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SOUTH EAST REGIONAL AUTHORITY

## Kyne Elected Vice Chairman

The first inaugural meeting of the new South East Regional Authority in Clonmel last Tuesday, saw Waterford County Councillor Billy Kyne (Labour) elected on a majority of 22 votes to 12 to the esteemed position of Vice Chairman.

### WORTHY TRIBUTE

An active man in the local government scene, Kyne has always shown tremendous leadership capabilities, decisiveness and a kinship with his fellow townspeople. Already a member of Waterford County Council, Dungarvan Urban District Council and Chairman of the Co. V.E.C. Kyne has a glowing reputation as a man of the people. With this new 12 month tenure position he has achieved yet another great milestone in his successful career and it is a worthy tribute to his political prowess.

In an exclusive interview with the 'Dungarvan Leader' Cllr. Kyne said that he was both "pleased and honoured to be Vice Chairman at such an historic meeting".

"I feel the experience I have gained at the South East Regional review committee on

European Structural Funds can play a critical role in ensuring that this Regional Authority has a meaningful input on the population it purports to serve." Stressing the importance of the Regional Authority in becoming a positive forum for the South East, Cllr. Kyne added; "This will take some time and dedication and I am committed as Vice Chairman to contribute to that process".

### TIPPERARY HEADQUARTERS

The regional headquarters for the 35 strong member board was voted surprisingly as Clonmel on a 19 strong vote with 15 votes for Waterford city. The area under the South East Regional Council consists of Waterford County and the administrative counties of Carlow, Kilkenny, Tipperary South Riding, Waterford and Wexford. The

next meeting of the Regional Council will be held in Carlow on the 25th April, with successive monthly meetings to be held in each body of the region on a rota basis.

### ELECTED COUNCILLORS

At the January meeting of Waterford County Council, 6 council members rep-

representative of the three main political parties were nominated to this new Regional Council. Dan Cowman and Pat Kenneally of Fianna Fail, Pat Coffey and Michael Queally of Fine Gael and Billy Kyne and Lar Hart of the Labour Party. As members of the South East Regional Authority these six councillors have the task of

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CLLR. BILLY KYNE

## Tourism Vital To Dungarvan

Next Tuesday, March 8th, Dungarvan Tourism Ltd. will host an information evening and video show, aimed at improving the townspeople's awareness of tourism in the area.

Naturally, tourism plays a most vital role for Dungarvan in terms of employment and the spin off effect it creates. In a concerted effort to extend the timespan of Dungarvan's tourism season, this information evening will also see the launch of a new tourism video prepared by Kevin Wyley highlighting tourism promotion in the

area.

Stressing the need to bring more conferences to the town, Mr. Joe Palmer of South East Tourism, will speak at the function on the significance of how much business a conference will bring. Nuala Ryan, Chairperson of Dungarvan Tourism Ltd. will outline the facilities the town has to offer. Aine Ui Cheallaigh will also speak as to how she secured the Oireachtas for Dungarvan in 1994.

All are welcome to attend and light refreshments will be served.

## D.E.A. EXECUTIVE PRESENTATION



Picture shows Sean McAulliffe, President Dairy Executives Association (DEA), making a presentation to Michael Brosnan, to mark his retirement as Past President of the DEA. Group shows back (l to r) Stephen O'Connor, Managing Director Waterford Foods plc, Jim Norris, Secretary Waterford Branch DEA, Niall Herlihy, Chairman Waterford Branch DEA, John Barry, Chairman Waterford Foods plc. Front — Sean McAulliffe, Michael Brosnan and Michael's wife Pat Brosnan. (Photo: Pat Crowley)

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# County Tourism Committee Established

The first meeting of the new Co. Waterford Tourism Committee was held in Jury's Hotel, Waterford on Friday, February 18.

Under the Chairmanship of Mrs. Margaret Kent, the first task of the Committee will be the production of a tourism plan for Co. Waterford which will be incorporated into the plans of both Waterford City and Waterford County Enterprise Boards.

The Co. Waterford Tourism Committee has been formed following a directive by the Minister for Tourism and Transport — Mr. Charlie McCreavy T.D., that a body be established in each county as part of the new "hands on" approach to tourism development at local level.

For this purpose the committee is drawn from all facets of tourism and from state agencies and local



government in the county. Included in the photograph taken at the inaugural meeting are Brian

McNally, Acting Co. Manager, Waterford County Council, Mrs. Margaret Kent, Chairman, County

Tourism Committee, Austin Crowe, Chairman, South East Tourism, Joe Palmer, Regional Tourism Manager,

South East Tourism, Michael Doody, City Manager, Waterford Corporation and Jack Walsh, Senior

Tourism Officer, South East Tourism who will act as Administrator to the committee.

## THE CREDIT UNION AND YOU

**Question** — What is The Common Bond?

**Answer** — A Credit Union Common Bond is the area and the people it is registered to serve. The law provides for a number of different common bonds. Two types generally exist:

(i) Community Bond — This bond exists where members are resident or employed in a particular locality or neighbourhood.

(ii) Occupational or Associational Bonds — These bonds provide for people of

the same occupation or for those employed by a common employer or who belong to the same association or society.

The Community Common Bond is by far the most frequent with 90% of all Credit unions in Ireland operating within it. It caters for all members within the community.

An essential element of any Credit Union is that all members and potential members should have something in common with each other. This is called "their common bond". The group which forms the Credit Union initially shares a common bond of interest and common purpose. The common bond describes the ties that bind the members together.

Having a real common bond is essential for the success of a Credit Union. It ensures that there exists among the membership a sense of mutual concern, loyalty and trust. The common bond protects the Credit Union because members know each other and this provides the necessary safety factor for the successful making of loans to members. It helps the voluntary involvement.

Why not find out more about the benefits of Credit Union Membership by enquiring at our offices at 32 Mary Street, Dungarvan or Stradbally or any of our Mid-Waterford Collection Points.

## A Soldier

I was that which others did not want to be,

I went where others feared to go, and did what others failed to do.

I asked nothing from those who gave nothing and reluctantly accepted the thought of eternal loneliness — should I fail.

I have seen the face of terror; felt the stinging cold of fear; and enjoyed the sweet taste of a moment's love.

I have cried, pained, and hoped — but most of all,

I have lived times others would say were best forgotten.

At least some day I will be able to say that I was proud of what I was — A Soldier.

## DUNGARVAN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

# Danger Waiting To Topple

At their monthly meeting last week, U.D.C. members strongly criticised the 'unsafe' condition of boundary walls in Childers Estate.

The matter had been raised following a proposal by Chairman Cllr. Tony Wright requesting the Council to carry out "a survey into the condition of the boundary walls in Childers and that remedial action be taken to avoid any danger to tenants or the public."

Cllr. Wright was responding to a recent court case which had resulted in the Urban Council footing an award damages bill after a wall had fallen and injured a person in the same estate.

The majority of these boundary walls outside houses in Childers Estate were built by the tenants themselves with the necessary materials supplied by the Council. Although many of the walls were built to a high standard, Cllr. Wright felt that many other walls were poorly constructed and liable to topple at a later stage.

"Another wall fell over the weekend," claimed an anxious Cllr. Wright, who further stated that he himself had seen walls 'shaking.' "These walls are dangerous," the Chairman concluded "and it was a mistake to have given tenants the materials with which to build them . . . despite having the best will in the world."

**WALLS WILL BE KNOCKED**  
Supporting the Chairman's proposal, Cllr. Michael

O'Riordan told his fellow members that they "as local authorities have the responsibility to make the walls safe."

Doubt, however, was expressed by Cllr. Austin Hallahan, who posed the question of legal ownership. Whether the walls belonged to the Council being on Council property or whether the tenants them-

selves owned the walls, having built them themselves.

Responding to the Councillor's queries, Acting County Manager, Brian J. McNally, explained that if the walls are dangerous, then "a notice will be served on persons to do something about it." Should the situation arise, where the tenants refuse to remedy

the situation "then the walls will be knocked by the Councils engineering staff," Mr. McNally candidly added.

Cllr. Kyne, however, urged that "dialogue be made" with the tenants involved, before knocking the walls.

Sticking to his earlier conviction, Mr. McNally replied that if the making-safe of walls in Childers meant "going out, knocking them down and taking them away — so be it."

## £3,500 PRIZE GOES TO WEST WATERFORD AND YOUGHAL



Group pictured recently at the presentation of a cheque for £1,750 to Mr. and Mrs. Shine from Cappagh who were winners of the ReHab Radio Bingo Jackpot on WLR FM. The other lucky winners were Mr. Mike Lynch and his wife from Youghal. All proceeds from ReHab Radio Bingo are used locally and go to help people in Waterford City and County. Photo shows (left to right), Bob Houston and Monica Leech of WLR FM, Mrs. Maureen Shine and her husband and Michelle Condon of WLR FM.

## Leader CROSSWORD

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**SOLUTION: Across** — 1 Fade. 3 Fib. 5 Ajar. 7 Fantastic. 9 Loam. 10 Dove. 11 Flash. 14 Poser. 15 Utter. 17 Odour. 18 Limit. 19 Rinse. 20 Hefty. 23 Walk. 25 Keep. 27 Envisaged. 28 Flat. 29 Tie. 30 Navy. **Down** — 1 Fall. 2 Edam. 3 Fatal. 4 Basic. 5 Acid. 6 Rage. 7 Facsimile. 8 Contented. 11 Froth. 12 Aloof. 13 Hurry. 14 Pal. 16 Rye. 21 Edict. 22 Trade. 23 Waif. 24 Knit. 25 Keen. 26 Pray.

IRISH PERMANENT BUILDING SOCIETY - CONVERSION TO PLC

# IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MEMBERS

The Board of Irish Permanent is recommending to members that the Society converts into a public limited company and lists its shares on The Stock Exchange.

This is a significant development for Irish Permanent which the Board considers will assist in the further development of the range and quality of the Society's products and services. The Board considers, therefore, that Conversion and Flotation are in the best interests of all the Society's customers.

Business will continue as usual after Conversion, when Irish Permanent will have been licensed to operate as a bank. The Society's core business of residential mortgages and personal savings will remain unchanged as a result of Conversion. Savings and deposit accounts with the Society will become deposits with Irish Permanent plc on the same commercial terms and conditions as before. Savings accounts will not be converted into shares in Irish Permanent plc.

A conversion resolution will be proposed at the Annual General Meeting to be held at R.D.S. Main Hall, Royal Dublin Society Showgrounds, Ballsbridge, Dublin 4, at 11 a.m. on 23 March, 1994. Detailed information on the Conversion process has been posted to members entitled to vote on the conversion resolution.

Members will be kept informed during the course of this process either by direct communication or by announcement in the national media.

Certain members will be entitled to receive Free Shares or a Cash Distribution if Conversion is approved by the Members and completed. A summary of entitlements is set out below.

*Members should be aware of the minimum qualifying conditions both to vote on Conversion and to be entitled to Free Shares or the Cash Distribution. They should therefore take care not to put at risk their potential entitlement(s).*

#### SUMMARY OF ENTITLEMENTS

The following is a summary of the qualifying conditions for entitlements contained in Parts VII and VIII of the Conversion Statement. (The Conversion Statement contains definitions of the terms used in this announcement). This summary is intended to be a guide only and, therefore, cannot be relied upon for the purposes of definitive confirmation of an individual's eligibility.

To qualify for Free Shares or the Cash Distribution all the requirements set out in the relevant category must be fulfilled.

#### ENTITLEMENT TO VOTE ON CONVERSION - REQUIREMENTS

A person who is both a Voting Saver and a Voting Borrower is only entitled to one vote.

##### Voting Saver

A Voting Saver:

1. has held an investment share account(s) to the value of not less than £100 continuously from 1 July, 1993 up to and including the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994, and
2. in the case where an investment share account(s) has been held jointly at any time during the above period, has been the first-named account holder, and
3. is not a Minor.

##### Voting Borrower

A Voting Borrower:

1. has a housing loan(s) with an outstanding balance of not less than £500 at the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994, and
2. in the case of joint borrowers is the first-named borrower.

#### ENTITLEMENT TO FREE SHARES - REQUIREMENTS

Each entitlement consists of an allocation of 300 Free Shares (600 Free Shares if a person is both a Qualifying Saver and a Qualifying Borrower).

##### Qualifying Saver

A Qualifying Saver:

1. has held an investment share account(s) continuously from 23 February, 1992 up to and including the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994, and
2. has held an investment share account(s) to the value of not less than £100 continuously from 1 July, 1993 up to and including the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994, and
3. in the case where an investment share account has been held jointly at any time during the period in one above, has been the first-named account holder, and
4. is resident in Ireland and/or the other Permitted Territories at the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994.

##### Qualifying Borrower

A Qualifying Borrower:

1. had a housing loan(s) at 23 February, 1992 and in the case of joint borrowers, was the first-named, and,
2. has a housing loan(s) at the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994 on which the outstanding balance is at least £500 and in the case of joint borrowers, is the first-named, and
3. is resident in Ireland and/or the other Permitted Territories at the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994.

#### ENTITLEMENT TO THE CASH DISTRIBUTION - REQUIREMENTS

The Cash Distribution to a Cash Recipient amounts to 20% of the balance on his/her investment share account(s) as at 31 December, 1993 subject to a maximum payment of £200 per member and £5 million overall.

##### Cash Recipient

A Cash Recipient:

1. is not entitled to an allocation of Free Shares as a Qualifying Saver, and
2. has held an investment share account(s) continuously from 23 February, 1992 up to and including the date of the AGM, 23 March, 1994, and
3. in the case where an investment share account(s) has been jointly held at any time during the period, has been the first-named account holder, and
4. held on 31 December, 1993 a balance of not less than £10 on his/her investment share account(s).

The Permitted Territories are: Ireland, Australia, Belgium, Canada, The Channel Islands, France, Germany, United Kingdom, Italy, The Netherlands, Saudia Arabia, South Africa, Spain, Switzerland, The Isle of Man.

If you have any questions, please telephone the Conversion Helpline between 9.00 a.m. and 6.00 p.m. weekdays or call in to your local branch. The Conversion Helpline telephone numbers are: 1 850 678 500 (calls charged at local Telecom call rate) and 01- 678 9288 (for calls from outside the Republic of Ireland).



## Oh Dear — It's Mow Time Again



Just because there is plenty of planting that can be done in March, don't neglect garden 'fix-tures' such as specimen plants and the lawn.

You can start mowing this month providing you don't do so when the grass is brittle after a frost. You should also follow the 'high and dry' advice — blades set about an inch high on a dry surface to avoid churning and damaging early growth. Use of a cylinder mower will also give the lawn a beneficial rolling.

As the weather warms towards the end of the month you can help growth along with a lawn fertiliser and also sow seed for repairs or new areas of grass — or even a new lawn of you have prepared the soil in advance.

Aim to complete the pruning of established roses during the month. The key steps are:—

1 — Cut away dead, blighted, frost burned or deformed growth.

2 — Prune spindly shoots back to a sturdy bud that faces outwards.

3 — Carefully trim last year's growth — by just a third in the case of floribunda and climbing varieties. HT roses can be ruthlessly cut by two-thirds.

After pruning, rake a dressing of fertiliser into the area above the roots but not necessarily right up to the base of the main stem.

Finally, renew or apply a good mulch of stripped / pulverised bark of other material to retain moisture and deter weeds from popping their heads up.

Alternatively, you could plant a highly attractive ground-hugging carpet of alyssum, lavender or saxifrage.

Apart from the roses, check round other specimen plants which may need trimming and also look at your man-made fixtures such as the compost heap.

If it needs repair or building after the winter then do it now before the growing season gets into full swing and it needs to cope with large quantities of greenstuff.

Similarly, check cold frames and greenhouses for damage — you'll be wanting to make the most of them for starting half-hardy flowering plants — alyssum, asters, lobelia, marigolds and so on — or for exotic and vulnerable vegetables and fruits such as aubergines, peppers, melons and tomatoes.

They may also need fumigating with a smoke-type pesticide.

Unfortunately, unless you have already done your deep digging, it's too late to do a proper job on the most important garden fixture — the soil.

However, you can turn the top few inches of soil and work in some well-rotted garden compost or manure. Since you can't dig too deep to help drainage, it is even more crucial to avoid compressing the soil as you work, so stand on the path or a plank while you wield fork and spade.

Needless to say, pull out any weeds and dispose of them in dustbin bags — not on the compost heap where seeds can survive to plague you again!

Arthur Hines.



**PRIZEWINNERS FROM LISMORE G.A.A. CLUB IN THE RECENT DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW** — (Left to right) — Mossie Hyland (Club President), John and Mary Walsh (winners of the car), David Barry (£100 winner), Kathleen and Liam Barron (£800 holiday winners) and Michael Quann. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

## Ardmore I.C.A. Notes

In spite of the truly awful weather, three Oireachtas Representatives from An Rinn, came to Ardmore as arranged on Monday night 21st February, Doírín Mhic Mhuarcadha, Eibhlín Mhic Dhonnacáda and Áine Bean Uí Cheallaigh. The meeting was held in the I.C.A. room and considering the inclement weather, there was a satisfactory attendance, which included Rev. Canon O'Connor.

Áine explained the Oireachtas and all its activities to us and outlined areas where Ardmore could have an input.

A further meeting for those interested will be held in the I.C.A. room Ardmore, on next Monday 28th February at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

## Pedestrians — Be Safe, Be Seen

Over a quarter of the people killed on our roads each year are pedestrians. Pedestrians need to look out for themselves and take common sense precautions:

- If there is a footpath — use it.

- If there is not a footpath, walk/run/jog on the right-hand side of the road, facing oncoming traffic, keeping as close as possible to the side of the road.

- Drunken pedestrians — like drunken drivers — are a source of danger to themselves and to other road users.

- Walk not more than two abreast and if the road is narrow or carries heavy traffic, walk in a single file.

### AT NIGHT

Over half of fatal accidents to pedestrians occur during the hours of darkness. To be safe you must be seen. When out on a dark road at night, remember that although you can hear a car coming and see its lights, it's driver probably cannot see you and certainly cannot hear you at all. Unless you make yourself easily seen, you are in danger. This is particularly important when walking on an unlit road.

### SO

- ★ Wear a pair of reflective armbands or a Sam Browne belt. These will help you to be seen for a distance.

- ★ Wear light coloured clothes.

- ★ On country roads, carry a torch.

## Ballysaggart Notes

### CEOL AN GEIMHREADH WINNERS

Congratulations to Ballysaggart/Ballinvella/Ballyduff Comhaltas set dancers who qualified for the All-Ireland finals with a marvellous win in the Munster final in Thurles last weekend.

### CARDS

Results as follows — 1st Joe and Cissie Power; 2nd Paul Kennedy and Mary O'Neill; 3rd Sean Bennett and Sheila Lonergan. Best of last 5 — Myra Ryan and Ann O'Donovan. Lucky Tables — Mick Morrissey and Tom O'Brien, Jim Russell and Brian Ahearn. Raffle — Sean Bennett, Pat Ryan, Tom O'Brien, John Kennefick.

### BALLYSAGGART G.A.A. CLUB HOLDS ANNUAL SOCIAL

120 guests attended Ballysaggart G.A.A. Club's annual social in Lismore Hotel on Friday night last. The management and staff are to be complimented on the excellent meal served. M.C. for the night was club secretary, Michael Clancy, while the main speaker was club chairman, Jimmy Kearney. In his speech Jimmy thanked all who had contributed to the club's activities during the year, with a special thank you to all who supported the club's only fund raising venture, the Deise Development Draw and also thanked Breeda Clancy for her tro-

jan work in co-ordinating the draw. Nugent's Garage were thanked for their generous jersey sponsorship while Scor representatives James Lenane and our set dancers were congratulated on their success. In conclusion on behalf of all present and indeed all Ballysaggart people, Jimmy wished a speedy recovery to John Joe Troy who is presently hospitalised. The remainder, of what was a most enjoyable night, was given over to dancing to the excellent "Cheers".

### ANNUAL MASS

Annual Mass for deceased members will be held on Friday night, March 4 at 7.30 p.m. in Ballysaggart Church. All members are invited to attend.

### DEISE DEVELOPMENT DRAW

The first draw in this series has been deferred to March 18. Draw tickets will still be sold until then. We wish to take this opportunity to thank all who supported what is now the club's only fund raising venture and we look forward to having many winners over the next twelve months.

### COUNTY FINALS OF SCOR

The county finals of Scor took place in Tallow last Saturday night. Ballysaggart were represented in two competitions with our set dancers and recitation representatives both in action. Unfortunately county titles eluded both, but that should in no way take from the fine performances as with so many games and competitions the difference between winning and losing is so small. On this occasion the nod went to our opponents but two seconds for a small club is a tremendous achievement.

## FILL UP ON PORK



### PORK KIEV

#### Ingredients

4x100g (4oz) pork escalopes  
salt and black pepper

#### Garlic butter

100g (4oz) butter or margarine  
3 cloves garlic, crushed  
2x15ml sp (2tbs) fresh parsley, chopped

#### Soft cheese and garlic filling

100g (4oz) low fat soft cheese  
2 cloves garlic, crushed  
2x15ml sp (2tbs) fresh parsley, chopped

1 egg, beaten  
75g (3oz) wholemeal breadcrumbs  
4x15ml sp (4tbsp) fresh parsley, chopped

#### Method

Choose either of the fillings. In a small bowl, combine the ingredients. Place on a piece of greaseproof paper and form a cylinder shape, roll up, twist ends to seal. Freeze the butter or chill the cream cheese for 30 minutes. Divide filling between the escalopes and roll up the escalopes, tucking the ends in. Secure with cocktail sticks. Combine breadcrumbs and parsley in a bowl. Dip escalopes in egg and then roll in breadcrumbs. Place on a baking sheet. Cook in a preheated oven gas mark 4, 180°C, 350°F for 20-25 minutes until golden.

Serve with jacket or new potatoes and salad.

Serves 4.

## Arthritis Foundation of Ireland

The Arthritis Foundation of Ireland requires volunteers to organise their annual church gate collections.

If you would be willing to help out in your area please contact Shirley Delaney at The Arthritis Foundation of Ireland, 1 Clanwilliam Square, Grand Canal Quay, Dublin 2. Telephone 01-6618188.



Pictured above are members of the Ballyduff Community Council who attended a meeting recently. Included in the front row are John Kenny (Chairman), Ellen Daly (Secretary), Pat Hannon (Treasurer), Theresa Noonan (P.R.O.) and Paddy Jim Feeney (Vice-Chairman). Photo: M. Flynn

# Cowardly Assault By Local Man

"Cowardly" was how Judge Michael Pattwell described a recent assault case, in which a man was repeatedly kicked into the face as he lay prone on the ground by defendant Stephen Duggan of Childers Estate.

The 20 year old defendant currently bound to the peace for a similar charge, pleaded guilty to the charge of common assault.

**DISTRESSED STATE**  
Outlining the facts of the case, Garda Helena Foley told the court that on the 13th December, Liam Waters accompanied by his girlfriend Eileen McGrath had come to the Garda Station in a 'distressed state'. Waters face was 'marked extensively' with bruises on his forehead, both cheeks, blackened eyes and a cut and swollen lip. He had then complained to Garda Foley, who was on duty, that he had been assaulted at Grattan Square by Stephen Duggan at around

3 a.m.

## "KICKED INTO FACE"

Liam Waters told the court that on the night in question he had gone out with his girlfriend Eileen McGrath. At 2.45 a.m. they left Genoa's chip shop and were on their way home. As they were passing An Bialann, a long haired girl outside the chipper muttered "look at that tramp" in the direction of Miss McGrath.

Waters said he then stepped back and asked the girl what she had said and the girl again repeated the statement. At this the witness replied, "she's not, if anyone, it's you".

Following this exchange, Waters was hit by an un-

known person on the side of his face which caught him off balance. Waters further stated that the defendant, Stephen Duggan, had run over from the Square and hit the witness with his fist on the side of his face. The witness fell to the ground where he was repeatedly kicked into the face. Describing his injuries as 'very bad', Waters said his nose was 'still sore'.

## BOYFRIEND COVERED IN BLOOD

Miss Eileen McGrath, girlfriend of the witness, told the court that after coming out of Genoa's, she had walked a little ahead of Waters. As she was passing an unknown girl standing between An Bialann and the chipper, she had heard the girl calling her a 'tramp'. Waters had then asked the girl what she had said and an unknown man had given him a fist in the face' which caused him to stagger back.

Following a blow to the face from the defendant, Waters fell on the ground where Duggan and the unknown man started to kick him 'very forceful kicks' mainly into the face. Miss McGrath shouted "leave him alone", at which stage Waters was 'covered in blood'. When the attackers left the scene, Miss McGrath helped her boyfriend off the ground and later went to the Garda Station where they both made statements.

## DEFENDANT VERY DRUNK

The 20 year old defendant, Stephen Duggan, claimed that on the night in question,

he had gone to a few pubs as it was his birthday. Duggan claimed that he had heard the witness 'picking on a girl'. Admitting that he had been 'very drunk' and was "in the horrors", Duggan claimed that he had 'walked down the road' and pushed the witness, but stated that he did not kick him.

Representing the DPP, Garda Supt. Ray McAndrew told the court that Duggan's previous convictions included larceny, causing malicious damage, possession of an offensive weapon and common assault. Duggan had also entered into a bond to keep the peace for 3 years.

Judge Michael Pattwell sentenced the defendant to 6 months detention in St. Patrick's Institution. Recognisances were fixed in the event of an appeal.

## St. Mary's Parish, Dungarvan

### EVENING MASS FOR LENT

Monday to Friday in St. Mary's at 7.30 p.m.

### SERVICE OF LIGHT

Service of Light for pupils in Confirmation Classes, St. Mary's Primary School, on Wednesday, March 2, at 7.30 p.m. in school.

### TUESDAY, MARCH 8

First Penance for girls and boys in First Class, St. Mary's School at 7.30 p.m. in the church, No evening Mass.

### SERVICE OF LIGHT

Service of Light for pupils of Scoil Gharbhan in Friary Church on Wednesday, March 9 at 7.30 p.m.

### FAMILY MASS

Family Mass for pupils and parents in Primary Schools continues on Sunday, March 6 at 10.30 a.m.

## DUO IN CONTEMPT OF COURT

Two local youths were held in contempt of Dungarvan District Court last week by Judge Michael Pattwell.

After being ordered to leave the court, one of the juveniles told Garda Helena Foley to "f... off", while his companion also muttered obscenities. The duo were subsequently kept in custody while Judge Pattwell dealt with a case on hand.

"While still within the environs of this court and within my hearing, you insulted a member of the

Garda Siochana " declared the Judge.

The 17 year old was ordered to undertake 50 hours community service in lieu of a 3 day detention service in St. Patrick's Institution. A suitability report from the Probation Officer was also ordered for the next sitting of the court.

The remaining youth who claimed to be 15 years of age was remanded on bail of £25 to Dungarvan district court on March 9th during which time enquiries as to ascertain his age are to be made by the Gardai.

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# RECENT DEATHS

## Mrs. Kathleen Barry (née Power)

It is with the most sincere and deep regret we chronicle the passing of Mrs. Kathleen Barry, Carriglea, Dungarvan, which occurred on Friday morning, February 25 at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan after a duration of illness, borne in a true Christian spirit and fortified by the Rites of Holy church.

The deceased was relict of Paddy Barry who predeceased her by some years. She was a member of a popular and widely connected West Waterford family and was a friend of all who had the great pleasure of her acquaintance by reason of her many charming qualities, especially her cheerful disposition and by wonderful Christian charity which she practised by word and deed.

She was a wonderful wife and a mother of the highest degree and to her sorrowing daughter Mary, sister Annie, grandchildren, son-in-law Roy, her many nephews and nieces, cousins and friends we extend our deepest sympathy at her passing.

Her remains were removed on Saturday evening from the hospital mortuary to Ballinroad Church after the requiem prayers were recited by Rev. C. Kelly, C.C. On arrival at the church her coffin was blessed and received by Fr. Kelly, assisted by Rev. Sean Tobin, Deacon.

Concelebrated Mass was offered on Sunday morning for the happy and eternal repose of her gentle soul. The chief celebrant was Fr. G. McNamara, C.C., assisted by Rev. Sean Tobin, and also present was Very Rev. R. Doherty, P.P. The Lessons were read by her grandsons Darren and Justin Barton.

After the celebration of the Mass the interment took place in the adjoining cemetery. The above clergy again officiated.

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

Chief mourners — Mrs.

Mary Barton (daughter), Darren, Justin, Keith and Richard Barton (grandchildren), Roy Barton (son-in-law), Mrs. Annie Dineen, Clonea, (sister), and a large circle of nephews, nieces, cousins, relatives and friends.

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

## Late Mary (May) Wall

The death has taken place after a short illness of Mary (May) Wall, Goulane, Old Parish and formerly of Newtown, Kilmacthomas.

A member of a much respected farming family in Old Parish and Newtown, she passed away peacefully in the afternoon of Friday, February 18, at Waterford Regional Hospital.

Her remains were removed from Dungarvan hospital mortuary to Old Parish Church accompanied by a large number of mourning relatives, friends and neighbours. Burial took place in Old Parish Cemetery on Sunday morning following 10.30 a.m. Mass.

To her only sister Bridget, Newtown and her niece Mrs. Stella Fenton, we offer our deep and sincerest sympathy.

Officiating clergy were Very Rev. C. Daly, P.P., Old Parish and Ring and Rev. P. Mackey, C.C., do.

(All funeral arrangements were by Maurice J. Noonan & Son, Funeral Directors, Cappoquin. Tel. 058/54044 and 54317.)

## Mr. Gerard Walsh

Mr. Gerard Walsh, Ring and Main Street, Dungarvan, died on Monday, February 21 at his home at Robert's Cross, Ring. He was a well known and popular Plumbing and Heating Contractor until he retired.

He loved the sea and was one of the most active of Dungarvan's sailors. Central to his joy of sailing was his delight in introducing others to his favourite sport. At all times he was keenly aware of the need to encourage the younger generation.

His remains were brought from his home to Ring Parish Church on Tuesday last and following Requiem Mass on Wednesday he was buried in the Old Churchyard, Dungarvan, overlooking the harbour.

He is survived by his wife May, son Donal and daughters Stella and Máire, son-in-law Eamonn, daughter-in-law Mary and grandchildren.

Suaimhneas siorraí go raibh aige.

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

## Late Harry Conway

With deep sorrow and regret we record the death of Mr. Harry Conway, Ballinameela, Cappagh, which sad event occurred on Monday, February 21. Removal was from the hospital mortuary, Dungarvan on Wednesday evening to St. James's Church, Ballinameela.

Following Requiem Mass on Thursday morning, burial took place in the adjoining cemetery.

To his brother, nephews, nieces, relatives and many friends we extend our deepest sympathy.

Full obituary next issue.

## Mrs. Alice Duggan (née Ormonde)

The death took place on February 22 at her residence Shrough, Lismore, of Mrs. Alice Duggan (née Ormonde). To her husband John, sons Sean and Tom, daughters Maura, Ann, Margaret and Eilish we extend our deepest sympathy.

(Funeral arrangements by John Ryan & Sons, Lismore. Tel. 058-54145.)

## B.A.D. Pays Tribute To Harry Conway

This last week has seen the passing of our President, Harry Conway, and we would like to extend our sympathy to his relatives and to salute a man who was a fundamental part of our drama group, and of the Ballinameela community.

Harry did trojan work in the set construction of all our productions and, like all backstage crew, probably did not receive due recognition for he was a most self-effacing and humble man. His gentleness and generosity were evident to all the members of our group and with his passing, like the passing of the late Micheál Culloo, we have lost another of our most stalwart members. We'll miss you, Harry.

# Magnificent Community Effort For Bosnia

"As we drove through the town, the tears just welled up in my eyes as I thought of what the two trucks contained and how vital the contents were for the people of Mostar." So stated Carole Wiley last Saturday evening having seen the two forty-foot containers filled with desperately needed and safely locked away supplies beside her Appeal Warehouse in Cork's Marine Commercial Park.

Earlier, led by a garda escort, the two massive containers had left the temporary warehouse in Dungarvan where for the past three weeks members of the volunteer group had sorted and packed the mountain of goods donated by the people of mid and west Waterford ready for its nine day journey to Mostar hospital in the middle of war-torn Bosnia.

No one could have foreseen the response of the people of the county and city who have taken the plight of the suffering Bosnian people to heart and responded with characteristic generosity.

"The people of County Waterford have responded wonderfully once more," said Waterford Appeal Chairman Mrs. Mary Hourigan as she surveyed the mountain of clothes which will have to wait for the next shipment. "Never in our wildest dreams did we expect to receive so much food, blankets, toys and household goods, and it is obvious that the people were waiting for this opportunity to show practical solidarity with their suffering brothers and sisters in Bosnia."

Mrs. Hourigan said that the original intention of the group was to fill a twenty-foot container with a mixture of supplies and send it through the Carole Wiley Appeal network to Mostar. Instead, through the incredible response of the people, four times that amount left the county last Saturday, with enough clothes left over to almost fill another container.

"Nothing will be wasted," emphasised Mrs. Hourigan, "anything which did not get away this time will be on the next container from Carole in March."

The contents of the containers included — 12 pallets of foodstuffs, 3 pallets of kitchen-ware and utensils, 4 pallets of medical supplies including a huge consignment of iron tonic, drugs and blankets, 2 pallets of toys, 12 pallets of clothes and an assortment of furniture.

The consignment will travel first to Rotterdam where it will be divided into smaller lorry loads for transport overland through Europe and Croatia into Bosnia.



Some of the Dungarvan workers of the Carole Wiley Bosnia Appeal prepare some of the early food donations for the trip to Bosnia. The group are appealing to people to continue to be generous with food, medical needs, household items and anything which would be useful in re-equipping a home.

The supplies dispatched by the Carole Wiley Appeal is the only aid to have arrived in Mostar for the last three months and means the difference between life and death for the patients in the five hospitals and the people of the refugee camps there.

On Friday morning last the county stockpile was augmented by a substantial consignment from the Bosnia Appeal Group in Waterford City, led by Mrs. Celine Burke, whose members joined the county group last Saturday to send the trucks on their way.

Contributions to the appeal will still be accepted by the volunteers in the following areas who organised collections or functions — Abbeyside, Dungarvan, Ballinameela, Ardmore, Aglish, Villierstown, Modeligo, Clashmore, Mount Melleray, Cappoquin, Lismore, Tallow, Stradbally, Lemybrien, Kilmacthomas, Clonea Power, Cheekpoint, as well as Waterford City.

The cost of transport of

the two containers is £8,000 of which about £3,000 has been donated to-date.

"Go Country For Bosnia," the Country Music industry's contribution to the appeal was officially launched at a gala gathering at the Rhu Glen last Monday night which proved both enjoyable and profitable for the appeal.

Carole Wiley will thank the people of Co. Waterford and talk about her work this Saturday night, March 5, in the Park Hotel, Dungarvan at 8 p.m. All are welcome.

## Healing Mass In Clonmel

A special Mass for Healing will be offered on Friday next, March 11 at 7.30 p.m. in SS Peter & Paul's Parish Church, Clonmel. Fr. Matthew Cunningham, P.P., Ballyneale, will be the principal celebrant. Music by Diocesan Music Group.

All are welcome. Please come and pray for healing.

## Daffodil Day Target — £1 Million

Daffodil Day — one of Ireland's brightest charity events is coming up on Friday, March 25. This year the Irish Cancer Society hopes to raise £1 million.

The bulk of the money raised on Daffodil Day goes to local health boards and hospice groups to support the employment of specialist nurses skilled in the care of patients with advanced cancer.

These daffodil funded nurses work with family doctors and public health nurses to form home care teams bringing care and support, free of charge, to cancer patients in their own homes.

### LIKE TO LEND A HAND?

Each year thousands of volunteers all over the country, lend their support to the Daffodils campaign, bunching or selling daffodils to raise funds for cancer care. If you would like to lend a hand, contact the Irish Cancer Society (1850 60 60 60) from anywhere in the country at the cost of a local call.

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# BALLYMACARBRY NEWS

## Plea For New Houses In Ballymacarbry

Kieran O'Ryan M.C.C., P.C., Knockalisheen, Ballymacarbry, at last week's meeting of Waterford County Council made a strong case for a number of new houses to be built in the Ballymacarbry/Fourmilewater area. At the Council meeting the Council members received a circular which was received from the Minister for the Environment Michael Smith stating that the number of houses to be started in 1994 will be forty (40). Cllr. O'Ryan got an assurance from the then County Manager, Mr. Hurley (now retired) that when they received the allocation for '94 he would take Cllr. O'Ryan's observations into consideration. He pointed out that in the year '93 not one house was proposed for

the entire area, which includes, Ballymacarbry, Fourmilewater, Russelstown, Kilmanahan, Kilmacomma, Darrinlaur, Rathgormack, Nire Valley, Touraneena, Kilbrien. In other words one could draw a line from Cappoquin right across the Northern part of the county down into Rathgormack-Clonea Power area without a single house being built. Cllr. O'Ryan let it be known that he, being the public representative for the said area, that he could not accept that situation any longer and through the "Leader" he would like to make it known to the general public as up to now it was not reported in the local papers. He feels that this part of the county is being and has been neglected by the County Council down the years.

## TAXI DRIVER IN MOUNTAIN RESCUE

A Clonmel taxi driver and a lady passenger were rescued by Civil Defence members early on Monday morning, February 21, when their car became trapped in huge snow drifts on the mountain road from the Nire Valley to Clonmel. The Civil Defence were called to the rescue after the Clonmel Fire Brigade were unable to reach the car. Using a special four wheel drive the volunteers reached the distressed driver and his passenger. The taxi cab was heading towards Clonmel when it came up against six foot drifts on the mountainous road. Conditions were so bad that the Fire Brigade had great difficulty getting back to base. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday Waterford County Council under overseer Seamus Wall, worked on the snow

drifts and had the road open again to traffic by Thursday.

## T.D. HAS HER BLOOD TESTED

South Tipperary/North West Waterford Fine Gael T.D. Theresa Ahearn had the Anti D injection at least twice at the birth of her two eldest children in January 1978 and June 1979. She was a worried woman when she heard the announcement last Monday and had a blood test next day. She has urged every RH Negative mother to take the test. She was among a group of T.D.'s who met Brendan Howlin, Minister for Health, she asked him to ensure that women would get the results of blood tests as soon as possible. She also told the Minister that there should have been more information with the announcement, they only gave the skimpiest of details.

## FREEDOM FIGHTERS REMEMBERED

Many people from the district travelled on Sunday last to Ballydavid, Bansha for the Commemoration Ceremonies to mark the 71st Anniversary of the deaths of Denny Lacey and Paddy McDonagh of the Third Tipperary Brigade Old I.R.A. and Willie McGrath of the Free State Army, who lost their lives in an engagement there in the tragic Civil War in the month of February 1923. Those Commemoration ceremonies are held to recall the past, and to remember those of a previous generation, whose idealism and patriotism gave us much of what we have. They sadly differed on tactics, but their motives were always generous ones. Thank God the cloud of bitterness that Civil War created, has lifted and we can see more clearly with hindsight, the errors and the ambitions of leaders, that led the people like the brave Irishmen who died in the Glen of Aherlow, into fighting on opposing sides for the same cause.

Last Sunday, close to the scene where the noble Lacey and the brave McDonagh fell and the dashing young soldier McGrath drew his last gasp of life, a few remaining of those who knew them and the people of today's generation assembled to pay those heroes a just tribute.

## TOURIST INFORMATION CENTRE FOR BALLYMACARBRY

In the near future a Tourist Information Centre is to be set up in the village of Ballymacarbry. During the past week candidates for the job, two in number, were interviewed and after many interviews the following were selected — Eddie Dyer from Wales, who now resides in Tooracurra, Ballymacarbry. He is well known in the district as trainer of the Nire senior football team who won county honours in 1993. The other successful candidate was Andrea Ferris, Glendaloughin, Ballymacarbry.

## BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Congratulations are extended to Martina and Geraldine O'Ryan (twins), Knockalisheen, Ballymacarbry, who celebrated their 21st birthdays on February 26 at Lawlor's Hotel, Dungarvan. Both young ladies are outstanding members of Ballymacarbry and Waterford ladies football teams and are daughters of well-known county councillor Kieran O'Ryan and Maureen O'Ryan.

## MUINTIR NA TIRE

Newcastle Guild of Muintir Na Tire are to celebrate their silver jubilee of the organisation. A function is being planned for later in the year. Some improvements are planned for the Community Hall. An extension to the hall is planned which will provide more Library space, a larger refreshment bar, an extension to the stage, improved stage lighting and replacement of existing curtains with curtains of fireproof material. To meet the costs of the project it has been decided to organise a Silver Circle 200 Draw as from April. Prize money £200 monthly, plus a Christmas bonus. Your support will be appreciated.

## I.C.A. NEWS

The Newcastle Guild of the I.C.A. have organised a four week course on "assertiveness/family communications" which will be given by a trained counsellor and will commence at Newcastle Community Hall on Tuesday, March 8. At the last monthly meeting of the Guild a very enlightening talk on the work of the Hospice in South Tipperary was given by nurse Kathleen Murray of the Hospice Service.

## LOTTO DRAW

The Lotto Draw in aid of Fourmilewater Hurling Club, took place on Saturday night at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry. The numbers drawn were 1, 10 and 12. There was no winner. The winners of 5 x £20 were Master Barry Mulcahy, Clonmel, Roger McCarthy (jnr.), Nire Road, Nellie Moore, Waterford, Aidan Crotty, Graignagower, Helen Nagle, Mountain Road, Clonmel. Next week's jackpot will be £500.

## IFA NEWS

The I.F.A. in association with Teagasc and F.D.C. Accountants are holding a public meeting on Thursday, March 10 at the Oriel Bar, Ballymacarbry at 8 p.m. Personnel from I.F.A., Teagasc and F.D.C. will discuss all aspects of:

(1) Cattle and Sheep Headage Schemes; (2) Filling of Area Aid Application Forms; (3) Farm Retirement Scheme.

As the date for lodging Area Aid Forms with maps to the Department of Agriculture is March 31, it is important that all farmers in the area attend this very important meeting.

## G.A.A.

At the Mill Field, Ballymacarbry, on Sunday last, the final of the Buckley Cup took place. After a great game the Blues were the winners on the score Blues 4-5, Yellows 2-1. After the game the Buckley Cup which perpetuates the memory of the late Willie Buckley, one of the founder members of the Fourmilewater hurling club, was presented to the winning captain Brian Wall by Billy Walsh, Chairman of the Fourmilewater hurling club.

## COMMUNITY GAMES

Results of the recent Art competition held at St. Patrick's Hall, Ballymacarbry, are as follows:

Girls U-8 — 1st Marion O'Flynn, 2nd Breda Fenton. Boys U-8 — 1st Gerard Hallahan, 2nd Richard Fenton.

Girls U-10 — 1st Brenda Walsh, 2nd Catriona Fenton, 3rd Aine Long.

Boys U-10 — 1st Thomas O'Gorman, 2nd Maurice O'Gorman, 3rd Michael O'Gorman.

Girls U-12 — 1st Irene Ryan, 2nd Claire Walsh. Boys U-12 — 1st John O'Gorman, 2nd Alan Shiels.

Girls U-14 — 1st Marie O'Gorman. Boys U-16 — 1st Declan Shiels, 2nd Bernard Mangan.

We wish them all the best of luck in the county finals. A special word of thanks to Ms. Claire Murphy for judging the competition.

## RECENT DEATHS

### Late Mrs. Margaret Wall

The district learned with regret on Sunday evening, 20th February of the death of Mrs. Margaret (Peg) Wall (nee Sullivan), Knockaunbrandaun, Ballymacarbry, which sad event took place after a long illness borne with true Christian fortitude. Deceased was member of an old and respected south Tipperary family, the Sullivans of Kilsheelan.

At the early age of three years she came to reside to her uncles and aunts, the Coffeys at Glendaloughlin. In 1922 she started school at the little school at Glanore in the Nire Valley. It was at a time that some of the great freedom fighters of Ireland were seeking shelter in the Nire Valley. She grew up in a republican environment and was a staunch supporter of the Fianna Fail Party. She was a regular attender at the Easter Commemoration Ceremonies wherever they were held. Each year she attended the annual anniversary Mass at Donohill for the late Dan Breen. She also attended the commemoration ceremonies at Kilfeacle for the late Sean Treacy. Each year she travelled on the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Knock and also to Lourdes.

The deceased, who lived life to the full, was a very estimable lady of many charming traits of character. Her gentle, good humoured and obliging nature, mild manner and unassuming disposition commended her to all fortunate enough to make her acquaintance. She loved dancing and particularly traditional sets which she engaged in with typical zest up until recently.

She was a wonderful wife and mother, and a neighbour who always lent a hand to those in need. Her house was the rambling house at the district. It was also the polling booth in the Nire Valley.

Many tributes have been paid to her memory, but perhaps the finest was provided when all walks of life were represented in the huge concourse of mourners when her remains were removed on Monday evening from her residence to St. Helena's Parish Church in the Nire Valley, the little church where she attended many functions over the past seventy-five years.

Her remains were blessed and received by Rev. Fr. Patrick Hayes, C.C., Nire and Touraneena.

On Tuesday morning Requiem Mass was celebrated for the happy repose of her gentle soul. The celebrant was Rev. Fr. Patrick Hayes, C.C., assisted by Rev. Fr. Martin Keogh, C.C., Sacred Heart, Waterford and Rev. Fr. Bobby Power, C.C., St. John's, Waterford.

The Lessons were read by Tom Walsh (son-in-law), and Thomas Crotty (friend and neighbour). After Mass as the rain and sleet came down from the Comeraghs, a loving person was laid to rest in the family plot beside her husband Mick who predeceased her by some fifteen years. Fr. Patrick Hayes, C.C., with other priests officiated at the graveside, again in the presence of yet another immense concourse of mourners, testifying to the esteem and high regard in which the deceased and her family are held. Friends and neighbours wept openly as they said farewell to a dear Christian friend.

To her son Thomas, her daughter Mary, her brothers Johnny and Jim, her sisters Bidy and Phyllis and her many other relatives we tender our heartfelt sympathy. Go ndeana Dia trocaire ar a h-anam dilis.

### LATE MR. JOHN MEANY

It is with deep regret we record the death of Mr. John (Jack) Meany, Limerick and late of Carrick-on-Suir. Deceased was employed in the drapery trade throughout his lifetime, originally at Cummins, Dungarvan and later at McBirneys at Limerick and finally at Cranocks of Limerick, where he spent many years until final retirement. While in Dungarvan he was involved with the FCA.

His Requiem Mass was celebrated at St. Munchin's Church, Limerick, after which the funeral took place to the family burial plot at the Friary Churchyard, Carrickbeg.

To his wife, his brother and sisters we extend our sympathy.

### MR. DANIEL KIELY

A wave of sadness was cast over the district on Saturday last with the news of the unexpected passing of Mr. Daniel (Danny) Kiely, 1 Green Street, Cappoquin and formerly of Boulavonteen, Ballinamult, which sad event took place at St. Joseph's Hospital, Clonmel.

On Thursday evening his remains were removed from the Mortuary, St. Carthage's Hospital, Lismore to the Parish Church, Cappoquin.

On this Wednesday morning Mass will be celebrated and his funeral will take place to Touraneena Churchyard for interment.

(Full obituary next issue).

# Judge Wants DDP To Probe Perjury Charge

A District Court Judge has directed a prosecuting solicitor for the Southern Regional Fisheries Board to refer all the evidence in a two-hour case, which he had just heard, to the Director of Public Prosecutions to consider the possibility of a charge of perjury being preferred against two County Waterford brothers.

The directive was issued by Judge Michael Pattwell at Youghal Court to Mr. David Keane, solr., after Redmond "Bobby" Morrisson and his brother Roger Morrisson, both of Ballinacash, Clashmore, had been convicted of charges relating to illegal salmon fishing on the river Blackwater during the closed season on

September 13 last.

Both had pleaded not guilty, but at the conclusion of the case Judge Pattwell expressed his disgust with the behaviour of the defendants in the witness box, and the fact that two "senior gentlemen" would treat the truth so lightly.

Three fishery officers gave evidence, and an ille-

gal salmon net was produced in court by them which it was stated had been hauled from the river that morning by one of the defendants and placed in a red and white plastic sack. It was subsequently recovered by the fishery officers.

However, the defendants claimed they were duck shooting that morning. They accepted that Redmond had hauled in a net, but insisted it was one they were using for mullet fishing. They produced that alleged net in court in a white bag.

Fishery officer Michael

Fanning, when recalled to the witness stand, said the bag containing the net which the defendants had before the court was definitely not the bag he had seen them put the net into on the morning in question.

Having convicted the defendants, Judge Pattwell fined Redmond "Bobby" Morrisson, who is unemployed £200 together with £196.90 costs and expenses. His brother Roger, a building contractor, was fined £250 and also directed to pay costs and expenses of £196.90.

## DUNGARVAN URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL

# Anger Over Tenants 'Third World' Situation

Deep anger was expressed by Cllr. Mary Dixon at last week's UDC meeting at the appalling plight of a local woman and her four children, living in what was deemed a 'third world' situation.

Acting on an invitation to view the deplorable state of the windows in the woman's house, Cllr. Dixon told her fellow council members that the situation "had to be seen to be believed".

### BARE GLASS

Describing the woman's kitchen window as simply unframed, bare glass, Cllr. Dixon added that a bedsheet had hung over another.

She had seen four small children huddled around a fire to keep warm, while the bitter cold and driving rain of late, had met no resistance against the ill-supported glass panes. According to Cllr. Dixon, the reason for this deplorable state of affairs was the council's policy not to carry out house repairs to tenants who are in arrears on their water charges.

Calling for an urgent response from the council, Cllr. Dixon admitted that she was both angry and upset to see such a scenario "in this day and age".

UDC Chairman, Cllr. Tony Wright told the council that he had also witnessed the situation at first hand, stressing that the woman had been making an "honest effort" in repaying the arrears. The

Chairman submitted that he had addressed the Town Hall on the matter and had called for immediate remedial action to be taken.

In view of the humane aspect alone, Cllr. Billy Kyne stated that there was an "overriding presumption" with council policy that "humanity" come into such a situation.

## STRADBALLY NOTES

### SINCERE SYMPATHY

Sincere Sympathy to Mrs. Phil Cusack, Ballingown on the death of her mother Ann Foley. Burial took place in St. Patrick's Church, Portlaw last Sunday. May she rest in peace.

### BOY SCOUTS A.G.M.

The Boy Scouts A.G.M. will be held in the Barron Hall on Wednesday 2nd March at 8.15 p.m. All parents and anyone interested in helping out with the boy scouts are welcome to attend.

### PROGRESSIVE 45

Last weeks winners were: Billy and Joan Barry; runners-up, Rose Power, Mary Wall, Jim Houston and Richard Hickey. Raffle winners — £10, Billy Barry; £5, Jim Cunningham. Progressive 45 every Thursday night in Whelans at 9 p.m., proceeds in aid of the Seafield-Bonmahon Pipe Band.

### BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Many happy returns to Miss Louise Doyle,

Carrigbarahane who celebrated her 7th birthday on Saturday, Louise had a wonderful party with all her class-mates.

### I.C.A.

Stradbally I.C.A. members enjoyed a very informative talk on Womens Health given by Frances Dunphy at the February meeting. Welcome back to Nuala Smith who had a most enjoyable break in An Grianán recently. The next I.C.A. meeting will be held in the social centre on Wednesday March 9th at 8 p.m. New members always welcome.

### ENROLMENT SERVICE

The enrolment service for children preparing for their First Confession and First Holy Communion was held in Stradbally last Sunday during 11 a.m. Mass. This year there are 18 children, 10 girls and 8 boys for First Confession and Communion and each child received their enrolment certificates from Fr. M. J. Ryan. The childrens First

Confessions will be on Sunday March 27th (Palm Sunday) at 3 p.m. and the First Holy Communion on Saturday May 21st at 11 o'clock.

### WHIST

The Valentine whist Drive was a romantic night with Roses and Hearts galore!

Winner dinner for two - Tess Cusack; 1st lady, Ismay Crowley; 1st gent, John Keane; 1st half lady, Susan Flanagan; 1st half gent, George Crowley; 2nd, half lady, Ita O'Reilly; 2nd half gent, Patricia Crowley; Hatching lady, Karen Coleman; Hatching gent, Noel Crowley. Raffle — 1st, Margaret Coffey; 2nd, John Hobbs.

### NON-STOP DRAW

28th February — £100, Ned Dee, c/o Waterford Co. Co.; £20, Mary Navin, Killelter; £20, Bernie Kiersey, Kilmachthomas; £20, Mrs. Mick Power, Kilmachthomas; £20, Elena Barnes, Ballyvoile; £20, David Power Jr., Carrigbarahane; £10, Promoter Eddie Fitzgerald.



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# Cappoquin Notes

## SCHOLARSHIP CAPPOQUIN & DISTRICT DARTS LEAGUE

We learned with pleasure last week that the County V.E.C. have decided to honour the memory of the late Padraig Ó Fiannusa with a scholarship to Gaeltacht Na Rinne. Padraig lived in Cappoquin for many years and was employed as an Irish teacher in the local Technical School. Apart from this post Padraig was the driving force behind the Connradh

na Gaeilge branch which flourished for many years. The Irish language and Irish Culture generally were the bedrock of everything that Padraig stood for and at no time did he deviate from his strongly held views. Those of us in Cappoquin who knew him well are most grateful to the V.E.C. for honouring his memory in such a fitting manner.

## LATE DANNY KIELY

The death took place over the week-end of Mr. Danny Kiely, Green Street, Cappoquin. Sincere sympathy is extended to his grieving wife and family (Full obituary next week)

## MOUNT MELLERAY DRAMATIC SOCIETY

Card results February 25 — 1st, Mattie Coffey and Jim McCarthy; 2nd, Sham O'Donnell and Mike O'Brien; 3rd, Jimmy Hornbrook and Mick Ormonde. Lucky tables — Paddy Walsh and Joe O'Shea; Mary O'Neill and Mike Foley.

Congratulations to Mike Foley and Mary O'Neill who scooped the jackpot on 18th February. Jackpot now stands at £100 on 15 games.

## THIS WEEK'S QUESTION

In former years Lenten-Fast was observed. For how many days did the regulations apply?

## ANSWER TO LAST WEEK'S QUESTION

In each case the matches were drawn and in each case the replay winners won the All-Ireland.

## AFFANE A.F.C. NOTES

### AFFANE 0 BALLYDUFF 1

We were at home to Ballyduff in the quarter final of the Cup and lost 1-0. Last Sunday it was a great performance from all the players and we were unlucky not to win this one. Ballyduff scored after about twenty minutes in the first half. Straight from the kick-off we put Ballyduff under a lot of pressure. D. Glavin was straight through for a goal and was taken down inside the box only to see the referee wave on play. We came out in the second half and played some great football and put Ballyduff under a lot of pressure but our downfall again was we did

not put the ball in the net. With about 3 minutes to go we were awarded a free kick. K. Reddy crossed and the 'keeper dropped the ball and P. J. Veale put it into the net. To our astonishment the referee disallowed the goal.

P.S. Don't forget we are having our social this Friday night. Bus leaves the Square at 7.45 p.m. and will leave Dungarvan at 3 o'clock. Good night guaranteed.

Team — T. O'Sullivan, M. Browne, L. Costin, M. Buckley, T. Ormond, T. Mansfield, K. Reddy, T. Hennebrey, D. Glavin, P. J. Veale, K. Veale. Subs. — F. McCarthy, B. Dunne.

## C.Y.M.S. SNOOKER CLUB

**Peter Ahearne Perpetual Trophy Tournament** — Quarter final stages: (Results and remaining matches)

(Handicaps in brackets) Quarter final best of 5 frames.

1.) Michael Doherty (0) v. Padraig O'Neill (+25)/Pat Lacey (+25);

2.) Niall Maher (+25) 3 v. Robert Allen (+12) 2;

3.) John Stapleton (+12) 3 v. Paul Lacey (+25) 1;

4.) Tom O'Brien (+6) v. Ward Fraher (+25).

Remaining 2nd round match above to be played

by Friday 4th March '94. Semi-finals — best of 7 frames.

**NOTICE TO MEMBERS** Snooker Hall will close on Thursday 3rd and Friday 4th March due to "floor varnishing". Sorry for any inconvenience caused to members!

Hall open after Mass Saturday 5th March. League tables will appear on next week's snooker notes. "Group B" in the league is "hotting up" in the closing stages. All results next week.

## CAPPOQUIN TROUT ANGLERS CLUB

Have You an Opinion on Fishing?

All members and intending members of the above club are invited to the A.G.M. on Thursday 3rd March, at Walsh's Hotel Cappoquin at 8 p.m. sharp. New Ideas Welcome!!

Come along and share your views.

A report on the "Glenshelane Lake" will be given at this meeting.

Yours in fishing — M. Landers — P.R.O.

## AFFANE-CAPPOQUIN G.A.A NOTES

**Scór** — Our team competed in two events in the County final which took place in Tallow on Saturday night last. Our solo singer Mrs. Irene Cahill was placed second by the adjudicators for her rendering of "Come Back Paddy Reilly to Ballyjamesduff". First place here went to a very talented performer from Old Parish. Our Set Dancers did very well but had to give best to Sliabh gCua and Ballysaggart. Representing our club in this event were: Mary O'Donoghue, Stephanie Coughlan, Winnie O'Keeffe, Sharon Crotty, John Mansfield, Jim Cliffe, John O'Rourke and John McCarthy. Locals Bob Keane and Tom O'Donoghue provided the all important set music.

The Club would like to thank all those who participated in the competitions with a special word for Mary O'Donoghue who was the driving force behind the entire effort.

The Tallow G.A.A. Club are to be congratulated for their organisation of the night. The refreshments served were very welcome indeed. After twenty five years a night at Scór is still good entertainment. By modern standards it might be said to

be a bit drawn out and could possibly be stream lined a little with speeches kept to the very minimum and the prize giving better organised. All in all, however, the audience left the hall well satisfied.

**The Late Harry Conway** — The Club would like to extend sympathy to the relatives of the late Harry Conway who died last week. Harry was a regular attendant at the Sportsfield especially when his beloved Ballinameela Club were in action. He was a most respected club official and was closely associated with great minor teams which represented his club thirty or so years ago.

Ar dheis De go raibh a anam dflis.

**Draw** — We understand that the first draw in the new series has been postponed until Friday March 18th. The delay is apparently for reasons of administration. Our Club was ready for the original deadline thanks in no small way to our co-ordinator James Morrissey. However, the extra two weeks gives us a great opportunity to attract some more subscribers. So we would appeal to our promoters to leave no stone unturned for the next week or so.

## TOURIN BADMINTON NOTES

Our tournament held on Sunday 27th February was a great success. The Anglesey Cup (5th and 6th Division) was held in Lismore and the Donal Barry Cup (2nd, 3rd and 4th Division) was held in Tourin. Both sections got off to a relatively slow start due to some participants being delayed but were soon in full swing. The Anglesey Cup produced some great displays of badminton. Charles Scanlan and Sheena Wilkinson (Tourin) played Michael Morrissey and Nell Supple in the first semi-final with Charles and Sheena emerging victors. In the second semi-final Eamonn McGrath (Tourin) and Connie Dowd (Lismore) played Declan Cunningham and Bridie Brittain and after a great game Declan and Bridie came through to play Charlie and Sheena in the final.

The Donal Barry Cup produced a few surprise results due to the fact that our top seeds had to withdraw due to unforeseen circumstances. On the whole there was a great atmosphere in Tourin and though there were some delays between matches there weren't too many complaints. During the course of the day there were some spectacular games of badminton and though some of the results were surprising they were well deserved. Our first semi-final was between Paul Walsh and Mag Morrissey (Lismore) and Billy Mahoney and Peggy Power (Old Parish). After a riveting game that went to three sets Paul and Mag had to concede defeat to Billy and Peggy.

The second semi-final was between John Young and Margaret O'Brien (Dungarvan) and our own Charles Scanlan and Sheena Wilkinson. This proved to be another close three setter but John and Mag came out on top. This just left the two finals to be played and even though it was quite late they were still well attended. Jim Kiersey did a great job in

refereeing both finals. The first was the Anglesey Cup final Charles and Sheena v. Declan and Bridie. As it was a night for games of three sets this was no exception, though it was Charles and Sheena who emerged the victors. The Anglesey Cup was to remain in Tourin for the second year in a row. The Donal Barry cup final was now on court with John and Mag v. Billy and Peggy. This was an action packed tension filled game with neither pair deserving to lose, but eventually John and Mag had to concede defeat and the Donal Barry Cup went to Old Parish with Billy and Peggy. — P.R.O.

## AFFANE BRIDGE

Results February 21 — 1st, Lil Costin and Betty Kelleher; 2nd, Mike Lineen and Pat Murphy; 3rd, Lal Scanlan and Marjorie Feerick; 4th, Chris Roche and Tom Hackett.

## MELLERAY/GLEN ROVERS G.A.A. NOTES

**Social** — Our annual Social was held on the 4th February at Lawlors Hotel and a most enjoyable occasion it was. A lovely meal was served and top class entertainment was provided by "Cheers" catering for all tastes and expectations for both young and not so young. Highlight of the evening was the presentation of the junior B. Championship medals by Eamon Murphy, Co. Board Chairman.

**Deise Draw Tickets** — Paddy Tobin and his helpers are busily engaged selling these tickets. They cost only £5 per month and you could be the winner of that car or one of the forty excellent prizes each month. Remember by supporting this Draw you are helping to boost the finances of our Club as well as helping in the Development of both Fraher Field, Dungarvan and Walsh Park, Waterford. So when they come knocking on your door be generous.

**Club History** — We are at present compiling the History of our Club since it was formed in 1943. We would be most grateful for any old photos, press cuttings or any information of any kind regarding any of the clubs activities down through the years. We appeal particularly to former players, club members or supporters who may have any items of club news to contact Ml. O'Gorman, Carrignagour, Mattie Power, Kilbree, or Ml. Ralwins, Melleray or any club members. Finally sincere sympathy is extended to our Chairman Tom Duggan, the Duggan family and the Ormonde family on the death of Mrs. Duggan R.I.P. — P.R.O.

## CAPPOQUIN MACRA NA FEIRME NOTES

### VICTORY FOR CAPPOQUIN

On Saturday 26 February 1994, our junior public speaking team of Tom Cliffe, James Meagher, Annette Cliffe and Anita Meagher, did the club proud by winning the title of 'County Junior Public Speaking Champions'. This competition was held in Lismore Hotel and the teams topic for discussion was "The Power Of The Media". The teams performance showed that the many hours of hard work were well worthwhile. We would like to thank our excellent coach Pat Murray, for all his help. The four team members received a plaque each and celebrated their win in JR's afterwards. — P.R.O.

# "REMEMBERING OTHER DAYS"



For this week's "Remembering Other Days" feature we travel west of the county to the "Cornerstone" town of Cappoquin. The year is 1944 and Cappoquin are county junior hurling champions, having beaten Clonea-Power in the final. The photo was taken in the Sportsfield, Cappoquin and includes a number of supporters as well. Group shows (at back) Paddy Cunningham, Pat McCarthy, Paddy O'Connor, John Regan, Moss Morrissey, Nioclas Mac Craith, John Crotty, Jim Aherne, Mick Sargent (at back), Paddy English, Denis Meskill, Mossie O'Connor, Austin Walsh, Dan Daly, Richard Curran, Nicholas Hehir, Jackie Greene, Jack Keating, Arthur Crotty; middle row (kneeling) — Michael Bonner, Jack Brackett, Sonny Cahill, Willie Rea, Sonny McGrath, John Joe Sullivan, Terry Crotty, Paddy Meskill; front — Sonny Lee and Stephen Brennan.

## Fined For Cannabis Possession

A 38 year old FAS worker was charged last week at Dungarvan District Court with the illegal possession of cannabis resin.

Relating the facts of the case to the court, Garda Stephen O'Leary said that on the 23rd June 1993, he had stopped a car at Kiliheen East. Upon searching both the car and its occu-

pants he had found a quantity of cannabis resin - enough to make 84 joints.

The defendant, Thomas Carlton of 17, Kyne Park, Abbeyside, pleaded guilty to the charge brought against him admitting that

he had bought the substance in Waterford for his own personal use.

Supt. Ray McAndrew, representing the Director of Public Prosecutions, informed the court that the defendant had one previous

conviction for the illegal possession of cannabis. Mr. David Burke, Solr. appeared for the accused.

After hearing the evidence Judge Michael Pattwell fined the defendant £350, stating that should Carlton be convicted a third time under the Misuse of Drugs Act, he would then impose a prison sentence.

## Dungarvan School Wins Quarter Finals of Gael-Linn/AIB Debates

The senior debating team from the Christian Brothers School, Dungarvan, has won the quarter finals of the Gael Linn/AIB secondary school debating competition, which were held in the Christians Brothers School, Middleton, Co. Cork.

Challenged by an excellent team from Coláiste an Phiarsaigh, Glanmire, Co. Cork, the boys from Dungarvan made witty and well-informed contributions to the evening's discussion, in defending the motion "Ta na Gael Ró Choimeádach." In awarding first place to the team from Dungarvan, the judges stated that it had been a very close contest indeed, however, they felt that the arguments put for-

ward by the winning team had been the more convincing of the two.

This is a national competition run on a knock-out basis, with teams from both North and South of the border competing at Junior and Senior level. The team from the Christian Brothers, Dungarvan now go forward to the all-Ireland semi-finals, where they will face the winning team from the FCJ Convent, Laurel Hill, Limerick. The debate will be held in the Limerick Inn Hotel on Tuesday, March 8 at 5.45 p.m. and the motion is "Bheadh Aontú na hÉireann ar Leas an Oileáin Seo." The task of defending this motion falls to Dungarvan.

## Attended Edmund Ignatius Rice Mass

Pictured (right) are Mr. Dan Murphy (Chairman, Dungarvan C.B.S. Parents' Council), Mrs. Phyllis McCabe (Parents' Council) and Mr. Jim Ryan (School Principal) who attended the recent Edmund Ignatius Rice Mass in Mount Sion, Waterford. Mrs. Mary Lonergan and Mrs. Phyllis McGrath of the school's Parents' Council also attended the Mass. Mr. Ryan and Mr. Murphy represented the school at the launching of the Rice Year in Marino, Dublin by Bishop Kavanagh on January 20 last. (Photo: Pat Crowley)



The Mass celebrated by Bishop William Lee, was held to mark the 150th anniversary of the death of Edmund Ignatius Rice, founder of the Irish Christian Brothers and the inauguration of the year-long commemoration of Edmund Rice's life. Dungarvan C.B.S. is proud of its association with the Irish Christian Brothers and with Br. Rice. Dungarvan was the

third foundation of the Brothers, after Mount Sion and Carrick-on-Suir. The school will play its part in the anniversary celebrations in a number of different ways. Throughout the year the school will disseminate information to the students on Rice's lofty ideas and his tremendous achievements

in the education of the young men of his day.

A Mass in honour of Br. Rice will be held in St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan on Thursday, March 10 at 11 a.m. The celebrant will be school chaplain, Fr. Conor Kelly, C.C. Students will attend, along with invited guests. There will also be

a short talk on Edmund Rice's life by a member of the Irish Christian Brothers. Parents are invited to attend and it is hoped that as many as possible will make the effort to take time out from their commitments in order to be present. Past pupils of the school and members of the public are also welcome.

## KILL NOTES

### SCOR

Last Saturday night the county final of Scor took place in Tallow. This year we were represented in solo singing, recitation and the novelty act. Unfortunately we were unlucky not to get through to the Munster semi-final next Saturday. Well done to the Bonmahon figure dancers.

### KILL COMMUNITY CENTRE A.G.M.

The Kill Community Centre A.G.M. was cancelled last Tuesday night, February 22 due to the bad weather

conditions. It will not take place next Friday night, March 4. All are welcome.

### KILL HARRIERS SOCIAL

Last Friday night, February 26, the Kill Harriers social took place in the Majestic Hotel, Tramore. Music was by Seattle and everybody enjoyed the dancing, fun and craic. The Majestic served up an excellent meal which everyone thoroughly enjoyed. There was a large attendance of people which made the

# WEST WATERFORD NOTES



## KINSALEBEG MACRA NA FEIRME

This week sees a milestone being reached in the club because on February 29th 1954 Kinsalebeg Macra na Feirme was founded. 51 members

joined in that historic first year under the guidance of the following officers — President: Rev. Fr. D. Power; Vice President: Rev. Fr. M. Power; Chairman: Eddie Cunningham; Vice-Chairman: D. Connell, R.I.P.; Secretary: Tom Llewellyn; Treasurer: J. Hannon, R.I.P.

Today 40 years on the club is still going strong becoming one of the most successful clubs in the country. To celebrate the occasion the club will be holding a 40th Anniversary Social in the Park Hotel on March 18th.

**Artistry In The Home** — This competition was held on Sunday 20th February in Cappoquin. Well done to the team of James Flynn, Nicholas O'Connell, James Leahy, Pauline Fleming and Eleanor Kiely who competed on the day. On the same day in Cashel our Drama team of Caroline Smiddy, Roger Hynes and John Hourigan took part in the national semi-final with their play "The End of the Beginning" by Sean O'Casey. Although not getting through on the night congratulations to Roger and John on being nominated for the best actor award. The club is indeed very grateful to our producer Sheila Cotter for all her hard work and dedication. We hope your involvement in the club for Drama will continue for the foreseeable future. Also thanks to all who helped backstage in Cashel namely Martin

Lynch, Michael Hunt, Nicholas O'Connell and Eamonn Flavin, to Patricia Kiely for her expertise in doing the make up for all the nights we were on stage.

**Public Speaking** — On Saturday night last 26th in Lismore Hotel the county final of the Novice Public Speaking took place. Representing the club were Bridget O'Connell, Pauline Fleming, Colm Broderick and Michael Flavin. Well done on putting up a very good performance.

No doubt in years to come you will be representing the club ably at senior level!!!

Finally this week many congratulations to popular club members Martin Lynch, Ardsallagh and Helen Lennon, Kill who announced their engagement on Saturday. Best wishes to you both.

A very important club meeting is to be held on Friday night next 4th March. All members are asked to attend.

## WATERFORD FAMILY FARM

A Seminar will be held in Lawlors Hotel, Dungarvan on Wednesday 2nd March at 7.30 p.m. on "The Well Being of Rural Women" presented by the National Dairy Council on the nutritional benefits of Dairy Products on Osteoporosis and womens health. This will be followed by a talk given by Dr. Chantelle McNamara.

## BROKEN LEG

Every good wish for a speedy recovery is extended to Mrs. Kathleen Barton, Kinsalebeg who is presently recovering from a broken leg.

## HOME FROM HOSPITAL

Continued good wishes are extended to Tommy Ormond, Ballyheaney, Clashmore, now home from hospital and making an excellent recovery.

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Peggy Whelan, Tinalyra, Grange and Paul Freyne, Slieve Rué, Co. Kilkenny have announced their engagement.

Peggy is a first Aid instructor with the Civil Defence and Paul is a well known squash player in the Dungarvan area.

## RECENT ADDITION

Congratulations to Mary and Matt Gartland, Ardmore on the latest addition to their family - a baby boy.

## THE LATE MRS. NELLIE SMIDDY

The death occurred unexpectedly and peacefully at her home Kilcoran Place, Youghal, of Mrs. Nellie Smiddy, mother of Pat Smiddy, Ballyheaney, Clashmore, and a sister of Mrs. Peg Brock, Clashmore village. Nellie was well known throughout this area and enjoyed a regular game of Bingo in Clashmore. Our deepest sympathy is extended to all her family.

## ON A WINNER

Congratulations to Brian Hallahan of Aglish who rode the first winner of his racing career on Sunday last when he rode K. Neville's Callishee to victory in the four year old Maiden at Lismore. Continued success to you Brian.

## ELECTED VICE CHAIRMAN

Congratulations to John Trihy, chairman of Clashmore Branch of A.C.T., who was elected as Vice-Chairman of A.C.T. at Cork Regional. All the best to you John in your new position, we know you will do an excellent job.

## DECIES DARTS

On Friday night last our team enjoyed victory at home by 7-1 over Village Inn. Next week we are away again to Overflow. A bus will leave the village at 8.15 p.m.

Thanks to Teresa Joyce, the Sunday morning league continues every Sunday morning and once again we are getting excellent support. Over the last two Sunday mornings Piltown have come to claim victory. Last Sunday we saw Pat Hickey and Shea Collender play off the final. Well done to both of you. The league continues every Sunday morning.

## I.S.P.C.C.

A table Quiz in Aid of I.S.P.C.C. will be held at the Decies Lounge, Clashmore on Thursday night March 10th. Anyone wishing to take part should contact (024) 96404 or come along on the night (Advt.)

## ARDMORE SCOUT NOTES

Monday nights girl scout meeting started with Patrol Corners and the girls doing an assessment on their previous hike to Glenshelane Wood. Later work towards their observation badge was covered with sound and touch. The girls were surprised by some of the wet, furry and even clammy items they had to recognise only by touch!!! This was followed by some drill practice and then a discussion on the completion of their public speaking badge.

Tuesday was an exciting evening at girl cubs, when they had the pleasure of a new leader. Patricia Brabazan will be a new assistant cub leader in the unit and we are all really delighted to have her on our team. Again the girls were found perfecting their drill for the forthcoming St. Patricks Day Parade. There was a good while spent revising 'tracking signs' ready for Saturday's hike. Once again our busy unit leader came to visit and help out. Tuesday night was also the start of the girls beginning their worship badge. As usual there was a great atmosphere and plenty of fun and games. Good luck Patricia.

Wednesday was an incredible evening for all our lucky boy cubs who went to visit the New Dungarvan Fire Station. Paul and Brian Moynihan were super hosts for the evening and never spared a moment that wasn't full of exciting and informative demonstrations. One of the highlights of the evening was one of the engines being brought out for the fire hose to be connected, and each cub being allowed to spray the hose. Unfortunately the cubs being unpracticed in this skill, several unfortunate individuals ended up getting rather wet!! Patrick Stilwell then presented the firemen with a thank you card and gift. The Cubs must have certainly used a lot of water as just before they got on the bus for home a large frog appeared to the delight of everybody. All the Cubs decided this was an extra bonus to the trip. After Amanda had persuaded the Cubs not to christen the frog and bring him home as a pet it was off to J.R.'s for some welcome hot food! Thank you to Marian for coming instead of Triona, it was greatly appreciated.

Thursday's Beavers were busy doing a project on trees this week and they produced some marvellous pictures and lodge projects. There was a small treasure hunt which Claire Ducey won. Next we had a very difficult memory game and each lodge did extremely well, three lodges getting 100% correct. The evening was full of games interspersed between work. The meeting finished with our Beaver leader Jane getting a surprise bunch of flowers and a lovely card from the beavers for her birthday. Thank you to the kind leaders and beavers for organising it.

Friday night's boy scout meeting had the added pleasure of Gaye Humphries company. Gaye kindly started an orienteering training course for the boys, which was a great advantage having Gaye's vast and expert knowledge on this subject. Most of the evening was spent learning these skills. Thank you Gaye from all the scouts.

## WEST WATERFORD HUNT

Pony Club News — With the Easter Holidays just around the corner the West Waterford Hunt, Pony Club have a packed programme of events for all its members with something for everyone.

A gentle reminder to all our members that the annual membership is now due. There is a major increase in the annual fee this year due to the continuous hike in insurance costs. Please note this change when renewing your membership. Your membership must be renewed before taking part in any of the events.

On Saturday March 12th the Inter Schools Hunter Trials will take place. Also please note the final date for entry for those wishing to represent the West Waterford Hunt Pony Club in the P.C. Hunter Trial Champi-

onships. For further details contact Laura Griffith at (024) 94214 before March 17th. More details of events later.

## THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

A big thank you to all who supported our very successful Coffee morning at The Rising Sun, Clashmore, on Thursday morning last. A grand total of £120 was collected. This money together with £417.65 which was collected at Church Gate collections in Piltown and Clashmore over the week-end will be presented to the Bosnia fund this week.

Once again the ladies want to say thanks to the generous people of this area.

## FINISK COMHALTAS BRANCH

Well done to our Junior Set and half set who represented the County at the Munster Finals of the Ceol an Geimhridh competitions. Even though they were not among the medal winners, they performed very well. A special word of thanks to their dancing teacher Mrs. Phillis O'Halloran, and their parents. These dancers, I must say, are exceptionally young, and they have great potential.

The big event in the Branch calendar is the annual play and concert. This year the play is a 2 act comedy "When a Man Marries". It is hilarious, and full of intrigue. The cast of seven are — Mary B. Dee, Mary Guiry, Mary Fleming, William O'Brien, Michael Stack, Michael O'Brien, and Patsy Fleming. We also have a wonderful line up of artists for the concert as well.

Performances will be on Saturday March 5th and Sunday March 6th in Aglish Community Hall at 8.30 p.m. each night.

## VOICE OF CLASHMORE

The atmosphere was electric for last Saturday night's "Voice of Clashmore" at Tom Beresford's, Clashmore. The organising committee did an excellent job in organising a very enjoyable night. Well done to the Merry Cowboys who provided some great music. Going forward to represent the Rising Sun in the semi-final are Pat Leahy, Caroline Drake and Mary Kennefick. Congratulations to the raffle winners Margaret Dunne 1st; Mrs. Mary Colbert 2nd and Joan Curtain 3rd.

It's a packed week-end again this week when we travel to The Half Way Bar where we will be joined by Anne and Caroline providing the music for the second last first round of this years competition. Here again a large following is expected. Anyone wishing to sing here can contact any member of the committee.

Following the success of last Saturday night's round in Clashmore it's hoped there will be a repeat performance on this Sunday night when we are back again at the Rising Sun, Clashmore when the final first round will be held to facilitate some singers. Here again the Merry Cowboys will provide the music and it promises to be a great night's entertainment.

# ABBEYSIDE TOPICS

## OUR LOCALITY

### "Ye Olde Troop Kettle"

The following is one of the best pieces of creative writing ever written by a resident of Abbeyside. Seamus O'Brien is G.A.A. correspondent with this newspaper. In this article he does a "This is your Life" on the Boy Scout Troop kettle belonging to the 4th Waterford Troop in Abbeyside.

**"Ye Olde Troop Kettle" by Seamus O'Brien**

The first troop kettle was purchased sometime before the first troop camp at Colligan in 1931. It cost in the region of three shillings and the hardware merchant who made the sale assured us that it was a utensil of exceptional quality and that it would give good service. It's not mentioned in the

Guinness Book of Records, but it justice were done, then our first official kettle, should have been given some recognition, somewhere.

During its lifetime, it endured more hardship and boiled more water than most other kettles of its size and age. It was well travelled as it served at all the summer and weekend camps in the 30's and early 40's and it was used as a communal utensil on hikes. I have seen photos of it sitting on an open fire in such places as Coumshingaun, Deelish, Cruachan, Glendine, Stradbally, Colligan and other places. In campsites in Killarney, Limerick, Rathdrum, Blackrock, Gengarriff, Cahir, Kenmare, the

Eucharistic Congress in Dublin and other places. I was the one who spent time cleaning and shining the kettle. I have seen its bottom beaten by a wooden spoon to simulate drum accompaniment to mouth-organ solos at camp fires. I could name scouts who spoke in very unfriendly terms to the kettle, when it was slow to "come to the boil." later years, when a Primus stove became part of the troop equipment, the kettle could produce six pints of boiling water in exactly eight minutes!

Every member of the troop loved and revered our kettle and whenever it was taken on a hike, it was part of the hike plan that one of the hikers would be responsible for its safekeeping on its outward journey and another hiker would be appointed to bring it safely back.

One such occasion was the hike to Waterford City for the Easter Sunday Commemoration Ceremonies in 1939. About a dozen scouts attended and Christy Power took charge of the kettle. I was the kettle minder on the return journey.

(To be continued next week.)

### CONFIRMATION AT ABBEYSIDE ON SATURDAY

Saturday next, March 5 is Confirmation Day for 65 boys and girls from the schools of Abbeyside and Garribane. We welcome Bishop William Lee to his first Confirmation Day in the parish. In preparation for this special day a good deal of work has been going on behind the scenes since the end of the Christmas holidays. This entails a high level of co-operation between priests, teachers, parents and children. Meetings have been held so that everyone will have a full understanding of the significance and commitment involved in accepting the gifts of the Holy Spirit. Complete dedication is required in preparing the childrens choir, training readers and those involved in the Eucharistic Procession, displaying artwork etc.

Financially it can be a difficult time for parents as they have the responsibility of ensuring that their children are properly attired for the reception of the sacrament. However the effort and expense is regarded as being worthwhile when everything goes according to plan on the day.

### FESTIVAL OF SQUASH AT MINNIES

Last weekend Minnies Squash Club was the venue for its annual open squash tournament. Entries exceeded expectations and after some tremendous squash unseeded players Jon Perry and Dean Watson contested the 'A' final. After a mammoth contest Jon Perry emerged victorious by three games to two, the scoring being 9-8, 5-9, 3-9, 9-8, 9-7.

Helen Kiely of Minnies won the ladies 'B' plate

final. John Cliffe of Dungarvan Crystal was victorious in the mens 'C' plate and Michelle Mernin of Minnies did likewise in the ladies 'C' plate final. The ever popular Maurice Walsh of Minnies was tops in the final of the mens 'D' plate final.

A tremendous atmosphere existed all day Saturday and Sunday and President Anne Henneby and organiser Joe Mulcahy were well pleased with an exciting week-end.

# Abbeyside Scout Notes

## GENERAL

Sunday of last week saw ten Link Badgers gather at the den at ten in the morning for a hike from the Glen to Melleray which was undertaken in order that the lads could fulfill the requirements for part of the Tracker Badge. The day itself was drizzly although this certainly was not the reason for everyone getting a thorough soaking, particularly David Cashin and Scott Fitzgerald. The day finished at three thirty when everyone headed home after a great day out.

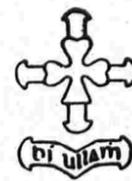
Next week's troop meeting will once again be full uniform, you have been warned! At the moment cubs, scouts and guides have in their possession sponsorship cards for our annual adventure trip to be held on March 27, we are sure that once again you will be generous when they call on you!

## HIKE LOG

The following account was written by Eoin Hayes who produced it as part of his Expedition Merit Badge:

Hike To Coole Farms (Sunday, Feb. 20)

At 10.45 a.m. Eoin Hayes, John Phelan, Steven McNamara, Eamonn Cashin and Garvan and Ronan McCarthy set off on their bikes to Coole Farms on a hike. There was a light drizzle when we left the den but we all had our rain-gear on. It took over half an hour to reach Coole Farms in the rain, especially when Fe-Fe got his thrills cycling down the steep hills. When we got to Coole Farms the owner came out and said that we could have an hour in the swimming



pool. We all got into our swimming gear quickly and dived into the pool. In the pool there was a diving board on which Rasher displayed his diving techniques, while Eoin Hayes swam a brilliant two lengths underwater. In the shallow end Macky, Garvan and Ronan were all trying to do handstands underwater in which Garvan proved best. At about 12.30 we all got out of the pool. Fe-Fe was delighted there was a shower in the dressing-rooms so he could clean himself. When we were all dressed we had our packed lunch which we had brought. At half past one when we had all eaten we set off down the Colligan Woods to see if the way we went was suitable for a hike for the Link Badgers for the following week. Part of the way was very muddy but after about twenty minutes we reached the Colligan bridge. It was about a quarter past two when we got back to collect our bikes and we thanked the owner of Coole Farms before we left. It was bitterly cold outside on the way back but Macky was well equipped for it. By the time we reached Abbeyside it was about three o'clock and we were all pretty cold and wet but all in all we enjoyed the hike to Coole Farms and we particularly enjoyed the swimming pool and diving board.

### WORDS OF THE WISE

'Tis easy enough to be twenty-one:  
'Tis easy enough to marry:  
But when you try both games at once  
'Tis a mighty big load to carry.

### NEWS ITEMS

Any items for next week, please phone them to 41836 i.e. engagements, birthdays, etc., etc.

## MINNIES SQUASH CLUB BANK OF IRELAND TEAM TOURNAMENT



Runners-up in the Minnies Squash Club Bank of Ireland team tournament (seated, left to right) — Paddy Walsh (Captain), Ann Henneby (President Minnies Squash Club), John O'Brien (Bank of Ireland, sponsors), Michelle Mernin; standing — Vincent Tutty, John Foley Jr. and Paul Freyne. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

# Lismore Notes



## CREDIT UNION NOTES

The first round of the Credit Union National Inter-Primary Schools Quiz was held on February 25th in Halla Bríde, Cappoquin. First prize was won by a 5th Class team from Presentation Primary

School, Lismore. The team members were Marie Coleman, Elaine Power, Nicola Barry and Leesa Kennefick. This team will represent Lismore and Cappoquin Credit Union at the next level, to be

organised by Chapter 10 at the end of March. Second prize went to a 6th Class team from Convent Primary School, Cappoquin. Team members were Gráinne Prendergast, Leona Stapleton, Rachel Hanrahan and Sheena Moore.

Three junior members of our Credit Union were successful at Chapter level in the recent Poster Competition. Niamh Ryan, Presentation Primary, Lismore won 2nd prize in the Under 8 years category. Bronwen Rafferty, Presentation Primary, Lismore won 3rd prize in the 8-11 years category. Edel Murphy, Presentation Secondary School, Lismore won 2nd prize in the 12-14 years category.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Mrs. Pauline Ferguson, Sp. ED, Monti, Dip., Fernville, Lismore, who received her Montessori Diploma from the Montessori Teacher Training College, London, recently. Wishing her good luck with her already successful Play School and her two new services: 1 — A new "Drop-In" Service. 2 — A new Parent/Toddler Group.

Wishing her all the best for the future.

### MISSION SOCIETY

The Lismore Mission Society wish to thank the Ballysaggart Community Committee for their support in holding a "45 card-drive" in aid of Frs. Broderick and Coleman missions.

### SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to Rev. Bro. Ryan, C.B.S. Lismore on the death of his sister Mrs. Mgt. Ryan which sad event occurred on Monday last 28th February. The remains were removed to Clonulty Church, Cashel, on Tuesday 1st March from St. John's Funeral Chapel and the burial was on Wednesday 2nd March in the adjoining cemetery after 11.30 a.m. Mass.

## WEST WATERFORD HOT ROD NOTES

By now everybody should have received their complimentary tickets for the big night on this Friday night at Lismore Hotel. 9-11 music by "Two of a Kind", 12-2 music by Cheers.

Free draw for paid up '94 members will be held on Friday night, sponsored by Jack McGrath, The Market House Filling Station, Cappoquin.

1st prize, £20-petrol-diesel; 2nd prize, £10-petrol-diesel; 3rd prize, £10-petrol-diesel; 4th prize, £10-petrol-diesel.

Membership cards available on night. £10 membership.

We would also like to wish our entrant for the Miss Rugby competition, Miss Linda Maguire, a bubbly brunette with an outstanding personality every success in the forthcoming competition in Lismore Hotel on Friday March 11. She will be escorted by Thomas Buckley of Buckley International, Cappoquin. Who knows what might happen or who'll be the real winner on the night!

## LISMORE SOCCER NOTES

On Sunday morning last we travelled to Ardmore for a quarter final game in the Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup. We had originally home advantage but decided to play Ardmore in their own patch as our Castle Farm grounds pitch is still saturated with all the rain that has fallen and probably will be for a couple of weeks more. With no illusion about our task we went to battle. The first half was a very tight affair with very few chances for both sides. Dan Shanahan probably going closest with a diving header. We were a lot more positive in the second half and totally over-ran our opposition. We did not, however, turn the pressure into goals and after 90 minutes the score was still 0-0. 20 minutes extra time was not enough to separate the sides and so the game went to the dreaded penalty shoot-out scenario. We were aware that

our spot kicks had to be good. Fortunately 4 of the 5 were superb - the other was not so superb, the P.R.O. does not want to dwell on the subject (guess who missed)!

**Ardmore 0 Lismore 0**  
**Penalties Ardmore 3**  
**Lismore 4**

So we find ourselves in another cup semi final although we know we have to improve if we are to reach another Tyre Centre Cup final. Next Sunday it's back to the nitty gritty of the league when we are at home to Mogeely at 11.30 a.m., players are asked to be in dressing rooms no later than 11.00 a.m. The semi-final draw of the Tyre Centre Cup were made last Monday evening and the draw is as follows.

Lismore v. Inch or Grange Ballyduff v. Bride View A or Youghal.

The games are to be played on Sunday week at neutral venues.

## LISMORE POINT-TO-POINT RACES

On Sunday last the Annual Point-to-Point was held at The Castle Farm Grounds and considering all the heavy rain of recent weeks the ground rode remarkably well. Over 70 horses went to the post in the Seven Race Card. Owner-trainer Matty Tynan from Fethard landed a double and overall there was a good afternoon's racing with some very good and exciting finishes.

## MRS. ALICE DUGGAN

The death occurred on Tuesday 22nd February 1994 at her residence Toor, Lismore of Mrs. Alice Duggan (nee Ormond).

The remains were removed from Ryan's Funeral Home, Lismore on Wednesday 23rd February to St. Mary's Church, Cappoquin and the burial was on Thursday 24th February after 11 a.m. Mass to St. Declans Cemetery.

The deceased is survived by her husband John, sons Seán and Thomas, daughters Maura, Ann, Margaret and Eilish, brother, sisters, Sr. Mary Ormond, Sisters of Mercy, N.R. Australia, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, grandchildren, nephews, nieces, relatives and friends to whom we extend sincere sympathy.

## LISMORE BRIDGE CLUB

Result from Lismore Bridge Club of 16th February 1994 was — 1st, Claire Meaney and Addie Buckley; 2nd, Kay Barry and Mary Fives; 3rd, Jenny Allen and Mary Hanrahan.

## LISMORE G.A.A. NOTES

**Scór County Finals** — Congratulations to our representatives at last Saturday nights county final in Tallow. First on stage were our figure dancers who gave another top class display of dancing finishing runners-up to Bonmahon. All the more amazing as two of our dancers Maria Prendergast and Mary Fenton Morrissey were nursing leg injuries, but fair play to the two of them and Noreen Quann and Martina Hale.

In the Instrumental Music Dick Ahearne and Tommy Morrissey gave another top class performance again finishing runners-up to Sliabh gCua while the Novelty Act consisting of Joan Bolger, Una Walsh, Julie Landers, Dick Ahearne, Tommy Keating and Pat Maloney can count themselves very unlucky not to have won again finishing second to Portlaw.

Once again thanks to all who participated and hopefully next year we can win a few championships.

**Dick's League** — Just a reminder that this league which has been running since last November has reached its final stages. The final takes place on this Sunday 6th March with 3 great games in prospect, in the primary school yard. First game at 2.00 p.m., 2nd game at 2.30 pm. with the winners final at 3 p.m., followed by the presentation of medals to all players and trophies to the winning team. So please come along and give your support to these young hurlers of the future.

**Deise Draw** — Our sincere thanks to all who have joined this draw for the coming year. The response has been tremendous and hopefully they'll be another few "new cars" in town before the year is over.

The first draw which was to have taken place this Friday night has been put back a week by the Deise Draw's Committee so if there's anyone out there who still wants a ticket please contact Sonny Bransfield or any committee member.

**Training** — It's that time of the year again, time to shed all them extra pounds put on during the off season - training for all U-21's, juniors and seniors starts on this Saturday 5th March in the field starting at 5 p.m. - Let's hope that we'll have a full turn out of all players.

**Well Done** — Well done to our two representatives who were on duty last Sunday with the senior hurlers in Galway - Mark O'Sullivan and Paul Prendergast.

**Weekly Draw, Week No. 7** — £50, Mr. D. Buckley, Parks Road; £30, Miss M. Bransfield, East Main Street; £20, Mrs. P. Farrell, New Street, Lismore; £15, Master Maurice Shanahan, Parks Road; £10, Master Craig Tobin, New Street; £10, Mrs. Joan Hannon, Ballyduff; £10, Mr. M. Landers (Snr.), Townparks. Promoters prize — Jennifer Dunne. The next draw will be held in the Red House on Monday 7th March at 8.00 p.m. All are welcome to attend. (Advt.)

## LISMORE BADMINTON NEWS

### Lismore Reach 2nd Division Co. Final

On Thursday last Lismore 2nd Division team travelled to Ring Badminton Hall to take on Waterford 2nd Division team in the League Semi-final. Having finished behind Waterford in the League, Lismore knew they would have to pull out all the stops if they were going to finish ahead of some very formidable opposition.

Brian O'Gorman and Donal Walsh took the floor first and after a shaky start they finished just 2 aces behind Michael Kelly and Billy O'Mara in the second set. Score 15-5/15-13. First blood to Waterford. Lismore's first ladies then decided to set the record straight and did so convincingly. Mag Morrissey and Jo Jo Tobin won in straight sets beating Marie Byrne and Ann O'Shea 15-8/15-9.

Denis Martin then joined Paul for the second men facing M. Kelly and Aidan White. This was the best game of the night with the Lismore lads very unlucky to be beaten 18-16/15-12. However, they gained some valuable aces here. 2nd ladies inspired by the efforts of second men went on next and Angela Curley and Jo Jo beat Ann O'Shea and Ann Marie Dowling in very determined fashion 15-9/15-8.

Now two all with 2 mixed games to play the pressure was on. Brian and Mag were first mixed against an in form B. O'Mara and A. Dowling. Things didn't go well for Brian and Mag but they fought hard before going down 15-7/15-7. It was down to the last game, Waterford just needed a set to win on aces, Lismore had to win the game in straight sets to do likewise. Denis and Angela didn't give A. White and M. Byrne a hint of hope in this game winning in great style 15-7/15-2, much to the delight of the Lismore contin-

gent. Our thanks to the supporters who definitely made the difference on the night, also to bus driver Breda, The Ring Club and Dolores Walsh who was in charge of the night's events.

By the time you read these notes the final will have been played, also in Ring Hall, on Tuesday night. Dungarvan are our opponents in this match and with Dungarvan 2nd Division having finished streets ahead in the League Lismore know just what kind of an effort it will take to finish ahead in this one.

1st Division played away to Dungarvan last week and came away with a valuable 3 points in a 3 all draw. Pa. Colin, Pat, Nora, Breda and super sub Connie are looking good for a semi-final spot if they continue the good work in this week's games.

We had some members in action in the Anglesey and Donal Barry tournaments over the week-end in Tourin and Lismore Halls. Connie and her young partner B. McGrath reached the semi-final in the Anglesey Cup before going under and Mag and Paul reached the semi-final of the Donal Barry Cup before being pipped by one ace in the third set of a thrilling game, by Billy O'Mahoney and Peggy Power (Old Parish). Well done to the Lismore representatives and also

to Billy and Peggy who beat a very gallant John Young and Margaret O'Brien by just one ace in the final. Two young players C. Scanlon and S. Wilkinson were the Anglesey Cup winners. All these players showed some super skill and determination playing great stuff and kept us well entertained for the day. — P.R.O.

## BALLINVELLA COMMUNITY CENTRE

The Annual General Meeting of the centre was held on Monday 21st February with a large attendance. The election of officers were as follows: Patron - Canon Nugent; President - Nell Mangan; Vice President - Kitty Kelleher; Chairman - Paddy Mangan; Vice-Chairman - Siobhan Leahy; Secretary - Martin Kelleher; Asst. Secretary - Margo Kingston; Treasurer - Tom Fogarty; P.R.O. - Joyce Kingston. Committee - All adults present.

Many thanks to Councillor Ollie Wilkinson for chairing the meeting for the election of the officers and also thanks to Councillor Willie McDonnell, our guest speaker. Next meeting is on March 22nd to discuss activities for the coming year. Anyone with ideas are more than welcome. — P.R.O.

## PRESENTATION SECONDARY SCHOOL LISMORE

### OPEN DAY

AND ASSESSMENT FOR PROSPECTIVE FIRST YEAR STUDENTS

Saturday, March 5 — 10 a.m. - 12 noon

Enquiries to Principal 058/54412

# KILMATHOMAS NOTES



St. Declan's Community College Inter Ladies Cross Country team — Picture shows (left to right) Jenny Mulcahy, Claire Long, Catriona Mulcahy, Sean Foley (Trainer), Claire Aherne, Caroline Ahearn, Claire Dee.

## St. Declan's Soccer Notes

### A.I.B. U-14 MUNSTER SHIELD

**Carrick C.B.S. 0 St. Declan's, Kilmathomas 0**  
(A.E.T. St. Declan's won 3-1 on penalties)

St. Declan's Community College, Kilmathomas caused an upset in this first round Munster shield tie when they overcame Carrick C.B.S. in Carrick-on-Suir.

Both defences held the upper hand for the entire game and there was an inevitability about the score-line well before the finish. The best chance of the first half saw St. Declan's 'keeper Niall Barry make a fine save.

In the second half it was the Kilmathomas side who had the best chances with Paul Leahy and Paudie Prendergast both shooting wide, from good positions.

Despite the very heavy

conditions both sides played some good football with Michael Ahern, Brian O'Leary and the inspirational Paul Mulhearn providing the most telling contributions. However, at the end of extra-time there was still deadlock and a penalty shoot out was needed to determine the winners.

In the shoot-out goalkeeper Niall Barry emerged as the hero displaying great agility and lightning reflexes, as he saved 3 penalties out of 4. These saves coupled with successful penalties by Brian O'Leary, Paul Mulhearn and John Cleary gave St. Declan's victory.

In the next round St. De-

clan's have a home tie against De La Salle or Cashel C.B.S.

St. Declan's — Niall Barry, Joseph Power, David Carlin, Michael Ahern, John Paul Crotty, Ger Power, Paul Mulherne (Capt.), John Cleary, Brian O'Leary, Paudie Prendergast, Paul Leahy. Res. — Sean Paul Fitzpatrick for Paudie Prendergast.

### NOTICE

Clubs, associations and individuals with items of news for our Kilmathomas Notes should send them direct to our Offices at 78, O'Connell St., Dungarvan, or per Phone/Fax 058/41203

## LISMORE GOLF CLUB NOTES

### RESULTS

Sunday 27th February, 9 Hole Stableford — 1st, N. Power 22 1/2 pts. last 6; 2nd, P. Carrie 22 1/2 pts.

### FIXTURES

Saturday 5th March, South East League Tee reserved 11.15 a.m.; 9 Hole Stableford - last card 11 a.m.; Sunday 6th 18 Hole Stableford.

### LISMORE LADIES GOLF NOTES

2nd Round Spring League 1st, A. Howard's team 150 pts.; 2nd, V. Nugent's team 138 1/2 pts.; 3rd, G. Barry's team 139 pts.; 4th, O. Flynn's team 130 pts.; 5th, A. Allen's team 124 pts.

9 Hole Ongoing 16th to 23rd February — 1st, M. Renihan (21) 21 1/2 pts.; 2nd, A. McCarthy (16) 20 pts.; 3rd, P. Bolger McCarthy (23) 18 1/2 pts. last 3; 4th, E. Tinnely (19) 18 1/2 pts.

4th Round of Spring League starts on Wednesday 2nd March.

## Minnies Racquetball Club Notes

### DAWN MEATS TEAM TOURNAMENT

This week sees the start of our next tournament, kindly sponsored by Dawn Meats. It is our biggest tournament to-date, with a total of nine teams competing. Special thanks goes to Paddy Walsh who has convinced a lot of squash regulars to give it a go.

Frank Aird and Donal Verling's team open the tournament on Tuesday night. At no. 5, Michelle Mermin, fresh from her victory in the Minnies Open, faces the strongest no. 5, Sinéad Byrne. At 4, Michael Tutty plays Richie Duggan. Fintan Lahiff takes on Sean Woods at no. 3 and making their racquetball debut, Patsy Hackett and Pat Terry do battle at no. 2.

On Wednesday night, Francis Barry's team play Colm Bannon's team. At no. 5, making his debut, Michael Ferncombe plays Vincent Tutty. At 4, Johnny Byrne, the anchor-man of the United Drug tournament, plays A. J. O'Donnell. Louise Hallahan faces a very in-form Felix Shields at no. 3, and at no. 2 Georgie Hamilton plays Helen Kiely.

In this tournament one point will be awarded for each game won and the team with most points goes through to the second round, as does the losing team with the most points.

Captains are reminded to please help out with the refereeing of games.

Next week Owen O'Mahoney's team comes up against one of the strongest teams in the tournament when they face Paddy Walsh's team and Michael Walsh's team face the no. 1 seeds Mick Fitzgerald's team.

### TRALEE INTERNATIONAL TOURNAMENT

Michael Walsh, our only representative this year in the Tralee Tournament, by all accounts was unlucky not to come home the winner of the Men's D. Michael had to retire in the final due to injury sustained in the semi-final.

## Local Assault Cases Condemned By Judge

"When is the day going to arise, when I come into Dungarvan Court and find no assault case? - that day will be a red letter day for me," stated Judge Michael Pattwell following lengthy evidence of what he described as a 'vicious' assault case at last week's sitting of Dungarvan District Court.

Upon hearing the details of a second assault case some time later, Judge Pattwell further commented: "It's well known in this town what I think of people who go round assaulting people and using their fists".

Strongly condemning anyone who 'strikes and draws blood from another person' Judge Pattwell concluded that those guilty of assault are 'not capable of another chance'.

### PRISON SENTENCE FOR FIRST TIME OFFENDER

Convicted on a charge of common assault, a first time offender was given a jail sentence at Dungarvan district court last week.

The 33 year old defendant Tom Daly of 4, Mitchell Terrace pleaded not guilty to assaulting Paul Regan, 73, Congress Villas on the 28th August last year.

Outlining the facts of the case, Garda Frank Sweeney told the court that on the night in question, he had been stopped by Paul Regan at 3.30 a.m., who claimed he had been assaulted at Mitchell Terrace by the defendant.

Describing the injured man as being "visibly shaken and shocked," Garda Sweeney added that although Mr. Regan had drink taken, he was not drunk.

### "FIST INTO NOSE"

Paul Regan told the court that he had been going home after a wedding with two friends, when he had heard shouting "as if someone was arguing", coming from a house in Mitchell Terrace.

While walking along this street, Regan spotted clothes in the middle of the road. His friend Patrick Tutty then picked up these clothes and

crossed over to the half dressed defendant Tom Daly, who had just come out of his front door. Both men began to converse until Tutty's wife asked the witness to cross over and call her husband.

Regan obliged and joined the two men across the street. He asked Tutty; "are you ready?", upon which the defendant punched him in the nose.

Daly then "opened the gate" and ran after the witness, hitting him in the ribs and the back of the head.

Cross-examined by Mr. Joe Lavin Solr., the witness denied that he had given the defendant any provocation for the assault or that he had been very drunk on the night. Regan also denied using a "torrent of foul and obscene language" towards the defendant.

### "NO REASON WHATSOEVER"

Also giving evidence was Patrick Tutty who had accompanied Regan on the night in question. Tutty concurred that the witness had given Daly "no reason whatsoever" for the assault and that Daly had been drinking and was aggressive.

### "VULNERABLE AND FRIGHTENED"

Mr. Lavin then called on the defendant, Tom Daly, who claimed that there had been a loud party in the house next door which had disturbed his sleep. At 3 a.m., the noise had still not stopped and Daly had gone outside to complain for a second time.

On seeing Paul Regan and Patrick Tutty "trying to go into the party" Daly had told them to "go home". Daly then claimed that the witness had come running towards him, shouting and threatening that he would "get his family after him". "I defended myself and hit him", said Daly, who further admitted that he had then followed the witness down the road hitting him twice more, as Regan was "shouting abuse", added Daly.

Garda Supt. Ray McAndrew told the defendant that he had no provocation for the assault as he was not struck. In reply Daly again stressed that he was "defending" himself. "I felt vulnerable and frightened", insisted Daly on seeing Regan "coming after me".

### "USING FISTS AS A WEAPON"

In passing sentence, Judge Michael Pattwell stated that there was no doubt in his mind that the defendant had "viciously assaulted" Regan on the night in question. "He cannot get away with using his fists as a weapon", declared Judge Pattwell, who subsequently convicted Daly to one month's imprisonment.

Recognisances were fixed in the event of an appeal.

## LISMORE CAMOGIE NOTES

For all those who ordered team photographs of the 'Celebration Evening' they may be collected this Friday evening, March 4th in the Lismore Hotel.

This is in conjunction with our A.G.M. which commences at 8 p.m. sharp. We are looking forward to a good attendance as we have a good range of players, from our young U-12's to our senior players, plus all parents and supporters concerned. As this meeting starts the year for us, we would like to get it off to a good start. Naturally all are welcome, especially any new faces wishing to get involved - or older ones for that matter who may wish to return! No matter how small the effort required, all work is appreciated, and the club is all the better for it. So people who have something to offer or are in any way interested in the club, please come along.

We are also pleased to note that the second batch of equipment from the Deise Development Draw has arrived in the Presentation Convent Primary School. This makes the game available to a broader base of girls, and it is amazing how many girls have taken an interest as a result. Long may it continue.

## West Waterford Drama Festival

The demand for tickets for the 14th West Waterford Drama Festival which opens tonight Thursday in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff has surpassed all expectations. As we go to press the committee have announced that only a small number of tickets are available for three of the ten nights. These are for Tuam Theatre Guild who stage "One Last White Horse" by Dermot Bolger on this Saturday night; Muskerry Players presentation of "Same Old Moon" on Monday night and the Palace Players, Fermoy with their production of "One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest" on Tuesday night.

This demand for tickets is unprecedented in the 13

years of the festival to date. A fact that seven of the ten nights are sold out days before the festival begins proves that status of the event. This year again sees the return of the old favourites such as Kilmeen; Temple Players, Shoestring, Charleville, Haulbowline, Fermoy and, of course, Ballyduff who will open the festival with Ray Cooneys farce "Run For You Wife" directed by Bill Canning. Tuam, Muskerry, Gaslight Theatre Group, Kilkenny and near neighbours Bride View Players, Tallow who will present that old favourite John B. Keane's "The Year Of The Hiker" are most welcome as festival first timers. The adjudicator this year is Tomas McAnna. (See Advert.)

# TALLOW NOTES

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

### IT'S ANOTHER WASHOUT

Yes once again the weather played havoc with The Red House League fixtures and The Quarter Finals of The Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup.

**Crisis** — It's now a crisis time for the Red House League Committee as never before has the league such a huge backlog of games. Some clubs could still have up to 10 games to play before their season ends.

**Lotto** — Last week's numbers 5, 8, 12. There was no winner. £25 winner was Ger McCarthy, West Street. This week's jackpot is £600. Draw in Luke McCarthy's Bar.

**World Cup Tickets** — All tickets for this draw must be in by Monday night. Tickets are still on sale and can be got from any committee member. Tickets are just £10 and include some great prizes for any soccer fan. The first prize is a trip for two including trips to the World Cup. Other prizes including trips to Wembley and Lansdown Road plus spending money.

**U-14 League Final Second Leg** — This was once again called off on Saturday. This game will not now take place for three weeks.

**U-16 League** — This

league has now gone back for two weeks in the hope that the weather improves.

**Best Wishes** — To Leonard Fraser Snr. of Convent Street who is in hospital at the moment. Get well soon Leonard.

**Happy Birthday** — We are a bit late wishing the following a happy birthday but better late than never. Happy birthday to Liz Tobin, Paul Curley and Alice Hurley. Not forgetting our star U-14 player Ronan Cronin even though he never invited his manager to the party.

**Sympathy** — The club extends its deepest sympathy to the Giles family of Coolbeggan on the sad passing of Mrs. Giles. May she rest in peace. Sympathy is also extended to the relatives and friends of Anthony Lacey who died in England at a young age. May he rest in peace.

**Congratulations** — Congratulations to Denis Martin and Angela Curley who had a great victory in badminton. Well done to both.

**Fixtures** — Sunday next (Hopefully) 6th March Dungarvan Tyre Centre Cup Quarter final — Youghal v. Bride View United, k. off

11.30 a.m.

**Division Two** — Bride View v. Glenview Celtic, k. off 11.30 a.m.

**Congratulations** — Congratulations to Ann and Tom Daly, Woodview Park on the birth of a baby girl.

**Congratulations** — Congratulations to Paul McDonnell and Sean Ahern whose horse "Curraheen View" won again in Lismore on Sunday last. The lads plus the cup did the rounds on Sunday night much to the delight of their big following, all of whom made the money at the races.

We wonder is it a record? Did the lads create a record on Sunday last. Well for a horse to win a confined race in Tallow and to go on and win a winners of one race in Lismore. Has it been done before. Maybe someone can enlighten us. Paul and Sean were under the watchful eyes of their proud parents on Sunday night last. Well done again lads!

**News To Hand** — The road runner was in good form on Sunday night last and no wonder. Is he in love I ask? Time will tell. One of the local girls is getting to like the pictures in Cork I understand and everyone thought it was all off. We have spies everywhere. Overall it seems to have been a quiet week-end.

**Sympathy** — The club extends its deepest sympathy to The Hartigan family, Conna on the sad passing of Mrs. Hartigan.

## PUB TABLE QUIZ

The Carling Ireland Ltd. sponsored Table Quiz is now well established, and each year the Community Centre organise this great Table Quiz with the Co-operation of all the Pubs in the area.

Already two team's have qualified for the finals, which will be held before Holy Week. On Monday night last a great night was had by all at the Plough in Curraglass. Five teams took part, and after a mighty struggle the winners were Denis McCarthy, John Paul Fitzgerald and the Hogan brothers just pipping the Walsh family. It had to go to four rounds of "Sudden Death" before the winners emerged.

Then on this Monday night it switched to Timmy Barrys in Tallow, where again four teams participated. Again a very close contest with Timmys own team emerging as winners. The winning team Timmy Barry, Eileen Treacy, Michael Troy (The Golfer) and Paddy Ahearne. Our thanks to the Barry family for providing lovely eats to everyone after the contest.

## TALLOW ANGLING CLUB

The above committee have joined forces with Tallow, Ballynoe and Knockanore Game Preservation Association and are holding a joint social evening in the Walter Raleigh Hotel, Youghal on Saturday 19th March. Music supplied by White Lady sound. Admission £8 including a hot meal. A coach will leave the Square Tallow at 8.15 p.m. Bus fare £2 per person. So as you can see for £10 you can have a hot meal, dance and a tour coach trip to Youghal. Tickets can be had from Richie Pratt, Convent Street, Bride View Bar, Moss Geary, Tom Joe Daly and in Knockanore Bertie Hickey. A great nights entertainment is assured. If you require further details contact Richie Pratt. Names must be handed in as soon as possible that is those who wish to travel by bus. R. Pratt P.R.O.

## RETIREMENT NOTICE

Sincerest thanks to all my customers and friends for all their support to me in the past, hoping they will continue their support to my son Bart. Renewed thanks Sean O'Donoghue, The Square, Tallow. (Advt.)

On this Thursday night, it will be the turn of John Lyons, The Square, starting at 9.45 p.m. and on Monday next, it moves to the Shamrock Inn in Knockanore.

Remember it's open to all clubs, groups or four people who would like to make a team. Until next week.

## TALLOW CUB NOTES

On Sunday February 6th we had our first Sunday Mass in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Tallow. A very good attendance by all Cubs and we would like to thank all parents for their help and co-operation. Our next first Sunday Mass will be on March 6th at 11 o'clock.

Also on February 6th we travelled to Mount Melleray for the Regional Cubs Quiz. A total of 20 cubs took part in the quiz and one of our teams came third. The team included Eimear Ahern, Dermot Casey, Karen O'Sullivan, Trina Buckley, David Keniry and Deirdre McCarthy. Well done to all Cubs.

## KNOCKANORE, GLENDINE, KILWATERMOY, COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES TALENT CONTEST

The first heat of the fourth Annual Talent Contest will be held at a dance in the Shamrock Inn, Knockanore on Saturday March 12th. Music by Celine and her Cotton Country Band. The second heat is on Saturday March 26th and the final is on Easter Monday April 4th.

## TALLOW G.A.A. NOTES

**Dark Night Of The Soul** — I went along to the County Board Meeting last Monday night week and sincerely hope that I don't have to endure a similar experience ever again. The ball was scarcely thrown in, in a manner of speaking, when it became clear during early skirmishes that this was not going to be a pleasant sociable evening in Lawlors Hotel. All that was small, mean, petty, hurtful, provocative, spiteful and vindictive was on display. There was a callous and reckless disregard for people's sensitivities as well as a clear determination to inflict as much damage as possible while reopening old wounds. After over 4 hours of maddening helplessness and frustration, with little evidence of a desire to engage in reasoned argument or calm discussion we made our way home leaving the gentle County's name further trampled into the mire and the butt of good humoured ridicule by media observers.

The clear divide in the county's affairs was never more apparent and yet not all was gloom and doom. One man to express himself calmly and with dignity was Joe Byrne. Not for him the truculent tone and bullying attitude which seemed to pervade the assembly. Avoiding the hectoring belligerence of those who seemed hell bent on venting the spleen he made his case and addressed issues in a level-headed measured manner. Seamus O'Brien and Greg Fives also displayed the good sense and restraint needed on this occasion and weren't interested in fanning the flames of passion.

I remember times past and men who pursued their agenda at County Board meetings rigorously and steadfastly. But the poisonous atmosphere of last Monday night and the palpable tension were conspicuous by their absence in those days. I participated in dozens of games against other counties/clubs whom I didn't particularly like. I said and did things of which I wasn't particularly proud and which weren't in accordance with acceptable standards. However, after the dust had settled and time had healed wounds there was mutual reconciliation with civilized communication resuming. In fact many of the clubs I gave a helping hand to afterwards were the very ones with whom relations were formerly very strained indeed. And why not, that was only par for the course in a genuinely Christian society.

Is there no end to the agony of our county? What about the thousands within the Deices - players, official, supporters, well-wishers, who yearn for a return of day's when we could sport our colours with pride? Do those contemptible ones whose sole aim, it seems, appears to be the perpetuation of bitterness and division within the county not give some consideration to where this continuing shameful business is leading?

It is surely past time for us all to exert whatever influence we have within our clubs and without, so that Portlaine doesn't continue to trawl the depths of vitriol and despair. One saying of John F. Kennedy seems appropriate in the context of this unsavoury business: "There should be no permanent enemies". Members of Waterford Co. Board, we've done our Lenten penance - it has lasted far too long - what about an Easter we can celebrate?

The meeting opened with the Ar nAthair. Perhaps many who joined in the recitation of this perfect Christian prayer failed to give due attention to its meaning; or to the second half of it; in particular to phrases two and three of that second half. They begin "and forgive" Ní gá a thuilleadh a rá.

**Juvenile Affairs** — "Mol an óige agus tiocfaidh sí", would suggest that attention had better be given to the under-age section of a club if it is to have the material to supply adult teams later on. Lismore is a perfect example of this principle in operation. Mindful of this self-evident truth a meeting has been called to form a juvenile committee. The meeting takes place in St. Patrick's Hall on Monday evening 7 March commencing at 8 p.m. All are most welcome.

**Selector** — Sean Sheehan, Chairman of Tallow Hurling and Football Club has become a Waterford Minor Hurling Selector. He needs the wisdom of Solomon, the patience of Job and the capacity of Paul for hard work if he is to make a success of what is undoubtedly an onerous task.

## TALLOW COMMUNITY CENTRE

Results — Kitty McCarthy, New Street; Jodie Geary, Tircullen; Margaret Power, Chapel Street; Mary Roche, Fermoy; Mrs. O'Connor, Ballinaha; Liam Morrissey, Lismore; Mrs. Stretch, Fermoy; Patricia O'Neill, Knockanore; Yvonne Grey, Woodview Park; Catherine Pratt, Convent Street; Mrs. Sullivan, Castlelyons; Biddy Foley, Aghish, Kitty Carthy, New Street; Margo Roche, Fermoy; Peg Hally, Cappoquin; Mrs. Buckley, Lismore; Mrs. Stretch, Fermoy; Mrs. Cronin, Fermoy £50; Miss Condon, Fermoy; Joan Noonan, Fermoy; Kit Ahern, Conna £100; Johnny Deedy, Dungourney; Peggy Beecher, Conna. Next weeks jackpot £500 on 53 calls or less.

## TALLOW SQUASH CLUB NOTES

The final of our February league is scheduled for Thursday the 3rd March and competing on that night are Gabe Daly's team against Paul Hampton's team. This final will be a fascinating contest between experience and youth. Gabe Daly's match against Paul Hampton will be one to remember, with Gabe's dogged determination expected to get the edge over Paul's guile and speed. At number two we have the old reliable, Donie O'Brien against master craftsman, Bart O'Donoghue. The result of this match is in the lap of the gods. Number three, Michael Williams plays host to inexperienced yet enthusiastic, Johnnie Ryan. This is Johnnie's first experience of a major final but Michael is an old hand. Number four, the reliable Kay Condon will meet new player, Eamon Power and the result of this match will have an important bearing on the final outcome. Number five, Paul Feeney whose game has improved in leaps and bounds, meets young Kathleen O'Gorman and again, anything could happen here.

This competition has been generously sponsored by Mr. Ted Keniry of Keniry's Main Street, Tallow. Ted, over the years, has certainly been one of the Club's outstanding sponsors and we are indeed grateful and indebted to him for his contribution.

At the end of what should be a fantastic night on Thursday the 3rd of March, the prizes to the winners and runners up will be presented in Teds. All club members are invited along to attend this function and indeed are requested to bring their friends.

The March singles tournament starts this week. There are three singles tournaments: 1. Ladies singles, 2. Mens singles A Section and 3. Mens singles B section. All members should see the notice board in the club for details. All first round matches are to be played by Monday the 14th of March. The club has also decided to hold a squash blitz. This will start on the 14th of March. The club intends to hold squash blitz nights. Once a week every member will come along for the evening at approximately 8 p.m. Teams will be organised, then each member will play their opponent for ten minutes only. The team with most points at the end of the evening wins. Any member interested in the competition should write their name down on the notice board.

# Kilrossanty Notes

## NEW CAR

Happy and safe motoring to Fr. Ml. Frawley, P.P., who has purchased a new car.

## FLOODS

Lots of surface water is still to be seen in the area after the floods last Tuesday week which left some houses with inches of water and the roads with lots of pot-holes. Let's hope that the worst is over and Summer around the corner????

## CARDS

The cards were cancelled last Monday night as a remark of respect to Mrs. Mary Casey who was buried on Monday. They will resume on Monday night next. £150 on twelve games.

## HOSPITALISED

Best wishes for a speedy recovery to Mrs. Mary Coffey, Crough who is hospitalised at present.

## SYMPATHY

Deepest sympathy is extended to Mrs. Tess Cusack, Ballingown on the death of her mother Mrs. Ann Foley, Croughtaggart, Portlaw who was buried in Portlaw cemetery last Sunday. May she rest in peace. Sympathy is also extended to John Whelan, Kilnagrange on the death of his brother Tom who was buried last week. May he too rest in peace.

## MEETING

St. Vincent De Paul meeting this Friday night in Fews at 7.30 p.m.

## SACRED CONCERT

Sacred Concert in Kilrossanty Church on Tuesday March 15th. The last one was very successful. More details next week.

## CHURCH GATE COLLECTION

A Church gate collection will be held at all Masses next week-end for Autistic children and Adults. Autism is the term used to describe one of the most severe and distressing forms of mental disorder affecting approximately 4 in every 10,000 new born children. They suffer from severe learning problems, unusual body movements, unpredictable behaviour and self imposed isolation. Please be as generous as you can.

## MRS. MARY CASEY

The death took place at her residence Knockeylan of Mrs. Mary (Babe) Casey (nee Hennessey) on Saturday morning last. She was aged 83. A devoted wife and mother she was a quiet and religious woman possessed of many fine attributes, not least of which was her great sense of Christian charity and she was a much loved member of the community. Her remains were removed from her residence on Sunday afternoon to Kilrossanty Church followed by one of the largest corteges seen for a long time. Her remains were blessed and received by Fr. John O'Brien, C.C. Also present were Fr. Ml. Frawley, P.P., Fr. G. Desmond, Fr. Ml. Collender. Requiem Mass was offered by Fr. Ml. Frawley, P.P., at twelve noon assisted

by Fr. Ml. Collender and Fr. John O'Brien. Also in attendance was Fr. Ml. O'Byrne. Again a large crowd was present. Reading were done by Mary Riordan and Mark Radley, grandchildren. Offering gifts were brought to the altar by Kevin, Sínead and Liam Casey, Patrick Riordan, Keith and Paul Radley (grandchildren). Kilrossanty/Fews Choir rendered some appropriate hymns.

Her coffin was brought to its resting place by her three sons, sons-in-law, and nephew-in-law. Final prayers were recited by Fr. John O'Brien at the graveside. Numerous floral tributes were laid on the grave. Sincere and heartfelt sympathy is extended to her husband Tom; Noel, Martin and Tom (sons); Margaret Riordan and Mary Radley (daughters); sons-in-law Tom Riordan and Tommy Radley; daughter-in-law Brigid Casey; Kevin, Sean Sínead and Liam Casey; Mary and Patrick Riordan; Mark and Paul and Keith Radley (grandchildren); brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. May she rest in peace.

## KILROSSANTY G.A.A. NEWS

**Draw** — The first draw in the Deise Development will not now take place until March 18th. The response has been very good in the area so let's hope we will get a few new members this time around.

**County Final** — The eagerly awaited Under-14 1993 county final between Kilrossanty and Roanmore will take place this Saturday in Cappoquin at 2.30 p.m. The lads have been training a few times since the news of this replay became known, so hopefully the weather will be kind and the game will go ahead as scheduled. Players to be in Leamybrien at 1.15 p.m. for the bus.



**PRESENTATION TO LISMORE SECONDARY SCHOOL** — The Parents Council of the Presentation Secondary School, Lismore, recently presented the school with a set of jerseys for volleyball and camogie. Picture shows (left to right) — Mr. Edmund O'Donovan (Principal), Joan Coleman, Mrs. Anna Murphy (Secretary of Parents Council), Mrs. Kay Barry (Chairperson), Lyn Heaphy and teachers Mrs. Deirdre O'Neill and Mrs. Patricia McCarthy.

# BALLYDUFF NOTES

## BALLYDUFF JUVENILE G.A.A. NOTES

The A.G.M. of Ballyduff Juvenile G.A.A. Club was held last Monday night in the Library. The Chairman, Pat Barry, welcomed the attendance which was very small. He expressed the wish that more parents would get involved in the club during the year and he also urged members of the senior club to help out with the development of the younger players.

Secretary, Brendan Cotter, outlined the playing activities at all ages which culminated with success in the Western U-16 football final. Treasurer Jim Hannon gave a detailed account of the finances of the club and both reports were adopted.

The Chairman, in his address, expressed his thanks to the players who have been together for the past number of years and he

looked forward to the future with confidence. He wished speedy recoveries from illness to both Fr. Mulcahy and to the Chairman of the senior club Eugene Hickey. He stated he would not be seeking re-election as Chairman.

Membership which is due by 31 March 1994 is £1 for juveniles and £3 for adults with a maximum of £5 per family.

A sponsored cycle will be held on Easter Sunday and sponsorship cards will be available shortly.

The club would like to convey its sympathy to both the Ring and Kilworth clubs on their tragic bereavements.

Officers for 1994 — President: Fr. Mulcahy; Chairman: Paddy Jim Feeney; Vice Chairman: Pat Barry; Secretary: Brendan Cotter; Treasurer: Jim Hannon; P.R.O.: Andrew Clancy.

Affiliations and Trainers — U-12 Hurling and Football: Tom Feeney; U-14 Hurling and Football: Tom Feeney; U-18 Hurling: Liam Power; U-18 Football: Brendan Cotter.

## BALLYDUFF COMHALTAS NOTES

There is a meeting on next Monday night 7th March in the Log Cabin at 7.30 p.m.

Congratulations to our U-14 half set and U-18 full set who won the Munster finals in Thurles on Sunday 20th February. The U-14 set comprised of Brian Kearney, Patrick Carey, Sandra McGrath and Paula McGrath. The U-18 full set were as follows — Sharon Geoghegan, Nuala Casey, Claire Dunn, Margaret McGrath, Tony Dunn, Michael Kearney, Owen Kearney and Séan Veale.

## BALLYDUFF COMMUNITY COUNCIL NOTES

The Fermoy citizens Information Centre attends Ballyduff Library on the 2nd Wednesday of each

month from 2 - 3 p.m. This Centre deals with all issues relating to health, entitlements, social services, tax and pensions.

## BALLYDUFF 45 DRIVE

Results — 1st, David Regan and Pat Lane; 2nd, Michael Connor and Mary Kenny; 3rd, Eily and Nellie; 4th, Dave Feeney and Joe Shea. Lucky tables — Christy Higgins and Ed Byrne, Maura Magner and Peg Shanahan, Mike Power and Pat Sullivan. Raffle winners were — 1st, Rita Leamy; 2nd, Dave Fennessey; 3rd, John Walsh; 4th, Mrs. Kenneally; 5th, Maud Sheehan; 6th, Michael O'Connor.

## BALLYDUFF I.C.A. NOTES

We hope all our members and friends will support the Coffee-Tea morning in St. Michael's Hall, Ballyduff on Friday March 5th immediately after ten o'clock Mass. Funds from sale will go towards St. Martins Development Centre at Lota. A very worthy cause do come along.

## BALLYDUFF MACRA NOTES

**Public Speaking Gets A New Meaning** — On Saturday night last the County final of the junior public speaking was held in Lismore. There were five teams taking part and it was evident that they all put in a lot of work. Ballyduff were on third and well done to John Scanlon, John Leamy, Noel Casey and Martin Kenny who put on a great show but were not good enough to beat the Cappoquin team who were outstanding on the night.

Congratulations Cappoquin who won 'everything'.

**News** — There was a meeting in the Hall last Friday night with a good crowd present. Things discussed were the 30th anniversary social, cart racing in Cork, doing a community project. More details about

the above will be in this space later.

**Woodwork** — On Wednesday night last we had our final night of Woodwork course. The items made during the course were a filing cabinet, two bedside lockers, a marble topped table, two coffee tables, a rocking chair, a bed, a telephone stand and a set of kitchen press doors and a book case. On behalf of the club we would like to thank Mike MacBride for all his time.

## PERFORMANCE WORKSHOP AT BALLYDUFF

Yes indeed we cater for all ages, and if you are ten to fourteen years of age and even think you have an interest in drama then Saturday 5th March is your lucky day. The ever versatile Jack Healy is coming to town to actively participate in a fun filled afternoon of creativity - The pantomime "Pinnocchio" that you all enjoyed so much was penned by Jack. So how do you apply. Simply ring 058-60326 now as places are limited and if you're not in you can't win! Admission £2. Time 2 p.m. - 6 p.m.

## LINDSAYS DARTS

Last Friday we retained our league title by beating the Village Inn 5-2. We were both level on points going into the game, so it was all to play for. We got a great start winning 3 out of the first 4 games and followed that up with 2 out of the next three for victory.

Our captain Pat Flynn thanked the Village Inn for a great game and Village Inn captain Colin Cotter likewise thanked us. A great night was had by the large crowd present.

We also held a draw for the Conquer Cancer Charity and we would like to thank Maura Lindsay, Eamon Bolger and Bridget Scanlon for sponsoring prizes for the draw.

# Western Bord na nÓg

The Under-14 football championship begins on March 12. This year the championship is being run on a different basis with four groups. The winner of each group goes to the First Division semi-finals; second in each to the Second Division semi-final and third to the Third Division semi-final. We now hope the weather picks up so the games can begin on time.

**UNDER -16** — Hurling training for Western Under-16's continues next Saturday morning in the Friary college at 11.00 a.m. Players are reminded to bring soft soled shoes as well as their boots.

**ANTRIM** — Last year's Tony Forristal team are off to Antrim this week-end. We wish everyone involved in this trip the very best and a special word of thanks to the Adults who are looking after this team. These people give up so much for the good of Waterford hurling.

**COUNTY FINAL DATES** — Under-14 Football — Saturday May 7 1st and 2nd Division, Walsh Park.

Under-14 Hurling — Friday 8th July, Division 2 final, Fraher Field. Saturday 9th July 1st and 3rd Division finals, Fraher Field.

**UNDER -16 HURLING** — Friday 19 August — 2nd Division final, Fraher Field. Saturday 20 August — 1st and 3rd Division finals, Fraher Field.

**UNDER-16 FOOTBALL** — Saturday 15 October — 1st and 2nd Division finals. Eastern Venue Feile na nGael 24-26 Limerick.

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### WEEK ENDING MARCH 4

★ **SCORPIO** **OCTOBER 24 to NOVEMBER 22** During this formative month, we find you steadily marching forward into your future. You feel in control of life and are extremely focused. This week, dealings with clubs, associations or organisations are positive. Telephone 1550 151 for further details.

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★ **SAGITTARIUS** **NOV. 23 to DEC. 21** Throughout March 'the craic is ninety.' Life is social and you are at the centre of attention. This week, if dealing with criticism avoid reacting with immediate defensiveness. It could prove beneficial to listen. Telephone 1550 151 for further details. Your lucky number is 3.

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★ **CAPRICORN** **DEC 22 to JAN 20** A busy February gives way to a relaxed March when you can afford to take life easy and go with the flow. This week much can be achieved but only with careful planning. In need of some astrological advice? Then telephone 1550 151. Budget wisely.

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★ **AQUARIUS** **JAN 21 to FEB 19** March is a month when we find you on the move. Life is progressive and so are you! This week, information comes to light that gives you 'the edge.' Why not telephone 1550 151 for astrological information that can also benefit you. Partnerships are well starred.

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★ **PISCES** **FEBRUARY 20 to MARCH 20** March is your month so be positive and put your best foot forward. Expect finances to improve and positive developments in relation to work or business. This week, emphasise the romantic aspect of life. Telephone 1550 151 and I'll tell you why! Love is well starred.

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★ **ARIES** **MARCH 21 to APRIL 20** The main message for March is to avoid that Arian impulse. Rushing into something could cause later regret. This week, life proves rather social whilst a family member is set to become a good friend. In considering a new venture, why not telephone 1550 151 for astrological indications?

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 301

★ **TAURUS** **APRIL 21 to MAY 21** Patience and persistence are your keys to success throughout the month of March. And don't make the mistake of counting your chickens before they are hatched. Plans may not go quite as formulated. This week, telephone 1550 151 for astrological advice on love. Home changes are well starred.

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★ **GEMINI** **MAY 22 to JUNE 21** Social demands and professional obligations have you "mad as a March hare"! You can look forward to an exhilarating, though at times, exhausting month. Telephone 1550 151 for astrological advice on love. You may have to sacrifice something in order to gain a greater prize.

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★ **CANCER** **JUNE 22 to JULY 23** The coming of March is your cue to sort out differences of opinion and incompatible ambitions. Remain flexible and in particular, open to move and travel. This week, romantic attachments are specially favoured. Telephone 1550-151 if you feel the need for more details.

FOR A MORE DETAILED ANALYSIS CALL: 1550 151 304

★ **LEO** **JULY 24 to AUGUST 23** March is a month when troublesome problems of the past are finally resolved. Pressures lift and life becomes more harmonious. During this busy week, find time to telephone 1550 151 for some uplifting astrological indications. A family member is soon to be successful.

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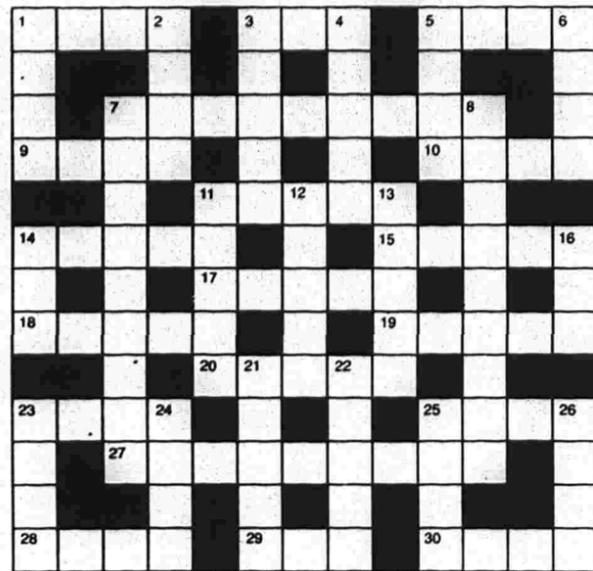
★ **VIRGO** **AUGUST 24 to SEPT. 23** Throughout the positive month of March, don't underestimate your abilities. Remain confident and ambitious. Expect good news concerning work or business. This week, it is likely that you will find yourself at loggerheads with someone. Telephone 1550 151 for details relating to love, luck and money.

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★ **LIBRA** **SEPTEMBER 24 to OCTOBER 23** By the end of March you will recognise that a lot of your blessings have been in disguise. Your work situation may feel at a standstill but progress is imminent. Telephone 1550 151 and let me throw some light on your romantic situation — especially if you are currently "in the dark."

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| 5 Slightly open (4)     | 3 Mortal (5)            |
| 7 Wonderful (9)         | 4 Desert waterplace (5) |
| 9 Rich mould (4)        | 5 Sour (4)              |
| 10 Emblem of peace (4)  | 6 Fury (4)              |
| 11 Showy (5)            | 7 Exact copy (9)        |
| 14 Puzzling problem (5) | 8 Satisfied (9)         |
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| 17 Fragrance (5)        | 12 Distant (5)          |
| 18 Restrict (5)         | 13 Hasten (5)           |
| 19 After wash (5)       | 14 Mate (3)             |
| 20 Big and strong (5)   | 16 Cereal (3)           |
| 23 Go on foot (4)       | 21 Decree (5)           |
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## ORGAN'S DIAL A DISC

### WLR FM

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 "Animals And Birds"—

- A The Rolling Stones — Little Red Rooster
- B Fleetwood Mac — Albatros
- C Boomtown Rats — Rat Trap
- D Brian & Michael — Matchstick Men And Matchstick Cats And Dogs
- E Manfred Mann — Pretty Flamingo
- F Tight Fit — The Lion Sleeps Tonight
- G Bob Marley — Buffalo Soldier
- H Partners In Kryme — Turtle Power
- I Survivor — Eye Of The Tiger
- J Harry Chapin — Cats In The Cradle
- K Rolf Harris — Tie Me Kangaroo Down Sport
- L America — A Horse With No Name
- M Val Doonican — Elusive Butterfly
- N Elvis Presley — Hound Dog
- O Duran Duran — Hungry Like The Wolf
- P Elton John — Crocodile Rock
- Q Spitting Image — The Chicken Song
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**BRIDGE RESULTS**

**COMERAGH BRIDGE CLUB DUNGARVAN**

Results for Monday, February 21 — Team of Four — 1, Carmel O'Brien and Joan Begley, Mary Walsh and Ella Whelan; 2, Una Drennan and Katherine Mulcahy, Pauline Enright and Lucy Frost.

**DEISE BRIDGE CLUB**

Results, February 28 — 1, Leo O'Donnell and Liam Power Snr.; 2, Eleanor Power and Joan McCarthy; 3, Geraldine Murphy and Liam Power Jr.; 4, Moira Ormonde and Judy Noctor. President's Prize 7 p.m. March 7.

**WEST WATERFORD DRAMA FESTIVAL**  
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**News of Town and Roundabout**

**O.N.E.**  
The monthly meeting of the R. A. Walsh Branch takes place on Monday, March 7 at 8.30 p.m. All members are asked to attend. It is good to see Dick McAllister up and about again after his recent illness.

**DUNGARVAN CAMOGIE CLUB NOTES**  
A players' meeting will take place this Thursday night in Lawlor's Hotel at 8 p.m. All players and intending players are asked to attend.

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 To me you were someone special,  
 You know I always loved you,  
 If I could visit heaven,  
 On this my saddest day,  
 Maybe for a moment,  
 The pain would go away.  
 I'd put my arms around you, Dad,  
 And say those words so true,  
 My life has never been so empty.  
 Since the day I lost you.  
 (Fondly remembered by your loving daughter Betty son-in-law Tom, grandchildren Kevin, Michael and Karen.)



**STREET** — Birthday Remembrance of our dear mother, Nora Street, late of Kilrush Park, Dungarvan, on February 28.  
 How do you write on paper,  
 The feelings we have inside,  
 The heartaches and the emptiness,  
 That is with us since you died.  
 If we had just one moment,  
 To see you once again,  
 We would throw our arms around you,  
 And hug you tight and then—  
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**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. — P.M.

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

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**THANKSGIVING** to St. Martha, Our Lady and St. Anthony for favours received. — A.S.

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**IN THANKSGIVING** — Sr. Mary of Jesus Crucified — Holy Spirit inspire me, love of God consume me, on the true path lead me, Mary my mother look down upon me, with Jesus bless me, from all evil, from all illusion, from all danger preserve me. Saint Jude, glorious Apostle, faithful servant and friend of Jesus, the name of the traitor has caused thee to be forgotten by many, but the Church honours and invokes thee universally as the patron of hopeless cases — of matters despaired of. Pray for me who is so miserable; make use, I implore thee, of that particular privilege accorded to thee, to bring visible and speedy help where help is almost despaired of. Come to my assistance in this great need that I may receive the consolation and succour of heaven in all my necessities, tribulations and sufferings, particularly (here make your request), and that I may bless God with you and all the elect throughout eternity. I promise thee, St. Jude, to be ever mindful of this great favour, and I will never cease to honour you as my special and powerful patron and do all in my power to encourage devotion to thee. Amen. Merciful Jesus we trust in Thee, have pity on us and on the whole world.



# IN MEMORIAM



**COSTIGAN — Seventeenth Anniversary** — In loving memory of James (Jim) Costigan, late of Cathal Brugha Place, Dungarvan, who died on March 2, 1977.

A bouquet of beautiful memories,  
Sprayed with a million tears,  
Wishing God could have spared you,  
If just for a few more years.  
(Always remembered by his wife Margaret and sons.)

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A father is a special gift,  
One you think will stay,  
You never dream the day will come,  
That he will pass away.  
Now in heaven above he rests,  
God bless you Dad, you were one of the best.  
(Never forgotten by his daughter Marguerite, son-in-law Tom and grandchildren.)

**HARTY — Fifth Anniversary** — Cherished memories of my dear wife Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989. Masses offered.

I lost my life's companion,  
A life linked with my own,  
And day by day I pray for you,  
And I walk through life alone.  
The house you left is lonely now,  
And I am lonely too,  
Those left behind are good and kind,  
But none replaces you.  
To me you were so special,  
What more is there to say,  
Except I wish with all my heart,  
That you were here today.  
(Always remembered by your loving husband Richie.)

**HARTY — Fifth Anniversary** — In loving memory of our dearest mother, Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

A bouquet of beautiful memories,  
Sprayed with a million tears,  
Wishing God could have spared you, Mam,  
If just for a few more years.  
(Missing you — Niamh and Alan.)

**HARTY — Fifth Anniversary** — In loving memory of our daughter and sister, Rita Harty, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

God must have thought you special,  
To take you the way He did,  
They say He only takes the best,  
And this He surely did.  
Look around Your garden, Lord,  
For an angel with a smile,  
She won't be hard to recognise,  
She must stand out a mile.  
So put your arms around her, Lord,  
And kiss her smiling face,  
For she is very special,  
And can never be replaced.  
(Sadly missed by Mam, Pat and Tony.)

**HARTY — Fifth Anniversary** — In loving memory of my sister, Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

A day to remember, sad to recall,  
Without farewell you left us all,  
Your name is often mentioned,  
Our thoughts are with you still,  
You haven't been forgotten  
What's more you never will.  
(Never forgotten — Kathleen and Terry.)

**HARTY — Fifth Anniversary** — In loving memory of my sister, Rita, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

Isn't it strange that those we need,  
Are those we love the best;  
And just the ones that God needs too,  
And takes them home to rest.  
We miss you because we loved you,  
To us you were dearer than gold,  
No treasure can ever replace you,  
Your memory will never grow old.  
(Sadly missed and always in our thoughts — Marian, Michael, Emer, Michael, Ciaran and Róisín.)

**HARTY — Fifth Anniversary** — In loving memory of my twin sister, Rita Harty, late of 66, Springfield, Dungarvan, who died on March 4, 1989.

I often sit and think of you,  
Of how you suffered and died,  
I cry so much over losing you,  
I'm all broke up inside.  
You left us so suddenly,  
We could only weep and cry,  
But the saddest part of all,  
We never said goodbye.  
(Always in our thoughts — Teresa, Chris, David, Colin and Graham.)

**KIRBY — Seventh Anniversary** — In loving memory of our dear dad and granddad, Patrick Kirby, late of Coolydoody, Ballyduff, who died on February 24, 1987. Masses offered. R.I.P.

If we could visit heaven, Dad,  
On this our saddest day,  
Maybe just for a moment,  
The pain would go away.  
We would put our arms around you, Dad,  
And say these words so true,  
Our lives have not been the same,  
Since the day you went to heaven.

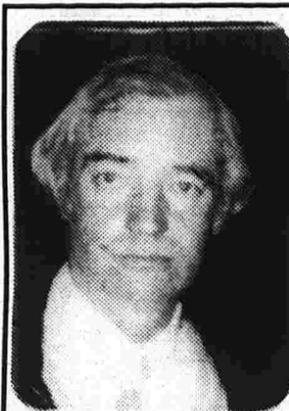
(Sadly missed by your sons, daughters and grandchildren at home and abroad.)

**MASON — Sixth Anniversary** — Treasured and loving memories of our dearest Mam, Nora, Shanbally, Cappoquin, who died on February 29, 1988. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

Mam, You and Dad are together now,  
And heaven is your home,  
We are left to live without you,  
The greatest friends we have ever known.  
So always stay beside us,  
It helps to know you are there,  
Because we know you always loved us,  
And will never cease to care.  
(Never forgotten by your loving daughters Josie, Kathleen, Nora, May, Susie, Breda, Lena, sons-in-law and grandchildren.)

**MASON — Sixth Anniversary** — Treasured and loving memories of our dearest Mam, Nora, Shanbally, Cappoquin, who died on February 29, 1988. On her soul sweet Jesus have mercy. Masses offered.

Behind the gates of heaven,  
There is someone special there,  
A Mam we loved so dearly,  
A Mam who will always care.  
You gave us all you had to give,  
Gifts both big and small,  
But most of all you gave us love,  
The biggest gift of all.  
The tears in our eyes we can wipe away,  
But the pain in our hearts will always stay.  
(Forever remembered by your loving sons Dick, Sean, Noel, Jer, Paddy, daughters-in-law and grandchildren.)



**McLOUGHLIN — Third Anniversary** — In loving memory of a dear husband and father, John McLoughlin, late of Congress Villas, Dungarvan, who died on March 6, 1991. R.I.P.

Sad are the hearts that loved you,  
Silent are the tears that fall,  
But living our lives without you,  
Is one greatest heartache of all.  
May the wind of love blow softly,  
And whisper for you to hear,  
That we, your family, miss you,  
And wish that you were here.  
Our lives have changed in many ways,  
Since we were all together,  
But our love for you will never change,  
It will stay with us forever.  
(Sadly missed by your loving wife Maureen, son Michael, daughters Angela and Nicola, son-in-law John and grandchildren Shona and Dylan.)

**MORONEY — Ninth Anniversary** — In loving memory of Patrick Moroney, Coolnasmea School House, who died March 6, 1985.

We miss you now, our hearts are sore,  
As time goes by we miss you more,  
Your loving smile, your gentle face,  
No one can fill your vacant place.  
Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Sadly missed by your loving wife Margaret and family at home and away.)

**REGAN — Twenty-fifth Anniversary** — In loving memory of Kathleen Regan, late of St. Patrick's Terrace, Abbeyside, who died on March 7, 1969.

Will those who think of her today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Sadly missed by her loving sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, relatives and friends).  
Anniversary Mass in Abbeyside Church at 12 noon on Sunday, March 6.



**TOBIN — First Anniversary** — In sad and loving memory of our dear daughter Theresa Tobin, late of 19, Lismore Avenue, Dungarvan, who died on March 7, 1993. Masses offered.

Anniversary Mass in St. Mary's Parish Church on Monday night next, March 7, at 7.30 p.m.  
Our lips cannot speak how we loved you,  
Our hearts cannot tell what to say,  
But God only knows how we miss you,  
In our home that is lonely today,  
We hold you close within our hearts,  
And there you shall remain,  
To walk with us throughout our lives,  
Until we meet again.  
So rest in peace dear loved one,  
And thanks for all you've done,  
We pray that God has given you,  
The crown you've truly won.  
(Never forgotten by your loving Mam and Dad.)

**TOBIN — First Anniversary** — In loving memory of our dear sister, Theresa Tobin, late of 19, Lismore Avenue, Dungarvan, who died on March 7, 1993.

They say there is a reason,  
They say that time will heal,  
But neither time nor reason,  
Will change the way I feel.  
For no one knows the heartache,  
That lies behind our smiles,  
No one knows how many times,  
We have broken down and cried.  
We want to tell you something,  
So there won't be any doubt,  
You're so wonderful to think of,  
But so hard to do without.  
(Always remembered by her loving sisters Linda, Sandra, Jennifer and Edel.)

**TOBIN — First Anniversary** — In loving memory of my dear sister, Theresa Tobin, late of 19, Lismore Avenue, Dungarvan, who died on March 7, 1993.

A light is from our household gone,  
A voice we loved is stilled,  
A place is vacant in our home,  
That never can be filled.  
Lonely is the home without you,  
Life to us is not the same,  
All the world would be like heaven,  
If we could have you back again.  
May the God of love and mercy,  
Care our loved one who has gone,  
And bless with consolation,  
Those left to carry on.  
(Inserted by her loving sister Christine and Liam.)

**TOBIN — First Anniversary** — In loving memory of my dear niece, Theresa Tobin, late of 19, Lismore Avenue, Dungarvan, who died on March 7, 1993.

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.  
May she rest in peace, dear Jesus,  
In Thy heavenly home above,  
With the Sacred Heart of Jesus,  
In His own eternal love.  
(Always remembered by her uncle John and Chris.)

**TOBIN — First Anniversary** — In loving memory of my niece, Theresa Tobin, late of 19, Lios Mór Avenue, Dungarvan, who died on March 7, 1993.

A loving niece God only lent,  
A loving niece God ever sent,  
There are other nieces, yes we know,  
But you were ours and we loved you so.  
(From Billy and Kathleen.)

**TOBIN — First Anniversary** — In loving memory of Theresa Tobin, late of 19, Lismore Avenue, Dungarvan, who died on March 7, 1993.

To us you were someone special,  
We miss you every day,  
But the saddest day in all our lives,  
Was the day you passed away.  
We think of you in silence,  
And always speak your name,  
But all we have are memories,  
And a picture in a frame.  
As we wander to your graveside,  
And flowers there we lay,  
No one knows the heartache,  
As we turn and walk away.  
(Always loved and never forgotten by your close friends Rosie, Michelle and Nan.)

**TOBIN — First Anniversary** — In loving memory of our dear friend, Theresa late of Lismore Avenue, Dungarvan, who died on March 7, 1993. R.I.P. Sacred Heart of Jesus have mercy on her soul.

The happy hours we once enjoyed,  
How sweet their memories still,  
But death has left a vacant place,  
This world can never fill.  
(Always remembered by all your friends at Ormond's.)

**WOODS — Fourth Anniversary** — In loving memory of John Woods, late of 46, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on February 25, 1990.

Will those who think of him today,  
A little prayer to Jesus say.  
(Never forgotten by Mary and Jacinta.)

**WOODS — Fourth Anniversary** — In loving memory of John Woods, late of 46, Caseyville, Dungarvan, who died on February 25, 1990.

Not today, but everyday,  
In silence we remember.  
(Inserted by his loving son Tommy.)

## MONTH'S MIND MASS

The Month's Mind Mass for James Drummy, 11, St. Patrick's Crescent, Dungarvan, will take place at St. Mary's Parish Church, Dungarvan, on Friday, March 11, at 7.30 p.m.

## Acknowledgments

### JIM KENNEFICK Kingsbury London

The wife, daughter and brothers of the late Jim Kennefick, Kingsbury, London (late of Ballysaggart) wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, messages and telephone calls of sympathy and floral tributes. As a token of our appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

### GEOFF GAMBON Main Street Cappoquin

The sons and family of the late Geoff Gambon, Main Street, Cappoquin, wish to thank most sincerely all those who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement; those who sent Mass cards, letters of sympathy, floral tributes and those who called personally. A special word of thanks to the Parish Clergy, Dr. Ben Murphy, Nurse Kathleen Kearney, doctors and nurses of St. Anne's Ward at St. Joseph's Hospital, Dungarvan; to the doctors and nurses at Waterford Regional Hospital; thanks to our wonderful and very kind neighbours; to Mossie and John Noonan, Undertakers; to Paddy Carroll and the altar boys; to the gravediggers, we say thank you. As a token of our appreciation the holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for the intentions of all.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I wish to thank a very special friend, Mrs. Mairéad McGrath and family from Mary Street, Dungarvan for their kindness during my husband Larry's illness up to his death, and for driving me to and from hospital every day to see him. Thank you all very much. May God bless and protect you always. — Mrs. C. J. Prendergast, 12, St. Martin's Terrace, Dungarvan.

**ARDMORE A.F.C. NOTES — TYRE CENTRE CUP**

# Ardmore Lose Out In Penalty Shoot-Out

**ARDMORE 0 LISMORE 0 (Lismore win 4-3 on penalties)**

Because their pitch was unplayable Lismore travelled to Ardmore for the cup quarter final and after an absorbing game got the verdict in the penalty shoot-out.

Lismore put on the pressure from the kick-off and it took Ardmore ten minutes to settle down. After that Ardmore had their best spell of the game and were unlucky not to have registered a goal. Johnny Hennessy had a header put over the bar by the goalkeeper. Dec Hennessy miskicked in the box and had a cross that was curling under the bar saved. Seamus Veale who played as sweeper also had a shot saved by the 'keeper.

The second half saw Lismore take a bit more control and it was the turn of the Ardmore defence to be under pressure which for the most time they handled admirably.

As the half progressed it was obvious that Lismore had the edge on fitness.

Ardmore at this stage tried to crowd the midfield by Dec Hennessy dropping out in support, leaving Clinton Hennessy and Anthony Herne up front. Lismore were finding it difficult to make openings and this was thanks to the fine job Seamus Keever did on marking the Lismore dangerman Tommy Pratt and he was ably supported by Seamus Veale who had a fine return as sweeper. Lismore's biggest threat was from set pieces, but Ardmore defended in numbers.

Extra time saw no break in the deadlock and it resulted in the dreaded penalty shoot out.

Ardmore's luck was out on this occasion, missing two to their one. So it ends our interest in the cup for another year, but Ardmore went out

with their heads held high after a performance full of courage and determination.

Adrian Yellup had a sound game in goal. The back four were under pressure with Seamus Keever again outstanding. Seamus Veale also had a fine game while Harry Veale found his opponent a handful, but he tried hard. Chippy Hennessy also had his moments but he also found the going tough at times. Johnny Hennessy was the pick of the Ardmore midfield, he had an outstanding game and his tackling and heading was excellent. If Johnny could improve on the finer points of the game, and I have no doubt he can and will, he will be one of the best midfielders in the league. Up front Clinton

Hennessy can be pleased with his display and if he had a bit more support would have been more effective. Anthony Herne tried hard both at centre forward and midfield.

The club are grateful to their five penalty takers and the goalkeeper, who were involved in the shoot-out. Interestingly enough the same five stepped up in the last round and were heroes, but just because we had a couple of misses last Sunday, there were questions asked about the selection and the rota the kicks were taken. Hindsight is a wonderful thing and a decision that can be applauded one day and be knocked the next. That's football!

Just to finish a few more favourable quotes after the match:

"Ardmore can hold their heads up high", Jimmy Meaney, Chairman. "A very good cup tie", Kevin Gallagher, supporter. "Most enjoyable game to play in", Pat Bennett, Lismore.

**MATCH TICKET**

February 19 — Man. City — Winning minute was 53. Not claimed yet.

February 26 — Man. United — Winning minute was 6. Claimed by Willie Mulcahy.

## Clonea Bowling Club Notes



**CLONEA DOUBLES CUP**

The first round of the Doubles Cup got underway this week with all bowlers trying their hardest to capture this year's titles of men's doubles champions and women's double champions. Can Albert Power and Bryan Keohan defend their title successfully of men's doubles champions, likewise, can Hildegard Stöber and Carmel Cooney defend their title of women's double champions? All will be revealed over the next few weeks.

With three games to be

played each night, the pressure is on to keep up consistent bowling. After the first week the tough competition is showing with the top five pairs in the men's competition very close. Only 18 pins between second and third place.

However, in the women's doubles it is a different story. The competition is just as tough as the men's, but the top ladies are leading by 175 pins, with a 28 pin difference between second and third places. But it is early days yet and there are still three weeks to go. Anything can happen.

Here are the placings after the first week —

**Men's Doubles** — Ivor Gordon and Stephen Donnelly 912, Colin Glaswell and John Reynolds 894, Anthony Cooney and Tony Keane 890, Michael Cooney and David Regan 870, Patsy Horsom and Danny Barry 860, Albert Power and Bryan Keohan 792, James Moore and Ambrose Mullarkey 757, Thomas and Eddie Moore 655.

**Women's Doubles** — Hildegard Stöber and Carmel Cooney 905, Josephine Whelan and Mary Fahy 730, Eleanor and Martina Moore 702, Fidelma Horsom and Margaret Hogan 620, Michelle and Eileen Power 607, Christina and Shirley Flynn 571.

The men's highest scorer this week was Patsy Horsom with 192 and the women's highest scorer this

week was Carmel Cooney with 169.

**LADIES BOWLING**

Last Tuesday saw the final week of the February competition and there were some upsets. Some impressive bowling from Margaret Kiely won her the title of the February Champion. Congratulations. As always, it is never over until the final ball is thrown. All the rest of the ladies should not be downhearted, because starting next Tuesday the race for the title of the March champion begins. Good luck to all.

Here are this month's placings — Margaret Kiely (300), Mary Looby (293), Carol McAndrew (285), Margaret Hogan (278), Libby Walsh (270), Patricia Donnelly (265), Mary Walsh (258), Joan Moloney (246), Kay Mullaney (234), Sally Walsh (229), Nancy Daly (213), Joanie Phelan (177), Ivy Ahern (156), Kathy Gough (155), Margaret English (152), Breda Bannon (148), Monica Dwane (147), Hannah Walsh (136), Bridget Power (96), Eileen White (90).

**JUNIOR BOWLING**

All our junior bowlers — don't forget, every Sunday morning at 10.30 a.m. for £1. The numbers have slackened off over the past few weeks, so we want to see you all coming back and enjoying a fun morning of bowling. Bring all your friends. Newcomers welcome. See you all next week!

## Railway Athletic (Cappoquin) F.C. Notes

**ALL GAMES WASHED OUT**

Once again the weather was the winner as our two schoolboy games and our junior league game were called off. The bad weather is causing a lot of trouble for both the schoolboy league and junior league and it looks like all clubs will be very active when the long evenings will come.

**CHURCH GATE COLLECTION**

Our club would like to thank everyone who contributed to our annual church gate collection.

**SYMPATHY**

Our club would like to extend sympathy to the Kiely family, Green Street, on the recent death of Danny.

**NEXT WEEKEND FIXTURES**

Saturday, March 5 — U-12's at home to Johnville, 10.30 a.m.; U-14's away to St. Otteran's, 11.45 a.m.; Under-16's away to Seaview, 2.30 p.m. T.S.B. Cup (2nd round) at home to Crusaders, 2.30 p.m.

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

# Geoff Power Memorial Tournament

The following are the seven teams who will compete for the inaugural running of the Geoff Power Memorial Cup in the near future. It is hoped to start this tournament, which will be run on a league basis, when the weather improves. It will be held in the Crystal pitch every Saturday afternoon at 2.30 p.m. We have over 50 U-11 players entered in this tournament and the teams have been picked as evenly as possible so it should make for some very good matches. We would encourage parents to come out and support these young lads and certainly the future for the club looks very promising thanks to the great work of Noel Hackett, Liam Simms, Johnny Hughes, etc.

**Team A Man. Utd.** — Fred Flynn, Jonathan Shaw, Ben Ducey, Aidan Connolly (Capt.), John Ducey, Justin Houlihan, David Curran, Eoin Keane.

**Team B Blackburn** — I. Prendergast, Alan Linane (Capt.), Dwane Tutty, John O'Donnell, Ronan Dennehy, John O'Keeffe, Michael Nagle, Conor Hackett.

**Team C Arsenal** — Keith Hogarth, Adrian Cleary, Tom Stack, Trevor Moore (Capt.), Sean Hackett, Kevin Stack, Paul O'Connor, Chris Cowming.

**Team D Newcastle** — Gerald O'Brien (Capt.), John Flynn, Stephen Sheridan, Dwane Keegan, J. P. Tutty, Colin O'Sullivan, Darren Foley, Finbar Sexton.

**Team E Liverpool** — Marc Tutty, Barry Wright, Sean Fitzgerald (Capt.), Sean Houlihan, Jonathan Regan, Maurice Whelan, James Dalton, Christopher Walsh.

**Team F Leeds Utd.** — Peter Power, Kido Keating, Chris Wall (Capt.), Chris Morrissey, Stephen Murphy, Tony Sheridan, David Hughes, Shane Power.

**Team G Aston Villa** — T. J. Crotty (Capt.), Peter O'Brien, Johnny Daly, Colin Beresford, Andrew Williams, Wayne McCarthy, James Ducey, A. N. Other.

We will also run a "Penalty King" competition in conjunction with this tournament.

## Dungarvan Golf Club

**LADIES FIXTURES**

Tuesday 8th March Ladies Home Alliance; Tuesday 8th March 14 Hole Stableford ongoing 9 Hole Stableford (two cards to count). Please note Monday 7th March Ladies Minor Alliance. The ladies fun night on Tuesday 22nd February was a great success with members new and old having a most enjoyable time, the winners of the competition playing in pairs were June James and Mary Walsh with runners-up Maeve O'Riordan and Kathleen Mulcahy.

**MEN'S FIXTURES**

Monday 28th February — Friday, March 4 — 14 Hole Stableford; Saturday 5th March — 18 Hole Stableford; Sunday 6th March — 18 Hole Stableford. Please note Saturday 5th March — East Cork League, 11.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, March 6, South East Senior Alliance, 10.36 a.m. to 12.36 p.m. Well done to our players John Norris (4th), Pat McGovern (5th), Nicky Norris (6th) and back nine Peter Mulcahy, on their success in the S.E.J.A. Cap-

tain's Prize played in Kilkenny on Sunday 24th February. John Norris is currently leading in the Golfer of the Year. Their next outing is the President's prize in West Waterford Golf Club on Sunday 6th March.

**SOCIAL EVENTS**

Results of Progressive 45 from Thursday 24th February — Joint winners, Tony Whelan and Vinny Kirwan, Noel Kirwan and James Power, Moyra Baumann and Sylvia McGrath, Peggy and John O'Brien. Best of last 5 — Pat McGovern and Roger O'Connor, Nicky Kavanagh and Joe Lavan.

**FUTURE EVENTS**

Every Thursday night at 8.30 p.m. Progressive 45. Friday 4th March: Jewellery from the Victorian Era, talk and display by Ted and Maria Halligan from An Siopa, Waterford, followed by afternoon tea. Proceeds are in aid of Daffodil Day. Admission £3 which includes afternoon tea. Wednesday March 16th Irish night.

Our sincere sympathy to Patricia Brosnan on the death of her beloved father John.

## Cunnigar Pitch and Putt Notes

We would like to remind our members that all registration fees are now due. We would like to invite new members to join the Cunnigar Pitch and Putt Club. We would like to encourage more juveniles to take part in the game. There are some very good tournaments for juveniles this season.

Our lotto numbers for February 22: 6, 7, 10. There were four winners — Jason Gough, Margaret Power, Tony Riordan, Cormac Coleman. Promoters were — Thomas Maher, J. Duggan, Paul Regan, B. Coleman.

# International Honours For Micheál Downey

To mark the achievements of our youth player Micheál Downey, who will, this week, travel with the Irish Schools Under-18 team to play against Northern Ireland in Monaghan, our club made a presentation to him at the club pavilion on Sunday last.

Club Chairman, Liam Simms, welcomed all the guests present and said the club was very proud of Micheál's achievement in being capped for the Irish Schools soccer team. He also spoke of the close co-operation between our club and Kilmacthomas FC. He then presented Micheál with a trophy to mark the occasion.

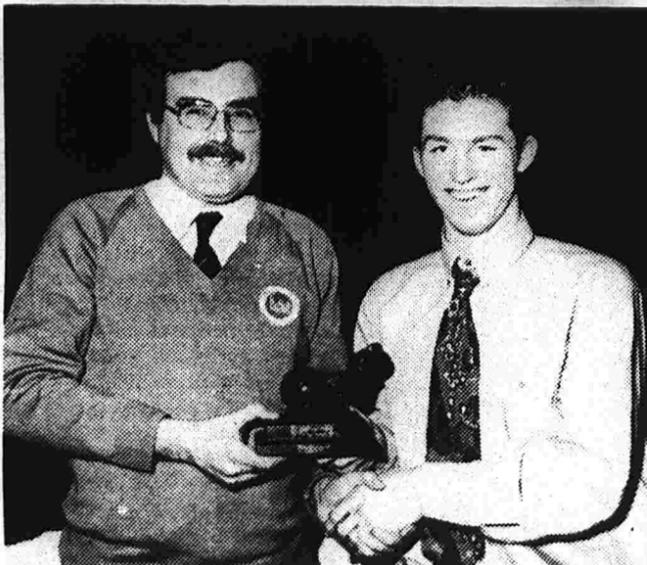
Among the guests to speak were former club stalwart Cllr. Billy Kyne, Chairman VEC, Kevin Walsh, Secretary, Kilmacthomas FC, the club where Micheál began playing his soccer; Sean Ahearne, Vice-Principal of St. Declan's Community College who was loud in his praise of Micheál, both as a sportsman and in his studies and also praised our club secretary, Kealan O'Neill who is coach to the three soccer teams at the college and who played a major part in bringing this honour to

Micheál; Cllr. Tony Wright, Chairman UDC also spoke highly of his achievements and wished him well in his career.

Kevin Walsh, Chairman Kilmacthomas FC also said he was delighted to be associated with the award and agreed with our chairman about the co-operation that existed between the two clubs stretching back over a long number of years.

Our club chairman rounded off the evening by thanking all who had turned up for the occasion and paid special tribute to Micheál's mother Kathleen who drives him up for matches and training.

Micheál suitably replied and thanked all who had helped him in his career to date in Kilmacthomas FC, Dungarvan FC, but especially Mr. S. Aherne and Mr. K. O'Neill in St. Declan's College who had given him every help and encouragement this year and made this International



▲ Micheál Downey being presented with his Waterford Referees Society Youth Player of the Year by Michael Deegan. As Micheál was unable to attend the Referees Social on Friday last due to training in Dublin with the Irish Schools team it was accepted by his manager and presented on Sunday last.

Schools Cap possible.

At the same function Micheál received his Waterford Referees Society Player of the Year award. The trophy was presented to Micheál by Youth Team Manager, Michael Deegan who collected it at the Referees' Social in Water-

ford last Friday night. Unfortunately, Micheál was unable to attend the function as he was in Dublin training with the Irish Schools team in preparation for their forthcoming international against Northern Ireland this Friday.



▲ A presentation was made at the Dungarvan United Club Pavilion on Sunday night last to youth player Micheál Downey who will play with the Irish Schools U-18 team against Northern Ireland in Gortakeegan, home of Monaghan United, on this Friday afternoon and against Wales in Cardiff on Friday week.

Photo shows back row (l. to r.) — Sean Ahearne, Vice-Principal St. Declan's Community College, Kilmacthomas, Kevin Walsh, Secretary, Kilmacthomas A.F.C., Cllr. Tony Wright, Chairman Dungarvan U.D.C., Michael Deegan, Youth Manager, Cllr. Billy Kyne, Chairman V.E.C. Front row — Kealan O'Neill, School and Youth Coach, Kathleen Downey, Micheál Downey and Liam Simms, Chairman Dungarvan United A.F.C.

## Dungarvan United AFC Notes

### MATCHES POSTPONED

All schoolboy and junior games fixed for last weekend were postponed due to the continuing inclement weather.

### FIXTURES

**Schoolboys** — Saturday, March 5 — SFAI u-14 Cup, Dungarvan v. Cloughleigh (Ennis, Co. Clare) at 2.30 p.m.

**Junior** — Sunday, March 6 — Munster Youths Cup quarter-final, Dungarvan v. Kilmallock (Limerick), at 3 p.m.; Division 2B, St. Otterans v. Dungarvan, 3 p.m.

The cup games have been previewed elsewhere in this issue while Thomas Duggan's side are away to St. Otterans on Sunday afternoon and let's hope they can get a league win.

### ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL QUIZ

We had another successful table quiz at the clubhouse on Thursday night last. Twenty-four tables enjoyed the questions set by quiz master Jim Egan. Donal Lynch's team emerged winners with a fantastic score of 71 points from 72. Runners-up were Noel Brennan's side on 70 points.

Winners of the junior section was the team led by Vincent O'Sullivan, with Bernie Crotty, Joseph Nolan and Eoin Sheridan.

All enjoyed the night, with spot prizes and a raffle. Our thanks to Carling who sponsored the £100 first prize, and Dick's Bar for a bottle of whiskey.

Raffle winners were— 1, Meal for two, Park Hotel, Coran Cummins; 2, Bot. Whiskey, Jim "Tuff" Walsh; 3, Bot. Whiskey, Christine Dwyer.

Our thanks to all who supported the night, and especially to quiz master Jim Egan, markers Rita Brennan, Kieran O'Connor and Rachel Walsh, and last but not least, Stan Cummins who once again organised this quiz. Also to Mick Burke, Lawlor's Hotel for the use of tables and chairs.

### CARDS

One winner of 45 card drive on Saturday, February 26 — Helene and Marian on 12 games. Jackpot this Saturday is £190 on 15 games, at 8.30 p.m.

### YANKEE DOODLE

Numbers on Sunday last in our weekly lotto draw were 48 and 17. One winner, Nellie Woods who wins the £460 jackpot. Nellie is a regular in our draw with promoter Mag Walsh. She also attends our pongo sessions every Tuesday night. Congrats Nellie and happy spending.

### EXECUTIVE MEETING

An executive committee meeting will take place on this Thursday, March 3, at 9 p.m. Schoolboy meeting at 8.30 p.m.

### CUP DRAWS

Division 1 (Sheridan Cup), second round, Hibs v. Dungarvan, Sunday, March 13, 11.30 a.m.; Div. 2 (Infirmary Cup) Dungarvan v. Park Rangers, Saturday, March 12, 3 p.m.; Youths (Fitzgerald Cup), Dungarvan v. Ferrybank, Sunday, March 20, 11.30 a.m.; Under-17 (Barrett Bros. Cup), De La Salle v. Dungarvan, March 13, 11.30 a.m.

More news on these draws next week.

### SNIPPETS

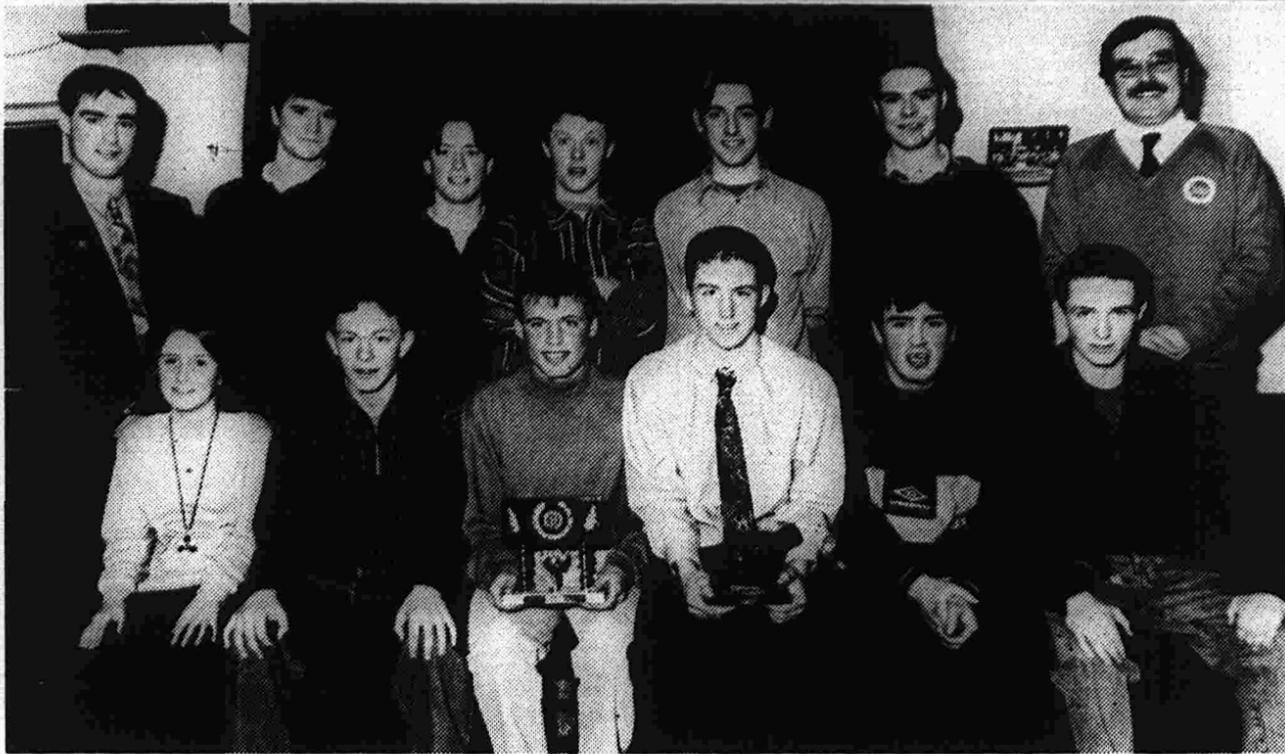
Best wishes for a speedy recovery to our under-12 team goalkeeper Brendan (Bob) O'Brien who is presently recovering from an illness.

Good to see Dick McAllister back at our 45 drive last Saturday after his recent illness.

Congratulations to another regular card player Liam Meehan on his retirement from Waterford County Council driving staff after 42 years service.

Nice to see Chrone McGregor, home from Germany and out training hard with the club. The much-travelled Chrone was a member of our junior team who reached the semi-final of the Munster Cup in 1979. Chrone tells me he hopes to take over one of the goalkeeping positions before the end of the season.

Good to see you back in the club, Chrone, and your presence is sure to keep our regular keepers on their toes!



Team mates of Micheál Downey pictured at Dungarvan United's Club Pavillion on Sunday night last. Back row (l. to r.) — Kealan O'Neill (Asst. Youth Manager), Michael French, Timmy Kiely, Michael Donnelly, Micheál Cowming, Alan Beatty and Michael Deegan (Youth Manager). Front row — Rosemarie Deegan, Pádraig Walsh, Finbarr O'Rourke, Micheál Downey, Mickey Donnelly and Tommy Butler.

**DUNGARVAN UTD. A.F.C. NOTES**

# Two Vital Cup Games At Kilrush

Dungarvan United's Kilrush Park will host two important cup fixtures this week-end (weather permitting) when our U-14 and U-18 teams bid for glory. Our youth team's game versus Kilmallock was postponed last Sunday due to the rain and the club will be hoping for an improvement in the weather this Sunday, as if the match is postponed for a second time then the fixture will revert to Limerick venue.

This match was previewed in last week's issue and the lads should be very keen for the fray this week-end. This side played a challenge last Sunday morning against Thomas Duggan's Division 2B side. As all venues were waterlogged we again used Clonea Beach and thankfully the tide was out this time! It was a good work-out and for the record the youths won 6-2. However, our 2nd Division side were under strength and they lost Chris Gough early in the game. Our thanks to this side for the challenge at short notice.

Dungarvan will pick their team from the following panel but the side won't be named until the day of the game — Alan Beatty, Richard Finnegan, David Wall, Micheál Cowming (capt.), Finbarr O'Rourke, Mark Hyslop, Jason Hyslop, Conor Murphy, Timmy Kiely, Micheál Downey, Mickey Donnelly, Aidan Landers, Colin Walsh, Michael Donnelly, Tommy Butler, Michael French.

Both David Wall and Michael Cowming are carrying injuries but are expected to be passed fit to play.

**Munster Youths Cup Quarter-Final Sunday 6th March 3.00 p.m. Dungarvan v. Kilmallock (Limerick).**

**S.F.A.I. U-14 Cup - Saturday 5th March 2.30 p.m., Dungarvan v. Cloughleigh (Ennis, Co. Clare).**

As we said last week it is a game well worth a visit with a 3.00 p.m. start. In the event of a draw extra-time will be played and then a replay.

On Saturday also at 2.30 p.m. our U-14 side will entertain Cloughleigh from Ennis, Co. Clare in the last 32 of the Coca Cola S.F.A.I. Cup. This is a national cup competition and it is a marvellous achievement for these young lads to have reached this stage.

Once again we have been lucky with a home draw and this must be to our advantage. Our team managed by Liam Simms are unbeaten in 13 games to date and have scored 60 goals, conceding just 6.

In this cup they beat Portlaw at home 5-0 with Kevin Walsh, J. P. Keohane, V. O'Sullivan (2) and Alan Harty scoring. In the 2nd

round they made the long trek to Rosslare and came home victorious by 14-0. They played host to Athy in the 3rd round and after a very close game emerged winners by 4-2. Joseph Nolan and Vincent O'Sullivan got a brace of goals each in this round. In the 4th round they beat Ferrybank 5-1 also at Kilrush and now they face the Banner boys in the 5th round.

This is a good Dungarvan side with strength in all sectors of the field. They have four boys on the Waterford Kennedy Cup team — Vincent O'Sullivan, Kevin Walsh, John Paul Keohane, Bernie Crotty who are attending training sessions in Waterford every week since last October and this experience is sure to stand to them.

The panel for Saturday is Mickey Ahearne, Martin McGovern, Kevin Walsh

(Capt.), Colin Hayes, Killian Lyons, John Paul Keohane, Bernie Crotty, David Kelleher, Joseph Nolan, Vincent O'Sullivan, Alan Harty, Paul Deegan, Dermot Keating, J. D. O'Shea and Garry Collins.

Our opponents Cloughleigh are, we are told, a very useful outfit and will prove the sternest test to date for the Blues. They have beaten three sides from Limerick in the qualifying rounds over Corbally at home 3-2 and in the 3rd round 5-0 also at home to Merve. They have no less than five players on the Clare Kennedy Cup team and that surely means they are a side to be respected. These five players to look out for are goalkeeper James O'Donnell, defenders Eddie Slattery and Adrian Pilkington (a famous Clare name), mid-fielder Patrick Wilson and centre forward Gavin Dyanan.

It is a game which should be very closely contested between two evenly matched teams and we would ask especially all schoolboys and supporters to come along and cheer on these lads. Kick-off is 2.30 p.m. and let's hope the weather will be kinder to us this week-end.

**SPONSORSHIP**

Our thanks to Irish Tanners, (Dungarvan) for their very generous sponsorship of togs and stockings for this big game for our under -14 side. It is very much appreciated by our schoolboy committee and it will mean our team will look the part for this fixture, as they say if you look and feel well then you play well. Let's hope that proves to be right this Saturday.



**ALAN BEATTY—** Goalkeeper on our youth team.



**RICHIE FINNEGAN,** the man from the Gaeltacht, who will play at right back.

# Micheál Downey In Profile

Micheál Downey joined Dungarvan United A.F.C. from Kilmacthomas F.C. in the 1990-91 season. Since then it has been a case of goals and glory with several goalkeepers having to retrieve balls hit by Downey from their nets.

Last season Micheál hit 35 goals in just 32 games for Dungarvan as he helped them to win the U-17 League title for the first time and he also helped the club to reach the quarter-final of the Munster Youths Cup.

This season Micheál's career has really taken off as he has maintained his amazing goalscoring record of more than a goal a game. This was helped in no small way by the 5 goals he scored against Johnville in the Area-final of the Munster Youths Cup.

At club level Micheál has helped Dungarvan reach the quarter-final of the Munster Youths Cup again this season as well as reaching the last eight of the Waterford Youths Cup. Dungarvan are also unbeaten in the league to date this season. This form has seen Micheál graduate to Dungarvan's first team and in his first full game Micheál hit 2 goals. His remarkable scoring record added to his excellent disciplinary record has resulted in Micheál winning the coveted Irish Soccer Referees' Society (Waterford branch) Player of the year for 1993-94.

Micheál has also earned a place on the Waterford youth team this season and he played a prominent part in their victories over Tipperary (when he scored) and Limerick. Waterford are due to play Dublin in the quarter-final of the F.A.I. Inter-League Cup - a competition won by Waterford last season.

Perhaps Micheál's greatest achievement has been his selection on the Irish schools soccer team for the forthcoming Home International series against Wales and Northern Ireland in early March. To achieve this Micheál had to win a place on the Waterford schools team and he then had to gain selection on the Munster schools team which participated in the Interprovincial Championship in Donegal.

While the above records make up an impressive list of achievements, success has not come easily. Micheál can be found training three evenings a week in the St. Declan's Community College sportsfield. He also trains in Waterford with the Waterford youths and in Dungarvan with the Dungarvan youths. In addition to this he travels to Dublin almost every week-end for training with the Irish schools squad.

It is nice to see someone who has got so much out of the game put something back in and in this respect Micheál acts as coach to the St. Declan's Community College U-14, U-16 and U-18 soccer teams.

As well as excelling at soccer Micheál is also a superb athlete and is the current Munster schools Sprint Champion. Micheál was also a member of the Waterford minor football team last year and played regularly for Kilmacthomas in the Senior football championship.

# Red House League Notes



**FIXTURES**

**Sunday, March 6**

**DUNGARVAN TYRE CENTRE CUP QUARTER-FINALS**

Youghal v. Bride View 11.30 a.m. J. Foley  
Inch v. Grange, 11.30 a.m., L. Fraser

**DIVISION ONE**

Lismore v. Mogeely, 11.30 a.m. T. Griffin  
Cappquin 'B' v. Valley Rangers, 11.30 a.m. P. Marks  
Killeagh v. Cappoquin 'A', 11.30 a.m. S. Kerins

**DIVISION TWO**

Modeligo v. Ballybridge United, 11.30 a.m.  
N. O'Donoghue  
Bride View v. Glenview Celtic, 11.30 a.m. M. O'Neill  
Glenview United v. Araglen, 11.30 a.m. M. Harpur

## WE'RE LEAVING ON A JET PLANE . . . . !



Members of Dungarvan G.A.A. Club's 3-in-a-row champions team and supporters photographed early on Saturday morning in Grattan Square before departing for their winter break in Gran Canaria. (Photo: Jimmy Power)

# Dungarvan G.A.A. Club Notes

## TRIP

At present our senior footballers, their mentors and supporters are enjoying themselves in the Canaries. We hope they are experiencing better weather conditions than we are here.

## APOLOGY

In last week's edition of another local paper a photograph was published with the caption "presentation to Paddy Fitzgerald, Chairman, Dungarvan G.A.A. Club by the Manager of the Dungarvan Branch of the A.I.B. for the senior football teams holiday fund." This in fact was a cheque for sponsorship by the A.I.B. for the Munster club championship. The club very much regret any inconvenience or embarrassment this may have caused to the Bank.

## VANDALISM

Vandals were at work on our property at Clogherane recently when one of the resodded goal mouth areas was completely dug up. One wonders at the mentality of these people. A great deal of work has gone into the development of our property and pitches and to have to put up with this type of behaviour is to say the least disgraceful.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Pat and Margaret Curran on the birth of their baby son.

## LOTTO

The weekly Lotto numbers drawn on Sunday were — 2, 18 and 7. No winner. Jackpot next week £200.

## SCOR

We had no luck with our ballad group in Scor last Saturday night. On behalf of the club we would like to thank them for taking part. For the record the group consisted of Paddy Fitzgerald, Jackie Murphy, Deirdre Murphy, Claire Murphy and Caroline Byrne.

## Cumann Lúthchleas Gael Na Rinne

### IOMÁNAÍOCHT - SOISEAR AGUS IDIRMHEÁNACH

The Intermediate Hurling Championship will continue to be played on a County-wide basis in the 1994 season. In ainneoin go raibh tosnú lag againn sa ghrád Idirmhéanach, tháinig misneach chugainn agus chríochnaíomar go láidir, tar-éis dúinn dul chomh fada le leath-chraobh an Chontae in 1993. While we are justifiably proud of what our hurlers have achieved on the field of play, we are understandably hopeful that we can continue in the same vein in the new season. Iarrtar ar na h-iománaithe, más ea, bheith i láthair sa pháirc ar an Domhnach seo chugainn ar 2.30 p.m. All those who want to take part in the game of hurling at any level should come along and join the panel in a "puck-around". Bainigí taitneamh as!

### PEIL - IDIRMHEÁNACH

Despite a number of motions which had been placed before County Convention, including one from Club na Rinne proposing that the Intermediate football championship should be run on a County-wide basis (as is the hurling), the initial meeting of the County Board decided last week that the competition would proceed as before, in 1994. Beidh Craobh an Iarthair ann, más ea. Beimid ag tnúth leis na socráithe a chloisint faoin gcomórtas go luath.

### PEIL - MÍONÚRÍ AGUS FAOI-21

**Chraobh an Chontae:**  
Deineadh plé air ag Cruinniú Coisde an Chontae. Dúirt toscarí Phort Cladaigh go raibh tuiscint acu le seachtain roimhré nach mbeadh an cluiche ar siúl ar an 19ú Feabhra. Ar an lá bhí beirt dá n-imreoirí ag imirt le foireann an Choláiste Reigiúnda Phortláirge i gcomórtas an Fitzgibbon Cup. Mhínigh toscarí na Rinne gur chuir siad in iúl do Chathaoirleach an Chontae i lár na seachtaine roimhe sin go raibh ón nGaeltacht an cluiche a imirt mar go raibh duine dár n-imreoirí ag dul thar sáile go ceann roinnt míosa. Bhí sé soiléir ón gcaint go raibh mí-thuiscint in áit éigin. B'é moladh an chruinnithe ná go dtiocfadh Club na Gaeltachta agus Port Cladaigh ar réiteach éigin faoi imirt an chluiche. Táimid go léir ag súil go bhfaighfear é sin a dhéanamh. Idir imreoirí agus lucht leanúna, ní raibh morán daoine ró-shásta leis an scéal mar a chríochnaigh sé. Practically the same panel, with the assistance of the Ardmore players, were to have been engaged in the Western "A" semi-final of U-21 football against Ballinacourty, conquerors of Dungarvan in last weeks quarter-final of the competition. Weather and difficulties with pitches again ensured that this game would not take place on Saturday last. Dare we hope that it can be played this coming weekend? Go n-éirí adh libh!

### CRANNCHUR AN CHONTAE

Tá an Crannchur curtha siar go dtí an 18ú Marta. So, there's still a chance for those who have not purchased a ticket for the Deise Development Draw. Remember: "If you're not in you can't win!"

### COMHGHÁIRDEACHAS

Bhí cóisir ag Sinéad Ní Chuirrín ag an deire seachtaine. Tháinig a cairde agus a clann go léir le chéile chun a h-aonú la breithe is fiche a chomórath. Guímid gach rath uirthi ar feadh a saoil. Tréslaimid de Mhicheal agus Kay de Búrca (Heilbhic) ar bhreith inine dóibh agus, chomh maith, de Mhicheal agus Seosaimhín Bn. Uí Chuirrín (Maol a' Chóirne) ar bhreith mic dóibh, lé déanaí. A welcome addition to the Curran footballing dynasty, the baby is the 23rd grandchild for Mick and Maureen. Go maire sibh go léir i bhfad. Leath-chraobh na hÉireann sa díospóireacht Gael Linn/A.I.B. atá idir lámha ag Páidí, Colm agus Richie, chomh maith le Cóilín Ó Catháin "Tuaisceart na hÉireann" an t-ábhar argóna a bheidh acu. Cailfín Cnoic Labhras as Luimneach na céill-comhraic a bheidh acu. Bhúadar ar Choláiste an Phiarsaigh an tseachtain seo chaite. Molaimid sibh as a bhfuil bainte amach agaibh agus guímid gach rath oraibh as seo amach sa chomórtas.

### CLUB NA N-OG - FAOI-14

Tá socráithe déanta ag Bórd an Iarthair do na

cluichí faoi-14. Beidh siad ag tosnú, le cead aimsire, taobh istigh den choicíos. Is iontach an scéal don Scoil Náisiúnta go bhfuil seomra nua ranga ceadaithe ag an Roinn Oideachais dúinn sa Rinn. Beifear ag tosnú leis an obair go luath.

### CRUINIÚ MÍOSÚIL

Beimid ag súil le cruinniú mhí Máirta a bheith againn an deire seachtaine seo chugainn. Seo an tama cruinniú den bhliain. Tá alán le plé againn.

## County Scór Notes

Scór Sinsear took place in Tallow Community Centre on Saturday night last. It was the 25th anniversary and was a most successful night. The winners on the night all received beautiful Waterford Crystal tankards.

The winners were as follows: Figure Dancing — 1, Bonmahon; 2, Lismore; Solo singing — 1, Old Parish; 2, Cappoquin; International Music — 1, Sliabh gCua; 2, Lismore; Novelty Act — 1, Portlaw; 2, Lismore; Question Time — 1, Old Parish; 2, Stradbally; Recitation — 1, Old Parish; 2, Ballysaggart; Ballad Group — 1, Dunhill; 2, Dungarvan; Set Dancing — 1, Sliabh gCua; 2, Ballysaggart.

We wish all our winners every success in the Munster semi-final which will take place in Tallow on Saturday night.

LISMORE POINT-TO-POINT

# Great Day's Racing Enjoyed By All

Last Sunday's point-to-point at Lismore got off to a galloping start as avid race fans and enthusiastic spectators alike, flocked to the town's impressive race course where a good afternoons entertainment was enjoyed by all.

Considering the adverse weather conditions of late, the ground rode remarkably well and indeed the meeting has an excellent reputation for its good fences and scenic attraction.

The collective efforts of committee chairman Fran Mangan, secretary Jimmy O'Gorman, hon. treasurer T. J. Hegarty and their hard working committee are to be commended for their competent organising capabilities which resulted in a most successful and smoothly run event. Seven races were on the card with over 70 horses coming under starters orders. The atmosphere was electric as the first race got underway at 1 p.m. The excitement and fun continued through the evening right into the night as tired but happy supporters, jockeys, trainers and owners met together in Lismore Hotel for the annual race dance.

6, Katie's Tandy 7, Raise An Ace 8, Denise's Pride (f), Abbey Castle (u.r.), Shuil-Ar-Ais (p.u.), Flip Your Top (p.u.), Deerpark Lad (p.u.).  
13 ran 4l 6l 3l.

**Lismore Hotel 4-y-o Maiden of £300 3m** — 1, K. Neville's Callshee br.m Callernish-What Is She 11-7 B. J. Hallahan; 2, Mrs. I. Hitchmough's Stay In Touch 11-7 T. S. Costello; 3, Mary Tyner's What A Fella 11-7 T. Lombard.

Also: Highland View 4, Killycullys Pride 5, Clondalus 6, Silent Sneeze 7, Russian Bart (r.o.), River Cialin (p.u.), Call Bob (p.u.).  
10 ran nk 10l 3l.

**Lucey Millers and Alltech Open Lightweight of £300 3m** — 1, M. Tynan's Matty Tynan ch.g Deep Run-Opening Bid 7 12-5 T. Cloke; 2, D. Quinn's The Committee a 12-5 M. Brennan; 3, P. Moakley's Moss Castle a 12-7 P. Cashman.

Also: Celtic Buck 4, South Of The Border 5, Boscos Pride 6, What Thing (u.r.), Ballymurphy Boy (p.u.).  
8 ran rk 15l 10l.

**McDonnell Bros. and Coolmore Stud Geldings Maiden (Div. 1) of £300 3m** — 1, N. J. Connors Approach The Stars b.g. Strong Gale-Golden Approach 6 12-0 T. Lombard; 2, G. Wragg's Young Nimrod 7 12-0 P. Fenton; 3, W. Sheehan's Peafield 5 12-0 D. G. Murphy.

Also: Back To Kong Kong 4, Dantes Sun 5, Cherry Orchid (f), Maltese Cross (r.o.), Manofi (f), Risk Of



Officers and Committee members of the Lismore Point-to-Point Races who ensured the smooth running of the event on Sunday last.



**RESULTS**

(Going Heavy)

**Bank of Ireland and Aghern House Stud Confined Maiden of £500 3m** — 1, Mrs. H. McGrath's Mr. Rigsby b.g. Le Moss-Meadow Wings 6 12-0 J. F. Gleeson; 2, M. French's Quayside Cottage 6 12-0 K. O'Sullivan; 3, N. Henley's Hazel Park 6 12-0 P. Henley.

Also: Some Tourist 4, Kiama Bay 5, Ask Me Later



Group photographed at the presentation of the trophy to Paul McDonnell, Tallow, owner of "Curraheen View", winner of the Deerpark Sawmills Plate (Winners of One) at Lismore Point-to-Point.



Fran Mangan, Chairman, Lismore Point-to-Point Race Committee (on right) presenting the Burke Cup to Roger McGrath, Tallow, owner of "Mr. Rigsby", winner of the Blackwater Plate (confined maiden), sponsored by Bank of Ireland and Aghern House Stud. Group also includes (from left) John Gleeson (jockey), Tim Hegarty (Treasurer) and Jimmy O'Gorman (Hon. Secretary).

Thunder (p.u.), Nectanebo (p.u.), Fixed Rate (p.u.), O'Flaherty's Babe (p.u.), Moonlight Gazelle (p.u.), Another Joy (p.u.), On The Beer (p.u.), Early Due v1 (p.u.).

Also: Southern Princess 4, Citizen Moss 5, Carrabawn 6, Ideal 7, Globe Habit 8, Hillview Cottage (p.u.), Golden Mac (p.u.), Barna Moss (p.u.), Gra Na Cheoil (p.u.), Glitzy Lady (p.u.).  
13 ran hd 6l dist.

**Gain Champion Mares Maiden of £300 3m** — M. Tynan's The Better Half b.m. Deep Run-Opening Bid 6 12-0 P. Fenton; 2, M. F. Hubbert's Mind Your Own Business 5 12-0 T. Lombard; 3, J. McAuliffe's Tidal Moon 6 12-0 P. R. Lenihan.

Also: Wolver Drum 4, Colonel Frazer 5, Cardan 6, Savuti 7, Mr. Connie Vee (u.r.), Jultara (u.r.), Lyndon Prince (f), Dohney Boy (p.u.), Ballybrazil Boy (p.u.), Shoot Again (p.u.).  
14 ran 3l 25l 15l.

**Deerpark Sawmills Plate Winners of One of £300 3m** — 1, P. McDonnell's Curraheen View b.m. Pragmatic-Real View 5 12-0 K. Whelan; 2, T. Costello's Wee River 5 12-0 T. S. Costello; 3, D. Lordan's Bullens Bay 5 12-0 K. O'Sullivan.

Also: Lyndon Rose 4, All A Struggle 5, Sweet Valley High 6, Evies Party 7, Sheer Domey 8, Banneila 9, Belgrove Girl (p.u.), Sleeve Lady (p.u.), Very Rare (p.u.), Strong Mary (p.u.), Take A Guess (p.u.), Vivian's Gale (p.u.), Ring View (p.u.), Shrulawn (p.u.).  
17 ran 3l 10l 11 2l.



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**MINNIES SQUASH CLUB NOTES**

# Perry Brings Minnies Open Title Back To London



MINNIES SQUASH CLUB'S OPEN WEEKEND — Prizewinners at Minnies Squash Club's Open Weekend with Ann Hennebry (Club President) presenting the senior mens prize to John Perry, England (centre front). —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

Last weekend February 25-27 saw our annual Open take place at both Minnies and the Crystal Courts, with over 100 competitors taking part, it was great to see the event holds its popularity, it was also nice to see so many familiar faces back taking part. Special mentions to the Knox family from Wa-

terford, always great supporters of the Open. This year they had the unique distinction of having a representative in all four mens sections — Brian (A), David (B), Brendan (the father) C and Kevin (D), unfortunately they had no success in the finals this year.

There was a great local

participation in the 'B', Pat O'Brien lost to the eventual winner Pat O'Donoghue L.T.C., while Jimmy Kiely and Ray Moore lost to Michael Morrissey the eventual plate winner. In the 'C' Owen O'Mahoney had a couple of outstanding results, he beat Declan Walsh (Dublin) 3-0 and Joe Tobin (D.L.S.) a very seasoned 'B' player 3-0, he was eventually beaten by his father Michael 3-1 after a great win. Michael progressed to the semis and played well but was beaten 3-1 by Aisling McArdie. Francis Power enjoyed a super tournament beating Tony Ryan, D.L.S., 3-0 and Jim Baldwin from Dunhill, coming from behind to win 3-2. In the final Francis played Aisling McArdie, Aisling is a uniquely talented player, born in Japan, raised in Belgium and living and studying law in Trinity for the last three years. At twenty, she has a very promising squash future ahead, and in a very exciting final, in front of a packed court three, she showed tremendous skill, agility and panache as she beat Francis who himself played exceptionally well 3-1. (Aisling, for the record, is the Irish ladies number 2).

In the mens 'D' young Emmett Byrne enjoyed two great successes against Tom Horgan (D.L.S.) 3-2 and Michael Hurley (Crystal) 3-2, before losing 3-1 to Kevin Knox. In round one Kevin beat Maurice Walsh, but Maurice responded well with a couple of very tough five-setters before clinching the title against Martin Byrne (Rathnune) 3-0. In the ladies 'B' Helen Kiely was very unlucky to lose 10-8 in the fifth against Niamh

McMahon (Dunhill). Helen's reply was to cruise through the plate beating Mary Stapleton (Highfield) 3-0 in the final. In the 'C' the emergence of Jenny McGrath continued, in round two she defeated Carmel Allen (Dunhill) narrowly in a tough five-setter, unfortunately she was back on court in less than an hour and despite her very best efforts, which included bravely winning the first two games, she lost 3-2 to Ber Power (St. Finbarr's). In the 'C' plate Michelle Mernin got over her first round defeat by romping through the plate beating Breda Holo-han (Rathnune) 3-0 in the final.

In the main event, the mens 'A', there was plenty of brilliant squash with a couple of upsets thrown in for good measure. In the semi-finals, top world ranked player Austin Adarraga (Spain) let a two set lead slip (he also served for the match in sets three and four) as he had a shock defeat against Jon Perry (London). Also number 2 seed Craig Rowland (Australia) let a two set lead slip as the flamboyant Dean Watson (London) stormed back to win 3-2. In the 'A' plate final Michael (Portsmouth) beat Billy Murphy (Collins Barracks) 3-1 (9-10, 10-8, 9-6, 9-0). In the 3rd place playoff Adarraga and Rowland treated the packed crowd to an unforgettable exhibition of brilliance and trickery with unbelievable shots and agility being displayed — for the record Rowland won 3-1 (9-7, 9-6, 6-9, 10-9).

In the final itself two London boys served up another spectacular, of a more seri-

ous nature, it was a case of the flamboyant and hard hitting Watson against the steady and more calculated Perry. On the day after more than an hour of play, it was Perry who shone through 3-2 (9-8, 5-9, 3-9, 9-8, 9-7).

After the finals, the presentations were performed by President, Anne Hennebry — she thanked the cleaners, players and referees, Sean Power, Rita Moore and Carmel Fox, the very hardworking catering crew, committee, her husband Nicky, Sean Cleary for his help in the draw, the sponsors, the O'Brien family, the P.R.O. and the "Leader" for their time and space, John A. Murphy, W.L.R. FM (who

had regular reports and interviews over the weekend), and a special presentation was made to tournament directors Tom Phelan and Joe "Barry Hearn" Mulcahy for their total support and very hard work in the tournament, and if anybody has been omitted and helped in any way, large or small, from the club, thanks.

Finally, on my own behalf, I would like to congratulate President, Anne Hennebry, on what can only be described as an overwhelming success in a year that saw our strongest 'A' ever and most international, Anne you can feel proud, because the club and squash are proud of you.

— The Pen

## Michael Hayes Signs Off With Miracle Victory

On Tuesday night, February 22 our Cork Div. 3 team travelled to Midleton for game number nine in the series. In the home fixture Midleton defeated Minnies 3-2 so it was vital that the score be reversed. At five Owen O'Mahoney was against victorious, but he was made work very hard for his 3-0 (9-5, 10-8, 9-7) victory. Number two, Pat McGovern, still recovering from his Killarney weekend had to work very hard after sffaring the first two games an 8-7 lead slipped through as his crafty opponent won 3-1. At four, Ray Moore, after losing a close first game 6-9 came back well to level it 9-3 but his agile opponent pulled away to win the next two 9-3, 9-1 for a 3-1 victory. Number three and captain, Dermot Kelly complete with big headed racquet was in superb form after sharing the first two games, Dermot showed tremendous determination to claw back an 8-3 deficit to win the third. He romped home in the fourth to claim a very well earned and valuable victory. Number one, Michael Hayes was last on, nursing a calf injury, he wasn't his usual mobile self and although he romped away 5-0 in the fifth his opponent fought back to clinch it 10-9. The Midleton man was soon 2-0 up winning the second 9-3. After a stiff talk from captain Dermot, Michael played well and lead 7-3 and 8-7 but the Corkman came back and serve four times for the match, but could not finish it, so Michael nicked the game 10-9 and from there never looked back as he won the next two 9-5, 9-0.

The sad news for the team was that this was Michael's last outing as he departs for new horizons in Romania. Michael will be missed not just by the team but the club as he was a superb example of honesty, fair play and sportsmanship, both on and off the court. So on behalf of the club we wish Michael the best of luck for the future. For the record lead the league by one point from The Orchard with The Gleneagle third, six points behind.

**Minnies 11 pts**  
**Crystal 11 pts**  
— But Team Lose

Monday night, February 26 saw the mens Country League team back in action when they crossed the Bridge for the "away" leg against the Crystal. The good news is the lads put up a superb performance sharing eleven points each, but unfortunately the Crystal won by three matches to two.

The team news was Donnacha O'Dea came in at number five for Richie Duggan who was been "rested". Donnacha again responded to the call as he put in a fine performance to beat Paddy Cummins 3-1.

Number four and the man in superb form, John Reynolds, will have been disappointed to see his good run come to an end at the hands of Tom Landy, going down 1-3. Emmett Byrne warmed up well with a fantastic 3-1 win over Joe O'Brien. Gearoid Fraher played very well to take two games off the experienced Paddy Walsh. While at one John O'Donoghue rattled the in form Michael Hurley losing narrowly in a five setter. Nonetheless eleven good away points earned by the young lions.

## MINNIES SQUASH NOTES

## Pat O'Brien And Jenny McGrath Win Munster Titles

On the weekend of February 18-20 what must be the largest exodus of players ever from Minnies to take part in an outside Open happened when thirteen competitors and at least the same amount of supporters headed for Killarney for the Munster Closed Championships. The thirteen players who represented the club were — Mens B: Pat O'Brien, Michael Hayes and Owen O'Mahoney. Mens C: Pat McGovern, Mens D: Liam Byrne, Paddy Murphy, Rene di Fusco, Richie Duggan and Johnny Byrne. Ladies B: Anne Henneby, Ladies C: Jenny McGrath, Mary Coffey and Sharon O'Brien. It was a weekend that saw a lot of extra travelling, for as well as the Gleneagle, the courts of Tralee, Castleisland and Killorglin were in use. The fantastic news is the posse did not come back empty handed and even those who didn't win prizes had a mighty weekend of craic and wonderful memories — but no tales will be recorded here!

In the ladies 'C' there was a local tussle in round one when Jenny McGrath edged her way to victory against Mary Coffey. Mary, however, responded well to win all her remaining games and win the Plate in the proper. The rapid progression of Jenny continued as she romped through the section to deservedly claim her Munster title.

In the mens 'C' Pat McGovern, defending his title, fell at the first hurdle with a below par performance but he responded well on Saturday and Sunday to claim the plate title. In the mens 'B' it was definitely Pat O'Brien's weekend, the potential was always there and it was fantastic that he should pick the Munster weekend to put it all together. On his way to success he defeated Michael Hayes while in the final he claimed a fine scalp beating Middleton's number one player Jerry O'Farrell.

So a very well done to Pat, Jenny, Mary and Pat on their fine success and well done to the other nine competitors for flying the flag away from home.

## Busy Week In TSB Bank

Last week saw a very busy week in the TSB Bank Team Tournament when the four quarter finals were played. On Tuesday night Martin Walsh's team, despite losing three matches, scraped through against Dave Tuohy's team by 10 points to 9.

Number five Tony O'Mahoney lost a long five-setter against Sharon O'Brien. Number three Michelle Mernin lost 0-3 to Liam Moore. Pat McGovern at one beat Pat Dunford 3-0. At four Margaret Browne received a walkover against Frank Aird, while at two Martin Walsh lost a rough five-setter to Dave.

It was a quick-fire win for Paddy Walsh's team against Rene di Fusco's team. Paddy beat Rene 3-2. At five in the battle of the County Council, Larry Kiely was a surprise 3-0 victory over Luke O'Brien. The job was finished when the very strong Fintan Lahiff beat John Keane 3-0.

Thursday saw the remaining quarter-finals. Dermot Kelly's team looked very strong as they dispatched Michael Tutty's team. John Foley at two had a very narrow 3-1 victory over Gearoid Fraher (8-6 down in the fourth which he eventually won 10-9). Paul Veale played his best squash in a very long time as he beat Anne Henneby 3-1 and Brian Byrne at five finished the job with a 3-0 victory over Stephen McNamara.

It was much the same on the adjoining court as Felix Shields team beat Jim O'Mahoney's team 9-1. Paul Breen and John Whelan's game at four was a lottery as the ball was hit at tremendous pace. Paul, after nicking the vital third game 9-7, was the eventual 3-1 winner. At five John Foley Jr. was against Mr. TSB John Coade. He showed little respect for the sponsor as he won the first two games convincingly. In the third it looked like an about turn as John Coade led 5-0 and 7-5 with several chances. But young John, growing in experience, came back well to pinch it 9-7. The job was completed when Felix Shields played very clever and accurate squash as he beat a determined but not fully mobile Jim O'Mahoney 3-0.

The final is on this Thursday night, March 3, at 7.20 p.m. — THE PEN.



Prizewinners in Dungarvan Crystal Sports and Leisure Clubs team squash tournament sponsored by A.I.B., Dungarvan. Group show, front (l. to r.) — Paddy Walsh, Mickey Donnelly (Manager A.I.B. Dungarvan), Bernadette Dunne, Harry O'Neill (A.I.B.) and Gerry Foley. At back — John Cliffe, Andrew Lally, Kevin Moore (Chairman Crystal Sports & Leisure), Gearoid Fraher and Pat McGovern. (Photo: Sean Byrne)

## Dungarvan Crystal Sports & Leisure Club

### SQUASH — MEN'S COUNTRY LEAGUE SQUAD ADVANCE TO PLAY-OFFS Crystal 11 pts. Minnies 11 pts.

On Monday night week last we were at home to near neighbours Minnies. In the first round of the league we came away with a narrow but deserved three point win but with Gearoid Fraher back for the visitors, the return leg was always going to be much more difficult.

Playing at no. 5 Paddy Cummins was up against Donnacha O'Dea. Paddy got off to a great start to take the first set 9/6 and led 8/4 in the second, only for Donnacha to stage a great comeback to take the set 10/8. In the third, Donnacha put on a great display and showed just why he has reached inter-pro standard for the club to take the set 9/5. In the fourth set Paddy had a great chance to land the match when he scored 8/6 but was most unlucky not to take the set, with Donnacha just getting home 10/9 and a 3/1 win for Minnies.

At no. 4 Tom Landy was in to play John Reynolds, and a marvellous 3/1 win here for Tom saw the teams level. Tom put in a great performance here as he had been very unlucky to lose in the earlier rounds, and the result must surely boost his confidence for the challenges that lie ahead.

At no. 3 Joe O'Brien played Emmet Byrne. Here Joe came up against an opponent who is in tremendous form of late and despite his best efforts, Joe had to give way on a 3/1 scoreline to put Minnies in the advantage.

At no. 2 Paddy Walsh and Gearoid Fraher played out a great 5 set match. The final set was a real test of endurance with Paddy just shading it for a 3/2 win.

At no. 1 Nipper Hurley continued his winning sequence for the team in a great game with John O'Donoghue. John took the first set 9/5 and the second 10/8, but Nipper fought back to level the match and in the fifth he finally overcame the determined challenge of his opponent 9/4 to win the match and level the sides at 11/11 each.

All in all then a truly great match and a fair result as neither team deserved to lose and I have to say all games were played in a sporting manner.

### CRYSTAL TOO GOOD FOR YOUGHAL Crystal 15 pts. Youghal 4 pts.

On Wednesday we travelled to Youghal to play our final first round game and it's great to report we came away with maximum points.

At no. 5 "super-sub" Don Shiels, making his league debut, was in good form and gave notice to the rest of the team with a 3/0 win to give us a great start. At no. 4 Paddy Cummins got back on the winning trail with a 3/1 win over Mark Treacy. At no. 3 Tom Landy kept it going with a well deserved 3/1 win over Declan Matthews. At no. 2 Paddy Walsh, who is making a habit of winning the hard way, fought out a tremendous 5-set match with Maurice McCarthy. Paddy actually trailed 2/8 in the fifth set but fought his way back to win the set 10/9, and a 3/2 win. Playing at no. 1 Nipper was determined not to be the one to lose and was a comfortable 3/0 winner over Tommy Smith to give us a great team win.

This win now puts us into the play-offs in the league but it's only now the true test will come for the team. Every team left will prove to be formidable opponents but

I have no doubt the squad is capable to advancing through the play-offs and will prove a match for the challenges that are now set to come.

### ATHLETICS

On Wednesday night we had a great turnout for the second last race in the All-rounder series of races and a well deserved win for club no. 1 Gerry Cantwell in a great time of 31.14. In the league table however, long time leader John Clarke holds on to top spot with the pack failing to make any headway into his lead and he now holds a comfortable 7 point lead going into the last round. In second place, Tom Meehan seems des-

igned to remain in the runners-up spot with a total of 90 points, closely followed by Paul Keating on 92 points. James Moore's challenge faded badly as he picked up 12 penalty points and is now on 98 points. Colin Lyons comes next on 105 along with veteran Michael Roche.

The winner of the time handicap section was Paul Keating who was making a welcome return to form.

### SYMPATHY

The club extends its deepest sympathy to the family of the late Mr. Denis Flynn, St. Patrick's Crescent and Abbeyside whose death occurred recently. May he rest in peace.

## WATERFORD LADIES FOOTBALL NOTES

### MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP

The Minor B Championship gets underway this weekend with three first round games down for decision. The championship is being run on a knockout basis with the winners playing reigning Munster minor champions Ballymac' in the A final. Some clubs who were having trouble fielding have decided to join together to allow their underage players to play in this championship. Dunhill and Kill have joined forces at St. Annes, Old Parish and Ardmore have come together as St. Colmans, and Brickey Rangers have joined with Kilrossanty.

Fixtures for this weekend (first named teams having home advantage) — Dungarvan v. St. Garvans (referee Pat Tobin), Cappoquin v. Clashmore (referee Dec Whelan), Clonea/Rathgormac v. Abbeyside (referee Ger Mooney).

The draw for the quarter finals is as follows: Clonea-Rathgormack or Abbeyside v. Kilrossanty, St. Pats v. St. Olivers, St. Annes v. Dungarvan or St. Garvans, St. Colmans v. Cappoquin or Clashmore.

### FASHION SHOW

Plans are well under way for our fashion show which takes place on Wednesday, March 23. Tickets which cost £5 are now on sale for this and can be had from your local club or the organising committee.

### GOLF CLASSIC

Our golf classic is being held on June 26 at the West Waterford Golf Club. Entry fee is £80 per team of 4. This year mixed teams are allowed any combination.

## ATHLETICS BY RACE LEADER

# Eamonn Coughlan Achieves Another Milestone

How many people over forty years of age can run one mile without stopping? How many of them can do this in less than eight minutes? The answer to both questions, no doubt, is very many, but when we are asked how many "veterans" can run the distance in less than four minutes then the answer is given quite simply in two words, "Eamonn Coughlan".

## MIXED FORTUNES

Eamonn Coughlan has given great service to Irish athletics for four decades. He won the Irish U-16 cross country title in Belfield in 1969 to establish his name at national level. The late Gerry Farnan (Metropolitan Harriers), his father Bill and his coach at Villanova University in America, the famous Jumbo Elliot all combined to guide the very talented Coughlan into senior ranks.

As an athlete competing at the highest level, Eamonn Coughlan had to endure his greatest disappointments before achieving World Championships success in 1983. Many Irish athletic "supporters" are quick to point out that the Dubliner finished fourth in two consecutive Olympic finals. Eamonn Coughlan himself agreed that the worst place you could finish in the Olympics is fourth. "How do you think I feel" he often said "I finished in that position twice." Despite these disappointments in the Montreal 1500 metres final in 1976 and the Moscow 5000 metres final in 1980 Eamonn Coughlan may not, but should be, remembered for more than this.

Athletes made of lesser stuff would have packed in the sport after those Olympics but the confident Coughlan stuck at his task and in winning the 5000 metres at the inaugural World Track and Field Championships in Helsinki in 1983 he proved, as he always believed, that he could win a major championship title. Very few Irish athletes

before or at present have been blessed with the Drimnagh man's finishing speed and as all runners know, in the final analysis, this is what wins races.

## CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARDS

In emigrating to America Eamonn Coughlan was introduced to indoor running and he always felt that physically he was suited to this type of athletics. He achieved so much success on the America circuit including a record seven wins in the prestigious Wanamaker Mile in Madison Square Garden that he was aptly christened the "Chairman of the Boards". His outgoing personality suited the American public who responded to his efforts over the years and to his phenomenal run of successes.

## DESERVED HONOUR

Although Eamonn Coughlan has been slowing down in recent years (he did not break the four minute barrier for over five years) he had set his sights on becoming the first athlete over forty years of age to do this. Eamonn, at one stage, could regularly run sub three fifty five minute miles and altogether he has run seventy nine sub four minute miles.

He has been trying to achieve this latest world record with over a year and only again recently at Madison Square Garden he was disappointed to clock 4 mins. 04 secs. at a specially set up attempt to break the record in front of one of his favourite crowds. However it is Coughlan's belief in his own ability, as always, that

saw him bounce back at Harvard University in Boston last Sunday week to smash the famous barrier when winning in 3 mins. 58.15 secs. Ironically, Eamonn could not get a place in the starting line up in the big Los Angeles meeting the same weekend in a race that was won by fellow Irishman Marcus O'Sullivan in a slower time of 4.00.31.

Despite being plagued by various injuries in recent years Eamonn Coughlan kept plugging away to achieve this latest milestone



in his career. He quite rightly now holds the honour of being the first person over forty years of age to break the four minute mile barrier and hopefully during the summer outdoor season we will witness him equaling his indoor achievement.

## IRISH CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS

# Jimmy Mulligan's Fine Run

Anybody watching the sports programme on the telly last Saturday night saw at first hand the treacherous conditions the runners had to endure at the Irish Cross Country Championships in Roscommon.

The underfoot conditions were so bad that the senior mens race, which is usually won in around thirty eight minutes, took forty five minutes to complete.

Jimmy Mulligan (Waterford A.C.) gave a fine account of himself in the senior race to finish in a very creditable ninth position. Jimmy must be very pleased with this performance which was an improvement on his twelfth placing in the Inter-Counties Championship at Duckspool before Christmas. Sean Foley also ran an excellent race to finish in eighteenth position, his highest placing by far at these championships.

## THE ONE THAT GOT AWAY!

In the club championships Waterford A.C. finished sixth out of the twenty eight clubs entered and they were the first club outside of the Dublin teams ahead of East Cork A.C. ninth and Leevale tenth. The winning

team was Dundrum South Dublin on thirty nine points. If John Treacy and a fully fit James Sullivan were available to compete then the Waterford club, with Jimmy Mulligan and Sean Foley scoring so well, would surely have pipped the Dublin team for first place. There is some consolation in the knowledge that our athletes have the winning of a national title in them at this level.

Due to a bereavement in the club the West Waterford junior mens team did not travel to the championships.

## SINCERE SYMPATHY

All athletic followers extend their sincere sympathy to the Flynn family, St. Patrick's Crescent and the Casey family, Kilrossanty, on their recent very sad bereavements.

## THE ALLROUNDER LEAGUE NEWS

# Meehan Puts Pressure On Clarke

With two stages to go in the Pearse Moloney sponsored Allrounder Winter Running League, Johnny Clarke's lead has been cut to a mere seven points following last week's run. Despite missing some vital stages, Tom Meehan has ensured a close finish to the league by virtue of his excellent running of late. Last week Tom ran twenty nine minutes odd for five miles and it's a while since he has experienced this kind of form. His American coach, Liam Flynn, must take some of the credit as both men have been spotted training in all sorts of weather and in places far from home.

Last week's stage was won by Paul Keating, his third such victory, and he

could still prove to be the dark horse of the league. The rest of the participants have it all to do with time running out for them.

**Top Ten Placings** — 1 Johnny Clarke (83 pts), 2 Tom Meehan (90 pts), 3 Paul Keating (92 pts), 4 James Moore (98 pts), 5 Martin Sandford (102 pts), 6 Colin Lyons and Michael Roche (105 pts), 8 Gerry Cantwell (108 pts), 9 Liam Flynn (118 pts), 10 Eoin O'Riordan (135 pts).

## THIS WEEK'S FIXTURES

National Senior and Junior Indoor Championships. Waterford Crystal four mile road race on Saturday.

# Colligan Equestrian Centre

Results of Equestrian Leagues held at the Colligan Equestrian Centre on Friday, February 25—

**Mini League, sponsored by TSB Dungarvan** — Mac (Aoife Broderick), Mattie (Aoife Landers), Billy (Elaine Casey), Clara (Catherine Beresford), Lady (Patrick Harrington), Bluey (Jimmy Buckley), Billy (Christopher Walsh), Mattie (Maria Rahe).

**Midi League, sponsored by Gain Horse Feeds (Waterford Foods)** — Clare (Tom D'Alton), Mattie (John Lynch), Copper (Ira Harty), Mac (Emma Broderick), Billy (Tom Murphy), Clara (Maevie Lynch), Sam (Aine Walsh), Mattie (Edward Kelly), Noddy (Deborah Beresford), Malibu (Kevin Casey), Lady (Patrick Harrington), Frankie (Genevieve Gee), Canterg Kitty (Pauline Dahill), Clara (Seamus Lavan), Billy (Rebecca Veale), Lady (Robert Power).

**Maxi League sponsored by Gain Horse Feeds** — Mac (Martin Lavin), Clara (Anita O'Mahoney), Jessie (Tara Ellard), Shylo (Caro-



line Houlihan), Mattie (Aisling Ormond), Bluey (Mairéad Walsh), Automatic (Kevin Casey), Powercut (Tom Kiely), Silver (Rebecca Veale), Mac (Richard Morrissey), Clara (Leahanne Cummins), Ballyanchor Paddy (Linda Howard).

**Young Horse League sponsored by John Murphy and John Cleary, Old Parish** — Bluey (Nina Kelly), Roxy (Tom Fleming), Sally (Laura Regan), Clover Bud (Michael Condon), Golden Moments (John Cashman).

At the half way stage in our league all pony events are very competitive with many riders on maximum points. The Young Horse League has two young lady riders out in the lead — Nina Kelly riding Bluey and Laura Regan on Sally. The next few weeks will make for interesting jumping. See you all next Friday night at Colligan Equestrian Centre.

## EAMONN COUGHLAN'S MILE MARKERS

- First broke four minutes for the mile in 1975.
- He did this seventy eight times up to last week.
- He holds the World Indoor record for the mile with a time of 3 mins. 49.78 secs.
- European Indoor 1500 metres champion in 1978.
- At Villanova University he won four National Collegiate American titles at 1500 metres and the mile.
- Indoors he has won 52 of his 70 races.
- Set European mile record in 1975.
- Set 14 Irish records during his career.

# Local Boxing Tournament

## A Huge Success

After months of hard work organising the challenge between Donegal and Dungarvan, it must have been a big reward for the Dungarvan Boxing Club to see everything go off so well on Saturday week last, at Lawlor's Hotel, in front of a large crowd of local and travelling supporters.

Twenty bouts may have been pushing it a bit, but with so many clubs involved and with them travelling such long distances, it was unavoidable. Eight clubs in all — Rosses, Dunkineely, Fermoy, Liscarroll, Carrigtwohill, Ballyvolane, St. Pauls and Dungarvan, took part.

A few disappointments for local boxers as their opponents failed to turn up for various reasons. James Keenan got a walk over from Declan Barrett. Killian Walsh got a walk over from John Cotter and James Keohane over Mark McCarthy.

Danny Kett was saved from the same fate when Robert Driscoll from Ballyvolane stepped in at the last minute. Driscoll, although lighter, is a seasoned boxer and has clocked up a lot more fights than Danny's mere two fights. Nonetheless, Danny was not worried about his record as he stepped into the ring to strike a "Eubank-like" pose to the delight of his local fans.

Kett put on a very good display, although outclassed by a snappier Driscoll. Any thought the Cork man had of an easy night were soon put out of his head as Kett proved to be as tough as they come, and even sent Driscoll spinning in the 1st round with a big right cross. This lovely exhibition of boxing by Robert Driscoll should prove to be a good learning experience for Danny Kett.

Another class fight on the night was between Irish champion, Michael Kelleher, Ballyvolane and Keith Whelan, St. Pauls. This was a brilliant fight with everything you could ask for from two skilful fighters. They were both even going into the last round when Whelan sustained a standing count. Kelleher won by a majority decision. These boxers are destined to meet again.

John Paul Keohane came back to boxing with a well deserved victory. John Paul was out of the sport for over a year but made a come back against Sean Byrne of Liskineely. Byrne proved to be a strong opponent, but Keohan beat him on a majority decision. This was a good warm up for John Paul as he prepares for the county championships next month.

Two other young boxers from Dungarvan getting ready for the county championships are Johnny Curran and Thomas Keenan. These boys had to fight each other, with Curran being the victor. This was both boys first fight, so it will have done them good to box in front of an audience.

### MARVELLOUS DISPLAY

The Donegal Club went home proud as they put on a marvellous display. I'm sure some of the boys that boxed in Dungarvan will have future dates in the National Stadium. Of their ten boxers, five won and two lost on majorities.

D. McGlinchey (Rosses) fought Pa Cummins (Dungarvan). This was a very tough and fast fight and Cummins had to pull out all the stops to beat this very skilful young Northern boxer.

K. Reynolds (Dunkineely) took on Jason Shaw (Dungarvan). Reynolds is a very good, strong young boxer who keeps coming forward and Shaw was very lucky to beat him. This was their second time meeting and it was obvious Reynolds did his home work.

There were two stoppages on the night and both came from St. Pauls men. Now we know where Niall Gough is getting it from — it's the secret coaching technique of Barty Simpson their club coach!

The first came from Paul Simpson when he stopped J. P. Cunningham, Carrigtwohill. It was a lovely hook and it happened so fast no one saw it — truly perfection!

And the next came from Jason Flynn (Leamybrien) against M. O'Riordan of Carrigtwohill BC. Flynn, with his snappy left hand, jabbed away in the first round and seemed under no pressure. In the second round he moved in with a right cross, O'Riordan got a standing count and his corner threw in the towel.

Four of the five Fermoy boxers won. P. Duggan beat K. Hodnett (Carrigtwohill), R. Duggan beat Richard O'Leary, Dungarvan, S. Higgins beat A. McDonagh (Liscarroll), S. Sullivan beat B. Boyle (Rosses), D. O'Neill lost to M. McBride (Rosses).

### CARRIGTWOHILL BOXERS

A. Hodnett lost to M. J. Rogers (Rosses), C. Donnelly beat B. Devanny (Rosses), J. O'Driscoll lost to P. Sharkey (Rosses), J. Hodnett beat C. O'Donnell (Rosses), M. Donnelly lost to J. Duddy (Dunkineely), M. Riordan lost to J. Flynn (St. Paul's) and K. Hodnett lost to P. Duggan (Fermoy).

At lightweight Aidan Duff-White brought victory to Dungarvan when he beat M. Carroll of Liscarroll. Aidan has made a come back to boxing only recently after a lapse of several years. After this win he must be back to his old form.

### EXCITING CONTESTS IN 20-BOU PROGRAMME

One of the toughest and hardest hitting fights of the night must surely have been between Ian Walsh (Dungarvan) and J. Kennedy (Liscarroll). This was an all muscle, hard hitting, action packed fight. It's a pity there had to be a winner, but there was, and a well deserved J. Kennedy took the laurels. This was Ian's first fight and I'm sure if he's anything like his brother Killian we'll see a lot more of him.

The tournament was a huge success and the Dungarvan Boxing Club would like to thank everybody for making it possible. All the boxers and officials for taking part, all club members and friends for helping with accommodation and making sandwiches and doing the door.



A CLOSE LOOK AT THE ACTION—Ian Walsh (Dungarvan) on right, and J. Kennedy (Liscarroll) watched by referee John Mahon (Fermoy). —(Photo: Jimmy Power).

To Jim Landers for doing M.C. (he's giving up G.A.A. and taking up boxing), we have him converted. To the management and staff of Lawlor's Hotel for supplying a wonderful venue.

### DRAW

The results of our supporters draw are as follows:

First prize (Crystal vase), Michael Fitzgerald, 26 Riverview Estate, Kilmac-thomas; 2nd prize (£30),

Margaret Maye, 21 Keating Street, Dungarvan; 3rd prize (2 tickets for North of England v. Munster boxing match), Mary Mansfield, c/o District Hospital, Dungarvan.

## CAUSEWAY TENNIS CLUB NOTES

### DIVISION 3B TEAM

On Saturday, February 19 our Div. 3B team played the last of their round 2 matches at home to the Cork club Larkspur. The only winner on this occasion was the weather, with both teams getting a right soaking. A good crack was had by all with some "interesting" tennis played by both sides. After the match our team played host by laying on a "good spread."

Div. 3B team — Donal McGovern (capt.), Niall Herlihy, John Paul Collins, Nollaig McCarthy, Jean O'Donovan, Linda Hogan. Subs. — Austin Kiely and Cathy O'Mahony. Thanks to our two subs who obliged when needed.

### LADIES MORNING

A ladies morning will be starting soon — the proposed morning being a Wednesday. Watch the notice board for more details.

### MENS DOUBLES LADDER DRAW

The mens doubles ladder attracted the same number of players as the last round.

Section A — John Moran is paired with Niall Herlihy this time round. Tom Higgins partners Frank Delaney, an interesting pairing. John Paul Collins teams up with Liam Crotty, Michael Collins with Austin Kiely, Donal McGovern with

Michael Kelleher and finally Liam Moore and Ger Cusack. All games to be played by March 27.

### Section B —

The pairings are as follows, Denis O'Donovan and Michael Twomey, Pat McCarthy and John Ryan, Tom Fitzgerald and Owen Flanagan, Ger O'Donovan and Robert Twomey.

The pairings are very evenly matched here, with perhaps Ger O'Donovan and Robert Twomey and Tom Fitzgerald and Owen Flanagan the favourites to win out the section. Again all games to be played by March 27.

### LADIES SINGLES LADDER

Section A — Here Bridget O'Shea will find herself with some very strong opposition. Bridget gained promotion from section B last term. The other players are Cora Cooney, Pat Flanagan, Theresa M. Keane, Mary Phelan, who will be looking to retain the group leaders spot, and finally Sue Mahony. It will be hard to pick a winner from this group.

Section B — Here five



players slug it out with Mary Collins, Margaret Looby, Una O'Halloran, Miriam Twomey and Theresa Troy making up the five. Again this section is very even.

Section C — Here six players battle it out for promotion with maybe Andrea Lloyd and Evelyn O'Neill being the possible favourites. The six are Ann Cartwright, Helen O'Dwyer, Andrea Lloyd, Siobhan Ni Mhurchu, Noirin O'Driscoll and Evelyn O'Neill making up the six. As with the mens ladder, all matches are to be played by March 27.

Best of luck to one and all and remember it's only a game.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

Calling All Players — At the moment we are looking for adult members who are interested in playing on teams representing the club to put their names forward. A notice is posted on the notice board.

### DIVISION 3A

On February 19 our Div. 3A team travelled away to Douglas in the last of their section 3 second round games. It turned out to be a

very close match. First on were our singles players. Here Frank Delaney continued his winning ways maintaining his 100% record in the singles. Bernadette Sheridan won her singles also. Ber has lost only one out of her six singles. Next on were our doubles pairing and Rita Moore and Josephine Fennell went down in a thrilling match. John Moran and Pat Crowley also lost. This left the score at 2-2 with the 3 mixed to play. John Moran and Bernadette Sheridan lost in 3 sets having won the first 6-2. However Frank Delaney and Rita Moore won as did Pat Crowley and Josephine Fennell. Thanks to this the final score read Douglas 3 Causeway 4.

Causeway 3A's 100% record continues. Next match is the quarter final against possibly Lower Aghada or Monkstown away.

Thanks to Pat Crowley for subbing for the unavailable Owen O'Mahony.

### COACHING

Regional Coaching will resume in the Causeway next Sunday, March 6. Please check Clubhouse for times. Any juniors who wish to take coaching on Sundays please contact Suzanne Dalton at 42459

## West Waterford Golf Club Notes

The weather continues to cause major disruptions in the golfing calendar. The East Cork League was cancelled in Lismore, the South Eastern Senior Alliance, due to be played in Dungarvan was transferred to West Waterford and the South Eastern Junior Alliance Captains Prize went ahead as scheduled in Kilkenny.

Congratulations to Tommy Butler and our captain Pat Murphy on their prize winning performance in Kilkenny. Also to Austin Spratt on his best gross win in the senior event at home.

**Results:** Sunday, February 27, Senior Alliance — 1st J. Ryan (7) 71 (Waterford G.C.); 2nd B. Nugent (5) 72 (Clonmel G.C.); 3rd A. Treacy (5) 72 (Tramore G.C.); 4th J. Phelan (6) 72 (Waterford G.C.); Best Gross - A. Spratt (4) 77 (West Waterford G.C.).

Saturday, Feb. 26 — 18 Hole Stableford — 1st T. Butler (16) 41 pts. Sunday, Feb. 27 — 18 Hole Stroke — 1st D. O'Brien (13) 70.

### FIXTURES

Sun. March 5 — 18 Hole Stableford. Sun. March 6 — 18 Hole Stableford and South Eastern Junior Alliance (President's Prize).

First tee booked on Sat., March 5 from 10 a.m. to 12 noon. On Sunday, March 6 from 11 a.m. to 2.30 p.m.

### SOCIAL

On St. Patrick's Eve, March 16, there will be a social evening in the clubhouse for members and friends, music and sing along 8.30 p.m.



**ARDMORE G.A.A. CLUB VICTORY SOCIAL** — Standing (left to right) — John Hennessy, Liam Lynch (Chairman), Austin Flavin, Mick Supple, James O'Donnell, John Joe Conway (Chairman Juvenile Club), Ollie Wilkinson, Paddy Foley (Secretary Juvenile Club), Pat Prendergast (Vice-Chairman Juvenile Club), John O'Donnell; seated — Declan Barron (Secretary), Dr. Joe Meehan, Eddie O'Shea (Western Bord na nOg), Dr. John McNamara, Fr. D. O'Connor, P.P., John Kiely (Chairman Co. Bord na nOg), Joe O'Brien, Kevin Gallagher. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

## Shamrocks G.A.A. Notes

### DRAW

The first draw for the current year has been postponed to Friday, March 18 and from reports to hand from club promoters, there is a good demand for tickets. In 1993 our club had a good financial benefit from the draw as well as our school which attained approximately £500 worth of equipment. The second instalment was received last

### Friday night in Lismore.

So we would again appeal to all our supporters to join our draw and we look forward to better success this year. Our club co-ordinator is again Johnny Baldwin.

### TRAINING

Training for all our players will commence on this Sunday morning and it is hopeful to have a full turnout when we expect to arrange a game, if possible.

# Ballymacarbry Ladies Football Club Notes

At the recent annual general meeting of the club the Chairman opened and adjourned the meeting for

five minutes as a mark of respect to Claire Williams and Dolores Tyrell, who both died during the year. Ar dheis Dé go raibh said.

On the resumption of the meeting the Chairman and Secretary reported on another very successful year for the club, culminating in the victory in the club championship — our fifth in a row. This was dedicated to the memory of the above-mentioned Dolores Tyrell. Dolores was our captain when we first captured the All-Ireland Club Championship in 1987.

The following officials were elected for 1994 — Chairman, Michael Ryan; Vice-Chairman, Noel Murray; Hon. Secretary, Claire Ryan; Asst. Secretary, Annalisa Crotty; Treasurer, Catherine Casey; Asst. Treasurer, Anne Dunford; PRO, Noel Murray; County Captain, Geraldine O'Ryan; Club Captain, Catriona Casey. Committee: Brigid Grant and Eleanor Hickey.

The first major task facing this new committee is to raise funds for the Dolores Tyrell Cup. The club have very kindly received permission from The National Council of Ladies Football to replace the current cup for the All-Ireland Club Championship with the Dolores Tyrell Cup. This is something that is dear to the heart of many and nothing

will be left undone to ensure that this will be a cup that will be fitting to the memory of a great club officer, captain, player and friend to all who had the pleasure of knowing her.

The main event for the fund will be a sponsored hill walk on March 19, the route to be organised by Seamus Wall. Sponsorship cards or donations etc., can be given to any club member and your help will be gratefully appreciated.

Our congratulations to our two local men's clubs, Fourmilewater HC on going so far in the senior championship, but pride of place must go to the Nire Football Club on winning the senior championship for the first time. A suitable memento of that historic occasion was made to players, mentors and club officers of the Nire on behalf of our club at the recent victory social.

Our congratulations also to Paddy Joe Ryan on his recent election to the chairmanship of the Western Board. Paddy Joe has always given our club 100% support in every way and we wish him well in his new position.

Congrats to club members Geraldine and Martina O'Ryan on their recent 21st birthdays.

Finally, to Brigid and Pat Grant on the recent birth of their baby daughter — our youngest club member!

## PRIMARY SCHOOLS G.A.A.



### HURLING EQUIPMENT

Apart from the hurley, the usual equipment of a player consists of jersey, shorts and stockings, boots and protective aids i.e. helmet and shinguards. Team jerseys will usually be supplied by the club or school, they should be numbered. A goalkeeper must wear a dis-

tinctive jersey. A player should be smart in appearance. He should not use a hurley with dangerous banding and he should not wear anything that might cause injury to another player e.g. rings, earrings or worn boot studs.

### KNOW YOUR GAME

Technical Fouls:—

- 1 — To overcarry or overhold the ball.
- 2 — To throw the ball.
- 3 — To lift the ball off the ground with the knees.
- 4 — To lie on the ball.
- 5 — To touch the ball on the ground with the hands, except when a player falls or is knocked down and the ball in his hand touches the ground.

● **Garranbane N.S. who beat Knockanore N.S. 4-6 to 3-4 in the final of the 7-a-side Peil na gCaillini football competition for the Gain Cup pictured with teachers Mr. Don Shiel (Principal), Mrs. McCarthy and Mary Dunford and trainer Anne Power.**

**NATIONAL HURLING LEAGUE**

# Waterford Outclassed By Galway

**GALWAY 4-10 WATERFORD 0-9**  
(By "Commentator")

It will now take almost a minor miracle to save us from relegation to Div. 2 following Sunday's defeat by league leaders, Galway at Ballinasloe.

The scoreline tells the story of the difference in standards on the day and we can have no excuse. We did have bad luck against Wexford and Tipperary and to a certain extent against Down, but here we were outclassed and forced to play second fiddle for most of the hour, while the home side gave one of their best displays of the league so far.

We are now left with just one point at the bottom of the table and while relegation may be staring us in the face, there is just an outside possibility that if we beat Antrim and Limerick in our two remaining matches, we could qualify for a play-off to remain up. We will know all about this in a couple of weeks time.

Waterford were 8 points behind at half time, having played against a strong breeze. In the 9th minute Tony Browne opened with our first score and Paul Flynn had the remaining five points to give us 6 points at the break as against 3-5 for Galway.

In the second half Paul Flynn was unlucky with shots at goal and had these come off, they might have sparked a resurgence. Even with the breeze we managed only three points in the second half while Galway added 1-5 to give them a resounding victory, which was more or less what they had expected.

Scorers: Galway — B. Keogh 2-2, J. Rabbitt 0-4, F. Forde 2-0, J. Cooney 0-2, P. Malone and M. Coleman 0-1 each. Waterford — P. Flynn 0-6, T. Browne, B. O'Sullivan and J. Meaney 0-1 each.

Galway — R. Burke, P. Cooney, P. Tracey, D. Fahy, N. Power, G. McInerney, M. Donoghue, M. Coleman, P. Malone, B. Keogh, J. Cooney, N. Shaughnessey, L. Turley, J. Rabbitt, F. Forde. Subs. — D. Coleman for Turley; M. Head for J. Cooney.

Waterford — R. Barry, M. O'Sullivan, D. Byrne, E. Cullinane, S. Cullinane, S. Frampton, B. Greene, T. Fives, P. Walsh, K. Walsh, T. Browne, P. Prendergast, P. Fanning, B. O'Sullivan, P. Flynn. Subs. — J. Meaney for B. Greene; N. Dalton for P. Fanning. Referee — P. O'Connor (Limerick).

## Jimmy Beresford

In recent weeks rumours have been circulating to the effect that Jimmy Beresford had retired from inter-county hurling because of matters connected with the recent convention. In an official statement to County Board last week, Colligan club secretary, Paudie Flynn refuted these rumours and said that Jimmy's only reason for withdrawing from the county panel was because of a change in his work schedule. Because of this it would not be possible for him to train. The explanation was welcomed.

## MEETING WITH SECRETARY

In an effort to resolve the matter of the county secretary's resignation from the Board following the incident at the last meeting of the Board, a meeting with the secretary was arranged at a Waterford hotel for last night, Tuesday. Attending with the County Chairman were three other members of the Coisde Gnotha.

Western Board Secretary, Anthony Walsh, has been appointed acting County P.R.O. until a successor to John Jackson is appointed in due course.

## Munster Convention

This was a low-key affair with no elections and no motions being discussed by the 50 or so delegates at the meeting. Waterford were represented by Eamonn Murphy, Frankie Cullinane, Paddy J. Ryan, Denis Hanrahan, Seamus O'Brien and Anthony Walsh.

The hotel ballroom was very well arranged, with the county colours displayed on all delegation tables and was the subject of favourable comment by the delegates.



St. Patrick's (above) who captured the 1993 U-21 "B" Western Football title when they defeated Shamrocks (below) by 0-5 to 0-3 in the final at Old Parish. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).



## Abbeyside/ Ballinacourty G.A.A. Notes

**UNDER-21 FOOTBALL**  
The adverse weather conditions of the past week put paid to any chance of the semi-final game with the Gaeltacht being played last weekend. Instead the game goes ahead this Saturday afternoon, at a venue to be announced.

**DEISE DRAW**  
An enormous amount of work has been put in by the club promoters over the past few weeks to ensure everything is ready for the forthcoming draw. Any member who has still not signed up for 1994 can contact any member of the committee.

**COUNTY DUTY**  
Damien Cliffe and Jimmy

Stacey were both involved with the county under-21 footballers on Sunday last when they played Kildare at Newbridge coming away with a draw.

**TIMES PAST**  
This week we travel back 23 years to 1971 and the under-16 footballers who captured our first title in the grade.

The county final took place on September 19 at the Fraher Field and our opponents were city side, St. John's Park. The score at the end of the hour on that day was Abbeyside 6-5 St. John's Park 1-2.

The team was — B. Hogan, R. Fives, J. Moloney (capt.), S. Cleary, D. Griffin, V. Feeney, P. McGovern, K. Frost, R. Hanrahan, David Hourigan, K. Young, M. Durand, Jim Kiely, T. Dunford, T. Butler. Subs. — M. Kiely, J. Regan, D. McGovern, Jh. Kiely, P. Murphy, M. Twohig, Tomas Kiely (R.I.P.), L. Byrne, K. Kiely.

Interestingly the route to the final was as follows — (17/8/71) Abbeyside 3-6 Tallow (holders) 1-7; (29/8/71) Abbeyside 7-10 Ring 1-2; (1/9/71) Western Final, Abbeyside 0-10 Eire Og 1-1.



Paddy Joe Ryan (Chairman Western Board) presenting Kevin Walsh with the U-21 "B" Western Football Shield, sponsored by the Waterford Supporters Club. —(Photo: Sean Byrne).

## St. Garvan's Ladies Football Club

**MINOR CHAMPIONSHIP**  
Our championship season begins this weekend when we take on local rivals Dungarvan in the Minor B Championship. The game takes place in Dungarvan on Sunday with a 3 p.m. start.

The championship is being run on a knockout basis this year so a win here is vital. The winners take on St. Annes who are a Kill-

Dunhill selection in the quarter finals.

**CHALLENGE GAMES**  
We would like to thank Dunhill and Clashmore who gave us good challenge games over the last few weeks.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
Happy birthday to Michelle Moore who was 12 yesterday (March 1). Michelle is a member of our under-14 team.

N.H.L. TABLE	
	pld pts
Galway	5 10
Cork	5 6
Tipperary	5 6
Limerick	5 6
Antrim	5 5
Wexford	4 2
Down	4 2
Waterford	5 1

## G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

## NEXT WEEK-END

# County Doubly Engaged In National League

Both our teams will travel out over the coming week-end and it is very likely that both will travel overnight. The hurlers for their second last match in the league may fly to Belfast while the footballers for their final match of the 1993/94 league will travel by coach.

Antrim need another win to help protect themselves from relegation and after their fine display against Limerick at Casement Park last Sunday, they will feel confident of being able to repeat the result against Waterford.

At the moment Waterford are not doing well and now it will be difficult to lift their game sufficiently to defeat Antrim, but with very few chances left for them to show that they are a better side than the

## Hurlers Take On Antrim And Footballers Play Westmeath

league table shows, they might be motivated into giving a top display here and prove something to their devoted supporters. Waterford must surely have a good chance

against Antrim as we always seem to be able to match them and a win here would give us hope for the Munster championship.

## FOOTBALL

Westmeath are joint league leaders in our division and having the advantage of a home game, they will be fancied to win here.

Waterford footballers are having problems all the winter, with players not being available and pitches being very hard to come-by, so in the circumstances and against big odds, they are doing quite well with five points and a win over Kilkenny likely when their abortive fixture is rescheduled.

They will have to field without the Dungarvan players on next Sunday and this will mean further reshuffling of the side, which will not be named until Tuesday night and may not be in time for publication. They may have an outside chance of winning.

# County Board Meeting

Eamon O Murchu, Chairman, presided and having extended a welcome to all delegates to this first meeting of the Board for 1994, he asked for co-operation from all delegates. On behalf of the meeting he congratulated the Stradbally club, whose Rinne Foirne group won the All-Ireland championship final at Cork on the previous Sunday. (Stradbally were the only Munster team to win a title in the juvenile Scor, this year).

As reported last week, the meeting then erupted into a shouting match after the matter of outstanding monies for tickets was raised. When things had cooled off, the meeting resumed.

## DEFERRED

Because of the hold-up a number of the listed items on the agenda were not taken. The Chairman stated that finance would not be discussed as our financial situation had been debated only recently at convention.

Reports from the selection committee and other reports were also held over as was correspondence. The correspondence included a letter of resignation from county P.R.O. John Jackson. The next meeting is scheduled for next Monday week unless there is reason for an earlier meeting.

## TRANSFERS/REGRAIDINGS

The Clashmore application for regrading was surprisingly refused after it had been recommended by the Divisional Board. P. J. Ryan, Chairman of the

Western Board, outlined the circumstances in which he allowed the matter to come before his Board. He said there was unanimous approval to have the matter dealt with even though the correspondence relating to the matter had inadvertently been sent to the County Board instead of the Western Board. On a vote the application was defeated.

## UNDER-14 FINAL

The matter of the controversial county final involving Roanmore, and Kilrossanty was raised by Erin's Own delegate Joe Byrne, who proposed that the final now be fixed by the County Adult Board for Saturday, March 5. He said the matter had already been decided by the Board, but still had not been played. It was pointed out that the county championship medals had already been presented to Roanmore, who had been declared winner by County Bord Na nOg. The proposition to play the game was carried unanimously.

## MINOR 'B' FOOTBALL FINAL

John Galvin, Portlaw, raised the matter of the re-fixing of the 1993 minor 'B' football final involving Portlaw and An Gaeltacht. He said the game was twice fixed and subsequently cancelled because of bad weather. Last week it was again fixed at very short notice after his club, Portlaw, had been given to understand that it would not be re-fixed until there was improvement in the weather. He also said that they

played the Eastern final on September 27 last year and made no complaints about the Western championship having been held up due to the unfortunate tragedy in October. The County Chairman stated that if the game was not played on Saturday, it would not be possible to play it for a long time as some of the Gaeltacht players were going to Spain. He further said that the four days notice given was sufficient. There were appeals from delegates to have the game re-fixed and on a proposal from Eddie Cunningham, it was agreed to ask the Gaeltacht club to consider a re-fixture and there the matter rests.

## INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL CLUB

Although about 60 delegates were present, only 45 voted on the matter of the control of the intermediate football championship and whether it was to be divisional or county. P. J. Ryan, Chairman, Western Board having given his Board's view on the matter, asked delegates to leave it with the Divisional Boards as this was now their prime competition, following the loss of the intermediate hurling championship. Several delegates, who favoured the championship being played on a county basis, opposed the proposal which when voted on, favoured the status quo and remaining with the Divisional Boards (25 votes to 20).

## NO RELEGATION

Joe Byrne, Chairman of the Disciplinary Committee said that as this was his last

meeting as a club delegate, he would not be allowing his name go forward for membership of the disciplinary committee, of which he had been chairman for two years. He thanked his fellow members for their co-operation and assistance during his term. He said that Christy Dowling would be replacing him as delegate from Erin's Own club for the remainder of the year. He said he was angry at the decision to allow Clonea up to senior ranks and to have no relegation for last year. He said his club would also like to go up to senior status and he felt sure that other intermediate clubs felt the same way.

## Delegates To Annual Congress

County Board decided to be represented at Congress by the three chairmen and secretaries. P. S. O Riain, Chairman of the Western Board said he would pull out of the delegation in order to allow an under 21 member to travel in accordance with general rule. The under 21 member selected was Michael Ryan, secretary of the Nire club, who is a regular attendee at County Board meetings.

## Cancelled

The under-21 football semi-final involving Ballinacourty and An Gaeltacht which was scheduled for last Saturday was cancelled because of bad weather. It may go ahead on next Saturday if the weather improves.

## FIXTURES

## SATURDAY MARCH 5

OLD PARISH	U-21 Football 'B' Final at 2.30 p.m. St. Patrick's v. De La Salle
ST. AUGUSTINES	U-21 Football Final Ballinacourty v. An Gaeltacht at 2.30

## SUNDAY, MARCH 6

BELFAST	N.H.L. Waterford v. Antrim
MULLINGAR	N.F.L. Waterford v. Westmeath

## Foundation Hurling Coaching Course

The second foundation hurling coaching course for clubs in West Waterford will take place on Saturday, March 12. This is the fourth course to be held in all and is the club's final chance to send in coaches. Croke Park has recommended that each club send at least 2 coaches.

Our last course was well attended and the following clubs were represented — Dungarvan (5), Abbeyside (5), Ardmore (1), St. Oliver's (3), Lismore (2), Stradbally (1), Clashmore (1), Cappoquin (1), St. Patrick's (1), Tourin (1), Fourmilewa-

ter (1), Shamrocks (3).

We would urge the other clubs in West Waterford to send in representatives. The fee is £10 which includes lunch. Teachers would be especially welcome. All those who successfully attend the course will receive special certificates at a function towards the end of March. The venue has yet to be confirmed. Coaches who wish to attend should contact either MacDara Mac Donnacha 058-46407 or Pat Moore 058-41325 before Monday, March 7. Application forms can be filled in on the day.

## Harry Conway R.I.P.

At last week's meeting of the Western Board a member asked that the late Harry Conway of Ballinameela be remembered in our prayers. Harry was buried on the morning of the meeting in his beloved Ballinameela. It came as a shock to many of his old friends to learn that this great man had passed away, almost unnoticed, after a lifetime of service to the GAA.

I had the privilege of knowing Harry when he worked with his great friend and colleague, Michael Culloo, who predeceased him by a few years. Together they went far beyond the call of duty in promoting hurling and football at juvenile level in the 'sixties' and could be described as pioneers in that field. Both were members of the first Juvenile Board set up around 1962.

Harry Conway must have cycled more miles than any other man that I know of in organising and running teams — all at underage level and I'm sure that all of the adult players now serving the Ballinameela Club will at some time or other have been helped along by the quiet and lovable Harry. He was a great man by any standards and Ballinameela and the GAA have a lot to thank him for. Ar dheis Dé go raibh a nam.

G.A.A. NOTES

BY "COMMENTATOR"

# Western Board Meeting

There was another full attendance at the resumed meeting of the Western Board and at which Paddy J. Ryan (Chairman) presided.

## CORRESPONDENCE

Stradbally club applied to have six names added to the supplied list of players for their third football side. The request was approved.

Coisde na Peil wrote asking for permission to run a minor football league in the late summer/early autumn period. It was not possible to grant the request but the matter may be looked at again later in the season.

Denis McGrath, Affane wrote to the Board informing them that he wished to withdraw his name from the Disciplinary Committee. He said that five had been elected at the previous meeting, when the regulations allowed only three. The matter of the number on the committee is to be checked with County Board. The Chairman thanked Denis for his service to the Disciplinary Committee over a number of years.

St. Patricks were congratulated on their win in the 'B' under-21 football Championship, and the Chairman thanked the clubs who had made their fields available for the games which have been played so far. He also complimented the secretary on his efforts to get the matches played.

## CHAMPIONSHIPS

The meeting was told that the Officer Board had met to discuss championship structures and the format was, more or less, to be the same as in previous years.

## INTER HURLING

This is a knockout championship or at least it will be played on a knockout system. Stradbally are gone up a grade and that reduces the number to six. Eddie Cunningham proposed that senior hurling teams be allowed to play in this special championship, but James Tobin and others disagreed as the seniors have the Sargent Cup.

Draw — 1, Ballysaggart a bye; 2, An Rinn; 3, Cappoquin v. Abbeyside; 4, St. Marys v. Shamrocks. In the semi-finals 1 will play 3 and 2 will meet 4.

It is proposed to start this competition in March and finish before the county championships begin.

## INTERMEDIATE FOOTBALL

After some debate it was decided to play the championship involving seven

teams in one group. It had been recommended by the officers that two groups would be more suitable, but with the refusal of the County Board to leave Clashmore down, this changed the situation. The teams are: Faha, Brickeys, Ring, Ardmore, Geraldines, Ballinameela and Shamrocks. It will take 24 games to complete.

**Junior Hurling** — Seven teams play in one group on league system — Ardmore, Clashmore, Geraldines, Ballinameela, Kilgobinet, Modeligo and Tourin.

**Junior Hurling 'B'** — Seana Phobal, Brickeys, Glen Rovers. Winners will play 2nd string winners in quarter final.

**2nd String Junior Hurling** — Section A — Abbeyside, Ring, Dungarvan, Shamrocks, Ballyduff; Section B — Stradbally, Tallow, Cappoquin, Lismore, Ballysaggart.

The winners of each section will meet to produce a winner who will meet the 'B' Championship winners.

**Junior Football** — A total of 23 teams have entered for the junior football championships in all grades, but only seven of these will contest the junior championship proper. They are: Seana Phobal, Kilgobinet, Emmetts, Modeligo, Lismore, Tallow and Ballyduff. It will be played on a league system in one group and the top two teams will qualify for the semi-finals and the 3rd and 4th teams

will go to the quarter finals.

**Junior Football 'B'** Eire Og, Ballinwillin, Melleray Rovers and Stradbally (third team).

**Second String** — Three sections for the 13 teams — Section 1 — Dungarvan, Nire, Kilrossanty, Ballinameela, Stradbally; Section 2 — Shamrocks, Geraldines, Brickeys, Ardmore; Section 3 — Ring, Ballinacourty, Clashmore, Affane. Winners of Section 1 will go to the final and meet the winners of Sections 3/4. The ultimate winners will play the winners of the 'B' Championship in the quarter final.

**Minor Hurling** — In the 'A' Section there are five teams. — Abbeyside, Dungarvan, St. Olivers, Lismore and Tallow. Played on a league system, the top team will go to the final and the second and third will play off for a semi-final place.

**Minor Hurling 'B'** — Nine teams will play in two sections; Section A — Gaeltacht, Stradbally, Naomh Bríd, Ballyduff, Cappoquin; Section B — Fourmilewater, Ardmore, St. Patricks, Clashmore. Winners of A will play runners-up of B and vice-versa.

## MINOR FOOTBALL

A new system was recommended by the Officer Board and was finally agreed to. It will mean that all sixteen teams entered for the minor football

championship will play in the one championship at the outset.

The top four teams are seeded and will head the four sections. Winners of all four sections will constitute the A championship to be played on a knockout system. Runners-up in each section to constitute quarter finals of B championships. Third and fourth teams to (cross section play) to play for quarter finals of B, with an open draw for the semi-finals.

The four sections are: 1, St. Olivers, Affane, Brickeys, Stradbally; 2, Abbeyside, Lismore, Kilrossanty, Shamrocks; 3, Dungarvan, Ballyduff, Ardmore, Gaeltacht; 4, Naomh Bríd, St. Patricks, Nire, Clashmore.

## UNDER-21 FOOTBALL

The A Championship has 6 teams and the first two will receive a bye and it will be played on a knockout system. 1, Nire, 2, Dungarvan; 3, Stradbally v. Kilrossanty; 4, Ballinacourty v. Naomh Bríd. Semi-finals 1 v. 4, and 2 v. 3.

**Under-21 Football 'B'** — Brickeys v. Affane, Shamrocks v. St. Patricks, St. Olivers v. Ardmore, Gaeltacht v. Clashmore; semi-final, 1 v. 4 and 2 v. 3.

## UNDER-21 HURLING

**U-21 Hurling 'A'** — 1, Lismore a bye; 2, Tallow v. Dungarvan; 3, Fourmilewater v. Ballyduff; 4, St. Pats v. Abbeyside. Semi-finals 1 v. 3, 2 v. 4.

**Under-21 Hurling 'B'** — 1, St. Olivers a bye; 2, Naomh Bríd v. Cappoquin; 3, Gaeltacht v. Clashmore and Stradbally v. Ardmore.



**CARRIGLEA N.S.** — Una Nugent, Aoife Broderick and Aoife Landers with Mrs. C. O'Dwyer, N.T. in this well-organised two-teacher school (Mrs. Baumann Priomh Oide) in the Brickey Valley area.

## UNDER-AGE HURLERS SPOTTED RECENTLY AT SESSIONS

**Villierstown N.S., Carol Guiry, Rang 5** — Very good striker of the ball who is always willing to learn. She has made excellent progress under Sceim Iomana na nOg. This girl has the enthusiasm and coordination to play most sports. Her home is at Dromore, Aglish. Very well behaved.

**Aglish N.S., Danny O'Keefe, 8 years old** — Big strong boy for his age with fierce determination. Very good basic skill. Starred in goal in mini-game during recent visit. He hopes to play for his school and St. Olivers club in future years. Looks a future goalie.

**Knockanore N.S., Peter O'Connor, 7 years** — Great trier at sessions and is always well disciplined. Loves most sports and looks forward to visits. Mrs. Betty Gillen and her staff make sure everything is well organised on coaching visits.

## SCHOOL COACHING

HURLING	9.30 to 12.30	1 p.m. to 3 p.m.
MONDAY 7th	Aglish	Villierstown
TUESDAY 8th	Touraneena	Touraneena
WEDNESDAY 9th	Ballymacarbry	Ballymacarbry
THURSDAY 10th	Currahaha	Newtown
FRIDAY 11th	Scoil Garbhan	Sean Phobal

# SENIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS 1994

As I wrote last week, the Colligan proposal for the senior hurling championship was accepted and while it is not the perfect system (anymore than any other), it is certain to invest new interest into the championship which should now be more competitive as teams of equal standards will be in the same groups.

There is a similar system in senior football and hopefully it will do an amount of good for this ailing competition. In both senior championships we have teams playing who are completely out of their depth and have absolutely no hope of winning either title and maybe it is time that those clubs took a serious look at themselves and affiliate to the grades best suited to them.

Clashmore tried to come

down and having been recommended by the Western Board, were turned down by the County Board, and it was not all Eastern clubs who 'put a spoke in their wheel.' One could say that they were taken for a ride!

Noel Nugent told me after the County Board meeting that they were not too displeased now that they were in the weaker group of the senior championship.

No teams in hurling or football will be regraded from last year. Maybe there is some little sense in taking this decision, because a number of matches need to be played to sort out the teams who should go down and venues are not likely to be available for some time, but it is about time that the County Board made up their minds about the whole matter of

regrading.

Patsy Flanagan described as disgraceful the manner in which the championships were run last year and gave several examples to prove his point. Paddy Fitzgerald also gave examples of how Dungarvan suffered as a result of releasing players to play with county teams, etc. The Chairman assured the meeting that the 1994 championships will run strictly in accordance with the fixtures programme and outlined the conditions under which requests for postponements will be considered.

## NINE DAYS ONLY

Players on all county panels will be given nine clear days release from club championship commitments and county selectors are to be so informed.

James Tobin asked if

clubs would be given similar consideration in that teams who had players on duty with the county would not be asked to field for championship within a few days after the intercounty game. He was assured that this matter would be looked at by Coisde Gnótha.

## GROUPINGS

In next season's senior hurling championship the following eight teams will comprise Division 1 — Lismore, Passage, Mount Sion, Ballygunner, Roanmore, Fourmilewater, Tallow and De La Salle; Division 2 — St. Saviours, Clonea, Colligan, Dungarvan, Dunhill/Ballyduff, Portlaw and Stradbally.

Last year there were 14 senior teams. Now, with Clonea and Stradbally going up and no team com-

ing down we have sixteen. The truth of the matter is that we do not have sixteen teams of senior championship standard.

## FOOTBALL

**Division 1** — Nire, Dungarvan, Kilrossanty, Stradbally, Rathgormack, Gaultier, St. Saviours, Ballinacourty; **Division 2** — Tramore, Kilmacthomas, Sliabh gCua, Dunhill, Butlerstown, Affane, Clashmore, Newtown.

There will be eight in both these divisions, Newtown, who are intermediate champions, move up, and there are no teams coming down.

## OVERALL

In senior hurling the total number of matches to be played will be 61 as against 45 last year. In football the number of extra matches will be seven.

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**SOUTH EAST REGIONAL AUTHORITY**  
**Kyne Elected Vice Chairman**  
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promoting the coordination of public services in the region.

**GENERAL FUNCTIONS**  
 The general functions of the Regional Authority include tending to the general welfare and development of the South East region. An annual report on the physical, economic, social, infrastructural and environmental situation of the region will also be submitted by the authority before June 30th. This report will relate to the performance of the functions of the authority including financial statements. Other matters to which the authority has regard is the devel-

opment potential, heritage amenity and cultural resources of the region.

The first Chairman of the Regional Authority is Kilkenny County Councillor and business man James Brett (F.G.) of Chiefstown.

We wish the members of the South East Regional Authority all the best as they embark on this important and welcome political venture.

The fierce independence of individual local County Councils must be held in check as the combined efforts of the various bodies help to improve and develop the South East region.

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**Touraneena's Bosnia Appeal**

**SINCERE THANKS**

Sincere thanks to all who supported our Bosnia Appeal at the Halfway, last Sunday night. Tony Coffey, as M.C., did a terrific job on the night. A sum of £131.00 has been sent to the Bosnia Appeal account. Many people offered donations and our thanks to them. The Appeal continues, with a container to be filled at least once a month, so if anyone would like to donate further, please contact P. McCabe or S. O'Connell.

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