In **All-Ireland** Cross Country

The All-Ireland C.B.S. Cross Country championships were held in Santry, Dublin recently and the local school were well represented in all races. Pride of place goes to young Clive Crotty who, although he is a newcomer to the sport, finished a magnificent seventh in the Boys U-13 1/2 championship. This underlines his running potential and he should now go from strength to strength. The local C.B.S. did very

well to win the bronze medals in the U-15 race and the U-20 race and great credit is due to Pat Collins for his efforts to promote the sport in the school.

Results
Boys U-13 1/2 — Clive Crotty 7th.

Boys U-14 - Michael Power 57th.

Boys U-15 - Richard Halpin 16th; David Shepherd 23rd; Jason O'Mahoney 24th; Michéal Power 25th; Paul Radley 38th; Sean Hickey 42nd; Jimmy Cullinan 61st; Thomas Scanlan 70th; Ronan Mc-Carthy 73rd; Richard Fitzgerald 83rd.

Boys U-17 James Fletcher 31st; Mark Cliffe 54th.

Boys U-20 — Jamie Costin 14th; Richard Finnegan 20th; Michael Brett 25th; Edwin Power 31st; Darren Healy 39th.

# Geraldines G.A.A. Notes

ANNUAL MASS The Annual Mass for deceased and living members of Geraldines Hurling and Football Club was celebrated in the Church of the Assumption, Aglish on Monday night, December 6, by our patron and committee member, Fr. Finbarr Lucey, P.P. The Lesson was read by William Downing and the Mass was served by Eamonn Mernin and Raymond Con-

44th ANNUAL GENER-AL MEETING

Immediately after Mass our 44th annual general meeting took place in Geraldines GAA/St. Mary's Hall. A big attendance was present at both the Mass and meeting. The outgoing Chairman, P. J. Connery welcomed all pre-sent. He thanked everyone who helped in any way with the club during the past year. Even though we didn't win any trophies there was a big improvement in winning games last year.

The Secretary's (Michael Broderick) and Treasurer's (Johnny O'Brien) reports were both read and adopted. We had two excellent reports from Michael and Johnny.

The election of officers for the coming year then took place. The outgoing Chairman, Vice-Chairman and Secretary did not seek reelection. The new committee are: Patron, Fr. Finbarr Lucey, P.P.; President, Tom "Stylo" Riordan; Vice-Presidents, James Hallahan, Tom O'Connell, Johnny Longan (Senior), Bill Downing; Chairman, Paddy Kenneally, MCC, PC; Vice-Chairman, P. J. Connery; Secretary, Pat O'Brien; Asst. Secretary, Daithi O'Brien; Treasurer, Johnny O'Brien; Asst. Treasurer, Tony Morrissey (Western Board Treasurer); Membership Secretary, Michael (Feeney) Mernin; PRO, Bill Downing. Committee: Fr. Lucey, Brendan O'Connell, Laurence (Lowrey) Maher, Tom "Stylo" Riordan, Johnny Longan (Snr.). Delegates to County and Western Board meetings — Paddy Kenneal-ly and Eddie O'Grady.

Captains for 1994 — Intermediate Football, Eddie O'Grady (captain), Laurence (Lowrey) Maher (Vice-Captain); Junior Hurling, Billy O'Connell (Capt.), Daithi O'Brien (Vice-Capt.)

The picking of selectors was deferred to a meeting on January 10, 1994. The outgoing chairman P. J. Connery was chairman for seven years altogether. The outgoing vice-chairman Bill Downing served for four years, while the outgoing secretary Michael Broderick was secretary for one year. He stepped down because he is working away from home.

Our first priority is to go all out and win a championship in the coming season (1994). PROGRESSIVE 45

CARD DRIVE Our annual progressive 45 card drive will be held in **Aglish Community Centre** on Christmas night, December 25, starting at 8 p.m. sharp. We would ask all to be in the centre early to get on with the drive.

**CONWAY CUP VISITS GERALDINES COUN-**

We are delighted to announce that on the evening of the county senior football final, county champions, The Nire, brought the Conway Cup into Kereen Bar which is situated in the heart of Geraldines country a gesture welcomed by all. It is now exactly seventy years since our parish won the Waterford senior football championship.

HAPPY CHRISTMAS AND PROSPEROUS **NEW YEAR** 

We, the Geraldines Hurling and Football Club wish all our supporters and friends a very happy Christmas and a prosperous new year.
NEW SECRETARY

Our new secretary is Pat O'Brien and his full address is Ballingown, Villierstown, Cappoquin, Co. Waterford. FIELD COMMITTEE

**FOR 1994** Our field Committee for

1994 is - Tony Morrissey, Malachy Twohig, Brian Con-nery, Kevin Cotter, Billy O'Connell, Jimmy Downing, Laurence (Lowrey) Maher, Johnny Longan (Snr.), Bill Downing, Johnny O'Connell, Michael Cullinan, Thomas Cullinan, Anthony Morrissey. All above will look after the field for the coming season. - PRO.

# Western Scór Na nOg

The first two round of Scor took place last Friday and Saturday nights. The Western final will be held on Saturday next, December 18 at the Mercy Hall, Dungarvan at 7 p.m. sharp. The following clubs qualified for the Western final:

Rince Foirne - Stradbally (H), Naomh Mhuire, Stradbally (F) and Modeli-

Amhranaíocht Aonair — Baile Na Cuirte, Stradbally, Abbeyside and Sliabh gCua.

Ceol Uirlise - Naomh Mhuire, Naomh Brid, Ballyduff, Stradbally.

Nuachleas — Baile Na Cuirte.

Trath Na gCeisteanna -St. Olivers, Stradbally (H), Baile Na Cuirte, Stradbally

Aithriseoireacht - Baile Na Cuirte, St. Olivers and Abbeyside.

Ghrupa -Bailead Abbeyside.

Rinnce Set - Naomh Mhuire, Naomh Brid, Sliabh gCua and Ballyduff.

#### annually. COUNTY DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The December draw in the Deise Development Draw takes place on Thursday night December 23rd. Promoters are requested to have monies due in with Breda Clancy by this weekend

BALLYSAGGART P.T.A.A. NOTES On Friday, December 3

NOTES the presenting of the Golden Jubilarian and Silver Pins took place during Mass, which was celebrated by Fr. Ryan. This was indeed a great night as 18 members received there Golden Pins, these were — Paddy and Kitty Fennessy, Patrick and Matty Devine, Nellie Brackett, John Bennett, Eily Moore, Ann Troy, Thomas Heaphy, Michael O'Neill, Patrick Bennett. John Joe Troy, Willie Geoghegan, Pat Dunne, John Kennefick, John Fennessy, Tom and Margaret Byrne.

Meagher. Probation Pins -

the music, all in all a very

night.

# JOHN TREACY'S CHRISTMA TREAT

# THLETICS RACE LEADER

The first line in the Gospel for last Sunday's Mass read "A man came, sent by God, his name was John". Put that into context into last Sunday's Cross Country Carnival at St. Augustine's College, Abbeyside and the next line would surely be, "His second name was Treacy and he was given unto Villierstown and to Waterford".

God send, for the sporting two thousand who spread themselves around the Friary field last Sunday as they witnessed the Olympic Silver medalist's second coming when he won the Buckler National Senior Inter-Counties Cross Country championship after an eleven year absence, he having won the event in Kilbar-Waterford back in December 1982.

SEVENTH TITLE

The Villierstown runner, whose trip home across the Atlantic was sponsored by Waterford Foods, Yoplait Division, was chasing his seventh title last Sunday but in truth it was the rest of the runners in the two hundred man field who were doing the chasing as the thirty six year old Treacy showed his hand from an early stage. He forced the pace with Galway runner Richard Mulligan and after one of the five two thousand metres laps they were clear of the pack.

By the three thousand metres point the New Balance athlete had gone clear and after two laps he held down a ten second lead. From then on it was a typical Treacy run, the gap widened, the crowd responded and it was both a trip down memory lane and a lesson on the road of reality, that being, that John Treacy can still produce the goods. After three laps the

John Treacy was indeed a (Clare), who had taken up and eventually finished second place, was nineteen seconds. At the bell, the out on his own Treacy was thirty seconds clear and after coming down the deafening finishing tunnel the Waterford winner held a thirty four second advantage.

SPECIAL OCCASION For the many people present John Treacy's appearance and performance was indeed a special occasion. Waterford people a plenty crossed their sporting loyalties to pay tribute to Ireland's greatest distance runner ever. After the race a contented Treacy said "I received a tremendous response around the course". Any why not? Home is the hero. Ní bheidh a leithéid ann arís.

TO THE DAY

Twenty two years ago to the day John Treacy won his first All-Ireland Cross Country championship at Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow when he won the U-15 3,000 metres title. After last Sunday's performance nobody can confidently say that the scenario is complete, that this latest victory is his last Irish title. In the meantime last Sunday's win was a real seasonal Treacy treat and one which will be talked about for a long time to come.

WATERFORD FOURTH

The Waterford Foods County team repeated their fourth position of last year and each member of the

A jubilant John Treacy approaches the finish line for his seventh All-ireland Cross Country title team gave of his all to achieve that placing. Jimmy Mulligan held his position well throughout the whole race to come home in twelfth place. Seán Foley was next across the line and he was followed by Kieran Maher, team manager. Liam O'Reilly, Jim McHugh, Derek Tebay, Tom Burns and Michael Nugent. Though not in the medals, Waterford importantly re-tained their Division 'A' status and now is the time for everyone to organise

tempt next year.
THE QUEEN OF COUNTRY

their running for another at-

Male/Female or John Treacy/Caitriona McKiernan. The performance of Cavan girl Caitríona McKiernan was an eye opener for many on Sunday as she skipped over the mud to win her fifth successive Buckler Inter Counties title. The twice World Cross Country medalist is obviously in great shape and come next March when the World Championships take place in Poland, last Sunday's win may have taken

on an even greater signifi-

at the Friary College Grounds on Sunday last.

FINIS

Caitríona ran the 5,000 metres in 18 minutes 12 seconds which was a whopping forty seven seconds clear of Maureen Harrington, Kerry with Louise Kavanagh of Cork a further fourteen seconds adrift in third spot.

JUNIOR RACE

Well done to Waterford's five juniors who gave their best efforts on the day. They were Darren Drummy, Philip Harty, Derek Kenneally, Dermot Hickey and Tony Hart. On a negative note, they were not given the county colours to wear. This was a big day for them.

**BRONZE FOR ELAINE** Well done to Waterford's Elaine Fitzgerald who finished third in the Girls U-23 National championship which was run in conjunction with the senior ladies

SENIOR RESULTS

Men — 1st, John Treacy (Waterford) 31 mins 58 secs; 2nd, Seamus Power (Clare) 32.32; 3rd, Richard Mulligan (Galway) 32.45; 4th, Conor Holt (Dublin) 33.08; 5th, Pauric McKinney (Donegal) 33.44; 6th, Sean O'Reilly (Dublin) 33.47.

Team - 1st, Dublin 74 pts.; 2nd, Donegal 128 pts.; 3rd, Cork 162 pts.; 4th, Waterford 197 pts.; 5th, Offaly h Kilkenny 329

**SPORTS STARS AWARDS** 

The Munster B.L.O.E. Sports Stars Awards were announced last week. Waterford's three award winners are Fergal English (St. Mary's, Ballygunner), Laura Hartley (Ferrybank) and Derek Hayes (Dungarvan). Well done to all three.



the Dungarvan Athletic club would like to thank everybody who contributed to the successful organisation of the ten race National Championship Programme. Thanks to the members of the Gardaí who dealt so efficiently with the heavy traffic outside the grounds and to the Civil Defence who organised the car parking so well inside the college. The local athletic clubs provided many stewards who did a superb job and who were greatly helped by the co-operation of the large attendance.

Waterford Foods supplied a great deal of the material in the railing of the course and Austin Curran, The Square and David Kiely, Monumental Works provided trucks for the R.T.E. cameras. First Aid facilities were in the capable hands of the Order of Malta. The Waterford Athletics Board gave every assistance under their hard working chairman Tom Power and P.R.O. Fintan Walsh. John McGrath and Michael Greagan co-ordinated the B.L.O.E. and B.L.E. organisation respectively and the race course was a fitting tribute to the efforts of Bro. Lennon at St. Augustines. A special thank you once again to St. Augustines for the use of their grounds.

**KIELY** MONUMENTAL

The 6th Annual Kiely Monumental Colligan Cup will take place on Sunday January 23rd. A ladies run over a distance of two miles will be included this year.

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

1993 National Inter Counties Cross Country champion John Treacy.

#### CLARKE GOES CLEAR

After three legs in the Dun-garvan Crystal Winter Running League, John Clarke has taken a two points lead ahead of Michael Roche and Liam Clince and over the rest of the field. Tiger Kiely won last Wednesday nights leg in impressive fashion.

The league standings are John Clarke 12 pts., Michael Roche 14 pts., Colin Lyons 14 pts., Tom Meehan 15 pts., Martin Sandford 15 pts., James Moore 17 pts., Finbarr Kelly 17 pts., Paul Keane 19 pts., John Joe Wright 21 pts., Tiger Kiely 21 pts., Kevin Moore 22 pts., Tony Ryan 22 pts., Liam Dwyer 25 pts., John Lyons 28 pts., Anthony Dwyer 28 pts., Paul Keating 28 pts., Paul Keane 28 pts. The rest 30 pts.

#### THIS SUNDAY'S **FIXTURE**

Boys and Girls U-11, 13 15 and 17 Munster 'B' Championships in Doon, Co. Limerick.

#### **JUVENILE ALL-IRELANDS**

Waterford had four runners who figured highly in the under age races. Claire Long (Ring/Old Parish A.C.) ran a superb raced to finish fourth in the Girls U-16 race and she was a leading member of the winning Munster team.

Likewise in the Boys U-16 race Waterford supplied two of the winning Munster team in the persons of Mark Radley (Dungarvan A.C.) and Larry Morrissey (Ferry-bank A.C.) who finished 6th and 8th respectively. Louise Cleary (St. Pauls A.C.) did very well to finish 14th in the Girls U-14 race and she was very unlucky to just miss out in the winning Munster team by one place.



Pictured above at the Waterford team's post race dinner are Kieran O'Connor (Waterford Foods), race winner John Treacy and Paddy Cummins (Waterford -(Photo: Wyley).

#### **Dungarvan United** A.F.C. Notes

U-12 League — Dungarvan 5 Bolton 'B' 2. S.F.A.I. U-14 Area Semi-Final — Dungarvan 5 Ferrybank 1. U-16 League — Dungarvan 1 Railway 1. Div. 1B League — Waterford Glass 0 Dungarvan 4. FIXTURES

Junior: Saturday, December 18 — Div. 1B League, Tramore v. Dungarvan, 2.30 p.m. Sunday, December 19 — Under-17 League, Dungarvan v. De La Salle, 11.30 a.m.

No schoolboy games this weekend.

GALA VARIETY CONCERT

All is now in readiness for our Gala Variety Concert at the Park Hotel on this Sunday night, December 19 at 8 p.m. sharp. Rehearsals on this Thursday night to finalise details. Stan Cummins, Jimmy Egan, Micheál O Faolain and Ml. Ryan have put a very good show together and have left no stone unturned in preparing this variety concert.

A host of local talent will feature in this concert with traditional group Booley House from Ballyduff Upper, whom we are told have 17 musicians and 23 dancers. Bachelors in Trouble will also do a sketch or two. M.C. will be none other than Micheal O Faolain who will also do a spot of comedy. Among others who will perform are Sean O'Donnell, Mary Nugent, Ardfinnan, Ml. Ryan, Irish Dancing (of T.V. fame), Hugh O'Donnell, Ivory Sound, Ollie and Ann Marie, Libby Flynn, The Seanachí Patsy Ahearne, Friary Folk Choir and Bridget King winner of the Carling Voice of the Pubs. Tickets at £4 each are now on sale from committee members or Liam Power's, O'Connell Street and on the door on the night. (See advert. in Entertainment Page.) We would ask your support for this venture proceeds of which will go towards the upgrading of facilities at Kilrush. A fantastic night's entertainment is guaranteed, so get your tickets now to avoid disappointment. Patrons are reminded that show commences at 8 p.m. sharp.
OLD FOLKS PARTY

From all reports of this annual senior citizens Christmas Party held in the clubhouse recently, it was the biggest and best yet. Our thanks to all who made it a great success, especially all who helped out on the

Special thanks to Willie White and all the musicians and entertainers, Bridget King, Carling Voice of the Pubs winner; Charlie McAllister and the Midleton Choir and to M.C. for the night Micheal O Faolain. The Lenihan's and Hayes Bakeries for beautiful cakes and Mrs. Tessie Wall for a fantastic Christmas cake and to all the local businesses for all the spot prizes. Last but not least Kenneally's Buses for providing transport out and home. This is very much appreciated by all.

Well done to the small band of members - Nora Walsh, Helen O'Sullivan and Jimmy Healy who run this most enjoyable party each Christmas which is certainly going from strength to strength.
SEAVIEW CELTIC DRAW

The third monthly draw will take place at Gravey's Lounge, Waterford on this Saturday night at 9 p.m. Villa are the host club. Best of luck to all our ticket holders and let's hope we can add to the five winners we have had in the first two draws.

CARDS

One winner of the 45 drive, Larry Walsh and Tommy Reynolds, on 12 games on Saturday last. Jackpot £130 this Saturday on 15 games. John Walsh won the turkey on raffle. Ham 1st prize on raffle plus numerous spot prizes at Christmas Party session this Saturday.

YANKEE DOODLE **JACKPOT £460** 

Non winer on Sunday last. Numbers were 58 and 80. Jackpot £460 this Sunday night.
3 TABLE TURKEY WINNERS

The following won turkey and hams at our regular three table card drive on Sunday last - Patsy Hackett and John Keane, Willie Walsh and Helen O'Sullivan. Ber Whelan and Martin O'Sullivan, Ben Wall and

Johnny Morrissey, Matt Hayes and Francis O'Brien. **EXECUTIVE MEETING** A committe meeting will take place on this Thursday night at 8.30 p.m.

> CLUB SNIPPETS KIDS CHRISTMAS DISCO

Kids Christmas Disco on this Friday, December 17 at Kilrush 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Strictly supervised. Admission £1. Goodies for the kids. All are welcome. **3 TABLE & PONGO** 

Cards every Sunday night at 9.30 p.m. for turkeys and hams for Christmas. Pongo every Tuesday, eyes down at 8.30 p.m.

# International Cap For Micheal Downey

At a training session in Dublin last Wednesday, De-cember 8, Micheal Downey was selected to play for the Irish Schools U-18 soccer team. It is a great honour for Micheál, his school, St. Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas and our club.

Earlier this season Micheál was selected on the Munster schools team and scored against Leinster in Letterkenny and also impressed a lot of people with his performance over that weekend. He has been training regularly in Dublin since and made the final 16 strong panel on Wednesday. He was the only Waterford player to make the team and one of only three Munster players in the squad. He will play with Ireland

against Wales in Cardiff in March and will play against Northern Ireland in Dublin

Kilmac', joined our club two seasons ago and has been a prolific goalscoring centre forward ever since. Always prepared to listen and learn, he is a quiet inoffensive young man who is working very hard at his game recently, training almost every day at his school with emphasis especially on his first touch.

Micheál, who hails from

All in Dungarvan United are delighted for Micheál and his school, but none more so than our club secretary Kealan O'Neill who has done more than most to help Micheál. Kealan entered three soccer teams in the Munster soccer cup this season from St. Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas, for the first time ever, and while they had no luck in their games

#### **MODELIGO** SOCCER NOTES

We had Glenview Celtic as visitors last Sunday and they had Modeligo under pressure for the first twenty minutes. Liam Power opening the scoring after beating two defenders for his first goal. The same player got our second five minutes later. We got number three when J. P. Ryan found Nicky Donovan who chipped the ball over the Glenview keeper. Power hit his hat-trick five minutes into the second half. Our fourth goal came when Liam Power was taken down in the penalty area. J. P. Ryan converted to make it 5-0. Liam Power made it 6-0 following good play at midfield by Johnny Byrne and John Desmond. At this stage Glenview were well beaten but they did not give

We brought on Tom T. Kiely for Vince Donovan in the last ten minutes and Kiely scored a good goal to make it seven. Padraigh McCarthy replaced Jason Radley in the final minutes.

On behalf of the soccer club I would like to wish om Kiely a happy birthday.

Next Sunday we are away to Affane, kick-off at 11 o'clock sharp.

Team - Jim Barron, Joe Cashman, Owen O'Neill, Pat Foley, J. P. Ryan, Jason Radley, Johnny Byrne, John Desmond, Liam Power, Nicky Donovan, Vince Donovan, Subs. — Kiely for V. Donovan; Padraig for J. Radley; Pat Fitzgerald (not used).

Man of the Match -Liam Power.

**DUNGARVAN** UNITED A.F.C. -UNDER-12 T.S.B.

LEAGUE

it is some achievement to

get a boy on the Interna-

playing for the Waterford

Inter-League youth team who defeated South Tipper-

ary and Limerick recently.

This side play away to Dublin A.U.L. at the end of

tional Schools U-18 team. Of course, Micheál is also

#### Sweet Victory For Young Blues

**DUNGARVAN 5** BOLTON 'B' 2

Our U-12 side recorded their first victory of the season on Saturday morning last at the Crystal Pitch with an emphatic 5-2 win over Bolton 'B'. The young Blues were really fired up for this one and on a cold morning the lads prepared well with a warm-up session prior to the game.

When the game started they caught the visitors cold and centre-forward Brendan Horan scored two goals inside the first 10 minutes. Alan Linnane got on the score sheet again following a mazy dribble and fine finish. Craig Cowming made it 4-0 with a fine goal. Bolton got into the game a lot more as the half progressed and pulled a goal back just before half time, despite the best efforts of keeper Bob O'Brien.

Barra O'Donovan and Paul O'Connor came into the game at half time. Centre half Damien Power scored a spectacular goal with a great drive to the roof of the net. Bolton got a consolation goal shortly before the final. All seven subs were use in this match.

It was a great boost for this young side as things have not being going too well, results wise, lately. But we feel they are now putting a nice little team together and with the majority of them under 12 again next on these games stand them in good sted.

Dungarvan - Bob O'Brien, Barry Wright, Raymond Kirby (capt.), Stephen Sheridan, Damien Power, Brendan Roche. Craig Cowming, John Paul Healy, Ivan Fitzgerald, Brendan Horan, Alan Lin-nane. Res. (all used) — Barra O'Donovan, Paul O'Connor, A. Cleary, G. O'Brien, Ronan Keating, John Lynch, Richard Fitzgerald.

#### RAILWAY ATHLETIC (CAPPOQUIN) F.C. NOTES

### Good Weekend For Schoolboys

**UNDER-12 A LEAGUE** Railway 2 Ferrybank 1

OUr U-12's started the weekend in a winning way with a hard earned win over Ferrybank. This was a hard game. We played good football for the opening 10 minutes but Ferrybank came at us and it was Ferrybank who opened the scoring as they had a few chances to add to their score, but our keeper Colm Millea made a string of brilliant saves. This is only Colm's second game in goal.

We started the second half putting Ferrybank under pressure. Keith Millea replaced Kenny Foley, who was injured. What an impact he made — he scored the equaliser and with just 10 minutes left Michael Scanlon scored the winner. This team are settling to-

gether very well. UNDER-14 T.S.B. LEAGUE

Railway 4 Mooncoin 1 What an upset this game was. The Kilkenny side were unbeaten in the league but Paddy's side brought their run to an end on Saturday last. We were short a few regulars and had to play some under-12's. We took the lead in the early stages when Michael Roche scored a fine goal. Shane Coughlan and Stephen Curran got one each and in the second half Anthony Walsh scored our fourth. This was a good performance and it now opens up the league.

UNDER-16 T.S.B. LEAGUE Railway 1 **Dungarvan** 1

We were away to Dungarvan in a top of the table clash. Both teams were unbeaten and this was going to be a tough game. Our lads took the game to Dungarvan and created a lot of good chances at the early stages. Our midfield were completely on top. After a lot of work our goal came when a great ball from midfield found Tom O'Connor. He scored a great goal from a difficult angle. We could have added another after a great free kick from Neill McGrath hit the upright. Just before the break Dungarvan got a free kick outside the box and their shot went all the way to make it

The second half did not live up to the first but the very strong wind did not help. This was a very good game and a draw was a fair

Team - Glen Arrigan, W. Fraher, N. Maher, S. Quinn (capt.), B. Landers, A. Bending, D. Coughlan, N. McGrath, T. O'Connor, C. Radley, J. Manahan, M. Murphy for B. Landers

**CLUB SNIPPETS** 

Congratulations - The club would like to congratulate our club committee member Mick Foley and his wife Lena on the birth of their daughter last week.

Sympathy — Our club would like to sympathise with the Walsh family from Fourmilewater and to the Prendergast family, Cappoquin, on their sad bereavement over the weekend.

Training — Our training nights for the junior team have been changed. We will now train on Wednesday nights at our pitch and on Friday night in Dungarvan Crystal's all weather pitch. Wednesday nights at 7 p.m. and Friday nights 7.30 p.m. Schoolboy Games — We

will have no schoolboy mes until after ( and on New Year's Day we will be back in action. Our Under-12's will be away to Southend and our Under-16's will be away to Portlaw at 2.30 p.m. Would all players for those two games keep in touch with their managers just in case there are changes.

Junior Team - Our junior team had a free weekend due to the bad weather conditions. We will play Rathgormack next Saturday at home, kick-off 2.30 p.m.

Dungarvan Soccer Division 1B League

# Blues Still On Course For League Title

**WATERFORD GLASS 0 DUNGARVAN UNITED 4** 

A devastating second half display of attacking football "shattered" any hopes that the Glass may have had of knocking us off our perch, as we collected another brace of valuable league points at the Glass Centre on Sunday morning last. This was a fine all round performance by Dungarvan in conditions more suitable to mud-wrestling. The Blues entered this game minus the services of J. Walsh, T. Donovan and G. Allen but they made light of this fact and after an early scare, set about their task. The very heavy overcast rain quickly turned the pitch into a gluepot and the home side almost took a shock lead inside the first minute. A long ball from defence found the centre forward who turned inside his marker and his early shot was pushed onto the bar by O'Neill and scrambled clear. The home side enjoyed their best spell of the game in the opening twenty minutes but for all their possession they made little headway against a Blues defence of Cummins, Coward, Tutty and Foley who were in fine form. The visitors went ahead somewhat against the run of play midway through the half when the keeper fouled the ball on the edge of the area, and Cummins touched the ball to Donnelly who drilled a fierce shot past a helpless keeper. Dungarvan took control from this point and began to play some fine football with "Wonka" revelling in the conditions and Crotty and Mansfield providing good back up. The Blues almost added a second goal before the break when Mansfield's pass put Flynn clear and he played a delightful ball inside to Sheehan but his shot was brilliantly saved by the keeper.

The game ended as a contest early in the second half when with the advantage of a strong wind the Blues went two up. Foley's throwin found Mansfield who played the ball square to Donnelly who cut inside one tackle and unleashed an unstoppable shot that flew into the net. The visitors front men nov ... ine alarm bells ringing in the Glass defence every time they came forward and it was no surprise when they

increased their lead minutes later when "Guykie" made a welcome return to scoring ways when he ran onto Donnelly's pass to slip the ball home. Alan Sheehan put the icing on the cake for Dungarvan when he battled hard to get onto Flynn's cross and tuck away No. 4.

Team - Kealan O'Neill, Stan Cummins, Willie Coward, Pat Tutty, Kieran Foley, Eoin Mansfield, John Donnelly, David Crotty, Paudy Flynn, Alan Sheehan (Capt.), "Guykie" Ferncombe. Res. - Killian Wall for Ferncombe, Michael

Man of the match —
"Wonka" Donnelly.
THANKS

Our thanks to youth player Michael Donnelly who travelled with us at short notice.

# Dungarvan A.F.C. **Annual Christmas Parcel Fund Draw** Results

This draw organised by the club with the co-operation of 32 sports and social clubs in the locality was held on Sunday last. Happy to relate it was a resounding success with all 1500 cards sold out again thanks to all the sellers. Thanks to all for your support and congratulations for the lucky winners who were as follows:

**DRAW RESULTS** 

1, Kodak 35mm Camera, N. Daly, 12 Murphy Place; 2, £25, Eamonn Lombard, c/o W.C.C.; 3, 3 cwt. Coal, Eileen Delaney, Clashmore; 4, £20, Anna Hyslop, 30 Murphy Place; 5, Bottle Vodka, Tina Fitzgerald, Strandside North; 6, Bottle Whiskey, Sheila Tutty, Childers Estate; 7, Ham, Maureen Crotty, 4 Mountain Villas; 8, 2 cwt. Coal, Mary Power, 21 Ringnasillogue; 9, Turkey, Siobhan Murphy, 8 St. Garvan's Terrace; 10, £15, Tom Wall, c/o Club; 11, Bottle Whiskey, Sean Sutton, Campus Oil; 12, Bottle Vodka, Hard Up, c/o Kilgrovan House; 13, £15, Kathleen Beresford, 16 Stephen Street; 14, 200 Cigarettes, Margaret Watkins, 7 Boreenatra; 14, Leg of Lamb, Breda Quinn, c/o Waterford Foods; 16, £10, Kevin O'Connor; 17, Bottle Whiskey, Kieran Curran, Western Bay; 18, Christmas Cake, Jim Riordan, 10 McCarthyville; 19, 2 cwt. Coal. Zack Fitzgerald, c/o Enterprise; 20, £10, Declan Fitz-patrick, Shopwell; 21, Bottle Brandy, Patricia Hen-nessy, Kyne Park; 22, £10 Ann Curran, Aglish; 23, Bottle Vodka, Trudy Fehilly, Springfield; 24, £15, Margaret Donnelly, 34 Boreenatra; 25, 2 cwt. Coal, Eileen Wall, c/o Jacinta; 26, £10, Noreen Barry, 101 Springfield; 27, 2 tins Biscuits, Mick Power, Old Parish; 28, £10, Linda O'Mahoney, 4 Fenian Place; 29, 2 cwt. Coal, Alice O'Brien, Cappoquin; 30, Bottle Sherry, Sean Donnelly, 4 Boreenatra; 31 Tarkey, John McCarthy, 3 St. Brigid's Terrace; 32, Bottle Whiskey, Marie O'Driscoll, 12 Sexton Street.

### PINEWOOD RANGERS F.C. VALLEY RANGERS 0

PINEWOOD RANGERS 1

Last Sunday we travelled to Conna to play Valley Rangers. The last time both teams met was in the first round of the Tony Bolger Cup last year. We emerged victorious that day scoring a convincing 7 goals, against an under-strength Valley

Fifteen minutes into the second half Pinewood Rangers opened the scoring. A great ball in from the left by Tony Hallihan found Ger Walsh in the centre, and although heavily marked he

kept his head to slot the ball beautifully past the advancing 'keeper. By now we were virtually down to 10 men, Noel Ryan picked up a dead leg and having used our only sub at half time to replace an injured Pat Dunford, we had to rearrange the team and concentrate on defending our lead which we did very well to hold out for a great win.

Best for Pinewood -Brendan Crotty, J. Sheehan, Eamonn Lonergan and Ger

#### ALLIED IRISH BANK F.A.I. U-16 MUNSTER CUP

# **Kilmacthomas** Go Out On **Penalties**

ST. DECLAN'S, KILMACTHOMAS 0 NAGLE COMMUNITY SCHOOL, CORK 0 (Nagle won 5-4 on penalties, after extra time)

St. Declan's, Kilmacthomas, bowed out of the Munster U-16 schools cup in the cruellest possible way at Currabaha Park when they lost out to Nagle Com-munity School on sudden death penalties.

The Kilmacthomas side had by far the better of the opening half but created few scoring chances with by Bari Fitzgerald. The same pattern continued in the second half but in the last 20 minutes the visitors gradually got on top.

However, St. Declan's defence of Stephen Kiely, Tony O'Regan, Adrian Kirwan, Paul Kiely and keeper Warren Power, were rock solid and the game ended scoreless.

Two minutes into extra time Nagle were awarded a penalty but the no. 9 sent the spot kick wide. Shortly afterwards Adrian Kirwan had the ball in the net but the "goal" was ruled out for offside. With both defences remaining dominant a penalty shoot out was needed to resolve the issue.

Adrian Kirwan, Stephen Kiely, Tony O'Regan and Bari Fitzgerald all scored for St. Declan's but with Gerry Walsh and Paul Kiely failing to find the target the Kilmacthomas side bowed out of the cup despite not conceding a goal in the entire competi-

St. Declan's - Warren Power, Stephen Kiely, Tony O'Regan, Adrian Kirwan, Paul Kiely, Ger Power, Gerry Walshe, Keith Mulhearne, Bari Fitzgerald. Mark O'Leary, Fergus Torpey. Res. — Sean Hearne (used), Paul Mulhearn, Michael Ahern, Derek Cleary.

### ARIDMOREDIA ELO NOINDS

#### **FINE VICTORY FOR** ARDMORE ARDMORE 3 **BRIDE VIEW 1**

Ardmore came out on top of a very entertaining game on Sunday last in conditions that were difficult to say the least. Ardmore won the toss and elected to play with the wind in the first half.

The home side got off to a shaky start even with the wind to their backs, but a lot of this can be put down to the Ardmore players tak-ing to the field just in time for the kick-off, which is not on. A team should be out on the field to warm-up at least ten minutes before the kick-off.

off well and looked the more dangerous, it was the home side who attacked and Maurice Hennessy scored against the run of play. Ardmore stepped up the tempo and it was no surprise when a fine move finished with Maurice Hennessy playing a fine ball to Anthony Sullivan and it was 2-0. This is how it remained until the break.

The second half started with Bride View, plus wind assistance, putting on the pressure and ten minutes into the half they brought one back and at this stage the Ardmore side had their backs to the wall.

The home side defended stoutly and with 15 minutes remaining Tony Keane finished a fine move to make it 3-1 and that is how it finished.

A fine result for Ardmore which now sees them go eight games without defeat. Adrian Yellup showed how vital he is to Ardmore with a brilliant save when the home side were hanging on to a goal lead. The back four, especially Seamus Keevers and "Chippy" Hennessy were solid. Maurice and Seamus Veale always caused problems for the opposition. The two subs used were Thomas Power who tried hard and Clinton Hennessy who showed some nice touches and Clinton is definitely a player for the future.

Team - A. Yellup (8), H. Veale (7), D. Hennessy (7), S. Keevers (8), P. Hennessy (9), T. Keating (7), T. Keane (7), Anthony Sullivan (7), M. Hennessy (7), A. Hearne (7), S. Veale (7),

## Dungarvan **United Schoolboy** Notes

S.F.A.I. U-14 CUP AREA SEMI FINAL **Dungarvan 5** Ferrybank 1

Our U-14 side advanced to the area final of the Coca-Cola U-14 Cup with and excellent 5-1 win over Ferrybank in Kilrush Park on Saturday last. Playing with a strong wind at their backs, the Blues got off to the best possible start when after a great run by Killian Lyons, Bernie Crotty's shot beat the keeper for goal No. 1. Dungarvan went 2 up after only 10 minutes when Donie Kelleher's right wing corner was powerfully headed home by John Paul Keohan. It was all one way traffic now as the Blues piled on the pressure and went further ahead on the 8th minute mark, Full back Martin McGovern started the move with a great ball to Alan Harty and his cross into the box was finished to the net by top scorer Vincent Sullivan. Ferrybank who were a

much bigger side than Dungarvan started the second half with more purpose to their game but could find no way through a rock solid Blues defence of keeper Mickey Ahearn, Killian Lyons, Colin Hayes, Kevin Walsh and Martin McGov-

em. It was Colin who started the move for the Blues' fourth goal when his pass sent Alan Harty clear out on the left and Alan's cross from the by-line was hammered to the net by Donie Kelleher, Ferrybank, pulled a goal back shortly after when Bernie Crotty in trying to clear slipped on the heavy surface and the centre forward gave M. Ahearn no chance with a well struck shot. Paul Deegan replaced the injured Joseph Nolan and it was Paul's speed up the right wing that opened the way for Vincent to score his second and Dungarvan's fifth with a v chin over the ad vancing keeper. This win means the team will represent the Waterford Schoolboys League in the open draw which will be held in Dublin early in the New Year, for this National Cup Competition.

Panel - M. Ahearn, K. Lyons, C. Hayes, K. Walsh. M. McGovern, D. Kelleher. J. P. Keohan, B. Crotty, J Nolan, V. Sullivan, A. Harry, P. Deegan, G. Colins, D. O'Shea R.

Halpin, P. Foley.

#### Cumann Lúthchleas Gael Na Rinne

OÍCHE NA gCAPALL

As the steeplechasing season gets into stride in the horse-racing world, here in an Rinn we are preparing for a gala night of racing on the "flat". Is ar an Aoine, 17ú Nollaig, a bheidh Rásaí na gCapall ar siul againn i dTigh an Cheoil. Tá na capaill ceannaithe ag na húinéirí faoin am seo, ainmneacha curtha orthu agus na marcaigh roghnaithe. A good night's entertainment is assured. Beidh seans ag na daoine, a bheidh i lathair geall a chur ar a rogha capall agus, fiú amháin, capaill dá gcuid fein a cheannach sna ceantanna. Spot prizes with a seasonal flavour will be on offer. Táimid ag tnúth le hóiche mhór spóirt agus comhluadair ar an Aoine. Bígí linn!

DÁTAÍ DON DIALANN

Beidh Club na Rinne den C.L.C.G. gnóthach i dtosach mhí Eanair. Ar an 7ú Eanair, 1994, a chuirfear an A.G.M. den chlub ar síul. This is one of the most important events in the club calendar. All of those who are interested in the welfare of their local club should be present to make suggestions or criticisms. Paid-up members will be entitled to vote in the election of officers. Táimid ag súil go mbeidh slua maith i láthair.

Tionólfar Comhdháil de Choiste an Iarthair in Halla Pobail na Rinne, ar an 13ú Eanair, 1994. Táthar ag súil le thart ar chéad toscairí o na clubanna in iarthar an

Beidh an Dinnéar agus an Siamsaíocht bliantúil agus bronnadh na mbonn ar siúl ar an 18ú Feabhra, 1994, in Ostán na Páirce.

**CRANNCHUR AN CHONTAE** 

Na déanaigí dearmad airgead an Chrannchuir mhíosúil a thabhairt don Chomheagarthoir an tseachtain seo chugainn. Is ar an 22ú Nollaig a bheidh an Crannchur ar siúl an mhí seo. Beidh duaiseanna breise ar fáil don Nollaig. Go n-éirí an t-ádh libh!

COMHBHRÓN

Thug an bas sciúird eile ar An Rinn an tseachtain seo. Rug sé leis Margie Bn. Uí Chrotaigh, bean chéile Eddie nach maireann, agus máthair ionúin agus treoraí ag Catherine, Éamonn, Páidí, Máiréad, Stás, Tommy agus Siobhán. Bhí a cuid féin de phianta an tsaoil fulaingthe aici. Le tamaillín anuas bhí an drochshláinte ag cur as di. Lena clann atá go mor faoi bhrón agus lena gaolta go léir deirimid: "Is trua linn bhúr mbuairt". Go lonraí

solas suthain ar a h-anam dflis.
CRUINNIÚ DEN CHOISTE UM NOLLAIG

Bhí an cruinniu miosuíl den Choiste sna seomraí gléasta ar an Máirt. Naonúr de na baill a bhí i láthair. De thoradh ceist a chuireadh roimhe seo, mhínigh an Rúnaí go raibh sé ceadaithe dúinn seachtar imreoirí a athghrádú ón ngrád Idirmheánach go deí an grad Sóisear. Any player who had not played a game, or part of a game in the championship at Intermediate level, during the 1993 season, would automatically qualify to play Junior in 1994, without having to be re-graded. Socraíodh gur faoi na roghnóirí nua (1994) a bheidh sé

na himreoirí a roghnú don athghrádú i mbliana. Ar mholadh Bilest Ó Muirithe, glacadh leis ag an gcruinniú, go ndéanfaimis iarracht foireann iománaíochta shóisear a chur ar an bpáirc in 1994. It was felt that this would give an opportunity for competition to players who would not otherwise be involved on a regular basis. Again players will have to be regraded here. Pléadh socraithe do Chomhdháil an Iarthair ar an 13.1.1994 maidir le cúrsaí teasa agus bia. Pléadh ainmniúcháin do Bhórd an Iarthair agus do Choiste an Chontae. Moladh go gcuirfimis rún ar aghaidh chuig an dá chomhdháil maidir le rith Comórtas na Peile Idirmheánaf. Financial affairs were discussed. Expenditure was high in 1993, despite the fact that the Club's income was greatly enhanced by a variety of fund-raising events as well as income from the County Draw. Because of the new players' Insurance scheme the cost of covering each individual team will be greater in 1994. Public Liability cover costs have also increased.

Tá decrachtaí againn fós airgead a fháil ar ais faoin scéim do na h-imreoirí atá gortaithe. Táimid ag súil le go mbeidh feabhas ar an scéal faoin sceim nua.

Crannchur an chlub — £10 and duine, J. J. O Cuirrín gus Bernie Bn. Uí Mhurchú: £5 an duine, Séamus Ó Riain agus Nioclas Ó Gríobhtháin.

**BEANNACHTAÍ NA NOLLAG AGUS NA HATHBHLIANA** 

Ar son an Chlub, guím Nollaig mhaith mhór ar ghach éinne a chabhraigh linn agus a thug tacaíocht duinn i rith na bliana seo atá caite. Gabhaimid buíochas le himreoirí, le roghnóirí agus le h-oifigigh an chlub, le traenálaithe na n-óg, agus lena muintir a dhein iobairtí ar son na gcluichí ag gach leibhéal le linn an tséasúir hada. Mar O.C.P. be mhian liom mo bhuíochas cearsanta a chur in iúl dos na daoine go léir a thug cúnamh agus comhoibriú dom i mo chuid oibre. Bainimis aitneamh as sos na Nollag agus na déanaimis dearmad ır na clannaibh inár measc ata go mor faoi bhrón an Vollaig seo. Go dtuga an Leanbh Iosa suaimhneas agus síocháin daoibh go léir um Nollaig agus san Athbhliain.

#### BIBINGEYAVAVANNEKOKOKODNIKOLOHUIKANOMIKA

**DUNGARVAN 8** KILFEACLE 1

Two more well deserved points by Dungarvan in their push for the title. We started this match in great style scoring a very good goal through Ann Brennan in the first five minutes. This lifted the team and after 15 minutes we were two up when after good team play the ball fell to Mary Ronayne on the 25 yard line, she beat two defenders before placing a great shot beyond the keeper. Dungarvan then had a good move by Christine O'Keeffe just wide. Soon after it was 3-0 when Ann Brennan collected the ball on the edge of the circle, beat the defence and then passed to Mary Ronayne to push in her second goal. Dungarvan had a few good chances after this but the Kilfeacle goalie brought off some good saves. Five minutes before half time it was 4-0 with another fine goal from Martina Moore. Karen Dempsey was unlucky not to score when after beating the defence saw her shot just

Dungarvan United Under 16

#### BUTLER SAVES THE DAY

Dungarvan 1 Railway 1 Last Saturday Dungarvan took on Railway in a top of the table clash.

Dungarvan started this game very slow and were last to every ball. We played against the strong wind into the country goal in the first half and could have been two or three goals down but for J. P. Donnelly who played a great game in defence. 20 minutes into the game, Railway caught out our defence to score a very good goal. Dungarvan then started to play a bit of football and within ten minutes Dungarvan got a free just outside the box. T. Butler stepped up and slotted home a brilliant goal to leave the sides level at the interval. Dungarvan come out fighting in the second half but failed to put away any chances. One would say we should have had a penalty but the referee saw it the other way. This was a game we should have won. is team will now be training Mondays and Wednesdays because we are not fit and need to be putting away any chances we get if we are to win the League.

Team - J. Sheehan, M. Coles, J. Foley, J. P. Don-nelly, J. Kyne, S. Hayes, K. Kiely, T. Butler (Capt.), M. Crotty, R. Ferncombe, L. Simms. Subs. — K. O'Connor, P. Sheridan, C. Connol-

Man of the match — L. P. Donnelly.

The second half started with Dungarvan still on top but the Kilfeacle defence were playing better now and it took 15 minutes before Dungarvan broke them down when Ann Brennan scored from a pass from Tess Reynolds, now it was 5-0. At this stage Kilfeacle lost a player when their captain got injured. Kilfeacle showed great character when they broke away and scored a fine goal. This spurred Dungarvan into action and a good pass from Martina Moore found Ann Brennan in space and she made no mistake for her hattrick. Soon after we got a free on the edge of the circle from which Mary Ronayne passed a beautiful ball to Ann Brennan who scored her fourth goal. Michelle Clancy was causing a lot of problems for Kilfeacle on the left and from some of her passes Dungarvan brought good saves out of the keeper. With five minutes to go Mary Ronayne broke from midfield, beat to defenders and passed for Tess Reynolds to make it 8-

This was a great team performance and will need to be repeated next week when we have a top of the table home game with Church of Ireland out in the Friary on Sunday at 11.30 a.m. All supporters welcome.

#### **AFFANE** A.F.C. NOTES

Affane 0 Ballybridge Utd. 3

We travelled to Ballybridge last Sunday and we came away pointless. We started off well and got one or two chances but did not put them away and with fifteen minutes gone we were one-nil down. Ballybridge came back at us and with thirty-five gone they were two-nil up. With five minutes to the break they got their third. We came out in the second half determined to score but could not find the net. We had at least 80% of the play and played some fine soccer but still could not find the net. D. Glavin rounded two players only to see his shot hit the upright. It just wasn't our day. We missed three other chances. On the day a draw would Mansfield played his heart out in defence and cleared every ball that came his way. Man of the match: T. Mansfield

Team — T. Sullivan, M. Buckley, L. Costin, M. Browne, K. Veale, T. Mansfield, F. McCarthy, K. Reddy, T. Hennebry, T. Ormond, P. J. Veale. Subs. -B. Dunne, T. Stapleton.

We are at home to Modeligo next Sunday at 11.30. All players are to be at the field at 11 o'clock.

Ann Brennan and Mary Ronayne.

Team — Lenora Fitzgerald (capt.), Roisin Foley, Avice Kiely, Martina Moore, Mary Ronayne, Karen Dempsey, Tess Reynolds, Christine O'Keeffe, Ann Brennan, Cathy O'Mahoney, Lucinda Fraher, Michelle Clancy, Nollaig Sheehan, Susan Brosnan, Angela Cashin.

#### JUNIOR HOCKEY NOTES

Please note this Saturday, December 18 the Hockey Club are holding a 5-a-side fancy dress hockey competi-

All those interested in taking part be at St. Augustine's College at usual time. £1 entrance fee. All proceeds to go to Lions Club Christmas

ABBEYSIDE A.F.C. NOTES

# REDS LATE LATE SHOW

PILTOWN 2 ABBEYSIDE 2

A goal direct from a corner 2 minutes into injury time by Joe O'Riordan rescued a point in this hard hitting top of the table clash. But while Piltown will bemoan their luck the truth was that an Abbeyside team playing well below form should have had the game finished at half time. Fran McGovern gave the Villagers the lead with a superb goal rounding the centre half and smacking the ball in off the post. In difficult conditions the ball proved difficult to master but the Abbeyside defence proved resolute with Reynolds outstanding at sweeper.

Abbeyside turned over 1-0 but McGovern was most unlucky not to register a second when his goal was ruled out because of an earlier infringement. Piltown stormed back and grabbed 2 goals in 10 minutes. The last 10 minutes proved a torrid one for Piltown as Abbeyside piled forward and Seamus Power was unlucky when a near post header skimmed the bar. Liam O'Brien had a forty yard screamer touched around the post and Tom Cahill had a shot cleared off the line. It all looked up

until that late equaliser. UNDER-16's

This team had an excellent away win in Waterford on Saturday. Jonny Byrnes and M. Hickey the scorers. Thanks to Joe Foley for taking the team in the absence of the team manager who was engaged with the 2A

#### DOUBLE SCORE'S

Week 14. No winners Week 15, jackpot £75, low score £50.

1 Q.P.R., 2 Leeds, 3 Norwich, 4 Man Utd., 5 Newcastle, 6 Arsenal, 7 Ipswich, 8 Blackburn, 9 Tottenham, 10 Chelsea, 11 Aston Villa, 12 Wimbledon, 13 Liverpool, 14 Coventry, 15 Everton, 16 Sheff. Utd.

#### Western Convention

Nominations for the divisional convention as well as motions are due in to the Secretary, Anthony Walsh by tomorrow Thursday. The Convention is scheduled for January 13 and it will be held by the decision of the Bord at An Rinn.

# **Red House** League Notes

FIXTURES — SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19 Division 1 — Lismore v. Valley Rangers, 2.30 O'Neill): Cappoquin 11.30 p.m. (T. Griffin); Mogeely v. Killeagh, 11.30 a.m. (J. Foley); Pinewood Rangers v. Brideview, 11.30 a.m. (P. Marks); Ballyduff v. Inch, 11.30 a.m. (M. Harpur).

Division 2 — Affane v. Modeligo, 11 a.m. (S. Kerins); Glenview Celtic v. Glenview United, 11.30 a.m. (M. O'Neill); Araglen v. Youghal, 11.30 a.m. (L. Fraser); Bride View v. Grange, 11.30 a.m. (T. Wall); Ballybridge United v. Ardmore, 2.30 p.m. (N.

O'Donoghue).

Clubs please note — there is a delegate meeting in The Red House, Lismore, this Monday, December 20, at 9 p.m. It is imperative that all clubs are represented as the election of a PRO for the league will take place.

#### **Dungarvan Boxing Club Notes**

# **Ead Weather Upsets Good Bouts At Bridgie Terries**

The bitterly cold and wet winter conditions last Friday did Dungarvan Boxing no favours as they struggled to complete a programme which proved enjoyable for the less than capacity crowd who attended.

With boxers coming from Waterford City, Cork, Kerry and Tipperary it had all the hallmarks of an excellent programme, but travel delays and some obstruction gave the Dungarvan Club extra headaches.

But they overcame them bravely and put on a pro-gramme which kept the crowd on their toes through the night.

There were five Dungarvan boxers in the ring through the course of the evening, four of whom got the deci-

sion with only a luckless Richard O'Leary falling to the skills of S. O'Sullivan of Knocknagoshel on the twelve year olds, 36 kilo class.

At 60k James Keoghan took on M. McCarthy from the Gaggin, Bandon club and after a hesitant start went on to register a decisive win over the Cork boy.

James allowed McCarthy a little too much latitude in the first round and it wasn't until the last half minute that he made his presence felt. As a result he may have lost the first round, but bolstered with words of advice from his corner and showing a new determination he came out much more pensively in the second.

He clearly intended to stamp his authority on the bout and regain the ground he

of the magic which won him his national title two years ago and by the end of round two any deficit there might have been had been eliminated after McCarthy had taken a standing count.

Round three was almost a formality, with McCarthys defeat complete and it was a confident and smiling James Keoghan who had his arm raised by the referee.

James is anxious to regain the title he lost last season and his grueling training schedule and approach to the game demonstrates how serious he is in his preparations.

Danny Kett had his first outing against M. Fox of St. Pauls, Waterford and registered a good win over his city opponent. Fighting at light heavyweight, he showed a confidence unusual in a first-timer and did enough in the first round to convince Fox not to come out for round two.

At welterweight, James Keenan beat J. Walsh of Knocknagoshel in his first fight of the season and while he registered a good win, he still has to find his full fitness and lose several pounds.

He performed well in the first two rounds and obviously had the judges convinced at that stage for during the third round he tired considerably and may have given Walsh a consolation round.

Jason Shaw got the unanimous decision from the judges when he took on P. Walsh of Knocknagoshel at 67k. Jason looked a little nervous in the opening minute or two but settled well to his task. A few wild swings in round one left him a little open but Walsh failed

to inflict the chances. By round two he had settled and taken control and from there never looked in any danger. Jason will be boxing in the Cork league later in the season and this early bout and victory will help his preparations and

morale greatly. Killian Walsh boxed an exhibition bout with P. Daly of Knocknagoshel and showed his class and positive approach in front of an enthusiastic crowd. The towel came in from Daly's corner early in round two as Killian confidently pummeled Daly into

submission. At 36k, S. Higgins, Fermoy beat M. McGrath, St. Colmans Club, Shanagarry; at 12y.0/36k, R. Duggan Fermoy beat S. J. Cannon, Knocknagoshel and S. O'Sullivan Knocknagoshel beat Richard O'Leary, Dungarvan to complete a fine programme.

The bouts were sponsored by Bridgie Terries and each of the winners took home a beautiful trophy courtesy of the sponsors.

### Clonea **Bowling** Club **Notes**

**DOUBLES** 

The first ever turkey and ham mixed doubles competition is at its final stages with only one exciting week to go. This week showed a lot of changes in the competition. Josephine Whelan and Tony Keane are in the lead after week 5 with 5469. Josephine playing some very impressive bowling scoring an impressive 710 points. Well done Josephine. Closely behind after jumping two places are Carmel Cooney and Albert Power with 5365. Carmel scoring the highest female score knocking 202 pins! The highest make score came from Ivor Gordon knocking 173 pins!

Top 11 placings are — 1. Josephine Whelan and Tony Keane 5469, 2, Albert Power and Carmel Cooney 5365, 3 Hildegard Stober and John Reynolds 5363, 4, Bryan Keohan and Catherine Maher 5289, 5, Ivor Gordon and Yvonne Lawler 5284, 6, Ilonda Dawns and Ambrose Mullarkey 5135, 7. Shane Hogan and Margaret Hogan 5059, 8, Suzanne O'Riordan and Ted Murphy 5016, 9, Eleanor Moore and James Moore 4928, 10, Martina Moore and Eddie Moore, 11, Shirley Flynn and An-

thony Cooney 4910. Patsy and Fidelma Horsom and Michael Cooney and Mary Fahey have still to play.

For details of play-off contact Bowling Alley.

LADIES

**BOWLING** 

The Christmas hamper continues every Tuesday morning at 10.30 a.m. The ladies have been bowling over the past twelve weeks battling it out for the Christmas hamper. It's great to see all the ladies bowling every week giving the competition such support.

The top six ladies are Fidelma Horsom 291, 2 Mary Looby 285, 3 Margaret Hogan 280, 4 Mary Walsh 269, 5 Patricia Donnelly 258, 6 Eileen Gwin 252. Best of luck to you all!

JUNIOR BOWLING

Every Sunday at 10.30 a.m. sees the junior bowling mpetition. At the mo the boys are battling it out for the number one position in the Christmas competition. The highest score this week came from David Crotty, knocking 191 pins. Well done David.

The top six boys in this competition are — 1 David Crotty 1094, 2 Joe Walsh 830, 3 J. P. Fennell 793, 4 Shane Hogan 782, 5 Damien Wall 513, 6 Chris Walsh 508.

Best of luck next week boys.

#### Dungarvan Golf Club Notes

Thursday, December 9 -14 Hole Stableford — Winner, Brendan Mulhall (17) 32 pts. Saturday, December 11—18 Hole Stableford — 1st Tom Melody Jnr. (9) 38 pts; 2nd Ml. Foley (19) 38 pts; 3rd Cyril Power (15) 38 pts. C.S.S. 38. Lions Club Charity 9 Hole Stableford Competition — 1st Cyril Power (16) 23 pts; 2nd Sean Power (12) 22 pts; 3rd Ml. Twomey (14) 22 pts.

MENS FIXTURES

Monday, December 13 'till Friday, December 17 — 14 Hole Stableford. Saturday, December 18 — 18 Hole Stableford plus 11 Hole Stableford. Sunday, December 19 — 18 Hole Stableford plus 11 Hole Stableford (play in fours on both days). 1st tee 8.12 a.m., last tee 12.44 p.m. on both days for 18 Hole competition. Note on Sunday, December 19 S.E.S.A. 10.36 - 12.44.

LADIES RESULTS Tuesday, December 7 — 18 Hole Home Alliance -Winner of Section 1 was J. Melody (16) 30 pts. 2 P. O'Brien (18) 29 pts. 3 M. O'Riordan (23) 28 pts. Runners-up were 1 M. O'Donnell (18) 28 pts. 2 P. Donnelly (19) 24 pts. 3 M. Fleming (33) 24 pts. Thanks to Captain of Home Alliance, Finola, and her committee for the lovely mince pies, went down a treat. Lions Club Charity 9 Hole Stableford Competition — Winner, Tish Baumann (17)

15 pts; Runner-up, Ann Elstead (21) 15 pts. Thanks to the members who supported the Lions Club Charity Appeal.

LADIES FIXTURES

Tuesday, December 21 -14 Hole Stableford. 9 Hole Stableford, 2 cards to count (turkey competition) closing Saturday, December 18, silver and bronze section.

**CHARITY CARD** NIGHT

A charity card night will be held in the clubhouse on Thursday, December 16 in aid of the Lions Club. Progressive 45 being played at 8.30 p.m. All card players welcome.

Results from card night held on December 9 - 1st Jim Hayes and Tom Melody; 2nd John and Peggy O'Brien; Joint 3rd were Sean Sheehan and Noreen Barry and Rose Prendergast and Tom Considine.

LOCKERS

Lockers are now in place in clubhouse, any members wishing to avail of a locker, please contact Tom Whelan.

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES Presentation of all out-

standing prizes ladies and men, will take place in the clubhouse on Saturday, December 18 at 9 p.m. This will be followed by a Christmas get together for members and friends. Transport available from clubhouse on the night. Do come along and enjoy an evening out with friends.

#### **WEST WATERFORD** GOLF CLUB NOTES

#### Super Score At **West Waterford**

Competing in the last of our Christmas hampers on Sunday, Austin Spratt, Course Greenkeeper, recorded the best score ever on the course. Unfortunately his two under par seventy gross will not stand as a course record as winter rules were in play, nevertheless it was a sensational effort on such a long and testing course, dropping just one shot to par on the out of reach 12th and picking up three birdies. Of course his forty four points was more than sufficient to win his hamper and our very worthy Golfer of the Year.

Results — Saturday, December 11 — 18 Hole Stableford (Turkey) — 1st A. Spratt (6) 38 pts; 2nd Dick Murphy (19) 36 pts. Non-winner Prize — Ml.

O'Dwyer (19) 33 pts.

Sunday, December 12 - 18 Hole Stableford (Hamper) — 1st A. Spratt (6) 44 pts; 2nd J. Butler (15) 38 pts; 3rd J. Murphy (6) 37 pts. Non-winners Prize — P. Donnelly (15) 37 pts.

13 Hole Ongoing Competition — Lesley Bowe (18) 30 pts. D. Twomey (19) 29 pts. CLUB MATCHPLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

On Sunday last Andy Hally and Jimmy Healy played the final of the club matchplay and what a match it was. Jimmy, after great wins over some of the clubs best golfers on his way to the final, shook hands with ever consistent Andy Hally on the 17th green to go down two and one.

FIXTURES — Saturday and Sunday, December 18 and 19 — W.L.R. Christmas Hamper Appeal Fund — 13 Hole Fourball Stableford. There are only a few times left on the time sheet. Phone 058-43216.

Society Outing — Priday, December 17 from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Christmas Day — 9 Hole Competition Christmas morning for bottle of brandy. New Year's Eve - Party in the Clubhouse. Tickets

### Causeway Tennis **Club Notes**

#### WINTER LEAGUE

On Sunday last, December 12, our Division 1 team played their second match in the Winter league. We were at home to a strong Lower Aghada team. In near perfect conditions our team improved on their first match performance narrowly losing to very strong opponents.

First on were our singles players, Liam Crotty winning and Ann Brennan losing in what was a good game to watch. Next up were our doubles combinations. Ger Cusack and Michael Collins won and the two T's, Theresa M. Keane and Theresa Keane, lost 6-4 in the third hav-

ing took the first set and losing 7-6 in the second.

Going into the three mixed matches the scores were level at 2-2. Our number one pairing of Liam Crotty and Theresa Keane lost in two sets, Ger Cusack and Ann Brennan (our number two pairing) went down in a very close game and finally, our number 3 pairing of Micheal Collins and Theresa M. Keane completely outclassed the opposition, winning 6-0, 6-0.

Our next tie in this division is being played this Friday, December 17 at home, starting at 6.30 p.m, the opposition being Rush Brooke. Come down and support your team!

In division 3 our "A" team were playing away to Rush Brooke on December 12. Check next week's notes for a complete match report.

Our division 3 "B" team play at home next Sunday, December 19 against Sunday's Well, so if you can't make Friday's game, try to support our "B" team on Sunday.

SINGLES LADDER RESULTS

The results of the Singles Ladder in brief are as follows: Div. A — Ger Cusack; Div. B — Niall Herlihy; Div. C — T. Murray.

Women's Ladder results — Div. A — Cora Cooney; Div. B - Linda Hogan; Div. C - Bridget O'Shea; Div. - Ann Healy; Div. E - Therese Troy.

**CLUB OFFICERS FOR 1993-94 SEASON** President, Ger O'Donovan; Secretary, Maria Kelleher (re-elected), Treasurer, Finbarr Dunphy (re-elected); PRO, Liam Moore; Senior Club Captain, Theresa M. Keane; Clubhouse, Nollaig McCarthy. Committee: Owen O'Mahoney, Ann O'Grady, Linda Hogan, Norma

O'Driscoll, Tom Higgins.
MEN'S DOUBLES LADDER

The doubles ladder has been posted. It's divided into two sections with five pairings in each section. The four matches are to be played by January 23, so start playing your matches now.

TURKEY COMPETITION

The turkey competition is on this coming Saturday, December 18. It is hoped to get proceedings underway at 3 p.m. the entry fee is £3. Names are to be in by December 17 at 6.30 p.m.

Finally, if there is any junior news to be included in the notes, could the info be given to the PRO. Until next week — KEEP ON PLAYING

# Minnies Somesh Oliub Notes

# MIXED FORTUNES FOR CORK DIVISION ONE TEAM

On Friday night, December 3, our men's Division One team played host to Limerick Lawn Tennis and Squash Club in the Cork Leagues. We won 3-2 in the away league but this time we were superb, scoring a 4-1 win.

On Tuesday night, December 8, we were at home again this time to league leaders Collins Barracks. Collins are reported to have been training since July for this league and on their showing at Minnies it was clear to see why they won 4-1.

Despite this set-back the lads are doing very well and with one game away to the Orchard still to come, a third place looks a strong possibility.

Our other Division One team in the South East Leagues played their re-arranged fixture against Clonmel on Monday night, December 6 where, I'm disappointed to report another heavy defeat as the lads lost 1-4. At no. five, Owen O'Mahoney came up against Mick Mackey in a very long five-setter. The chairman of the league just nicked it (9-4, 5-9, 9-2, 6-9,

Well done to Clonmel on their entertaining afterwards. The craic was mighty in the NCO's mess, but no tales will be brought home! O.K. Pa!

The South East team's final game is this Wednesday night, December 15, away to near neighbours The Crystal, who, fair play to them, look like lifting the title. Mind you, the comedians are at it again, calling it the "Dream" team against the "Dreamers.

#### **HOFFMAN'S LAGER**

The second round of the Hoffman's Lager commenced on Tuesday night, December 7, when two ties were up for decision. On court four Rene di Fusco's team booked a quick passage into the semi-finals as they beat Gearoid Fraher's team 9-1 in the matches.

On court three it was a much closer affair as both teams finished at 9-9 in a very exciting affair. But Emmet Byrne clinched it with three victories.

#### OTHER NEWS **ROUND-UP**

The ladder is now in full swing as we approach the second pair of games in the second round. The demand for the ladder is so strong that organiser Margaret Browne had to do a small bit of changing here and there to accommodate the twelve extra players. There are now 12 divisions of five. Next week we will take a closer look at proceedings.

The juniors, though not commanding a huge amount of space in their own right and quite active for as well as taking part in the adult tournaments and ladder, their own coaching continues each Sunday evening from 4-6 p.m., while just commenced on Monday nights is extra coaching for the very top juniors under the watchful eye of club captain Maurice Walsh who will be sure to put the lads under the cosh in an effort to help their

progression further.
Treasurer Mary Coffey informs me that she has secured another sponsor for a junior tournament so the juniors can look forward to a busy post-Christmas for events. It can also be disclosed that Minnies will host the Junior Munster the weekend after our own

open in early March. Good to see the girls from the Nire back in action smiling as much as ever and looking none the worse from their county football and ladies football celebrations. Well done to the ladies and gents of the Nire/Ballymac' on their recent successes. Mind you, one of our nine ladies is feeling a bit like Cinderella, having forgotten her shoes recently, so if anyone arrived home with an extra pair of shoes, if they could let us know!

The adult beginners coaching on Wednesday night is finished until mid-January, so the coaches Maurice, Michael and Frank inform me that the fourth coach Dan McCarthy might have some new techniques for us when he returns from Oz, probably in time for the recommencement of the coaching.

If anyone is looking for Christmas stocking fillers, don't forget our president has beautiful club tee shirts and sweatshirts available at very reasonable prices — a nice practical gift for a friend, loved one, maybe? RACQUETBALL

It's great to see a buzz back again down in the racquetball court after a quiet start. Louise Hallahan and her colleagues deserve great credit for getting the show moving and it's nice to see a large entry in for the pre-Christmas tournament sponsored y Heineken. Already, Billy Hickey's team beat Frank Aird's team, Owen O'Mahoney's team beat Michael Walshe's team and on Wednesday night, December 8, Frances Barry's team beat David Walsh's team with all three going to the fifth and final matches.

Thursday night, December 9 saw the final two second round matches take place when Pat McGovern's team and Michael Tutty's team booked their semi-final

The final will take place this Thursday night, December 16 and not Wednesday as previously reported. The finals are timed for 7 p.m. with two courts in use - all are very welcome to attend.

#### **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

Don't forget our Christmas party this Thursday night and all are welcome. Tickets are available from any squash or racquetball committee member.

**NEW YEAR LADDER** Names are now being taken for the ladder, All those interested please write name on sheet on notice-

board. - THE PEN.

# Claire Long Comes 4th **And Wins Munster Team**

RING/OLD PARISH ATHLETIC CLUB NOTES

# **Gold Medal**

On Sunday last the Na-tional Cross Country Championships took place at St. Augustine's College, Dungarvan and for our own Claire Long it was a marvellous day. Despite the wet and muddy conditions, Claire ran a brilliant race at under-16, finishing in the individual medals in 4th place and to add to this, Claire was a scoring member of the Munster team for which she received a well deserved gold medal. Claire has had a great year this year and it is interesting to note that Claire will still be eligible to run under-16 again next year. So well done Claire on your great performance.

Congratulations also to John Treacy who had a very impressive win in the senior men's inter-county race. John, who began his career with St. Nicholas's AC, Ring, won his first Munster title at u-13 in wet and wintry conditions in Listowel race course on March 1, 1970 and went on to come 3rd in the All-Ireland in Thurles that year. The following year John again won the Munster u/14 and went on to come 3rd yet again in the All-Ireland Championships. In November '71, John won himself the u/15 Munster and this time went on to win his first All-Ireland Cross Country Championship in Bagenalstown, Co. Carlow. In 1972 Waterford had 1st and 2nd in the All-Ireland, Tony Ryan taking the gold here followed in by John Treacy.

Fr. Michael Enright, who was curate in Ring, played an important part in the de-velopment of John's running career. John went from strength to strength and won the senior titles in the seventies on six occasions and led the Waterford team to victory five years in a row. Then on to bigger things — two world cross country championships and Olympic silver in Los Angeles, and after all the years, John is still in top form. Well done, John!

On Sunday last the county team were just out of the medals in 4th place. Kieran Maher ran a great race and finished well up. Kieran, who had been out due to injury, is only recently back in action. Well done also to the other members of the county team who ran very well on the day.
TRIP TO FISHGUARD

On Wednesday, December 8, a large number of our athletes travelled to Fishguard and what an exciting day it turned out to be. On our return journey we encountered gale force wins and stormy seas and had an unexpected overnight stay aboard the Stenna Sealink

"Felicity." We were well catered for during the night with cinema, food, etc. We reached Rosslare at about 7 a.m. the following morning safe and sound. Compliments to our young members on their excellent behaviour on the day.

MUNSTER **CHAMPIONSHIPS** On Sunday next we travel 8.30 p.m.

to Limerick to take part in the Munster 'B' Championships. This will be our last outing of the year and we look forward to a large turn-out of athletes for this

#### **CHRISTMAS DISCO** AND PARTY

Our annual Christmas disco for all our young members will take place on this Friday night, December 17 in Old Parish Hall at

### **Clonea Strand Hotel Leisure** Centre

#### SANTORINI SWIMMING GALA

Another successful swimming gala, sponsored by Santorini Swimwear, was held on Sunday, December 5, at Clonea Leisure Centre. All ages were catered for from the under-4s, with races right up to the mums and dads relay race.

All the smaller children showed their abilities and, some equipped with arm-bands, completed their distance in most determined mood, to the great applause and encouragement of all spectators.

The older children are emerging as fine swimmers. The style displayed by many was almost breathtaking as most would have been only mediocre swimmers when first seen at Clonea Leisure Centre three and a half years ago.

A lot of the races were won by just a finger touch, some being luckier than others at the post, but win or lose, everyone was a winner in our eyes that day. These children must be encouraged as much as possible and join in our advanced swimming groups, some of which are presently running. Lots of new sessions starting in the new year, so watch the notice boards! These sessions will be new to the area and we are confident that they will prove very popular.

Even the mums and dads relay race was won by a touch and all the boys and girls gave tremendous support to their favourites, especially when the dads demonstrated their form in the Biggest Splash Section! Will the mums ever be the same?

Thanks to all the spectators for their support and we know all the children enjoyed the "Bop to the Beat" in the jacuzzi afterwards. Finally, a very big thank you to Santorini Swimwear for their much appreciated support. A full range of their latest swimwear is on display in the Leisure Centre, so now is your chance to look your best!

Here is the list of winners and those deserving special mention-

Open Under-4 — gold, Emer White; silver, Helen Walsh; bronze, Rory Mahony.

Boys Under-6 — gold, Odhran Molloy; silver, Conor Hackett; bronze, Alan Deegan. Girls Under-6 — gold, Sarah Lynch; silver, Emer

Open Under-8 — gold, Mary Clare Walsh; silver,

Jamie King; bronze, Sean Hackett. Boys Under-10 — gold, Richard Mahony; silver, Dermot Molloy; bronze, John Lynch.

Girls Under-10 - gold, Orla White; silver, Sarah Howley; bronze, Elizabeth Walsh.

Boys Under-12 — gold, David King; silver, Rory White; bronze, Nickey Stephenson.

Girls Under-12 — gold, Trudi Walsh; silver, Catrióna Molloy; bronze, Lynn Deegan.

Boys Under-14 - gold, Peter Burke; silver, David King; bronze, Eamonn Connors.

Girls Under-14 - gold, Aisling Carroll; silver, Gillian Mahony.

Special Mention - Martin Carroll, Orla Burke, Mary O'Mahony.

Mums and Dads Relay — gold — Betty Walsh and Dave Mahoney, Donna and Noel Hackett, Ann Howley and Hugh Foley, Ilonda Downes and Ger Howley. Don't forget the Children's Christmas Party, Sunday, December 19 at 5 p.m. All members and friends wel-

# Cunnigar Pitch And Putt Notes

#### LANDERS AND POWER TRIUMPHANT IN TURKEY TOURNAMENT

In very blustery conditions we again had a very large number of members taking part in what are proving to be very popular competitions. Some very impressive scores were once again re-turned. Our winners this week were the very consistent Anthony Landers and Pat Power who returned a fantastic score of 61 1/4 nett with Mike Daly and the Lee Trevino of Kilrossanty, Michael Prendergast in second position just three quarters of a shot behind. Congratulations to everyone concerned.

#### PRESENTATION OF PRIZES

The Value Centre Hole in One prize will be presented

as will all the turkey vouchers on Thursday night next when our annual Christmas Party will be held in the Park House. Looking forward to seeing all out members there for what should

be a very enjoyable night.
GET WELL WISHES The committee and members would like to wish a very speedy recovery to

Mrs. Lenihan.

#### BUMPER **CHRISTMAS** TOURNAMENT

Don't forget our bumper Christmas tournament next Sunday. Names in by 2 p.m. on Saturday.

#### LOTTO

Numbers drawn on Monday night were - 11, 15, 24. One winner: Eileen Whelan, Childers Estate. Promoter John Duggan.

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WATERFORD COLLEGES U-15 'A' **HURLING SEMI-FINAL** 

# Thriller Ends All Square

**DUNGARVAN C.B.S. 1-5 ST. AUGUSTINE'S 1-5** 

Both Dungarvan schools, the C.B.S. and the Friary served up a thrilling game at Bushy Park in this Waterford Colleges hurling semi-final.

With conditions heavy for hurling, scores were few and far between. Alan Harty opened the scoring for the C.B.S. in the 10th minute and Morgan Hamm, scored a great goal for the Friary in the 18th minute. The Friary led by 1-1 to 0-2 at half time.

In the first minute of the second half James Burke had a point for the C.B.S., 1-1 to 0-3. The Friary responded with a point from Neill Power. James Keohane narrowed the gap again in the 45th minute with a good point. A goal in the 52nd minute and a point in the 53rd minute both by James Burke bringing the C.B.S. to level terms.

In the closing minutes there were goal mouth chances at both ends, but no further scores.

Best for the C.B.S. were Kevin Casey in goal, right corner back David Quirke, Bert Ahearne, James Keohane, James Burke and Patrick Cummins. Best for St. Augustine's were Michael Supple, Mark Horan, Pat Fitzgerald and Ian Dunford.

Scorers: C.B.S. - James Burke 1-2, Alan Harty 0-2, James Keohan 0-1. Friary

Morgan Hamm 1-2, Neill Power 0-3.

Dungarvan C.B.S. — Kevin Casey (St. Patrick's), David Quirke (Abbeyside), Paul Condon (Naomh Brid), Michael Tobin Patrick's), Thomas Scanlan (Cappoquin), Mark Coles (Dungarvan), Peter Lynch (St. Patrick's), Bert Ahearne (Dungarvan), James Keohane (Abbeyside), James Burke (Dungarvan), Brian Shanahan (Dungarvan), Patrick Cummins (Abbeyside), Alan Harty (Dungarvan), Dermot Lonergan (Naomh Brid), Paul Landy (Abbeyside).

St. Augustine's — Brian Murray (St. Mary's, Kill), Peter Scanlan (Cappoquin), Michael Supple (Ardmore), Robert Cass (St. Patrick's), Mark Horan (Abbeyside), Victor O'Shea (Clonea Power), Raymond Bannon (St. Patrick's), Pat Fitzgerald (Naomh Brid), Neill Murray (Abbeyside), Morgan Hamm (Butlerstown), Ian Dunford (Naomh Brid), Shane Dower (Ardmore), Neill Power (Dunhill), Dermot O'Shea (St. Patrick's), Michael Murray (Abbeyside). Subs. — S. Prendergast (Ardmore) for Michael

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

THANK YOU NIGHT As I wrote earlier the club are holding a Thank You Night for all who joined with us in the Deise Development Draw. This night will be held in Dunford's on Saturday, December 18. There will be a free draw for all our members of the draw which will include cash prizes, vouchers, etc. There will be 20 prizes in all. There will also be an Irish night. All are welcome

**FAS SCHEME** 

At present we have two workers in Kirwan Park who are employed by the Fas Scheme who have a number of people employed in the parish. The club would like to thank Sean Whelan, Ned Power and Siobhan O'Connell who did a lot of work to get it start-

**CHAMPIONS VISIT** County senior football champions, the Nire, came to Touraneena recently where a celebration night was held in Dunne's Bar. Our Chairman, Michael Quinlan, welcome the Nire and congratulated them on their historic win and wished them plenty of success in the future. Nire

Chairman, Walter Kearney, thanked our club for inviting them to Touraneena and for all our support.
ANNUAL GENERAL

**MEETING** 

The Annual General Meeting of the above club will be held on January 2. All members, players and intending members are asked to attend.

**BABY BOY** 

The club would like to congratulate Rodger and Helena McGrath on the birth of their first baby, a boy. Another Sliabh gCua or Tallow player for the fu-

**HAPPY CHRISTMAS** The club would like to thank all our players, supporters, draw members, club members, draw co-ordinator Catherine Barron, trainers Ger Wyley and Tommy Hennessy and anyone who helped in anyway. Even though it wasn't one of the best years, we still have a lot to look forward to in '94. Happy Christmas and a successful New Year

to all involved. **COUNTY TRIALS** At present a number of players are involved in minor and under-21 trials.

The best of luck to all.

### Primary Schools G.A.A. News



I.N.T.O. MINI SEVENS '92-'93: Ballymacarbry N.S. — Girls Football 7-A-Side Winners 1992 — Back row (l. to r.): C. O'Gorman, M. Power, J. Phelan, P. Walsh, M. Morgan, A. Ryan. Front Row (l. to r.): A. Ryan, L. O'Rourke, L. Looby, V. O'Flynn, M. Doocey. Also included is Mrs. Margaret Cunningham (Chairperson Peil na gCailini). Who will be champions for the school year '93 -'94?

FOOTBALL SKILLS

The Overhead Catch - 5, Last week we stated that the player should meet the ball at full stretch and at the top of the jump. 6, Arms outstretched - hands cupped and wrists cocked to take the ball. Keep both thumbs behind the ball. 7, Grip the ball, bring it into the chest and land in control.

N.B. — Keep the fingers stretched and eyes on the ball. FOOTBALL COMPETITIONS

1993-'94 Roinn A — Observer Cup - Winners Ballymacarbry; Runners-up Car-

riglea/Glenbeg.

Roinn B — I.N.T.O. Cup - Winners Dungarvan; Runners-up Cappoquin.

Roinn C — Pat Flynn

Shield — Winners Clashmore/Piltown/Ballycurrane; Runners-up Ballyduff.

Roinn D - Micheál Culloo Cup - Winners Villierstown; Runners-up Aglish. KNOW YOUR GAME

A player while on a solo run, taps the ball on his knee instead of his toe. Is he allowed to do this?

Answer — Yes.

Beannachtai na Nollag agus na hathbhliana dos na daltai scoile go leir.

#### St. Olivers G.A.A. Club News

LADIES FOOTBALL ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

St. Olivers ladies football club held their third A.G.M. in the Aglish Community Centre on Sunday, December 5. The attendance at the meeting could have been better. These were the officers who were elected for the coming year:

President - Fr. Finbarr Lucey P.P.; Chairman — Fr. Finbarr Lucey P.P.; Vice-Chairman — Michael O'Brien; Secretary - Mary Guiry; Asst. Secretary — Pat Ronayne; Treasurer — Marie Keane.

This is how 1993 went for St. Olivers in the ladies football championships.

Winter was still fully in season when the championship year began for St. Olivers, but Clashmore raised the temperature in the opening minor match to run out easy winners. Victories over Dungarvan and Butlerstown followed, progress to the knockout stages didn't.

Next came the U-16 championship and what an intriguing campaign ensured. Abbeyside visited Aglish on Easter Monday and took the honours by four points. Two weeks later when Saturday came, St. Olivers visited Abbeyside and won by four points. Following two wins over debutantes Cappoquin, Abbeyside and St. Olivers met again. St. Mary's, Dungarvan was the venue,

Abbeyside the winners of the quarter-final clash by a goal.

As soon as the final whistle had been blown on the U-16's, the juniors entered the fray, and as the year progressed so did they. "The Saints" beat St. Patrick's and Dunhill, with a hiccup against Dungarvan in between, on the way to a county semi-final pairing with St. Garvan's, who won the "Battle of the Saints" by 4-8 to 2-7. St. Garvan's went on to take the county title.

The U-14's had varied success, they had victories over Old Parish and Clashmore, but lost to Ardmore, Ballymacarbry and Na Deise.

August saw fixture congestion in the league, but little success for St. Olivers.

And so to '94, we'd love your support over the next year because attendances aren't really as high as they should be.

We wish all our supporters a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. SCÓR NA NÓG

St. Olivers were well represented at Scor na nOg last Saturday night Ballinroad's St. Laurence's Hall. St. Olivers have two representatives in next Saturday nights 7 p.m. Western final at the Mercy Hall, Dungarvan. Kevin Guiry quali-fied for the recitation final, while the quiz team of William Downing, Kevin Cotter and Tom Power have also made it through.

#### Abbeyside/Ballinacourty G.A.A. Club Notes

SCOR NA nOG

We are well represented in this year's Scor na nOg competitions and following some hard work recently, seven acts have qualified for this Saturday evening's Western final.

We have two competitors in recitation representing both Abbeyside and Ballinacourty while there are ballad (A), sketch (B) and question time (B) teams competing along with two solo singers.

Best wishes are extended to each and everyone of them, and hopefully we will have much success at the Mercy School Hall on Saturday next. Starting time is 7 p.m. sharp.

DRAW

This month's Deise Development Draw takes place on December 22.

TIMES PAST

Two weeks ago we featured the first Village fifteen to appear in a county senior hurling decider. This week we look back to 1957 and our second appearance in the final.

Having received a bye in the 1st round, Abbeyside first saw action on June 30 when they accounted for East Division by 5-7 to 4-4.

The semi-final will be memorable for many due to the clash of colours with Erin's Own. The 'Villagers' donned the green and white of Ballinacourty for that clash, and proceeded to cre-

ate the sensation of the year by disposing of the Poleber-ry side by 4-7 to 4-3 on October 6.

Our great rivals from the city, Mount Sion, again provided the opposition in the final, and took the title by 2-10 to 1-2 at the Fraher Field on December 15.

The team was -Hogan, T. Mansfield, A. Flynn, L. Fraher, N. Mc-Govern, D. Enright, L. O'Dea, G. Flynn, B. Curran, J. Hogan (capt.), P. Clancy, P. Hogan, D. O'Connor, A. Hayes, D. Whelan. Subs. — D. Russell (used); M. Kiely, D. Flynn, Pa Foley and P. Whelan.

The team was trained by Mickey Landers.
INSURANCE

SCHEME

In a welcome move by G.A.A. authorities, a new Players Insurance Scheme has been launched for the 1994 season.

A comprehensive range of benefits are available and it certainly will give players, who are unfortunately injured peace of mind, due to being out of work, etc.

Any player who has been sidelined for any period due to injury is sure to see the excellent protection this scheme will give players. The club committee are 100% behind the new project and following the many injuries sustained during the year, welcome this new scheme.

G.A.A. NOTES

# Park Hotel Sports Star Of The Month



• Mr. Pierce Flynn presenting the Sports Star Award to Pat Walsh. Also included is Fr. Patrick Moran, O.S.A., Chairman of adjudicating panel.

The Park Hotel Sports Star of the month for November is Waterford's dual player and captain of the Nire senior football team, Pat Walsh.

During November Pat gave an outstanding display at centre back in the Nire's very impressive semi-final victory over Kilrossanty. Then twenty four hours later he

gave an equally fine display for the county senior hurling team in a National League game against Tipperary at Cappoquin. On Sunday, Nov. 28 he led the Nire to their first ever county senior football title with a one point win over Dungarvan, the turning point in this game was Pat's conversion of a second half penalty.

# THE POINT

In a recent annual, a contributor wrote about the importance of having a good place-kicker on a team and how the expertise of a skilled kicker of frees can make the difference between winning and losing a game, or even a county title.

This point has been exemplified so many times in recent years that dozens of examples can be given where games in both football and hurling were lost because of poor free taking. Here in the Waterford championship the point made here was very clearly demonstrated in several vital games where only a score separated the sides at the finish.

If we look at the football we find many examples and these include matches involving the leading sides.

Take the champions, the Nire, for instance. They have a couple of splendid place kickers and anyone who watched Michael Guiry that they are well serviced in this area, but the point I make is that a single score could have changed history one way or the other for the club. In the end a single point did change history for them. They had many near misses that could have spelt serious trouble for the team and I recall their narrow escape against Kilmacthomas (1-8 to 1-7) in their first game. A single point would have benefitted themselves

or Kilrossanty when they played a draw in their important tie midway through the championship. A single point would have been a big help to the Nire when they played Dungarvan at a later stage of the league section of the championship. That particular point helped Dungarvan along the way, but its loss would have impeded their progress to the final. (Incidentally, the score here was: Dungarvan 2-7, Nire 1-9 and when they met in the county final it was the same score only that the Nire were 2-7 and Dungarvan 1-9). There are other examples involving clubs who were not engaged in the play-off section, where a score would have made a great difference between winning and

We had many instances as well in our hurling championship this year and ever before the league section was played out, a single score would have made a big difference to the result.

The first of the drawn games played in 1993 was the game involving Colligan and Portlaw (Portlaw 0-11, Colligan 1-8). Neither of these clubs were involved at the close of the championship, but both will tell you how they would have benefitted from a single point at that stage (it was the first game for both clubs).

Mount Sion could have benefitted by a single point on the Saturday evening when Dungarvan pipped them (1-10 to 0-12) and the famous Monastery side breathed a sigh of relief when they in turn pipped Fourmilewater (0-17 to 3-7) midway through the championships. Again a single point would have helped Mount Sion or passage when they ended up all square after a thriller which produced a scoreline: Passage 1-7, Mount Sion 0-10. But I suppose Roanmore

But I suppose Roanmore were, more than others, the club who will rue their free taking which certainly cost them dearly this year. At the closing stages they lost by a single point to Passage (2-8 to 2-7) and still qualified but were beaten by a single point by Lismore (1-10 to 0-12) in the semi-final at Cappoonin.

Amazingly, both the county finalists escaped by a single point along the way and then went on to contest a great final, which again was decided by a single point, when Lismore survived on an 0-8 to 0-7 scoreline.

The junior football championships in both codes show the number of games in which a single score would have helped out in the narrow escapes and near miss situations. Kilgobinet and Seana Phobal in junior football have stories to tell about their missed chances at the end stages of the foot-

ball championship. They played a very exciting draw at Cappoquin in the semifinal and the replay a week later gave Kilgobinet victory by just one point.

Kilgobinet were eventually beaten in football, but it was a bigger disappointment when they went under at the final stage in hurling to Clashmore — again by a single point (0-9 to 1-5).

In intermediate hurling the championship also produced cliff-hangers and one of the matches that I recall and which was also one that could have been decided by a single point, was the Clonea versus Stradbally tie which ended in a draw: Stradbally 1-7, Clonea 0-10. They eventually met in the county final which was won by Stradbally.

I cannot leave the subject without referring to one of the best finals of the year which was also decided by a single point and the big crowd who watched Newrated by a single point after an intermediate classic at Stradbally some weeks ago in the intermediate football grade. It was 0-12 to 0-11 on the same day on which Waterford footballers beat Carlow by 0-12 to 0-11 in the National League.

The above might help to illustrate the enormous importance of a single point in a match and the need for a good free-taker.

#### COUNTY BOARD MEETING

The published agenda for the meeting of the County Board on next Monday night indicates that it will be a short session with only nine items on the agenda and many of these are routine matters.

It includes the appointment of the remaining selectors and this refers to the appointment of a fifth junior hurling selector as well as the junior football selectors.

Reports from the special sub-committees will likely give an update on the ticket situation and there will also be the the final monthly report on financial matters.

Also the meeting will hear a report of the first meeting of the new Coisde na Peil meeting and the new First Aid video will be distributed on the basis of one for each club.

#### **Experimental Rule Changes**

The expected debate at Central Council on Saturday did not materialise for a number of reasons. Other changes were proposed in addition to the published document and also there was not time to discuss the matter at the marathon session which was further delayed because of three appeals.

The idea of having a football competition for the purpose of experimenting with rule changes that can go before Congress 1995 may be considered by the new Coisde na Peil in the new season.

# Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

JUVENILE A.G.M.

The annual general meeting of the Juvenile Club was held at the clubhouse on Thursday, December 9 last. John Horgan, the outgoing chairman, presided over the meeting which was very well attended.

He said it had been an exceptionally good year for the club with the under-12s winning the hurling and football for the third successive year. He congratulated the u-14 and u-16 hurling and football sides respectively on winning county titles and also the u-14s on representing club and county in the Feile

in Galway.

The following officers were elected for 1993: Chairman, John O'Brien; Secretary, Pa Meehan; Asst. Secretary, Ray Fennell; PRO, Sean Shanahan. Committee: Kieran Curran, Paddy FitZgerald, Pat Curran, Chris Meehan, John Horgan, Michael Keating, Richie Harty, Pat Collins, Michael Lyons, Peter Ferncombe, Paddy O'Neill, Sean Murphy, David Burke.

SELECTORS

Under-12 H & F — Pat Curran, John O'Brien, Chris Meehan, John Horgan, Sean Shanahan, Michael Keating. U-14 H & F — R. Harty, P. Collins, P. Curran, C. Meehan, M. Keating.

han, M. Keating.
U-16 and 18 F — M.
Lyons, P. Ferncombe, J. Horgan.

U-16 & 18 H — P. O'Neill, S. Murphy, D. Burke, R. Harty, P. Collins.

The following were the lotto numbers drawn on Sunday — 18, 20, 17. One winday

ner: Roger McLoughlin, c/o John Fennell. Next week's lotto £100.

Results of Christmas Lotto Draw as follows — £25 each, Noreen Leahy, c/o Stafford Miller; David O'Connor, Silversprings; Peter Ferncombe Snr., Caseyville; Eileen Power, 10 Western Bay; Ham each, Jonathan Sheehan, Parklane; Paddy Flynn, c/o Dick's; Breda O'Connor, Clonea; Joe Cliffe, 7 Comeragh Crescent; Turkey or Ham, Mary Barry, 73 Springfield; Jackie Ferncombe, Caseyville; Jerry Ryan, c/o Dick's; Vouchers, Siobhan Duggan, c/o Stafford Miller; Rita Brennan, Caseyville; Mary Kelly, Byrneville.

Results of Christmas Draw held for club members subscribing to Deise Development Draw — £50 each — Tommy Kiely, 48 Spring-field; Aine Gallagher, 12 Danesforth Close, Abbeyside; Alan Fitzgerald, 5 Kil-rush Park; Pat Walsh, 86 Springfield; Una O'Riordan, c/o Shamrock Restaurant; James Buckley, c/o Stephen James, Mary Street; John O'Riordan, 11 Sea Park, nn Ferncombe c/o The Park House: Martin Sandford, O'Connell Street; Patrick Daly, Carrigeen, Lackaroe, Youghal. (Advt.) A.G.M.

The annual general meeting of the Adult Club will take place at the clubhouse on this Wednesday evening, Dec. 15, at 8.15 p.m. (Advt.)

Prior to the meeting the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the deceased members of the club at the Friary Church at 7.30.

G.A.A. NOTES

#### BY "COMMENTATOR"

# COUNTY CONVENTION

Judging by the big number of nominations submitted by clubs throughout the county, there seems to be unusual interest in the upcoming county convention which is scheduled for January 15.

Members have been nominated for all ten positions on the County Board and if the many rumours, which seem to be changing all the time, are reasonably accurate, we are certain to have a number of contests.

We are different from most other counties in that we do not have a declaration date which requires named candidates to declare their intentions, so we may have to wait right up to the convention day to know who is and who is not standing.

I'll write more on the subject in the weeks ahead, but in the meantime, here is the list.

Chairman — Eamon Murphy, outgoing; Joe Byrne, Erin's Own; James Tobin, Shamrocks; Frankie Cullinane, Portlaw; Paddy Dunphy, Tramore (former Eastern Board Chairman); Michael Murphy, Dunhill; Tony Mansfield, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty; Michael Ryan, Nire/Fourmilewater.

Secretary - Seamus Grant, outgoing; Anthony Walsh, Colligan/Emmetts; Tim Byrne, Erin's Own.

Treasurer James Walsh, outgoing; Ann Murray, Butlerstown; Christy Dowling, Erin's Own.
P.R.O. — John Jackson,

outgoing; Fiona McDonnell, Tallow; Jim Landers,

Cappoquin/Affane; Brendan Tobin, Sliabh gCua/St. Mary's.

Youth Officer - Sean O'Leary, outgoing; Eddie Cunningham, Tallow. Hurling Officer — John

Kiely, outgoing; Pat Moore, Abbeyside/Ballinacourty; Billy O'Neill, St. Saviours.

Development Officer — John Fraher, Cappoquin/Affane, outgoing; Ann Murray, Butlerstown; Mac Dara Mac Donncadh, An Rinn.

Oifigeach Gaeilge -Nioclas MacCraith, outgoing; Jim Hennessey, Cnoc

Munster Council — Jimmy O'Gorman, outgoing; Tommy Hennessey, outgoing; Seamus Grant, Cnoc Sion; Jim Green, Cnoc Sion; Frankie Cullinane, Portlaw.

Central Council - Seamus O'Brien, outgoing; James Tobin, Shamrocks: Michael Dowling, Erin's Own; Ann Murray, Butlerstown; Pat Curran, Strad-

#### MOTIONS

The majority of the 15/16 motions submitted relate to championship structures and I hope to publish these in full next week in order that clubs, holding their A.G.M.'s over Christmas, will be able to think about them. One comment that I feel like making here is that if we are inundated with motions concerning the championships, then is it not clear that a whole lot of clubs are not satisfied with things as they are.

From speaking to many clubs and individual members, the message seems to come across that a championship divided into groups of about four sections and played on a league/knockout system, is coming very much into favour. I note that Limerick, who are presently in the process of restructuring their county senior championships, are going for something on the above lines, having tried the many other systems.

One of the clubs who have shown their concern in the matter is Ardmore, among others, and they have submitted motions of a very interesting nature, relating to all our championships.

Declan Barron is a man who has many times done a lot of research into championship structures, and he has outlined to me a plan that Ardmore are putting forward for change. I will be publishing this next week, but basically what they are proposing is (in relation to both senior championships) that they both be played in four groups A/B/C/D. Three games each; Winners of each group to qualify for Phelan and Sargent Cup semi-finals and also for senior championship quarter finals, etc.

Their submissions are lengthy and embody all aspects and stages of each championship and they go on to appoint dates for both county finals. They are certainly well worthy of serious consideration as will be seen.

Lismore too, are back with their motions relating to the senior hurling championship which suggest that this be played in four groups before moving out to the knockout stages.

Readers will be given all the details on both next week.

The annual arguments about county convention not having the right to decide on the structures of the championship, is being made again and again. This rule has been there for half a century, but we have been doing things differently, until it was pointed out officially that we were wrong in having things this way.

In many counties, championship structures are discussed at county convention and then passed on to the controlling body, which is the County Board, by way of recommendation. In most counties, too, recommendations from convention are accepted and acted upon by County Boards, but to a great extent the wishes of convention in such matters are ignored by County Board when it comes to discussing the way in which we should run our championships.

There is logic in the submission that junior clubs should not be allowed to decide on how the senior championships should be run anymore than senior clubs should be given the right to decide on systems for running junior championships. Junior clubs outnumber senior and intermediate clubs by a long way. So there is some logic in the rule about these matters being decided by Boards and not by conventions.

# Gael Sport Annual

The Christmas annual is on sale in the shops and those who read the publication will agree that it is probably the best issue since publication began some years ago. There is something to suit everyone's taste including memorable moments from Derry's historic run, optimism by the Lee which deals entirely with the record of Jack Murphy

Appeal

Faile

Waterford's appeal to the Central Council

against the imposition

of a £200 fine for puck-ing the ball along the sideline during the Mun-

ster junior hurling final

against Clare, was un-

successful when heard

The County Board was

represented by the Chairman Eamon O

Murchú and Secretary

on Saturday last.

Seamus Grant.

of Kerry, the hurling mira-cle in Wicklow, junior Gael-sport and a host of other very interesting articles in the 122 pages of delightful reading.

Of particular interest to Waterford readers is the full page devoted to our hurling prospects. It is entitled "Persistence the Key" and it includes a fine colour photograph of the senior hurling team. The writer is satisfied after our performances against Wexford, Down and Tipperary, the devastating blow of losing to Kerry in the championship is now behind us and we are facing 1994 as a whole new challenge. It is certainly a good buy at £4

#### 1994 G.A.A. DIARY

That too is available and as usual contains information on a range of subjects as well as dates for all four provincial championships as well as the dates for the championships at semi-final and final level.

Last year the Association Diary was a sellout shortly after Christmas and many of our people who sought the issue were disappointed.

# **Unique Year** For Ardmore **Juveniles**

In last week's issue I published the honours list for the year and in writing in Ardmore for three underage titles, I didn't give them due credit for being on a par with Lismore in the number of titles won over the season.

Lismore are well accustomed to success, but for a small club like Ardmore to achieve such great success is certainly something which deserves mention and special credit. Enormous work has been done with these young players over the past number of years by a small group of dedicated people who kept on working despite many disappointments.

One of their proudest moments this year was when they won the 'A' under-14 football county champi-onship and thereby qualified to represent Waterford in the Peil na nOg Feile and reach the national semifinals. They lost after a splendid game to Bray, who

were the eventual winners.

Ardmore juniors won the county championship in 1979 (the year the Pope came) and that co-incidentally was the year in which all the players on their present under 14 football team were born.

With his kind of back-up, success at minor and adult level, cannot be very far off.

It is worth noting that two of their three championship victories this year, were in under-16 and under-14 hurling.
DIVISION OF THE SPOILS

It is worth recording that of the 20 championships completed to date, a total of ten were won by each division. For a number of clubs this was a special year as it marked their first success in the particular grade in which they competed.

Notably, the Nire, who were first formed 64 years ago and after ups and downs that sometimes caused much frustration, they took the senior title, when beating the great three-in-a-row Dungarvan champi-

Stradbally, too, enjoyed their best every season in hurling and finished with the intermediate hurling title for their first time, thus allowing the players to rub shoulders with the upper crust in the senior grade next year.

It was a rewarding year, as well for Newtown whose years of frustration came to an end when they won the classic intermediate football final when defeating An Rinn by a single point in a thriller at Stradbally.

Kilmacthomas had to survive a number of epic encounters before edging home in a nailbiting finish in the East before beating Clashmore in a splendid junior hurling county final.

St. Saviours, certain to be a force in hurling in the years to come, broke new ground when taking the county minor hurling title for their first time. They finished off a great battle with Mount Sion to qualify for a county final meeting with underage specialists, Lismore and survived by the minimum.

Readers of St. Olivers notes every week don't have to be asked what winning the minor hurling county 'B' title for their first time since they were first formed way back in 1975, meant to St. Olivers. One of their group told me some weeks ago that St. Olivers were always good but never before, good

Yes, 1993 will be a year to remember for those first timers.

#### STORM DAMAGE

Association property suffered quite a bit throughout the county during the storms early this month. Worst damage was done to the stand at Walsh Park when the roof was blown out on the to roadway outside. The field committee worked quickly in having the road closed off and luckily no one was injured. The replacement of the stand at Walsh Park is listed as part of the planned redevelopment and since it was no longer a safe part of the structure, the damage might have been a blessing in disguise. The Walsh Park field committee are currently in the process of preparing a submission for planning per-

Cappoquin and Butlerstown goal-posts also suffered damage, but nothing more serious.



Eight year olds Sarah Foley and Claire O'Sullivan practice the shoulder to shoulder clash during a recent visit of Sceim I lomana na nOg.



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WATERFORD COUNTY COUNCIL

# Dan Hurley "Man Of Vision And Foresight"

CONTINUED FROM PAGE ON

Cllr. Billy Kyne praised the County Manager for the many infrastructural improvements he had made which, Cllr. Kyne felt, had brought the county well ahead in the tourism drive.

"He was a friend to me, a friend to this county, and much much more than a County Manager", Cllr. Kyne added. He particularly praised the County Manager for his humane attitude in remembering the needs of other people in areas such as the housing programme.

Cllr. Jackie Fahey described Mr. Hurley as an outstanding Co. Manager who he felt had "gone above and beyond the call of duty". "He was a perfect gentleman", stated Cllr. Fahey "humane, co-operative and helpful to any members of the public he came across".

Endorsing the sentiments of councillors Kyne and Fahey, Cllr. Pat Coffey thanked the Co. Manager for his efforts in bringing Michelle Leathers to Portlaw. "Mr. Hurley's door", he added, "was always open to every councillor".

Further commending the work of the County Manager Cllr Kieran O'Ryan described Mr. Hurley as a "man of vision and foresight". "The County", Cllr. O'Ryan stated, "is a monument to the great work he has pioneered". he regretted the fact of Mr. Hurleys retirement and added that the councillors "owe a deep debt of gratitude to him".

On behalf of the members of the press, Mr. John Mur-

#### Dungarvan Harriers Hunt

On Sunday last, December 12 the Dungarvan Harriers Hunt met at Coolaneen Cross for the first time ever under Huntsman Michael Condon and whippers-in Charlie Trigg, John Buckley and Patrick Ormond.

Despite poor weather conditions early in the day, there was an excellent turnout. No sooner had the hounds entered the first covert when a fox was rised and led us to one of our best day's for a long time.

We wish to thank the farmers in the area who allowed us to cross their land and to the Harrington family for the light refreshments served after hunting, to one and all.

phy who served under all three County Managers said Mr. Hurley was the "finest County Manager" he had served with. "His legacy", Mr. Murphy enthused, "can be seen throughout the length and breadth of Waterford".

The other councillors added their tribute as did the County Engineer, John O'Flynn, who thanked Mr. Hurley for the freedom he had always given him "to get on with the job".

Concluding Mr. Hurleys last Waterford County Council meeting, the Chairman, Cllr. Con Casey said it was his pleasure to present Mr. Hurley with a memento of his time in Waterford in the form of a bound copy of "The History Of County Waterford" which he duly presented to him.

Replying the Manager expressed his gratitude and appreciation to the membership for their friendship and support. "I have tried to do my best, I believe I was fair, and I had a particular style of management", Mr. Hurley concluded.

Mr. Hurley, a native of Blackpool, is set to retire back to his native Cork on January 6 and the County Secretary, Mr. Brian Mc-Nally will be appointed Acting County Manager until such time as a new County Manager is appointed.

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